

Monthly Record of Information from DRC program locations in Rakhine State June 2014

The Monthly record represents a snapshot of the week's situation in the camps and villages where DRC works and aims to capture the issues relevant for DRC operations. This record does not presume to provide a comprehensive picture of the progress and challenges for every sector in each location.

Existing protection referral pathways and the CCCM complaints response mechanism form the foundation of this report. DRC seeks to verify concerns reported to the extent possible and share information with the relevant sectors/agencies for further action.

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Sittwe Township

1 - Say Tha Mar Gyi IDP Camp (estimated 11,725 residents)

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Status</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ CAMP MANAGEMENT: Full CCCM activities ongoing including: access to services monitoring (particular focus on Hygiene promotion), shelter maintenance, community services; camp-level coordination meeting cancelled due to security concerns in Sittwe town. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SHELTER: Shelter maintenance in progress. Many Camp Residents are unsatisfied that entire roof will not be replaced ➤ WASH: Handover from CDN to OXFAM completed over reporting period. Drainage issues due to the onset of rainy season are the primary WASH concern reported by camp residents. WASH facilities reported ad needing attention and repair. ➤ HEALTH: MHAA /MRF Clinic opening hours increased in reporting period from 2 to 3 days a week, reported average daily patients seen – 200, with no serious patients needing referral. FXB conducted vaccinations for pregnant women. ➤ FOOD: WFP delivered rice during 1st week, other food basket items delivered in 2nd week. MAUK (private donor) supplied short-term food assistance to HH not on, or removed from, WFP caseload (total reported to be 899HH). MRF are registering HH for long term assistance to this caseload. ➤ EDUCATION: UNICEF advised will construct 4 TLS in camp, residents very eager for construction to begin. Government construction of agreed TLS started. Student kits distributed and recruitment of volunteer teachers started. ➤ NON-FOOD ITEM: In the 1st week of June UNHCR met with CMC re NFI distribution. No feedback on planned distribution received by end of June, according to CMC. MAUK (private donor) collected data of <5 y/o and plan to distribute clothing. ➤ PROTECTION: –Regular protection activities by DRC ongoing, including IPAs, monitoring and psychosocial support training to women. WPE project by IRC starting in camp, arranging construction of women's center, and recruitment of staff. ➤ NUTRITION: Regular activities by SCI ongoing, including MEC, counselling and cooking demonstrations, referrals of cases to ACF and MHAA. MHAA conducted nutritional 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Camp Coordination Meeting to be rescheduled. - DRC CM have advised camp residents that they are unable to replace entire roof, and can only provide support to address damaged roofing. - Reported to CDN, who are reconstructing drainage. - Oxfam, SCI, CDN, DRC discussed WASH needs and made plan. - No update from UNICEF re commencement of TLS construction to date.

- feeding.
- CHILD PROTECTION: Regular CP activities by SCI ongoing.
- OTHER / CROSSCUTTING: Township Administration department arrived and talked to village administrator and CMC and gave trees saplings to plant around the camp (1600 total).

2 - Say Tha Mar Gyi Village (estimated 1,000 residents)

- Regular protection monitoring by DRC; no further updates.

3 - Phwe Yar Gone IDP Camp (estimated 2,400 residents)

Issue

- CAMP MANAGEMENT: Full CCCM activities ongoing including cane ball competition, access to service monitoring, HH data collection, FGD on training requests from women, daily community interaction, preparation for solar lantern distribution.
 - SHELTER: Completed roofing maintenance. Complaints from residents re leaks.
- WASH: Regular activities by DRC ongoing. Some issues with solid waste management reported in drainage. RSG reported to have installed latrines and boreholes.
- HEALTH: No major health issues reported. However camp residents continuously request health provision at PYG, separate from having to go to STMG camp.
- FOOD: Food delivered to camps in 2 deliveries over 2 weeks. No complaint regarding food, but residents request food distribution plan in advance.
- EDUCATION: UNICEF advised will construct a TLS jointly with SCI, no date provided. Residents very eager for construction to begin. Student kits distributed and recruitment of volunteer teachers started.
- NON-FOOD ITEM: No NFI distribution. IDPs want UNHCR to support NFI kit as soon as possible as they are in need of cooking utensils and it has been nearly 2 years since any NFI reached these IDPs.
- PROTECTION: Regular protection activities by DRC ongoing, including IPAs, monitoring and psychosocial support training to women. WPE project by IRC starting in camp, arranging construction of women's center, and recruitment of staff.
- NUTRITION: Regular activities by SCI ongoing, including MEC, counselling and cooking demonstrations, referrals of cases to ACF and MHAA. MHAA conducted nutritional feeding.
- CHILD PROTECTION: Regular CP activities by SCI ongoing.
- OTHER / CROSSCUTTING: The Township Administration department arrived and talked to CMC members and Community leaders and gave saplings to plant around the camp (800 total).

Status

- DRC CM have advised camps residents can only replace very damaged sheets, small holes with be covered with “metal tape”.
- DRC CM – investigating Government WASH activities.
- Food distribution plan not provided, however food delivery plan requested from WFP to give to camp residents.
- Reported NFI requests to UNHCR.

4 - Phwe Yar Gone Village (estimated 2,400 residents)

- No updates.

5 - Pa Lin Pyin Muslim Village (estimated 1,400 residents)

Regular protection monitoring and WASH activities by DRC; no updates

6 - Pa Lin Pyin Rakhine Village (estimated 1,300 residents)

- Regular protection monitoring and WASH activities by DRC; no updates.

7 - Ohn Taw Gyi North IDP Camp (estimated 13,000 residents)

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Status</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ CAMP MANAGEMENT: Full CCCM activities ongoing including; Communication with Focal Points and FOA and incentive workers for the information gathering, sharing and daily access to services monitoring in the camp, material support to CMC offices, camp level coordination, community services activities. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SHELTER: Some camp residents are using tarpaulin from DRC as a temporary measure. They want DRC, CCCM to renovate all of the damaged roofs as soon as possible as it rains frequently. ➤ WASH: SCI covering most of OTG north, OTG 1 area to be handed over to SCI from CDN in July. Full WASH activities ongoing. Hygiene kits distributed. No major concerns reported. ➤ HEALTH: Mercy Malaysia is running health activates three days in a week; MOH arrived and gave vaccination to pregnant women. No major health issues were reported. ➤ FOOD: WFP delivered rice in the 1st week of June, reportedly no information given at that time re: delivery of remaining items. The rest of food basket delivered during 3rd of June. Reportedly MAUK (private donor) delivered 1300 rice bags but CMC distributed only 1200 bags to the IDPs who do not receive food from WFP. The IDPs complained to MAUK that CMC kept 100 bags; MAUK visited the camp and gave CMC formal warning. MAUK will reportedly continue to provide rice to IDPs missing from WFP caseload. ➤ EDUCATION: TLSs are operated by UNICEF and LWF. LWF completed school kit distributions in OTG 3 &6. ➤ NON-FOOD ITEM: No agencies supported NFI Kit in the camp. IDPs need kitchen utensils, solar light, mosquito nets and water pots. ➤ PROTECTION: Regular Protection activities by DRC ongoing including IPAs, monitoring and psychosocial support training to women. WPE project by IRC starting soon. ➤ NUTRITION: ACF is running nutrition activities alongside MHAA. ACF and SCI do joint screening for villages and camps every two months. ➤ CHILD PROTECTION: Regular activities by SCI ongoing. 	<p>-DRC assessment of damaged roofs completed in camp and renovation to begin 1st week July.</p> <p>-UNHCR – assessing NFI needs across Rakhine. Communication with communities is required.</p>

8 - Ohn Taw Gyi Village (estimated 2,400 residents)

- Regular protection monitoring activities by DRC; no updates

9 - Ohn Taw Gyi West IDP Camp (estimated 3,200 residents)

<u>Issue</u>	<u>Status</u>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ CAMP MANAGEMENT: Full CCCM activities ongoing including; Communication with focal points and volunteers, information sharing , information gathering and daily access to services monitoring, special focus on displaced group from STMG camp – assistance. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SHELTER: Shelter maintenance still main concern for residents, assessment made for additional damage since February assessment. Implementation began 4th week June to be finished 2nd week July. ➤ WASH: CDN conducting WASH activities in camp including: cleaning of latrines, health education, monitoring of borehole functionality, and ORS distribution. OXFAM conducted desludging of all full latrines. 	<p>-Additional tarpaulins provided to IDPs in units with severe damage to roofs as a temporary measure.</p>

- HEALTH: IRC clinic opened 2-3 days per week. No major health concerns reported. It is reported IRC clinic will close for renovation soon.
- FOOD: CDN distributed WFP ration week 1 – rice, week 2 – rest of food basket. One private donor from Yangon (unknown) donated 142 bags of rice for those who do not receive food from WFP. MRF distributed food to Than Daw Li group, not covered by WFP caseload.
- EDUCATION: All TLSs open and running. Student kits continue to be requested. Education staff request assistance from WASH partner for WASH facilities at TLSs.
- NON-FOOD ITEM: Report no agencies provided NFI kit in the camp and IDPs are in need of cooking utensils.
- PROTECTION: Regular Protection activities by DRC ongoing.
- NUTRITION: IDPs report no Nutrition activities in camp reported during June. CDN and WFP gave instruction how to give nutritional supplements to children.
- CHILD PROTECTION: DRC Child Protection activities starting up.
- OTHER / CROSSCUTTING: UNHCR visited the camp and talked to the CMC and the women's group about the priority need of camp residents and checked the condition of the camp.

-Email sent to IRC to check if Health cluster has mitigation for time when clinic is closed for refurbishment.

-WASH & Education have discussed needs at TLSs and planned response.
-NFI cluster currently developing tool to manage NFI coverage.

10 - Ohn Taw Chay Village

Issue

- HEALTH: Residents report that malaria and diarrhoea are still spreading in the village. Around 10 people suffered from malaria and nearly 20 people from diarrhoea.
- OTHER: Regular protection monitoring and start-up of Child Protection activities by DRC. No other updates.

Status

CCCM team checked coverage. No WASH agency covering village. Reported to UNICEF cluster lead to see if cluster can assist.

11 - Baw Du Pha IDP Camps (estimated 11,000 residents)

Issue

- CAMP MANAGEMENT: Full CCCM activities ongoing including communication with focal points and volunteers, information sharing , information gathering and daily access to services monitoring, refurbishment of warehouse for WFP rations, camp coordination and material assistance for CMC office.
 - SHELTER: Shelter renovation is completed. Camp residents complained about leaks through the nail-holes in the roof.
- WASH: Regular WASH activities by SI ongoing, including: distributions, monitoring, HP, training in use of ceramic filters, tracking of cases of diarrhoea and solid waste management improvements. Camp residents concerned regarding the drainage within the camps due to onset of rainy season.
- HEALTH: Marcy Malaysia opened clinic 2-3 days a week, seeing between 50-150 patients per day. Main reported ailments are flu or fever, no serious cases reported.
- FOOD: Camp residents report that WFP food delivery was split over 4 days from week 1 to week 3. Residents request food distribution plan for July. MRF distributed rations to the 155 IDP HHs who are not covered by WFP (rice 50 kg, Oil 3 litres, Bean 3 Kg, Fried chilli 2 packet, and Salt 1 Packet per HH).
- EDUCATION: All TLS are running regularly, enrolment for new school year is completed, examination results were released and SCI will refer Grade(6) students to Thet Kay Pyin school. IDPs report the students need school kits and Middle school education for grades 5-8. Basic literacy training for youth aged 12-18 started in the

Status

-DRC CM will provide “metal tape” for small holes repair after coordination with Shelter cluster. Distribution of materials planned for July.

-SI is aware of concerns and planning mitigations.

-DRC CM sent email to confirm 4 delivery dates to WFP, and to request delivery schedule (no distribution schedule available). Awaiting response.

-Email sent to UNICEF

<p>camps.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ NON-FOOD ITEM: No NFIs distributed. The IDPs report long time without NFI support. ➤ PROTECTION: DRC Protection team established a women’s group, regular protection monitoring ongoing. WPE project by IRC expected to start soon. ➤ NUTRITION: Regular activities by SCI, ACF and MHAA ongoing, including: nutrition centre, counselling program for mothers, mother to mother awareness training, behaviour change communication training for men. ➤ CHILD PROTECTION: Regular CP activities by SCI ongoing. 	<p>regarding education requests. -DRC will be distributing NFI kits to the BDP camps, and will inform camp leadership.</p>
<p>12 - Baw Du Pha Village (estimated 11,000 residents)</p>	
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ No updates. 	
<p>13 - Dar Paing IDP Camp (estimated 10,500 residents)</p>	
<p>Issue</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ CAMP MANAGEMENT: Full CCCM activities ongoing including; set up of new office in modular house after agreement with CMC, camp level coordination meeting, information gathering, sharing and daily access to services monitoring in the camp, material support to CMC for functioning office, HH Survey, and preparation for distributions. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ SHELTER: Some roof of shelters are rusty and damaged, and in need of repair as soon as possible as the rainy season has begun. ➤ WASH: Regular activities by SI ongoing, maintenance of latrines, bore holes, drainage, daily latrines and camp cleaning, regular hygiene promotion, hygiene kit distribution, pre-/post- distribution monitoring, diarrhoea survey - mass awareness raising campaign. Drainage is reported as key concern due to onset of rainy season. ➤ HEALTH: Dar Pai Rural Health Center is open daily, doctor regularly present. IRC resumed clinic one day per week in Sector (4) and hope to be able to operate two days a week. No major health issues have been reported in the camp. IRC provided delivery kit and new born kit to pregnant women as well as health education sessions. ➤ FOOD: Week 1 WFP food delivery for sectors 1,2,3 (rice only). Week 2-3 rest of food basket delivered. Reported concerns over CMC reducing rations of families. IDPs request food distribution schedule for July, as concerned over delivery in June. In Sector-4, food distributed by MRF at HH level (rice, oil, chickpea, preserved mango, fried dry prawn with chilli and salt). ➤ EDUCATION: All UNICEF TLSs are running normally. IDPs report that students need school kits for the new school year. Committees reported receiving money from State Government to repair TLSs in Sector- 4 (500,000 MMK) and in Sectors 1,2,3 (1,900,000 MMK) . TLS are temporary closed for renovation ➤ NON-FOOD ITEM: IDPs advise no agencies supported NFI Kit in the camp, the camp residents need kitchen utensils. ➤ PROTECTION: Regular activities by DRC Protection ongoing. ➤ NUTRITION: Regular activities by SCI Nutrition ongoing, including referrals of children with malnutrition by SCI to ACF (OTG-N)CHILD PROTECTION: Regular CP activities by SCI ongoing. 	<p>Status</p> <p>-DRC did re-assessment of damaged shelters and will start roof renovation in the first week of July.</p> <p>-Concerns over CMC removal of persons from food list referred to WFP. Email request sent for food delivery schedule (food distribution schedule not available).</p> <p>-UNHCR assessing NFI needs across Rakhine. Communication with communities is required.</p>
<p>14 - Dar Paing Village</p>	
<p>Issue</p>	<p>Status</p>

- WASH: SI is planning to provide 50 latrines initially, followed by another 100 latrines at a later stage, according to the village leaders.
- HEALTH: DP Hospital is operating from 9:00 am to 12:00 pm and 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm.
- NUTRITION: Nutrition program is on every WED, FRI and SAT.
- EDUCATION: Unconfirmed reports that government agreed to build a new school in DP Village.
- OTHER: Regular protection monitoring ongoing. No other updates.

15 - Zaw Bu Gyar Village (estimated 340 residents)

Issue

- SECURITY: High tensions between ZBG and neighboring Nga Pwan Chay (Muslim) village.
 - Reportedly NPC villagers set up traps along the road and harass ZBG villagers when the latter have to pass by on their way to Sittwe. ZBG reported to the police and requested an additional police outpost near the village.
 - A robbery incident involving Buddhist women from ZBG and a Muslim man from the neighbouring village, who was arrested by the police. The case is now reportedly in court, decision expected in early July.
- FOOD: Village received 100kg rice and 18kg beans per HH distributed by State Director General Police on 8th June in bags marked with logo suggesting origin from Turkey.
- HEALTH: Clinic opened every Monday as usual.
- WASH: Villagers request latrines, as majority practice open defecation due to lack of latrines for most households.
- PROTECTION: Regular protection monitoring ongoing.

Status

-DRC Protection is following up.

16 - Sat Yoe Kya camp (estimated 3002 residents)

- Regular protection monitoring ongoing. No updates.

Pauktaw Township

17 - Sin Tet Maw IDP Camp (estimated 3,000 residents)

Issue

- CAMP MANAGEMENT: Unease among the IDPs after Camp Administrator expressed intention to change those INGO staff who have more than 1 staff per household, following the events in Ah Nauk Ywe and Kyein Ni Pyin camps.
 - IDPs report that the walkways are dangerous for children and the elderly because they are too muddy and slippery during the rainy season. IDPs would prefer all walkways to be of the same design as the ones in front of latrines.
- SHELTER: No update re: lack of shelter for the 19 Myebon IDP HHs. No updates re: high number of shelters and community structures (kitchens) damaged.
- WASH: Regular activities ongoing; no updates.
- HEALTH: MoH mobile clinic came on 9 June, accompanied by the police, and saw around 180 patients between 10am-12pm. IDPs reported difficulties when trying to go to a clinic in the neighbouring Baw Da Li (Buddhist) village in an emergency case.
- FOOD: The June ration was distributed last week of May
- EDUCATION: Regular activities ongoing; no updates.
- NON-FOOD ITEM: Cooking fuel sticks for the second month planned to be delivered

Status