

Minutes of Meeting- Virtual Shelter Cluster Coordination Meeting

Typhoon Odette (Rai)- 11th January 2022

In attendance

Partners attending the meeting: Build Change (BC), UN-Habitat, International Organization for Migration (IOM), Catholic Relief Services (CRS), Islamic relief, Lokal Lab, Shelter Box, CFSI, Habitat for Humanity International, CARE.

1. Updates on partners mapping.

- 16 partners reported in Kobo and last update of partners mapping was shared. They are covering 9 provinces: Agusan del Norte, Bohol, Cebu, Dinagat Islands, Easter Samar, Lanao del Norte, Negros Occidental, Southern Leyte and Surigao del Norte.
- Reminder for the partners that still didn't sign up on Kobo and / or report on 4W.

2. Updates on 4W

Figures for damaged houses are raising:

- 1,271,723 houses (356,998 totally damaged + 914,725 partially damaged) according to DROMIC data 10th January
- 1.316.822 houses (384.693 totally damaged + 932.119 partially damaged) according to OCHA data 9th January.

As of January 6th, partners reached 18.134 HH and 26.051 are planned to be reach, according with 4W reporting. Since some partners didn't reply yet due to difficulties in communication in remote areas, this figure is considered underreported.

Clarifications were made to partners to ensure accurate reporting.

In case of doubt im1.phil@sheltercluster.org can be contacted.

3. HNP / Shelter Cluster indicators.

A draft of Shelter Cluster indicators requested by OCHA was discussed with partners.

SC Partners agreed on the indicators for the two first outcomes:

#!/% of HHs whose domestic life is improved through household item support

#!/% of HHs who have been supported to improve their domestic home/shelter/enclosure

It was agreed that indicators for the third outcome:

« #!/% of communities that enhanced their resilience through technical assistance and/or communal activities » need further discussion.

These indicators will, if needed, evolve simultaneously with the strategy /menu of shelter options.

4. Cash working group.

It has been announced that government (DHSUD) will support with a flat rate damaged houses with PHP5000, regardless of the level of damage. It is discussed among partners if this amount it is considered enough and the possibility to top up government support.

Arnaldo Arcadio from CRS will attend Cash working group meeting and will report to partners. Together with Jansen, from LWR and Kim, IOM, they will be cash focal point for the cluster.

5. Use of fallen trees.

IOM confirmed in a meeting with National Government Agencies that it is possible for the agencies to provide chainsaws. Lokallab stated that they just informed the local authority by mail, no need to PENRO/ DENR permit. Shelter Cluster is waiting for official reply from PENRO / DENR.

Philippine coconut authority is proposing to have Cash For Work Activities for the clearing operations and partnering with other agencies.

6. Shelter kit contain.

Shelter kit contain was clarified, as per a partner request.

Shelter kit it is composed by 2 tarpaulins + 1 bag with tools (numbers of tools and tools vary in each organization).

From SC we advocate for the distribution of 2 tarps to be able to cover the minimum Sphere space.

Clarifications were made on terminology: “tarpaulins” and “shelter grade sheeting” refers to the same

woven plastic, width: 4 m, length: 6 m. Weight: 170 g/m² +/-5%, plus 10% reinforcement bands norm ISO 3801

7. Shelter cluster strategy.

Shelter cluster will prepare a draft for the strategy / shelter options to be shared with partners in order to start discussion among partners.

8. Potential joint assessment.

Since a joint assessment it is an arduous process, even more in COVID times, Shelter Cluster suggested partners to start considering what questions we partners would like to answer, aside the data we have from DROMIC, OCHA assessments, organizations own assessments.

For instance, for the TY Mangkhut response the SC group decided to accept DROMIC data on damage and DSWD criteria for the respective financial assistance packages and concentrate in understanding the markets capacity to supply tools and materials as well as what / how much / how far HH could go with the DSWD ESA (Emergency Shelter. Assistance). A SC joint



rapid market assessment using an app specially developed by Build Change enabled to better understand how we could address or supplement gaps.

It was agreed that partners will share their potential questions by mail with coordinators to move forward on the next meeting.

9. AOB

- Shelter Cluster meeting will take place on Tuesdays 9AM GVA time / 16h MANILA time.
- IOM will act as Focal point / sub hub for Mindanao region
- Not yet update on CERT grant (IOM)