

DSWD DROMIC Report #11 on the Mw 5.9 Earthquake Incident in Southern Leyte

as of 10 March 2025, 6PM

I. Situation Overview

On 23 January 2025 at around 7:39 AM, a 5.9-magnitude earthquake jolted the Province of Southern Leyte (10.00°N, 125.19°E, 007 km S 29° E).

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Date/Time:	23 Jan 2025 - 07:39:47 AM
Reported	Intensity VI - San Francisco, Southern Leyte
Intensities:	Intensity V - Ubay, Bohol; Anahawan, Hinunangan, Hinundayan, Libagon, Liloan, Limasawa, Padre Burgos, Pintuyan, San Juan, and San Ricardo, Southern Leyte Intensity IV - President Carlos P. Garcia, BOHOL; Abuyog, Bato, City of Baybay, Hilongos, Hindang, Inopacan, and Matalom, LEYTE; Bontoc, City of Maasin, Macrohon, Malitbog, Saint Bernard, Silago, Sogod, and Tomas Oppus, Southern Leyte; Basilisa, Cagdianao, Dinagat, Libjo, Loreto, San Jose, and Tubajon, Dinagat Islands; and Mainit, Surigao Del Norte
	Intensity III - city of cebu; Balangiga, and Lawaan, Eastern Samar; Alangalang, Albuera, Barugo, Burauen, Capoocan, Carigara, Dagami, Dulag, Jaro, Javier, Julita, Kananga, La Paz, Macarthur, Mahaplag, Mayorga, Merida, Palo, Pastrana, San Miguel, Santa Fe, Tabontabon, Tanauan, Tolosa, and Tunga, Leyte; Ormoc City; City of Tacloban; Basey, Pinabacdao, Santa Rita, Talalora, and Villareal, Samar; and City of Surigao, Surigao Del Norte Intensity II - Tubigon, Bohol; Catmon, Danao City, City of Naga, and City of Talisay, Cebu; City of Lapu-Lapu; City of Mandaue; Balangkayan, City of Borongan, General Macarthur, Guiuan, Hernani, Llorente, Maydolong, Mercedes, Salcedo, San Julian, and Sulat, Eastern Samar; Babatngon, Calubian, Isabel, Leyte, Matag-Ob, Palompon, San Isidro, Tabango, and Villaba, Leyte; Calbiga, City of Catbalogan, Hinabangan, Jiabong, Marabut, Motiong, Paranas, San Jorge, and Tarangnan, Samar; City Of Cagayan De Oro; Malimono, Placer, San Benito, and Tagana-An, Surigao Del Norte Intensity I - Argao, Borbon, City of Carcar, Carmen, Compostela, Consolacion, Dalaguete, Iiloan, Minglanilla, San Francisco, and
	Sogod, Cebu; Burgos, Dapa, Del Carmen, Pilar, San Isidro, and Sison, Surigao Del Norte Instrumental Intensities: Intensity V - Hinundayan, Padre Burgos, and San Juan, Southern Leyte Intensity IV - Burauen, Leyte; Hinunangan, City of Maasin, and
	Sogod, Southern Leyte; and City of Surigao, Surigao Del Norte Intensity III - Carigara, Dulag, Kananga, and Palo, Leyte; Ormoc City; and City of Cagayan De Oro



	Intensity II - City of Roxas, Capiz; City of Bogo, Danao City, and City of Talisay, Cebu; Leyte, Leyte; Gandara, Samar; City of Gingoog, Misamis Oriental Intensity I - San Francisco, Cebu; City of Lapu-Lapu; Naval, Biliran; Can-Avid, Eastern Samar; and Mambajao, Camiguin
Expecting Damage:	YES
Expecting Aftershocks:	YES

Source: DOST-PHIVOLCS Earthquake Bulletin

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **2,460 families** or **8,496 persons** were affected in **68 barangays** in **Southern Leyte** (see Annex A).

III. Status of Displaced Population

Outside Evacuation Center

There are **16 families** or **64 persons** temporarily stayed with their relatives or friends (see Annex B).

IV. Damaged Houses

A total of **1,365 houses** were damaged; of which, **25** are **totally damaged** and **1,340** are **partially damaged** in **Southern Leyte** (see Annex C).

V. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of ₱1,714,873.12 worth of assistance was provided by the **Department of Social Welfare and Development (DSWD)** to the affected families (see Annex D).

VI. Response Actions and Interventions

a. Standby Funds and Prepositioned Relief Stockpile

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			TOTAL STANDBY			
OFFICE	STANDBY FUNDS	FAMILY FO	OD PACKS	OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS	FUNDS &	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST	(FNIs)	STOCKPILE	
TOTAL	3,947,481.18	675,537	458,762,461.87	196,603,258.49	659,313,201.54	
DSWD CO	2,575,685.06	-	-	-	2,575,685.06	
NRLMB NROC	-	200,616	145,272,224.86	102,707,115.52	247,979,340.38	
NRLMB VDRC	-	342,240	222,791,155.46	51,259,271.97	274,050,427.43	
DSWD FO VIII	1,371,796.12	132,681	90,699,081.55	42,636,871.00	134,707,748.67	

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 10 March 2025, 4PM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB



1. Standby Funds

- ₱2.58 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) available at the DSWD Central Office
- ₱1.37 million available at DSWD FO VIII.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 542,856 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 200,616 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 342,240 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 132,681 FFPs available at DSWD FO VIII.
- ₱196.60 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO VIII warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
18 February 2025	DSWD FO VIII facilitated the distribution of additional FFPs to the affected families and individuals in Saint Bernard, Southern Leyte.
06 February 2025	DSWD FO VIII facilitated the distribution of additional FFPs to the affected families and individuals in San Francisco, Southern Leyte.
31 January 2025	DSWD FO VIII facilitated the distribution of FFPs to the affected families and individuals in Liloan, Southern Leyte.
30 January 2025	 DSWD FO VIII facilitated the distribution of FFPs to the affected families and individuals in Pintuyan, Southern Leyte. DSWD FO VIII facilitated the processing of relief augmentation requests of Local Government Units (LGUs) of San Francisco and Liloan, Southern Leyte.
28 January 2025	DSWD FO VIII facilitated the distribution of FFPs to the affected families and individuals in Padre Burgos, Southern Leyte.
24 January 2025	DSWD FO VIII distributed FFPs to families and individuals affected by the earthquake incident.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
10 March 2025	DSWD FO VIII maintained close coordination with the affected LGUs and other concerned offices for significant updates and further requests for relief augmentation.







Annexes

Number of Affected Families / Persons Annex A.

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED				
REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	Barangays	Families	Persons		
GRAND TOTAL	68	2,460	8,496		
REGION VIII	68	2,460	8,496		
Southern Leyte	68	2,460	8,496		
Hinundayan	1	1	4		
Liloan	14	282	991		
Padre Burgos	4	12	52		
Pintuyan	14	211	788		
Saint Bernard	4	16	64		
San Francisco	22	1,883	6,377		
San Juan (Cabalian)	1	8	32		
San Ricardo	8	47	188		

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO VIII

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

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	NUMBER OF DISPLACED				
REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	OUTSIDE ECs				
REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	Families		Persons		
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW	
GRAND TOTAL	16	-	64	-	
REGION VIII	16	-	64	-	
Southern Leyte	16	-	64	-	
San Francisco	16	-	64	-	

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO VIII

Annex C. **Number of Damaged Houses**

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REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES			
REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	Total	Totally	Partially	
GRAND TOTAL	1,365	25	1,340	
REGION VIII	1,365	25	1,340	
Southern Leyte	1,365	25	1,340	
Hinundayan	1	-	1	
Liloan	196	-	196	
Padre Burgos	12	-	12	
Pintuyan	202	-	202	
Saint Bernard	15	-	15	
San Francisco	884	25	859	
San Juan (Cabalian)	8	-	8	
San Ricardo	47	-	47	

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO VIII







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

REGION / PROVINCE /	COST OF ASSISTANCE					
MUNICIPALITY	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL	
GRAND TOTAL	1,714,873.12	-	-	-	1,714,873.12	
REGION VIII	1,714,873.12	•	ı	•	1,714,873.12	
Southern Leyte	1,714,873.12	-	ı	-	1,714,873.12	
Liloan	323,578.08	-	-	-	323,578.08	
Padre Burgos	7,464.00	-	-	-	7,464.00	
Pintuyan	131,110.00	-	-	-	131,110.00	
Saint Bernard	18,359.04	-	-	-	18,359.04	
San Francisco	1,234,362.00	-	-	-	1,234,362.00	

Note: The reflected DSWD assistance covers the cost of Food and Non-Food Items (FNIs) provided to the affected families / persons. Source: DSWD FO VIII

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

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