

# DSWD DROMIC Report #5 on the Effects of Intertropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ) in Mindanao as of 21 May 2025, 6AM

## I. Situation Overview

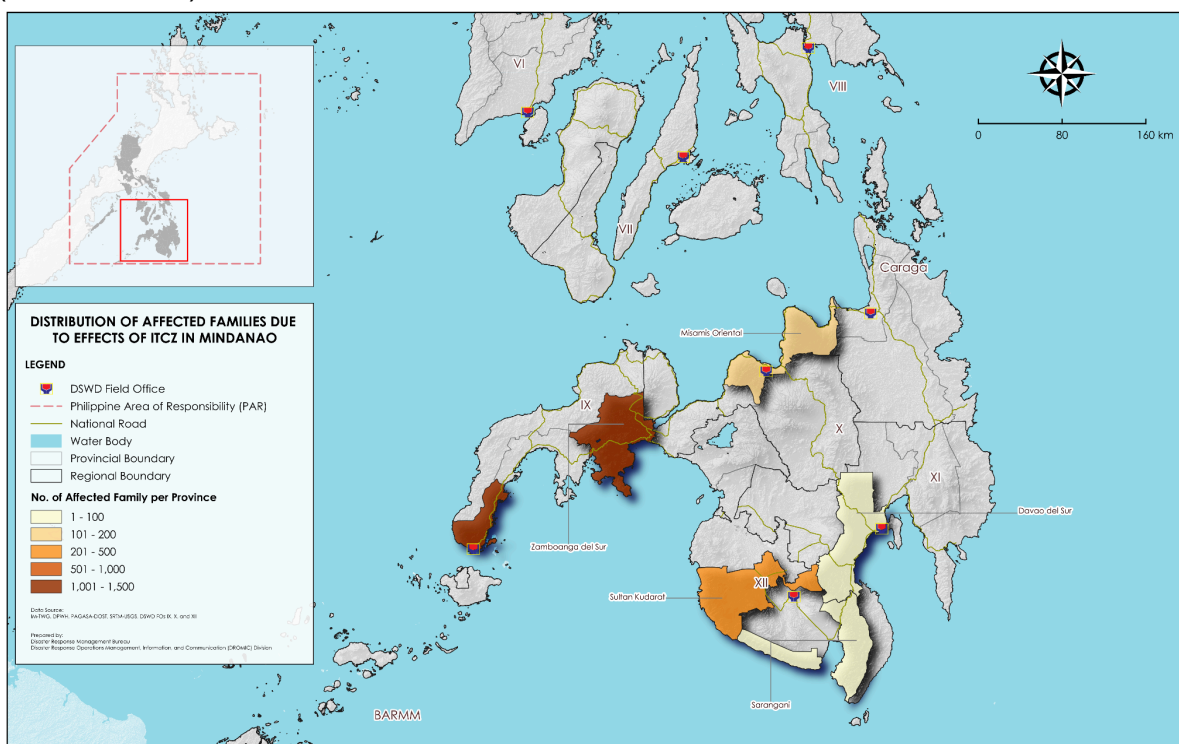
On 15 May 2025 at 4AM, cloudy skies with scattered rain and thunderstorms caused by the Intertropical Convergence Zone (ITCZ) may have brought possible flash floods or landslides due to moderate to at times heavy rains in Mindanao, Eastern Visayas, and Palawan. On the same day, a flooding incident was experienced in Brgy. Nangcaon, Opol, Misamis Oriental due to continuous heavy rains brought about by the prevailing ITCZ. Meanwhile, families who had undertaken pre-emptive evacuation due to heavy rains in the province of Lanao del Norte have already returned to their respective homes.

On May 17, 2025, several barangays in the municipality of Kumalarang, Zamboanga del Sur experienced flooding and landslides due to the ITCZ. In other parts of Mindanao, flooding occurred in Brgy. Baluntay, Alabel, Sarangani on 18 May 2025 at 1AM, and in Brgy. Bunawan, Davao City on 19 May 2025 at 8PM, both caused by continuous rainfall brought by the ITCZ.

*Source: DOST-PAGASA Daily Weather Bulletin and DSWD Field Offices (FOs)*

## II. Status of Affected Areas and Population

A total of **1,936 families** or **7,211 persons** are affected in **Regions IX, X, XI, and XII** (see Annex A).



### III. Status of Displaced Population

#### Outside Evacuation Center

There are **1,358 families** or **5,301 persons** temporarily staying with their relatives or friends (see Annex B).

### IV. Damaged Houses

A total of **105 houses** were damaged; of which, **19** are **totally damaged** and **86** are **partially damaged** in **Regions IX and X** (see Annex C).

### V. Cost of Humanitarian Assistance Provided

A total of **₱1,057,495.00** worth of assistance was provided to the affected families; of which, **₱952,495.00** from **DSWD**, and **₱105,000.00** from the **Local Government Unit (LGU)** (see Annex D).

### 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	768,026,228.81	2,980,550	2,007,808,738.09	875,716,693.26	3,651,551,660.16
DSWD CO	721,246,728.81	-	-	-	721,246,728.81
NRLMB NROC		404,973	260,366,815.87	52,941,417.68	313,308,233.55
NRLMB VDRC		373,561	231,092,695.76	19,217,280.57	250,309,976.33
DSWD FO IX	3,000,000.00	67,309	47,389,075.00	53,031,873.84	103,420,948.84
DSWD FO X	3,000,000.00	112,484	77,945,871.20	36,527,059.36	117,472,930.56
DSWD FO XI	3,000,000.00	121,128	83,652,193.00	90,433,205.20	177,085,398.20
DSWD FO XII	3,000,000.00	110,150	68,186,093.94	20,635,049.00	91,821,142.94
OTHER FOs	34,779,500.00	1,790,945	1,239,175,993.32	602,930,807.61	1,876,886,300.93

Note: The Inventory Summary is as of 21 May 2025, 4AM.

Source: DSWD-DRMB and DSWD-NRLMB

#### 1. Standby Funds

- ₱722.25 million Quick Response Fund (QRF) available at the DSWD Central Office.
- ₱12 million available at DSWD FOs IX, X, XI, and XII.
- ₱34.78 million available in other FOs, which may support the relief needs of the families affected by the effects of ITCZ through inter-FO augmentation.

#### 2. Prepositioned FFPs and Other Relief Items

- 778,534 FFPs available in Disaster Response Centers; of which, 404,973 FFPs are at the National Resource Operations Center (NROC), Pasay City and 373,561 FFPs are at the Visayas Disaster Resource Center (VDRC), Mandaue City.

- 411,071 FFPs available at DSWD FOs IX, X, XI, and XII.
- 1,790,945 FFPs are available in other FOs, which may support the relief needs of the families affected by the effects of ITCZ through inter-FO augmentation.
- ₱875.72 million worth of other FNIs available at NROC, VDRC, and DSWD FOs IX, X, XI, and XII warehouses.

#### b. Food and Non-food Items (FNIs)

##### FO IX

DATE	ACTIVITIES
18 May 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO IX distributed FNIs to the families affected by the effects of ITCZ in the Municipality of Kumalarang, Zamboanga del Sur.</li> </ul>

#### c. Other Activities

##### FO IX

DATE	ACTIVITIES
19 May 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO IX closely coordinated with the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) of the Local Government Unit (LGU) of Kumalarang, Zamboanga del Sur and other concerned offices for significant updates and any requests for relief augmentation.</li> <li>• DSWD FO IX ensured that FNIs are readily available for possible relief augmentation.</li> </ul>

##### FO X

DATE	ACTIVITIES
20 May 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO X closely coordinated with the LGU of Opol, Misamis Oriental and other concerned offices for significant updates and any requests for relief augmentation.</li> <li>• DSWD FO X ensured that FNIs are readily available for possible relief augmentation.</li> </ul>

##### FO XI

DATE	ACTIVITIES
19 May 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO IX closely coordinated with the LGU of Davao City and other concerned offices for significant updates and any requests for relief augmentation.</li> </ul>

##### FO XII

DATE	ACTIVITIES
19 May 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• DSWD FO XII closely coordinated with the Provincial Disaster Risk Reduction and Management Office (PDRRMO) of Sarangani, the Municipal Social Welfare and Development Office (MSWDO) of Lambayong, Sultan Kudarat, and other concerned offices for significant updates and any requests for relief augmentation.</li> </ul>

## Annexes

### Annex A. Number of Affected Families / Persons

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF AFFECTED		
	Barangays	Families	Persons
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>1,936</b>	<b>7,211</b>
<b>REGION IX</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>4,557</b>
<b>Zamboanga del Sur</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>4,557</b>
<i>Kumalarang</i>	5	1,222	4,557
<b>REGION X</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>744</b>
<b>Misamis Oriental</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>744</b>
<i>Opol</i>	1	136	744
<b>REGION XI</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>93</b>
<i>Davao City</i>	1	35	93
<b>REGION XII</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>543</b>	<b>1,817</b>
<b>Sarangani</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>94</b>	<b>470</b>
<i>Alabel</i>	1	94	470
<b>Sultan Kudarat</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>449</b>	<b>1,347</b>
<i>Lambayong (Mariano Marcos)</i>	1	449	1,347

Note: Annex A reflects the actual number of affected families and persons after data validation conducted on 21 May 2025, 4AM. Hence, the significant changes are based on the ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FOs

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF DISPLACED			
	OUTSIDE ECs			
	Families		Persons	
	CUM	NOW	CUM	NOW
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>1,358</b>	<b>1,358</b>	<b>5,301</b>	<b>5,301</b>
<b>REGION IX</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>4,557</b>	<b>4,557</b>
<b>Zamboanga del Sur</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>1,222</b>	<b>4,557</b>	<b>4,557</b>
<i>Kumalarang</i>	1,222	1,222	4,557	4,557
<b>REGION X</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>744</b>	<b>744</b>
<b>Misamis Oriental</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>136</b>	<b>744</b>	<b>744</b>
<i>Opol</i>	136	136	744	744

Note: Annex B reflects the actual number of displaced families and persons after data validation conducted on 21 May 2025, 4AM. Hence, the significant changes are based on the ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FOs

### Annex C. Number of Damaged Houses

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	NO. OF DAMAGED HOUSES		
	Total	Totally	Partially
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>86</b>
<b>REGION IX</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>
<b>Zamboanga del Sur</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>4</b>
<i>Kumalarang</i>	5	1	4
<b>REGION X</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>82</b>
<b>Misamis Oriental</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>82</b>
<i>Opol</i>	100	18	82

Note: Annex C reflects the actual number of damaged houses after data validation conducted on 21 May 2025, 4AM. Hence, the significant changes are based on the ongoing assessment and validation.

Source: DSWD FOs

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

REGION / PROVINCE / MUNICIPALITY	COST OF ASSISTANCE				
	DSWD	LGU	NGOs	OTHERS	GRAND TOTAL
<b>GRAND TOTAL</b>	<b>952,495.00</b>	<b>105,000.00</b>	-	-	<b>1,057,495.00</b>
<b>REGION IX</b>	<b>952,495.00</b>	-	-	-	<b>952,495.00</b>
<b>Zamboanga del Sur</b>	<b>952,495.00</b>	-	-	-	<b>952,495.00</b>
<i>Kumalarang</i>	<i>952,495.00</i>	-	-	-	<i>952,495.00</i>
<b>REGION X</b>	-	<b>105,000.00</b>	-	-	<b>105,000.00</b>
<b>Misamis Oriental</b>	-	<b>105,000.00</b>	-	-	<b>105,000.00</b>
<i>Opol</i>	-	<i>105,000.00</i>	-	-	<i>105,000.00</i>

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

*Source: DSWD FOs*

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

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