



World Vision International Nepal Situation Report

Situation Report #10 | 14 July 2021

| 658,778 26,261 9,412 | 623,105 3,430,222 299 |
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| Total Cases Active Cases Deaths | Recovered PCR Tests Quarantine |
| 568 Patients in I.C.U182 Patients in ventilators2,722 Institutional Isolation | 23,539 Home Isolation96 RT-PCR TestingLaboratories |

(Government of Nepal, Ministry of Health and Population (MoHP, 14 July 2021)

| Monsoon Updates | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|--------|---------|---------|------------------|------------------|--|--|--|--|
| 47 | 59 | 34 | 61 | 560 | 155 | | | | |
| Districts | Deaths | Missing | Injured | Houses Destroyed | Houses Destroyed | | | | |
| Affected | | Ŭ | • | Completely | Partially | | | | |

(Government of Nepal, Ministry of Home Affairs (MoHA, 14 July 2021)



Key Concerns

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Floods and landslides triggered by heavy rainfall continues to record loss of lives and properties across the country. $^{\rm 1}$

With Delta variants circulating, experts warn of new second virus wave peak. Two major concerns, according to doctors, are that the Delta and Delta Plus variants are circulating and Nepal's

vaccination coverage is abysmally low.²

There was a class divide among Nepal's 6 million school students even before Covid-19. But there is now also a digital divide that has widened the gap between private and government schools. ³

Humanitarian Situation Overview

Nepal gets new prime minister as the Supreme Court on Monday overturned Prime Minister KP Sharma Oli's May 21 decision to dissolve the House of Representatives and ordered President Bidya Devi Bhandari to appoint Nepali Congress President Sher Bahadur Deuba the new prime minister. (<u>The</u> <u>Kathmandu Post</u>)

A large amount of vaccines are arriving from the USA and China, but the government has neither prepared the schedule to vaccinate the people nor arranged for their storage. There has already been a shortage of space in the central storage of Kathmandu in Teku with the arrival of 800,000 doses from China, while 1,500,000 doses from the US and remaining 3,200,000 doses from China are also arriving immediately. (Ekantipur)

The vaccines — Vero Cell from China and Johnson & Johnson from America is being administered in all 77 districts from 13 July 2021. Out of the total population of the country, 2.611 million people have got the first dose of COVID-19 vaccines while 1.413 million have been inoculated with the second dose as well.(<u>MyRepublica</u>)

As Nepal struggles to contain Covid-19, risk of Zika outbreak rises in the country. (The Kathmandu Post)

The Delta variant of COVID-19 has been confirmed in Bharatpur of Chitwan. Two of the samples sent to the National Public Health Laboratory of Kathmandu for testing have been confirmed positive for this variant. (Nepalnews)

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Implementation highlights



Preparations being done for the distribution of food supplies to COVID-19 impacted nouseholds in Kailali district.



A simulation exercise on landslide prevention being held in Udayapur district on 9 July, 2021.

Community Feedback

"The COVID-19 lockdown impacted us a lot. My husband used to work in another district. Following the lockdown, he came back home walking 250 kilometers. Our only source of income was my husband's job and as he had no job, we suffered a lot. That is when World Vision provided food supplies to us. That was a huge support during such a difficult time."

-Julekha, Sarlahi district

People reached



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



11,738 self-learning materials of the total 29,000 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 12 WVI Nepal's working districts as of as of 13th 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. "Updated



The **eighth 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



7,918 out of 8,614 households have benefited from food consumption support as of 13 July, 2021. The food package lasts for almost three weeks for a household of four members "Updated



A MEDIA HITS RECORDED FOR THE PERIOD OF 8 JULY - 14 JULY 2021

Simulation exercise on landslide prevention in Udayapur (<u>Nagariknews</u>) Food support to vulnerable children and families in Bajhang district (<u>RadioNepal</u>) Food support to 626 vulnerable families in Achham district (<u>Ramroshan Today</u>) Food support to 219 families by World Vision in Kailali (<u>Tikapur FM</u>) Food support to COVID-19 impacted families (Kalika Khabar)



Implementation highlights



Children return home with self-learning materials received from World Vision at Rautahat district.



A child receives self-learning materials at Rautahat district on 8 July 2021.

| | 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 |

Rapid Needs Assesement: Key Findings

A cross-sectional rapid assessment was conducted in 15 districts of six provinces of Nepal (except Lumbini Province) with a representative sample of 657 adults and 689 children. Some of the major findings were:

The prevalence of severe food insecurity (food enough for one month or less) has doubled during COVID-19 as 35% of the households face severe food insecurity during the second wave compared to 18.6% prior to the pandemic

Only 20.7% of the total children had access to virtual learning sessions

84.4% respondents heard about COVID-19 messages and 82% were aware about preventive measures to contain the Coronavirus

"World Vision and its partner NGO Rastriya Rojgar Prawardhan Kendra (RRPK)'s initiative on awareness messages dissimination through megaphones in vehicles is very appreciable. It has helped to create awareness on COVID-19 in our community.

-A resident of Sarlahi district

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