

Sindh Flood Relief and Rehabilitation Drive

Phase 1 Report



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To,
Our Generous Donors,
Our Prospective Sponsors,
Our Silent Supporters & Well-wishers,
Our Tireless Volunteers,
And our local Partners working alongside us in Sindh,

Re: Sindh Flood Relief Report – Phase 1

Dear Brothers and Sisters,

Assalaam-un-Alaikum,

We hope this letter finds you all well and in good spirits.

The recent floods in Pakistan have wreaked havoc in their wake. As an organization working in the sector of education, our trustees and board members decided to play an active role in the relief and rehabilitation of the flood affectees – particularly focusing on the remote areas of Interior Sindh where we have a strong presence via the network of schools under our wing.

While the videos, pictures and stories of the victims have left us all heartbroken, the support and donations we have received from all over the world have truly humbled us and given us a renewed sense of hope in humanity. It has also helped us double down on our efforts to provide quick and immediate relief to the flood affectees at 'War Speed'. None of this would have been possible without the team of FEMT volunteers and our local partners in Sindh – our gratitude and prayers to you all!

Below, please find a detailed report on the Phase 1 of our flood relief drive. Our board members have absorbed any and all administrative and transportation costs so that 100% of the proceeds of your donations go directly towards this relief drive.

We hope you all will continue to support our efforts during Phase 2 and Phase 3 of our flood relief operations; we have added our banking and remittance instructions on the last page of this report – May the Almighty bless you all!

“The generosity of a few, is the hope of many.”

Thank you very much once again.

With kind regards, salaams and duas,



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Phase 1 - Details

As per our original plan, the first phase of the flood relief drive focused on the distribution of 500 ration bags, 1000 mosquito nets and medicines as per the below breakdown:

S. No.	Items	Quantity
1	Rice	5kg
2	Sugar	2.5 kg
3	Oil	2 liters
4	Flour	5kg
5	Salt	1 packet
6	Tea pack	250 grams
7	Pulses (Channa)	1 kg
8	Pulses (Mong)	1 Kg
9	Mosquito protection nets	2/family
10	ORS	6 sachet packs
11	Panadol	4 packets
12	Johar Joshanda	4 packets
13	Tarpaulin	1 canvas
14	Rope	2/family

After their sourcing and procurement, these items were then further secured in a 40' container and locked to avoid any theft or damage during the journey from Karachi.

Packing and Container Loading



Focus Locations

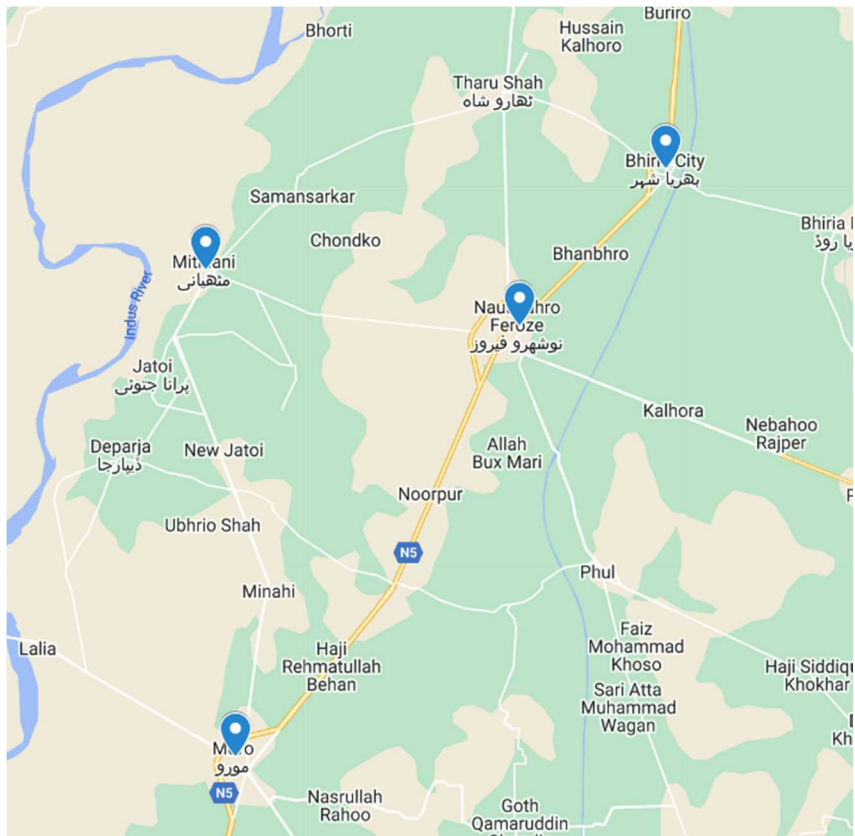
The following tehsils in Sindh were targeted and their adjoined villages were focused on for onward distribution of ration bags, mosquito nets and tarpaulins by FEMT staff and volunteers with the help of our local partners:

1. Tehsil Naushero Feroze
2. Tehsil Moro
3. Tehsil Mithiani
4. Tehsil Bhariya City

The 40' container was unloaded at a warehouse in Naushero Feroze and thereafter, our teams were mobilized to take the ration bags in shehzore trucks to targeted tehsils. Further distribution was then conducted via smaller chingchi richshaws and/or on foot to the smaller adjoining villages.



Map of Distribution Area



Cost Breakdown

Our purchasing teams sampled various grades of pulses, rice and flour and made sure that there was no compromise on the quality of the food that was to be distributed. Our panel vendors in Jodia Bazaar and Nazimabad also went above and beyond to help us during this National Crisis in terms of pricing, packing and quality. **The final costs are as follows:**

FEMT Ration and Relief Drive Phase 1				
Item	Quantity/Family	Unit Cost (Rs)		Total (Rs)
Flour	5 kg	90.0		450.0
Rice	5 kg	108.0		540.0
Cooking Oil	2 Litres	400.0		800.0
Sugar	2.5 kg	80.0		200.0
Tea Bags	250 g	0.8		200.0
Dal Mong	1 kg	200.0		200.0
Dal Channa	1 kg	210.0		210.0
Cost per Ration Bag				2,600.0
Mosquito Nets	2/family	500.0		1,000.0
Tarpualin (Canvas)	1/family	1,728.0		1,728.0
Tarpualin Rope	2/family	51.0		102.0
Cost per Family Protective Temporary Cover				2,830.0

The Overall Cost of Phase 1 is as follows:

Item	Quantity	Unit Cost (Rs)	Subtotal (Rs)	Total (Rs)
Panadol	100 boxes	580.0	58,000.0	
Joshanda	100 boxes	290.0	29,000.0	
ORS	120 boxes	394.0	47,280.0	
Cost of Medicines				134,280.0
Ration Bags	500.0	2,600.0		1,300,000.0
Mosquito Nets	1,000.0	500.0		500,000.0
Tarpualin (Canvas)	445.0	1,728.0		768,960.0
Tarpualin Rope	51.0	800.0		40,800.0
Total in PKR				2,744,040.0

Pictures

FEMT team members have been very mindful and respectful of local customs while documenting the distribution. Faces have been blurred when requested. We have avoided the sharing heart wrenching pictures of destruction and peril that were witnessed during the distribution by our team members.





FEMT Team Testimonials

During times of disasters of such scale, we sometimes forget the human impact on those providing relief. Below are a few testimonials from our team members after their visit to Interior Sindh:

“Pictures can be deleted from our phones, but how do we delete the plight of human suffering we have seen with our very own eyes?”

“The scale of devastation and human suffering is such that it goes on for several miles on main thoroughfares. We can’t even imagine the plight of those in inaccessible locations.”

“During our next phase, we should distribute antiseptic ointments for blisters on the bare feet of the flood victims. Mosquito ointments are also urgently required because children’s faces are covered in mosquito bites.”

“We have so much to be grateful for, and we are so thankful for what we have – may God have mercy on these people.”

“We would like to thank all of our donors for giving us this opportunity to be ‘zariyas’ (intermediaries) in this great cause.”

“I could not stop crying. We sent one 40’ container. Even if we send a 100 such containers we will not cover those in need.”

Remittance and Banking Details

Title:	FBC Friends' Educational and Medical Trust
IBAN:	PK15 BAML 1001 0081 0006 6301
Swift Code:	BAMLPKKA
Bank Details:	M/s. Bank Al-Habib Ltd, Main Branch, I. I. <u>Chundrigar</u> Road, Karachi

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This Trust is approved by the CIT U/S 2(36)(c) of Income Tax Ordinance (ITO), 2001 read with Rule 214 of Income Rules, 2002 and the Donation, thus qualifies for Tax Credit U/S 61 of ITO, 2001.