

REDUCING DISASTER RISKS AND ENHANCING **EMERGENCY RESPONSE CAPACITIES IN MULTI-HAZARD RISK PRONE URBAN AREAS OF NEPAL**

PROGRESS TILL APRIL 30, 2021

Geographical Coverage: Bharatpur Metropolitan City (Ward No. 2, 10), Lalitpur Metropolitan City (Ward No. 16, 19), Bhimeshwor Municipality (Ward No. 3,6)

Targeted Beneficiaries: 64,536



IMPROVED UNDERSTANDING OF DISASTER RISKS

1610

households covered through baseline **Knowledge, Attitude &** Practice (KAP) survey



30

Consultation meetings held to gauge extant risks & capacities

2917

vulnerable beneficiaries identified & mapped (elderly with SSF)

Hazard/Risk Maps developed

1570

beneficiaries covered through Risk/Hazard **Assessment** Mapping



types of IEC materials covering risks/hazards developed (animations, posters, flip charts & PSAs)

STRENGTHENED SYSTEMS FOR EMERGENCY RESPONSE



24-hr Municipal Emergency **Operation Centre (MEOC)** established in all three districts

Municipal **Emergency Preparedness Response Plan** (EPRP) final draft prepared

Municipal Disaster Relief Guideline drafted

Private Sector engagement:

- Private Hospital Association
- Chamber of Commerce & Industry
- **Petroleum Dealers Association**
- **Electricians & Hardware Shops**
- **Construction Workers**
- LP Gas Depots
- **Private Schools**



163

Initial Rapid Assessment (IRA) volunteers

ENHANCED DISASTER PREPAREDNESS FOR RESPONSE



75

Firefighters Trained

265

CERT Volunteers trained on earthquake /firefighting response 820

Units of Community Firefighting Kits handed over

884

Units of Light Search & **Rescue (LSAR)** equipment provided



Small-Scale Risk Mitigation Activities implemented



Training Partners:

Nepal Army, Armed Police Force, Traffic Police and Nepal Red Cross

COVID-19 PREPAREDNESS AND RESPONSE



32,000

COVID-19 **Preparedness** Flyers dispatched

Hand Washing Stations installed

9800

WASH items & medical supplies



1096

COVID-19 **Awareness Session Participants**



Live Phone-In Radio Episodes 6,85,500

Listeners **Across Chitwan**

Radio/Video **PSAs**

248 Women Trained on kitchen fire