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Nepal Flash Flood

Report on the Initial Global Good Neighbours Response Efforts

Supporting our neighbours in Nepal

On 26 August 2026, a catastrophic flash flood affected an estimated 65,000 people in Nepal, including 22,100 children. It destroyed livelihoods and homes and caused significant loss of life, with estimates of around 1,500 people. More than 5,000 people have also been reported missing.

The GN Global Emergency Response team and GN Nepal have been working together to support affected families and individuals.

Your support helped the most vulnerable

Thanks to donor support from the global network, the GN Emergency Response team reached **2,545 families (10,180 individuals)** with immediate relief, including food and essential supplies. Efforts then turned to early recovery efforts, including water and sanitation projects, provision of medical supplies and ongoing mental health support for affected communities.

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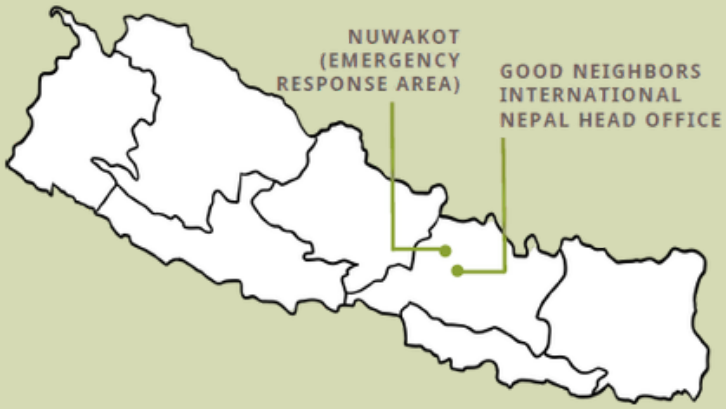
Key Outcomes

Emergency Response

2,545 families
(10,180 individuals) reached

- Distribution of food and non-food immediate relief items such as rice and lentils, oral rehydration solution and hygiene goods
- Establishment of the Child-Friendly Spaces with Psychosocial Suppport for children



Areas reached in Nepal

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Focus areas of the emergency response

Good Neighbours' emergency response prioritised the following supports for flood-affected children, families and communities.

Education

Ensuring children have access to quality education, provided in safe learning environments.

Protection

Making sure children and other members of the community are well protected and can access psychosocial support services.

Food Security

Assisting households to access necessary food supplies.

Shelter

Providing people with temporary shelter.

Health

Facilitating access to essential health services and information.

Water & Sanitation

Ensuring household and school access to safe water, sanitation and essential supplies.

Livelihood

Providing households livelihood recovery support and technical assistance.

Non-food Items

Distributing essential household supplies, including kitchen sets, health supplies and warm clothes and bedding.

Next steps - ongoing support

The GN Global Emergency Response in Nepal will shift to long-term recovery efforts, including establishing an Emergency Response Office, securing Nepalese Government approval for it response and recovery projects, and securing funds to implement approved projects.

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Initial Response Summary

2,545 families (10,180 individuals) reached across disaster-affected communities in Nepal

Thank you for your support!

Your generous support made a substantial difference to displaced individuals affected by the flash flood in Nepal.

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