

DSWD DROMIC Report #1 on the Suspected Case of Measles Outbreak in Brgy. San Agustin, Sablayan, Occidental Mindoro

as of 18 March 2025, 6AM

I. Situation Overview

On 02 March 2025, the first confirmed case of measles was reported in Brgy. San Agustin, Sablayan, Occidental Mindoro. As a mitigation response to minimize contact between infected individuals and the broader community, the Local Government of Sablayan placed 242 families under isolation.

In addition to the quarantine protocols, the Local Health Office conducted an anti-measles vaccination campaign on 03 March 2025 as part of the government's proactive efforts to protect residents who may have been exposed to the infected individuals.

Measles is a highly contagious disease caused by a virus which infects the respiratory tract and then spreads throughout the body. It spreads easily when an infected person breathes, coughs or sneezes, and can cause severe disease, complications, and even death. Symptoms include a high fever, cough, runny nose and a rash all over the body.

Source: DSWD Field Office (FO) MIMAROPA and World Health Organization (WHO)

II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **242 families** or **702 persons** are affected in **Brgy. San Agustin, Sablayan, Occidental Mindoro** (see Annex A).

III. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱765,355.80** worth of assistance was provided to the affected families; of which, **₱215,355.80** from **DSWD** and **₱550,000.00** from the **Local Government Unit (LGU)** (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		OTHER FOOD AND NON-FOOD ITEMS (FNIs)	
		QUANTITY	TOTAL COST		
TOTAL	301,779,399.80	731,820	503,795,499.30	193,599,047.71	999,173,946.81
DSWD CO	298,779,399.80	-	-	-	298,779,399.80
NRLMB NROC	-	248,105	178,013,776.00	112,404,695.56	290,418,471.56
NRLMB VDRC	-	348,740	207,882,932.82	47,347,286.69	255,230,219.51
DSWD FO MIMAROPA	3,000,000.00	134,975	117,898,790.48	33,847,065.46	154,745,855.94

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 18 March 2025, 4AM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

1. Standby Funds

- ₱298.78 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱3 million available at DSWD FO MIMAROPA.

2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 596,845 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 248,105 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 348,740 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.
- 134,975 FFPs available at DSWD FO MIMAROPA.
- ₱193.60 million worth of other FNIs at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FO MIMAROPA warehouses.

b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

DATE	ACTIVITIES
12 March 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO MIMAROPA, in coordination with the Municipal Action Team and the Local Government Unit of Sablayan, facilitated the distribution of FNIs to the affected families.

c. Other Activities

DATE	ACTIVITIES
17 March 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • DSWD FO MIMAROPA closely coordinates with the affected LGUs 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	242	702
MIMAROPA	1	242	702
Occidental Mindoro	1	242	702
Sablayan	1	242	702

Note: Ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FO MIMAROPA

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
GRAND TOTAL	215,355.80	550,000.00	-	-	765,355.80
MIMAROPA	215,355.80	550,000.00	-	-	765,355.80
Occidental Mindoro	215,355.80	550,000.00	-	-	765,355.80
Sablayan	215,355.80	550,000.00	-	-	765,355.80

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 MIMAROPA

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

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