

DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Chemical Spill in Brgy. Mabuhay, General Santos City

as of 02 February 2024, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 01 February 2025 at around 10:00 PM, a chemical spill occurred in Brgy. Mabuhay, General Santos City, affecting several families and individuals in the community. Four (4) individuals were subsequently hospitalized at Jorge Royeca Hospital. Likewise, the cause of the leak is currently under investigation.

Relative to the incident, the Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD), through its Field Office in Region XII, has actively engaged in the response operation and maintained continuous coordination with the Local Government Unit of General Santos City, to manage the needs of displaced families and individuals, provide timely updates, and address potential requests for relief augmentation.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) XII

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **130 families** or **486 persons** are affected in **Brgy. Mabuhay, General Santos City** (see Annex A).

III. Status of Displaced Population

Inside Evacuation Center

There are **130 families** or **486 persons** currently taking temporary shelter in **Brgy. Mabuhay Gym** in **General Santos City** (see Annex B).

IV. Response Actions and Interventions

a. Standby Funds and Prepositioned Relief Stockpile

OFFICE	STANDBY FUNDS	STOCKPILE			TOTAL STANDBY FUNDS & STOCKPILE
		FAMILY FOOD PACKS (FFPs)		OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS (FNIs)	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST		
TOTAL	6,304,847.66	475,646	368,368,319.59	45,320,788.49	419,993,955.74
DSWD CO	3,304,847.66	-	-	-	3,304,847.66
NRLMB NROC	-	165,761	139,532,288.89	8,576,116.81	148,108,405.70
NRLMB VDRC	-	221,500	171,865,423.70	24,181,231.89	196,046,655.59
DSWD FO XII	3,000,000.00	88,385	56,970,607.00	12,563,439.79	72,534,046.79

Note: Summary of Inventory Reports as of 02 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

- 387,261 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 165,761 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 221,500 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 88,385 FFPs available at DSWD FO XII.
- ₱45.32 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO XII warehouses.

b. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
02 February 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● DSWD FO XII maintains close coordination with the LGU of General Santos City and other concerned offices for significant updates and any requests for relief augmentation.

Annexes

Annex A. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
GRAND TOTAL	1	130	486
REGION XII	1	130	486
General Santos City (Dadiangas)	1	130	486

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			
			Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
GRAND TOTAL	1	-	130	-	486	-
REGION XII	1	-	130	-	486	-
General Santos City (Dadiangas)	1	-	130	-	486	-

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

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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