

DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Mosquito-Borne Illnesses in Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)

as of 12 September 2024, 6AM

I. Situation Overview

On January 2024, Regional Dengue Disease Surveillance Report presented that Mosquito-borne diseases were reported in Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR).

Mosquito-borne diseases are transmitted through the bites of infected mosquitoes and include Zika virus, West Nile virus, Chikungunya virus, dengue, and malaria. While some individuals may not show any symptoms after a mosquito bite, others might experience mild, short-term illnesses. In rare cases, these diseases can lead to severe or long-term health complications, and in the most serious cases, they can be fatal.

Following the report, a significant increase in mosquito-borne illnesses in the Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR) was observed from February to July 2024. In response to this surge, the Cordillera Regional Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Council (RDRRMC) raised the alert level to Blue. This elevated alert status was implemented to ensure heightened vigilance, improve bio surveillance, and facilitate a coordinated response to effectively mitigate the spread of dengue and other mosquito-borne diseases.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) CAR and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **5,971 individuals** are affected in **376 barangays** in **Cordillera Administrative Region (CAR)** (see Table 1).

Table 1: Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	376	5,971	5,971
CAR	376	5,971	5,971
Abra	89	189	189
<i>Bangued</i>	18	26	26
<i>Boliney</i>	3	3	3
<i>Bucay</i>	8	12	12
<i>Bucloc</i>	4	29	29
<i>Daguioman</i>	2	12	12
<i>Danglas</i>	2	2	2
<i>Dolores</i>	4	10	10
<i>La Paz</i>	4	8	8
<i>Lacub</i>	1	1	1
<i>Lagangilang</i>	6	11	11
<i>Lagayan</i>	1	1	1
<i>Langiden</i>	1	1	1
<i>Licuan-Baay (Licuan)</i>	2	3	3
<i>Luba</i>	6	18	18
<i>Malibcong</i>	2	2	2
<i>Manabo</i>	5	7	7

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
<i>Penarrubia</i>	1	1	1
<i>Pilar</i>	4	13	13
<i>Sallapadan</i>	1	2	2
<i>San Isidro</i>	3	5	5
<i>San Juan</i>	4	5	5
<i>San Quintin</i>	1	1	1
<i>Tayum</i>	1	1	1
<i>Villaviciosa</i>	5	15	15
Benguet	30	737	737
<i>Itogon</i>	1	1	1
<i>Kabayan</i>	13	712	712
<i>Kapangan</i>	1	1	1
<i>Kibungan</i>	1	1	1
<i>La Trinidad</i>	6	12	12
<i>Mankayan</i>	3	3	3
<i>Sablan</i>	2	2	2
<i>Tublay</i>	3	5	5
Baguio City	112	2,584	2,584
Mountain Province	145	2,461	2,461
<i>Barlig</i>	11	75	75
<i>Bontoc</i>	16	250	250
<i>Natonin</i>	11	76	76
<i>Paracelis</i>	9	124	124
<i>Sadanga</i>	8	196	196
<i>Bauko</i>	22	759	759
<i>Besao</i>	14	330	330
<i>Sabangan</i>	15	144	144
<i>Sagada</i>	20	232	232
<i>Tadian</i>	19	275	275

III. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱1,929,228.28** worth of assistance was provided by the **DSWD** to the affected individuals (see Table 2).

Table 2: Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
GRAND TOTAL	1,929,228.28	-	-	-	1,929,228.28
CAR	1,929,228.28	-	-	-	1,929,228.28
Benguet	481,000.00	-	-	-	481,000.00
<i>Itogon</i>	5,000.00	-	-	-	5,000.00
<i>Kabayan</i>	8,000.00	-	-	-	8,000.00
<i>Kapangan</i>	15,000.00	-	-	-	15,000.00
<i>Kibungan</i>	5,000.00	-	-	-	5,000.00
<i>La Trinidad</i>	131,000.00	-	-	-	131,000.00
<i>Mankayan</i>	256,000.00	-	-	-	256,000.00
<i>Sablan</i>	6,000.00	-	-	-	6,000.00
<i>Tublay</i>	55,000.00	-	-	-	55,000.00
Baguio City	733,700.00	-	-	-	733,700.00
Mountain Province	714,528.28	-	-	-	714,528.28
<i>Barlig</i>	3,000.00	-	-	-	3,000.00

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				GRAND TOTAL
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	
<i>Bontoc</i>	121,895.04	-	-	-	121,895.04
<i>Natonin</i>	3,000.00	-	-	-	3,000.00
<i>Paracelis</i>	116,750.00	-	-	-	116,750.00
<i>Sadanga</i>	96,234.56	-	-	-	96,234.56
<i>Bauko</i>	270,285.12	-	-	-	270,285.12
<i>Besao</i>	4,617.28	-	-	-	4,617.28
<i>Sabangan</i>	15,000.00	-	-	-	15,000.00
<i>Sagada</i>	25,734.56	-	-	-	25,734.56
<i>Tadian</i>	58,011.72	-	-	-	58,011.72

IV. Response Actions and Interventions

a. Standby Funds and Prepositioned Relief Stockpile

OFFICE	STANDBY FUNDS	STOCKPILE			TOTAL STANDBY FUNDS & STOCKPILE
		FAMILY FOOD PACKS		OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS (FNIs)	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST		
TOTAL	417,523,838.88	174,390	132,917,121.07	300,291,783.58	850,732,743.53
DSWD CO	414,523,838.88	-	-	-	414,523,838.88
NRLMB NROC	-	47,738	27,940,921.32	216,909,477.62	244,850,398.94
NRLMB VDRC	-	61,148	53,233,595.00	29,234,502.80	82,468,097.80
DSWD FO CAR	3,000,000.00	65,504	51,742,604.75	54,147,803.16	108,890,407.91

Note: Summary of Inventory Report as of 12 September 2024, 4AM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱414.52 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱3 million available at DSWD FO CAR.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 108,886 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 47,738 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 61,148 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 65,504 FFPs available at DSWD FO CAR.
- ₱300.29 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO CAR warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
10 September 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO CAR distributed FNIs to the individuals affected by the mosquito-borne illnesses in the municipality of Tadian, Mt. Province.
30 August 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO CAR distributed FNIs to the individuals affected by the mosquito-borne illnesses in the municipality of Paracelis, Mt. Province.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
21 August 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO CAR closely coordinated with the affected LGUs for significant updates and possible request for relief augmentation.
12 August 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO CAR through the Assistance to Individuals in Crisis Situation (AICS) distributed financial assistance and FFPs to the individuals affected by the mosquito-borne illnesses in Baguio City, Benguet, and Mt. Province. DSWD FO CAR along with the Cordillera RDRRMC attended the meeting in connection with the Dengue Surveillance and Response.
06 August 2024	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> DSWD FO CAR closely coordinated with affected LGUs through the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Offices (MSWDOs) on the statistics of affected individuals.

V. Photo Documentation

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DSWD Field Office CAR distributes family food packs (FFPs) to families and individuals affected by the mosquito-borne illnesses in Tadian, Mountain Province.



The Disaster Response Operations Management, Information and Communication (DROMIC) Division of DSWD-DRMB is closely coordinating with DSWD FO CAR for significant disaster response updates and assistance provided.

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