

Nepal COVER (COVID-19 Emergency Response) Project



World Vision International Nepal Situation Report

Situation Report #9 | 7 July 2021

648,085 25,828 9,263 612,994 3,383,544 330
Total Cases Active Cases Deaths Recovered PCR Tests Quarantined

567 Patients in I.C.U171 Patients in ventilators2,859 Institutional Isolation

22,969 Home Isolation

96 RT-PCR Testing Laboratories

(Government of Nepal, Ministry of Health and Population (MoHP, 7 July 2021)

Monsoon Updates							
261	43 Districts Affected	43	31	50			
Incidents		Deaths	Missing	Injured			

(Government of Nepal, Ministry of Home Affairs (MoHA, 7 July 2021)



Key Concerns





Doctors warn a third wave of pandemic could hit the country only in a matter of days, as the authorities are lifting restrictions while the positivity rate is still high.²

Humanitarian Situation Overview

The authorities in Nepal's Kathmandu Valley on Sunday decided to lift all the restrictive measures against public and private transportation and allow more operation hours for shops while extending the ongoing lockdown for ten more days to contain the COVID-19 pandemic. (<u>District Administration Office, Kathmandu</u>)

Nepal is most likely to get 1.5 million doses of the Johnson & Johnson Covid-19 vaccine next week under the COVAX facility, multiple officials at the Ministry of Health and Population confirmed. 2,606,005 people have so far received their first doses and of them 758,046 have been given both doses. (The Kathmandu Post)

Flash floods and landslides triggered by torrential rains across Nepal have left at least 43 people dead, including seven children, and wounded over 50 others. (The Ministry of Health and Population)

So far, a total of 3,339,983 people in Nepal have received coronavirus vaccine across the country, of which 2,587,873 have received the first dose while only 752,110 individuals have been inoculated with both the doses and are fully vaccinated. (The Himalayan Times)

The number of COVID-19 patients is increasing in the government hospitals of Kathmandu Valley again in the past week, as per the doctors. The relaxation of the prohibitory orders resulting in crowds could have increased the infections, as per the doctors and public health experts. (Online Khabar)

https://thehimalayantimes.com/environment/floods-landslides-throw-life-out-of-gea

https://kathmandupost.com/health/2021/07/05/many-people-are-reluctant-to-undergo-covid-19-test

³ https://www.nepalitimes.com/banner/the-real-cost-of-nepals-second-wave



Implementation highlights



Preparations being done for the distribution of food supplies to 41 households in Jumla district on 4 July 2021.



A tractor transporting food supplies stuck in mud following heavy rainfall in Sindhuli district on 30 June 2021.

Community Feedback

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"World Vision has been supporting us with food supplies along with other support in the past. These food supplies will help us feed our children and family for some weeks now. We are very happy!"

A commuity member, Bajhang district

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People reached



Men 61,574 Women 41,253 Children 11,289
Boys 6,773 Girls 4,516



983 self-learning materials including stationary items (a dozen pencils, a notebook, an easer, a sharpner, a pack of color pencils, clear bag folder and a set of self-learning books) have been distributed in Kirtipur and Kathmandu to grade 1-5 students of 5 July, 2021. Self-learning materials have been provided with an aim of keeping all children learning even during closure of schools during the COVID-19 lockdown. *New



The **seventh episode** of radio programme "**Hamro Ghar Hamro Paathsaala**" has been broadcasted to remotely engage children to continue their learning during the prolonged nationwide COVID-19 lockdown. **Updated*



4,574 out of 5,139 (89%) households have benefited from food consumption support as of 5 July, 2021. The food package lasts for almost three weeks for a household of four members *Updated













Challenges

Difficulty in transportation of food supplies by vendor due to landslide in Udayapur district. Coordination with local government is ongoing to resolve the issue.

Food supplies distribution in Mahottari district was disrupted due to floods for some time.

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Implementation highlights



A reading camp facilitator interacts with a child after the handover of learning materials at Kailali district.



A vehicle disseminating awareness messages on COVID-19 Phrough megaphone and posters in Rautahat district.

	Planned	Achieved		Planned	Achieved
Oxygen cylinders	1,433	1,433	Surgical masks	6,750	6,750
Oxygen concentrators	20	20	Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)	1,225	1,225
Pulse Oximeters	1,022	1,022	Soap (liquid)	129	129
Oxygen cylinder nozzle	100	100	IR Thermometers	1,012	1,012
Oxygen cylinder flow meters	555	555	Hygiene kits	150	150
Oxygen masks	500	500	Sanitisers (Galloons)	53	53
Respirator masks	756	756	Hospital beds	50	50

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"During the second wave of COVID-19, we received health equipment from World Vision. Last year too, we had received Personal Protective Equipment (PPEs), which were very high quality. We really appreciate World Vision's support to us during these difficult times."

Ministry of Social Development, Province I Officia

MEDIA HITS RECORDED FOR THE PERIOD OF 1 JULY - 7 JULY 2021

Relief for children (Kantipur Daily)

Food support to the most vulnerable children and families (SudurKhabar)

Food support to 200 vulnerable families in Khaptad (Khaptad Online)

Relief materials distributed by World Vision (Achham Today)

Food support to 420 individuals in Jumla by World Vision (Digital Sanchar)



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