

DSWD DROMIC Report #6 on the Effects of Localized Thunderstorms in Mindanao as of 21 February 2025, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 07 January 2025 at around 6:19 PM, heavy rains caused by the localized thunderstorms resulted in a flash flood affecting seven (7) low-lying barangays in Koronadal City, South Cotabato. On January 8, 2025, at around 3:00 AM, the same weather conditions triggered flooding in several barangays in Lambayong, Sultan Kudarat.

On 09 January 2025 at around 5:57 PM, municipalities of Isulan in Sultan Kudarat, Norala, Sto. Nino in South Cotabato, and Sultan Sa Barongis, Maguindanao del Sur experienced flash floods. On the same day, an incident of rain-induced mudslide/mudflow was also reported in Esperanza, Sultan Kudarat brought by the localized thunderstorms.

On 10 January 2025 at around 5 PM, several barangays in the municipalities of Datu Abdullah Sangki and Shariff Saydona Mustapha in Maguindanao del Sur experienced flash floods brought by the localized thunderstorms.

Source: DOST-PAGASA Daily Weather Bulletin and DSWD Field Office (FO) XII

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **22,798 families** or **72,317 persons** are affected in **46 barangays** in **Regions XII and BARMM** (see Annex A).

III. Status of Displaced Population

a. Inside Evacuation Center

There are **30 families** or **114 persons** who sought temporary shelter in **four (4) evacuation centers** in **Region XII** (see Annex B).

b. Outside Evacuation Center

One (1) family or **two (2) persons** are temporarily staying with their relatives or friends (see Annex C).

c. Total Displaced Population

One (1) family or **two (2) persons** are still displaced in **Region XII** (see Annex D).

IV. Damaged Houses

A total of **two (2) houses** were damaged; of which, **one (1)** is **totally damaged** and **one (1)** is **partially damaged** in **Santo Niño, South Cotabato and Esperanza, Sultan Kudarat** (see Annex E).

V. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱6,448,790.00** worth of assistance was provided by **DSWD** to the affected families (see Annex F).

VI. 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	6,304,847.66	458,839	336,245,219.02	293,033,510.56	635,583,577.24
DSWD CO	3,304,847.66	-	-	-	3,304,847.66
NRLMB NROC	-	146,090	119,382,566.16	142,254,000.24	261,636,566.40
NRLMB VDRC	-	224,836	160,138,641.86	129,658,419.32	289,797,061.18
DSWD FO XII	3,000,000.00	87,913	56,724,011.00	21,121,091.00	80,845,102.00

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 21 February 2025, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

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

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 370,926 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 146,090 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 224,836 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 87,913 FFPs available at DSWD FO XII.
- ₱293.03 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO XII warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
23 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XII facilitated the release of additional FFPs to the Provincial Government of Maguindanao del Sur intended for distribution to the affected families.
22 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XII released FFPs to the Provincial Government of Maguindanao del Sur intended for distribution to the affected families.
14 January 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XII facilitated the distribution of FFPs to the affected families in Koronadal City.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
21 February 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO XII maintained close coordination with the affected LGUs for significant updates and any further requests for relief augmentation.

Annexes

Annex A. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	46	22,798	72,317
REGION XII	20	2,549	11,570
South Cotabato	16	1,703	8,515
<i>City of Koronadal</i>	7	830	4,150
<i>Norala</i>	8	865	4,325
<i>Santo Niño</i>	1	8	40
Sultan Kudarat	4	846	3,055
<i>Esperanza</i>	1	22	74
<i>Isulan</i>	1	120	600
<i>Lambayong (Mariano Marcos)</i>	2	704	2,381
BARMM	26	20,249	60,747
Maguindanao del Sur	26	20,249	60,747
<i>Ampatuan</i>	5	5,573	16,719
<i>Datu Abdullah Sangki</i>	4	3,482	10,446
<i>Shariff Saydona Mustapha</i>	9	5,430	16,290
<i>Sultan Sa Barongis (Lambayong)</i>	8	5,764	17,292

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO XII

Annex B. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Inside Evacuation Center

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF EVACUATION CENTERS (ECs)		NUMBER OF DISPLACED				
			INSIDE ECs				
	CUM	NOW	Families		Persons		
				CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	4	-	30	-	114	-	
REGION XII	4	-	30	-	114	-	
South Cotabato	1	-	5	-	25	-	
<i>City of Koronadal</i>	1	-	5	-	25	-	
Sultan Kudarat	3	-	25	-	89	-	
<i>Esperanza</i>	2	-	21	-	72	-	
<i>Isulan</i>	1	-	4	-	17	-	

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO XII

Annex C. Number of Displaced Families / Persons Outside Evacuation Center

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	OUTSIDE ECs			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	1	1	2	2
REGION XII	1	1	2	2
Sultan Kudarat	1	1	2	2
<i>Esperanza</i>	1	1	2	2

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO XII

Annex D. Total Number of Displaced Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	TOTAL			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	31	1	116	2
REGION XII	31	1	116	2
South Cotabato	5	-	25	-
<i>City of Koronadal</i>	5	-	25	-
Sultan Kudarat	26	1	91	2
<i>Esperanza</i>	22	1	74	2
<i>Isulan</i>	4	-	17	-

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO XII

Annex E. Number of Damaged Houses

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES		
	Total	Totally	Partially
GRAND TOTAL	2	1	1
REGION XII	2	1	1
South Cotabato	1	-	1
<i>Santo Niño</i>	1	-	1
Sultan Kudarat	1	1	-
<i>Esperanza</i>	1	1	-

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO XII

Annex F. Cost of Assistance Provided to Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
GRAND TOTAL	6,448,790.00	-	-	-	6,448,790.00
REGION XII	1,096,810.00	-	-	-	1,096,810.00
South Cotabato	593,450.00	-	-	-	593,450.00
<i>City of Koronadal</i>	593,450.00	-	-	-	593,450.00
Sultan Kudarat	503,360.00	-	-	-	503,360.00
<i>Lambayong (Mariano Marcos)</i>	503,360.00	-	-	-	503,360.00
BARMM	5,351,980.00	-	-	-	5,351,980.00
Maguindanao del Sur	5,351,980.00	-	-	-	5,351,980.00
<i>Datu Abdullah Sangki</i>	527,530.00	-	-	-	527,530.00
<i>Shariff Saydona Mustapha</i>	2,656,110.00	-	-	-	2,656,110.00
<i>Sultan Sa Barongis (Lambayong)</i>	2,168,340.00	-	-	-	2,168,340.00

Note: The reflected DSWD assistance covers the cost of food and non-food items (FNIs) and financial assistance provided to the affected families / persons.

Source: DSWD FO XII

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

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