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Operational Highlights

- Deployment of MSUs to support the Government’s COVID-19 response
- Transportation of oxygen cylinders to various health centres across the country to support the Government’s COVID-19 response

Background

The National Logistics Cluster provides support to the humanitarian community through the coordination of logistics operations and addresses identified logistics gaps. WFP, as co-lead agency of the National Logistics Cluster, in cooperation with the Ministry of Transport and Public Works, engages with the various stakeholders to facilitate transport, storage, and other logistics activities in Malawi.
Coordination & Information Management

- In close coordination with the Ministry of Transport and Public Works, the National Logistics Cluster chaired bi-weekly online meetings presenting national response updates, the COVID-19 Response Plan, and related ongoing activities to partners.
- In addition, the National Logistics Cluster participated in national inter-cluster coordination group meetings on a weekly basis.

COVID-19, National Logistics Cluster Support & General Logistics Services

- The National Logistics Cluster supported the Lilongwe Girls Secondary School and Mzuzu Central Hospital with MSU ventilation, and storage of tents for MoH.
- The National Logistics Cluster supported MoH with the transportation of the Oxygen Cylinders to various health centres across the country
- The National Logistics Cluster has supported with the deployment and installation MSUs at Mwanza PoE, Kasungu District hospital, Zomba Central Hospital, Bwaila Hospital, the Malawi Blood Transfusion Services, and Dzaleka Refugee Camp which were used for the vaccination campaign.
- The National Logistics Cluster has supported with the procurement of inventory for the container labs that will be deployed across the country five points of entries.
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