

Joint Humanitarian Update

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JAFFNA, KILINOCHCHI, MULLAITIVU, MANNAR, VAVUNIYA and TRINCOMALEE DISTRICTS Report # 04 | 25 – 31 July 2009

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Displacement after October 2008 - IDP situation as reported by GAs as of 31 July

IDPs		
During the period 27 October 2008 to 29 July 2009		274,465 persons crossed to the Government controlled areas from the conflict zone.
Vavuniya Camps:	252,214 ¹	270,136 people are accommodated in temporary camps.
Mannar Camps:	241 ²	
Jaffna Camps:	10,861 ³	
Trincomalee Camps:	6,820 ⁴	
Hospitals:		4,329⁵ IDPs (injured and care givers) are in hospitals in various districts ⁶ as of 21 June 2009.
RELEASES		
Vavuniya Camps:	5,741	5,980 people have been released from temporary camps into host families and elders' homes as of 29 July 2009. The majority of these people are elders, people with learning disabilities and other vulnerable groups.
Mannar Camps:	17	
Jaffna Camps:	222	

Cumulative data on displacement - Situation as reported by GAs as of 31 July

Location	IDPs			RETURNEES*		
	Number of Families	Number of Individuals	Data valid as at	Number of Families	Number of Individuals	Data valid as at
Jaffna	21,643 displaced before Dec 2005 5,500 displaced after Jan 2006	74,067 displaced before Dec 2005 18,651 displaced after Jan 2006	24-Jul-2009	-	-	-
Kilinochchi	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mullaitivu	-	-	-	-	-	-
Vavuniya	86,188	269,704	24-Jul-2009	-	-	-
Mannar	671 ⁷	2,423	24-Jul-2009	N/A	2,397	Jun 2009
Trincomalee	3,447	10,901	24-Jul-2009	N/A	19,584	19-Jun-2009
Batticaloa	1,295	5,044	15-Jul-2009	N/A	118,685	19-Jun-2009
Ampara	1,076	3,951	Dec 2008	-	-	-

(* Returns accounted are for populations displaced after 2006)

¹ Source: Government Agent Vavuniya

² Source: Government Agent Mannar

³ Source: Government Agent Jaffna

⁴ Source: Government Agent Trincomalee

⁵ Source: Ministry of Health

⁶ This includes GH Vavuniya, BH Cheddikulam, BH Poovarasankulam, Pampainmadu Hospital, DGH Mannar, BH Kantale, BH Padaviya, BH Dambulla, GH Polonnaruwa, GH Hingurakgoda, TH Kurunagala

⁷ Source: UNHCR as of 30 June

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I. Situation Overview & highlights

- On 27 July, the visiting US Assistant Secretary of State for Population, Refugees and Migration Eric Schwartz announced a US\$ 8 million donation towards the Sri Lankan Government's resettlement programme. Most of the funds will be channeled through UN organisations to put up shelters and to provide livelihood support for fishermen and farmers.
- On 31 July, the Government of Sri Lanka (GoSL) reported that preparations are underway to receive over 400,000 people expected to converge upon the Madhu church, in the Mannar District, for its annual feast in August. The 12km access road to the church, which was in a dilapidated state, is being rehabilitated. The GoSL has also allocated Rs. 2 million to renovate the Madhu Post Office. Officials at the Police Headquarters state that all persons visiting the Madhu church will be registered to ensure their safety and security.

FUNDING

- As of 27 July, the Common Humanitarian Action Plan (CHAP) 2009 for Sri Lanka is 44% funded, with US\$118,313,946 received out of the revised mid-year requirement of \$270,055,118. In addition, \$25,389,377 has been pledged by various donors.
- The World Food Programme (WFP) has approved a budget increase of US\$17.09 million for the Protracted Relief and Recovery Operations (PRRO) for Sri Lanka by bringing the total budget of the PRRO to US\$134.9 million for the year 2009

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II. Cluster Overview & highlights

SHELTER / NFI / CAMP MANAGEMENT

- Site 6A is ready for occupation with all facilities in place.
- The Sri Lanka Army (SLA) confirms that IDPs currently accommodated in transit sites in schools will be moved to Sites 6A, 7 and 8, upon completion of WASH facilities.
- By 30 July, Site 6B consisted of 7 blocks, a Temporary Learning Space (TLS), a Primary Health Care Centre (PHCC) and other facilities. A total of 3,360 people will be transferred to 6B to ease the extreme congestion in Zone 2. Of the 840 shelters planned on Site 6B, 392 have been erected and a further 166 are in progress. Block 8 has been found unsuitable for shelters due to a risk of floods.
- In Zones 2 and 3, approximately 570 tents installed in low-lying areas are vulnerable to flooding during the rainy season. These tents will be moved to 3 locations in Zones 4 and 5.
- In Zone 3, more than 85% of shelter maintenance (replacement of walls and roofing tarpaulins) is complete.
- In Zone 5, 2 national NGOs continue to construct semi-permanent shelters outside the Cluster structure. One agency is constructing 200 shelters for disabled people, similar in size to the emergency shelters installed by Cluster agencies. The second agency is building nearly 100 units on a 1 acre plot. Both NGOs seem to coordinate directly with the SLA.
- On Site 8, 200 tents have been damaged by strong winds and rain, requiring another week before the site is ready for occupation.
- The Road Development Department (RDD) has distributed a model layout for on-site drainage to shelter agencies. Agencies have committed to the establishment of on-site drainage in blocks where they have completed or are currently constructing shelters.
- RDD continues road drainage work in Zones 1 and 3 (by RDD), while (by UNOPS) continues to do similar work in Zone 2. The Sri Lanka Land Reclamation and Development Corporation (SLLRDC) is developing site plans for road drainage in all remaining zones/sites, under the supervision of the Disaster Management Centre (of the Ministry for Disaster Management and Human Rights) and UNDP.
- Agencies have indicated that dwindling funds will affect their capacity to procure NFIs for distribution to IDPs during the rainy season.
- All agencies have confirmed that they have issued cooking utensils to Zone 4 in time for family cooking to begin as planned on 5 August.
- However, representatives of the Food Cluster have advised that the preparation of flour-based food items requires the distribution of certain additional utensils to IDPs, not already included in the NFI kit. The Food Cluster has suggested that individual cooking in Zone 4 be postponed until the extra items are provided. Only 3 agencies engaged in the distribution of NFIs are ready to immediately procure the items. The majority of agencies suggest that family cooking should proceed in Zone 4 with IDPs using the communal kitchen facilities to supplement the gaps in their cooking sets, as in other zones.

WATER, SANITATION & HYGIENE

- By 30 July, 10,119 latrines had been constructed. This is over and above the 6,000 latrines required for emergency sanitation, which will be brought to 15,000 at a later stage.

HEALTH

- In Vavuniya, between 03-05 August, a special campaign will take place to inoculate more than 36,000 internally displaced children below the age of 5 against polio and measles, in accordance with the Ministry of Health's 02 July guidelines on IDP immunization. They will also be given a dose of vitamin A and de-worming tablets – two additional interventions aimed at raising a child's resistance against disease and preventing malnutrition.
- In Vavuniya, between 29-30 July, the Ministry of Health conducted a needs assessment towards establishing new Primary Health Care Centres on the Sumathipuram, Tharmapuram and

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Veerapuram sites as part of plans to decongest Menik Farm and move IDPs currently sheltered in schools to new sites.

MINE ACTION

- Between 01 January and 31 July, a total of 3,089,845m² of mine contaminated land was cleared in the north and east. Unexploded Ordnance (UXO) was removed from a further 6,290,838m² of land.
- New mine/UXO survey and clearance tasks have been issued in Horowapathana, Padawiya, Kebathigollawa and Mahavilachchiya in the Anuradhapura District. Mine surveys have started in Kebathigollawa, a high priority area targeted for speedy resettlement, paddy cultivation and reconstruction of the Yakawewa tank.
- Following GoSL directives, a total of 31 mine survey / clearance task dossiers were prepared by the Vavuniya District Mine Action Office. 18 of the 31 tasks are being reviewed by SLA authorities. Following SLA approval, mine surveys were started in 2 Grama Niladhari Divisions (GND) in Vavuniya North D.S. Division, 6 villages in Cheddikulam D.S. Division and 5 villages in the Vavuniya D.S. Division.
- On 27 July, mine clearance work was completed within a 1,000m radius of the Madhu church in time for the church feast in August.

LOGISTICS

- In Vavuniya, a Field Working Group (FWG) has been convened to discuss adjustments to logistics operations based on future IDP movements, including the identification of strategic locations to pre-position transport and storage services.

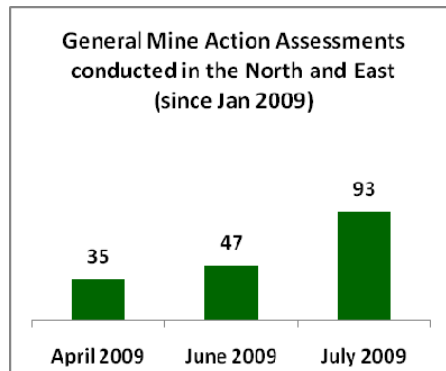
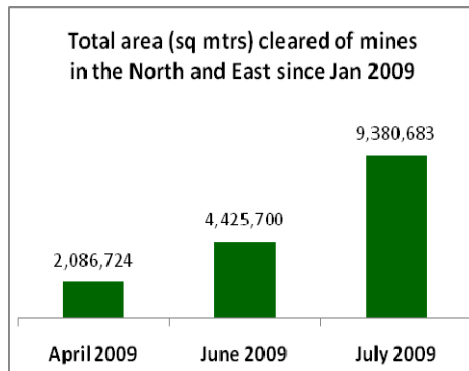
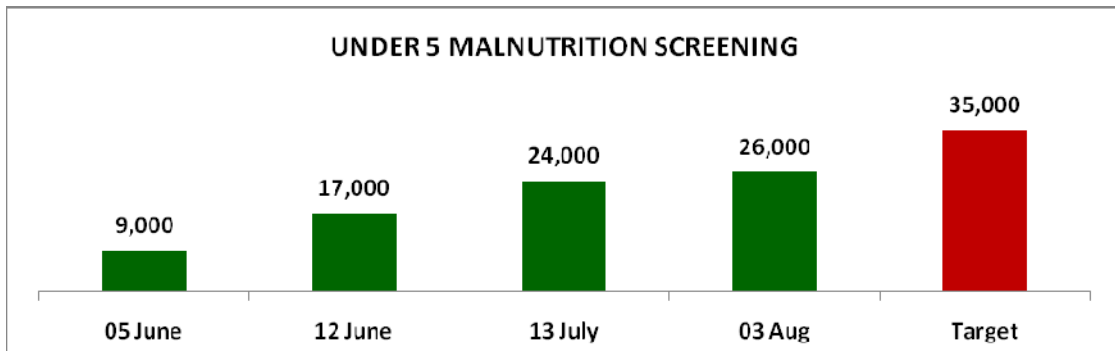
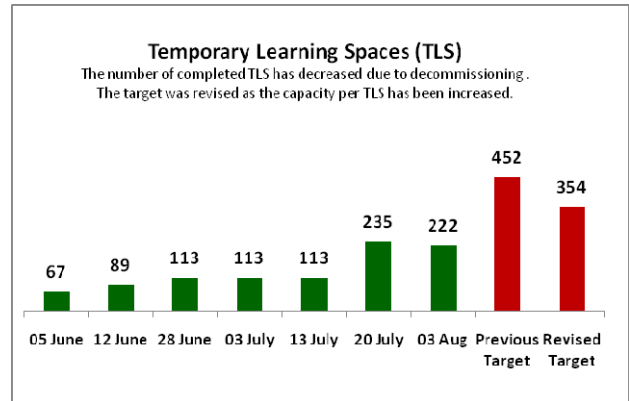
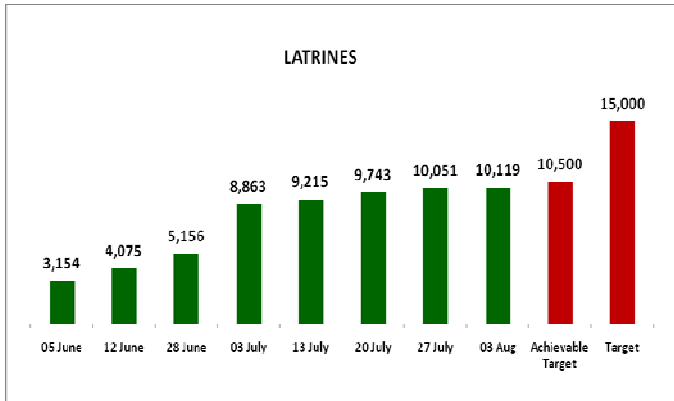
EDUCATION

- By 30 July, 192 TLSs had been completed at IDP sites, with a further 30 TLSs completed at host community schools. They provide access to over 55,000 school-aged children, including those in host communities.
- Due to uncertainties regarding the resettlement schedule, the capacity of many Menik Farm TLSs has been increased from 200 children to include 350 children per day. The construction of new TLSs has been slowed down in order to better direct resources to Welfare Centres or to newly resettled villages as needed.

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CLUSTERS' RESPONSE TO THE IDP SITUATION SINCE OCTOBER 2008



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JAFFNA DISTRICT			
Sector	Organization	Location	Activity
Mine Action	DDG	Kayts D.S. Division	Demining ongoing in three minefields, JA 96D, JA 96E and JA96B.
		Chavakacheri D.S. Division	Conducted technical surveys on two (LK 266, LK 271) Suspected Hazardous Areas (SHA). Cleared 2,549 sqm of minefield for the benefit of approximately 20 families.
		Kopay D.S. Division	Demining ongoing on 1 site in Neervely.
		Tellipalai D.S. Division	Completed technical surveys on four (JA110, JA111, JA109, JA112) SHAs in the buffer zone as preliminary step to resettle 113 families.
	The HALO Trust	Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Demining ongoing in Nunavil East, Sangathany Temple, Kirumpuvil, and Allarai Camp minefields.
		Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Conducting Battle Area Clearance (BAC) on 3 sites around the Alari Army camp and Navatkuli Wells.
Tellipalai D.S. Division		Demining ongoing in the Vasavilan West and Konavalai minefields in the buffer zone.	
Child Protection	UNICEF / JSAC	Chavakachcheri and Kopay D.S. Divisions	Conducted guided group and recreational activities for 1,900 IDP children in Kodikamam GTMS, Ramavil TLS, Mirusuvil TLS and Kopay TLS.
	UNICEF	Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Supported a children's club house at Ramavil IDP camp for 1,338 children.
		Jaffna District	Continue to advocate to the GA and the Magistrate for the reunification of separated and unaccompanied children.
	FORUT	Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Conducted Guided Group Activities for 102 GCE O/L & A/L Students in Kodikamam Ramavil TLS.
Emergency Shelter Camp Coord / Mgmt	UNHCR	Jaffna D.S. Division	Constructed a resting shed for IDP women in the Old Court House premises.
	UNHCR / JASC	Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Issued 168 tarpaulins & nylon ropes to repair 84 shelters in Kodikamam GTMS. Roofs repaired and tarpaulins issued for extension of main building in Kaithady children's home IDP camp
WASH	UNICEF	Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Provided a drinking water point and 10 washing water points for the benefit of 1700 IDP students in 2 Kodikamam schools. Provided environment cleaning and toilet cleaning materials for all 4 TLS for IDP students.
		UNICEF / Sewalanka	Chavakachcheri D.S. Division
	ZOA	Point Pedro D.S. Division	Constructed 2 privacy covers for well in Supermadam Welfare centre.
Health & Nutrition	UNICEF	Jaffna District	Supported a training programme for community leaders on Healthy Life for 50 participants.
		Jaffna District	Supplied 50 infant kits and 50 expectant mother kits to the RDHS Jaffna for distribution in IDP camps.
	ZOA	Jaffna D.S. Division	Donated Rs 20,000 to a needy patient for travel to Colombo for treatment.
Education	UNICEF	Jaffna District	UNICEF conducted a one-day TOT for 35 master counsellors, guiding & counselling trainers of all 5 education zones.
		Jaffna Education Zone	Supported a review workshop on Child Friendly School (CFS) and Child Centred Methodology (CCM) for 30 primary teachers.
	SCiSL	Sandilipay D.S. Division	Provided a wheel chair to one disabled child in Uyarappulam Anaikoddai Vidyalayam.
	ZOA with Department of Education	Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Conducted catch-up education programme for 25 G.C.E O/L IDP students at Kodikamam GTMS, Mirusuvil RCTMS, Eluthumadduval GTMS, and Kaithady Muthukumarashamy MV
Capacity Building	CARE International (LIFI 2)	Kopay D.S. Division	Conducted 5 LIG meetings (J/258, J/262, J/264, J/280 & J/257). Saving and credit activities were carried out.
		Chankanai D.S. Division	Conducted 6 LIG meetings (J/172, J/173, J/163, J/160 & J/174). Saving and credit activities were carried out.
		Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Conducted 6 LIG meetings (J/292, J/310, J/311, J/291 & J/309). Saving and credit activities were carried out.
Alcohol , Drug and Development	FORUT	Karaveddy, Uduvil and Kayts D.S. Divisions	Formed 4U (Youth) Clusters in each division.
		Tellipalai, Karaveddy, Regional	Conducted 8 training programmes on Alcohol, Drug

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		Training Centre Jaffna, Velanai Thuraiyur, Uduvil D.S. office, Chunnakam South D.S. Divisions	and Development (ADD) for 502 ADD Group members, ADD Action Committee, 4U Club Members, Grama Niladhari and Samurdhi officers.
		Regional Training Centre Jaffna	Conducted 1 workshop on Base Line Survey for 52 selected youth for ADD Programme
Food Aid	World Food Programme	Jaffna District	Released 55 MT CSB to RDHS for 55,000 beneficiaries under Mother Child Nutrition programme to complete the July distribution. Dispatched 24 MT mixed food commodities to RDHS for 399 Health Volunteers for June 09. Released 81.56 MT mixed food commodities to 10,861 IDP beneficiaries for first 15 days of August 09. Released 1,448.20 MT mixed food commodities to 104,217 economically affected beneficiaries under VGF programme for July.
	World Food programme / LEADS	Kopay, Jaffna and Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Delivered 1,080kg toasted mixed CSB with scraped coconut and sugar mixture to all IDP camps and CSB will be used by 1,800 MCN beneficiaries for one week.
NFRI	UNICEF	Kopay, Jaffna and Chavakachcheri D.S. Divisions	Supplied 3s000 plastic sleeping mats to the NFRI coordinating committee chaired for distribution to Vanni IDPs.
	UNHCR	Kopay, Jaffna and Chavakachcheri D.S. Divisions	Issued 1,500 bars of laundry soap & 3,500 bars of toilet soap to DRC for distribution in IDP camps.
		Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Distributed 1,044 plastic mats & 565 jerry cans to 565 families as replacement in Kodikamam GTMS.
		Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Distributed 45 sets of plastic food containers for 9 kitchens in Mirusuvil RCTMS, Kodikamam GTMS & Ramavil IDP camps.
	CARE International	Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	NFRI items (sarong, bed sheet, housecoat, underwear, underskirt & silver plates) given to 250 vulnerable families affected by cyclone Nisha. The programme was Funded by CARE USA.
	ZOA	Chavakachcheri D.S. Division	Donated 1 bed, 1 mattress, 01 chip board and 2 pillows to injured person in Kaitiady PRI B Welfare Centre.
	ZOA	Jaffna D.S Division	Donated set of clothes to vulnerable patient travelling to Colombo for further treatment.
Livelihood	ZOA	Point Pedro D.S. Division	Donated Rs. 15,000 worth of fishing nets to 120 selected beneficiaries in 05 Welfare Centers.
Infrastructure	CARE International (LIFT 2)	Kopay, Chankanai and Chavakachcheri D.S. Divisions	Identified potential livelihood infrastructure development in 20 villages.

MANNAR & VAVUNIYA DISTRICTS			
Sector	Organization	Location	Activity
NFRI	WHH / Caritas	Menik Farm Zone 4	Distributed 1,250 hygiene kits and 490 infant kits to IDPs.
	IOM	Cheddikkulam, Poovarasankulam and Ayurvedic hospitals in Vavuniya	Provision of 2,500 Jerry cans, 1,500 sleeping mats and 5 tarpaulins for IDP use.
WASH	World Vision	Menik Farm Zones 03 & 04, Cheddikulam M.V and Saivapirakasa School	Water distribution by 6 bowsers continues to 10,800 individuals.
	Oxfam	Menik Farm Zones 2,3 & 4	Distributed 3,205m ³ water.
	Oxfam	Menik farm	Purification of 2,600m ³ water.
	Oxfam	Zone 6B	Installation of 12 water tanks (2000 liter capacity each) and construction of 30 emergency latrines and 6 bathing places.
	Oxfam	Menik Farm Zone 4	Repairs of 7 latrines.
	Oxfam	Menik Farm Zone 3	Repairs of 28 bathing places.
	Oxfam	Menik Farm Zones 2,3 & 4	Distribution of hygiene kits (1,769), latrine buckets (81), camp cleaning kits (65), sanitary disposal bins (107), bars of soap (228) and hand washing soap with stands (69)
	IOM	Menik Farm Zone 2	Distribution of 1,126,000 liters of water for hand washing purpose.
IOM	Zone 8	Completion of 12 bathing areas and placement of 4 water tanks (2,000 liter capacity each).	

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	IOM	Komarasankulam Welfare Centre	Water distribution continues. Provision of 210,000 liters last week.
	IOM	Omanthai Welfare Camp	Water distribution continues. Provision of 210,000 liters of water.
Health and Nutrition	IOM	Menik Farm Zones 2,4 and 5	4 ambulances in service and 354 people transferred to referral hospital.
	Oxfam	Menik Farm Zones 2,3 & 4	Public Health promotion activities: Tent to Tent visits: 366; Health Education Sessions: 45; Hygiene Promotion Campaigns: 05; Environmental cleaning campaigns: 74.
	RDHS / UNICEF / WHO	Poonthoddam Camp for ex-child combatants of the LTTE, Vavuniya	Chicken pox cases reported. Provided prophylactic drugs to all 520 inmates and the staff.
	HEB / UNICEF / WHO	All Zones, Menik Farm, Vavuniya	Conducted film shows, street drama and play activities for children on hygiene.
			Completed groundwork for 03-05 August mass inoculation campaign (Measles, MR, additional dose of oral polio), as well as provision of Vitamin A and deworming treatment for all children below the age of 5 years.
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	SLRCS / CRC / MOH Cheddikulam & HEO	Zone 4, Menik Farm, Vavuniya	Completed revision of Health Promoters training agenda.
	SLRCS / CRC / UNICEF		Distributed 89 toilet cleaning sets.
	SLRCS / CRC		Confirmed Health Support groups (for toilet users, water users, hygiene support group, Shramadana working group, First Aid and Emergency) for each block.
			Finalised Health Promoters' jacket and ordered 300 pieces.
	MSF	Pompaimadu Ayurvedic Hospital	Continued Post-Operative care and wound dressing. Provided physiotherapy for 166 patients with severe wounds and disabilities, including 22 spinal cord injuries. Continued provision of caretaker, physiotherapist, nurses and doctor.
		General Hospital, Vavuniya	Continued provision of Post-Operative care in wards 9,10 & 11, through 135 caretakers to improve 24/7 care of patients, provision of nursing care, dressing and physiotherapy. Continued Surgical Care: 1 Surgeon and 1 anesthetist working inside the OT to strengthen the MOH team.
	MSF France / Family Health Bureau	Field Hospital, Cheddikulam	Handed over an autoclave machine to be sent to the Menik Farm health coordination centre. Handed over cupboards for distribution among the displaced mid wives at Menik Farm.
	UNFPA / FPA SL	Menik Farm Zones 1,2, 3 & 4	Conducted 09 Mobile RH clinics with the assistance of Government medical staff.
			Distributed 268 hygiene packs among displaced women and girls of reproductive age.
Conducted 10 awareness raising programmes on RH and HIV/AIDS.			
A new RH coordinator was assigned to the Menik Farm health coordination centre.			
IOM	Menik Farm Zones 2 & 5	Installed electricity to 4 Primary Health Care Centres.	
	All Zones Menik Farm, Vavuniya	Provides 4 ambulances with equipment and trained emergency medical technicians for pre-hospital ambulatory care services.	

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		Sahanagama IDP camp, (Pulmodai D.S. Division), Trincomalee	Provides one ambulance to cover the pre-hospital ambulatory care needs of IDPs.
Shelter	IOM	Zone 6A	Completion of 10 shelters.
	World Vision	Vavuniya	Provision of 200 tarpaulins to CARE for care and maintenance of emergency shelters built at IDPs holdings.
Protection/ Child Protection	World Vision	Zone 3	Organized Exhibition for ECCD children. Bene: 150 children.
	IOM	Zone 2	Conducted 2 fire prevention trainings.
Food	World Vision	Zone 2	Distribution of Complementary Dry food for 20,000 Beneficiaries.[10,000 through SEED and 10,000 through Forut]

TRINCOMALEE DISTRICT			
Sector	Organization	Location	Activity
Protection / Mine Action	UNICEF	Sahanagama IDP camp, Pulmoddai	Supported the Department of Probation and Child Care Services to reunify 03 unaccompanied children (aged 2, 4 and 9 years) with relatives, through the Kebitigollewa (Anuradhapura District) Magistrate.
	UNICEF / SCiSL / SDF	Sahanagama IDP camp, Pulmoddai	Conducted Child Friendly Space (CFS) activities, including indoor and outdoor games, drawings, arts, traditional games, dance programme and cricket carnival, for at least 800 children.
	UNICEF / CTF	Nalloor, Santhosapuram, Neenakeeni and Kaddaiparichchan.	Conducted Mine Risk Education (MRE) through distribution of posters and discussions with 520 volunteers and community leaders. Facilitated Guidance Group Activities for 70 Grade 10 school students.
	UNHCR	Sahanagama Welfare Centre	Conducted protection monitoring and assistance for persons with specific needs.
	UNHCR	Trincomalee District	Conducted monitoring visits to recent IDP sites in Muttur East and refugee return sites throughout the district.
Emergency Shelter, Camp Coordination / Management	UNHCR / OfERR	Kaddaiparichchan & Chenaiyoor	Provided shelter kits to 37 families from (Economic zone), living with host families or in private lands for 6 months.
	UNHCR/ OfERR	Kaddaiparichchan North	Repaired 23 partly damaged houses of returnees.
WASH	UNICEF / 3CD	Pulmoddai	Constructing 2 sets of semi-permanent toilets and conducting repairs on 3.
	UNICEF/ Pradeshiya Sabha Muttur	Muttur	Cleaning 3 wells.
	NWSDB, ACLG / Pradeshiya Saba, UNICEF, IOM, World Vision, Malteser International and Muslim Aid	Sahanagama IDP camp	Bowsered an average 25 liters of drinking and cleaning water per day per person to Plot 1 and 39 liters to Plot 2.
Health	UNICEF/ RDHS	Pulmoddai IDP camp	Provision of Vitamin A mega dose for all infants above 6 months of age 90% completed. High Energy Biscuits provided to children below 5 years of age, pregnant and lactating mothers.
	UNICEF/ RDHS	Pulmoddai IDP camp	Deworming programme for all IDP children 1 year and above ongoing.
Education	Muslim AID	Shahanagama IDP camp Plot 2	Completed 1 Temporary Learning Space (TLS)
	UNICEF / Provincial Department of Education	Eastern Province	Conducted basic computer training for 74 Primary and non-formal Additional Directors of Education (ADE) and In-Service Advisors (ISA) from Trincomalee, Batticaloa and Ampara Districts.
Food Security	WFP	Pulmoddai, Eachchilampattai	Provided 171 MT of mixed commodities to feed 6,842 IDPs through communal cooking under the Vulnerable Group Feeding (VGF) programme.
			2 MT of mixed food sent to feed 1,584 students in 03 schools.
		Town and Gravets Muthur, Seruvila,	65 MT of mixed food commodities sent to support 4,640 resettled populations under the VGF programme. 1 MT of mixed food sent to ZDE to support 20 participants under Food For Work (FFW) programme.

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		Gomarankadawala & Eachchilampattai	23 MT of high nutrient Corn Soya Food sent to four MOHs to support 6,590 mothers and children below 5 years of age.
NFRI	UNHCR	Trincomalee	Provided 4 Indian returnee families NFRI return packs.
	UNHCR	Paddalipuram	Distributed 217 bed sheets to 115 families.
	UNHCR / OfERR	Trincomalee	Provided 600 coconut rafters to IDP returnees from Batticaloa High Security Zones (HSZ) to assemble temporary shelters.

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Acronyms		
ACLG - Assistant Commissioner Local Government	FDL - Forward Defence Line	REERDO - Rural Economic, Education, Research and Development Organization
ADGM - age, gender and diversity mainstreaming	FFE - Food for Education	RH - Reproductive Health
ADE - Additional Director of Education	FFW - Food for Work	RSG - Representative of the Secretary General of Health Services
AP - Anti-Personnel	FSA - Field Security Advisor	RDS - Rural Development Society
ASC - Area Security Coordinator	FSD - Swiss Foundation for Mine Action	REERDO - Rural Economic, Education, Research and Development Organization
AWF - Affected Women Forum	GA - Government Agent	RH - Reproductive Health
BAC - Battle Area Clearance	GAA - German Agro Action	RSG - Representative of the Secretary General
BCPR - Bureau for Crisis Prevention and Recovery	GMAA - General Mine Action Assessment	RCTMS - Roman Catholic Tamil Mixed School
CA - Competent Authority	GND - Grama Niladiri Division	rwh - rain water harvesting
CBDRM - Community Based Disaster Risk Management	GoSL - Government of Sri Lanka	SAA - Small Arms Ammunition
CBI - Classroom Based Intervention	GP - Guiding Principles	SAC - School Attendance Committee
CBO - Community Based Organisations	GRC - German Red Cross	SBM - School Based Management
CBSM - Confidence Building and Stabilization Measures	GS - Grama Sevaka	SCC - Shelter Coordination Cell
CCHA - Consultative Committee on Humanitarian Assistance	GTMS - Government Tamil Mixed School	SCISL - Save the Children in Sri Lanka
CF - child friendly	GVC - Gruppo Volontariato Civile	SDS - School Development Society
CFA - Cease Fire Agreement	HALO - Hazardous Area Life Support Organization	SEEDS - Sarvodaya Economic Enterprise Development Services
CFE - Child Friendly Environment	HEB - Health Education Bureau	SFP - School Feeding Programme
CM - Camp Management	HRC - Human Rights Commission	SHA - Suspected Hazardous Area
C&M - Care and Maintenance	HSZ - High Security Zone	SLF - Sewa Lanka Foundation
COC - Chamber of Commerce	IDP - Internally Displaced Persons	SLLRDC - Sri Lanka Land Reclamation and Development Centre
CRADA - Centre for Rehabilitation of Alcoholics and Drug Addicts	ISE - In-Service Advisor	SLMM - Sri Lanka Monitoring Mission
CRC - Child Rights Convention	LEADS - Lanka Evangelical Alliance Development Service	SLRCS - Sri Lanka Red Cross Society
CRDO - Community Resource Development Organisation	LIG - Local Initiative Group	SM - Social Mobilization
CSB - Corn Soya Blend	LOLDDL - Land O' Lakes Dairy Development Lanka	SPHM - Supervising Public Health Midwife
CTF - Community Trust Fund	ICRC - International Committee of the Red Cross	STF - Special Task Force
CWBC - Child Well-Being Committee	MA - Mine Action	SOND - Social Organisation for Networking for Development
DAFH - Department of Animal Production and Health	MCN - Mother and Child Nutrition	SIYB - Start and Improve Your Business
DDG - Danish De-mining Group	MMIPE - Milinda Moragoda Institute For Peoples' Empowerment	TCCS - Thrift and Credit Co-op Societies
DMAO - District Mine Action Offices	MN - Manmunai North	TDDA - Trincomalee District Development Association
DDMC - District Disaster Management Coordinator	MoD - Ministry of Defense	TDH - Terre des hommes
DDMU - District Disaster Management Unit	MF - Menik Farm	TLS - Temporary Learning Space
DMU - Disaster Management Unit	MOH - Medical Officer of Health	ToT - Training of Trainers
DoA - Department of Agriculture	MRE - Mine Risk Education	TS - Temporary Shelter
DPDHS - Deputy Provincial Director of Health Services	MSF - Doctors Without Borders	TMVP - Tamil Makkal Viduthalai Pulikal
DPU - Deep Penetration Unit	NECORD - North East Community Restoration Development	TP - Transition Programme
DRMU - Disaster Risk Management Unit	NFI - Non Food Items	UNDP - United Nations Development Programme
DRR - Disaster Risk Reduction	NPA - Norwegian People Aid	UNHCR - United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees
DSD - Divisional Secretariat Division	NRP - Nutrition Rehabilitation Programme	UNICEF - United Nations Children's Fund
ECCDC - Early Childhood Care and Development Centers	NWS&DB - National Water Supply Drainage Board	UXO - Unexploded Ordnance
ECE - Early Childhood Education	OCHA - United Nations Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs	VEP - Village Emergency Preparedness
ECHO - Humanitarian Aid Department	OFERR - Organisation for Eelam Refugees Rehabilitation	VGF - Vulnerable Group Feeding
EHESP - Emergency House Hold Economic Security Program	PHCC - Primary Health Care Centre	VOSD - Voluntary Organization for Social Development
EHI - Essential Household Items	PPCC - Professional Psycho-social Counseling Centre	WC - Welfare Center
EOD - Explosive Ordnance Disposal	PHM - Public Health Midwives	WV - World Vision
EVI - Extremely Vulnerable Individual	PS - Pradeshiya Saba	WWDF - Working Women Development Foundation
FAO - Food and Agriculture Organization	QIP - Quick Impact Project	ZEO - Zonal Education Office
	RDA - Road Development Authority	ZOA - Zoa Refugee Care - Netherlands
	RDD - Road Development Department	
	RDHS - Regional Directorate of Health Services	
	RDS - Rural Development Society	

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Abbreviations of places

Jaffna (Jaf)	Sirupp - Siruppiddy	Nana - Nanaddan	KP - Koralai Pattu (**Valachchenai)	Pala - Palameenmadu
Alank - Alankulai	Tell - Tellipalai	Umana - Umanakeri	EP - Eravur Pattu (**Chenk) DS	Kok - Kokkuvil
Chank - Chankanai	Then - Thenmaradchi	Rasool - Rasoolputhuveli	KPC - Koralai Pattu Central	Panich - Panichchankerny
Chava	Thiru - Thirunagar	Trincomalee (Trinco)	Kalu - Kaluwanchikudy	Mank - Mankerny
Chavakachcheri	Udu - Uduvil	Each - Eachchilampattai	Padd - Paddiruppu	Paddip - Paddipalai
Guru - Gurunagar	Uyara - Uyarapulam	Kuch - Kuchchaveli	Vavuna - Vavunatheevu	Ampara (Amp)
Kara - Karaveddy	Vada - Vadamaradchi	Kilive - Kiliiveddy	Valach - Valachchenai	Akka - Akkaraipattu
Karai - Karainagar	Valik SW - Valikamam South	Batticaloa (Batti)	Kodu - Koduwamadu	Kal - Kalmunai
Karan - Karanavai	West	Thampa - Thampalakamam	Panku - Pankudaveli	Thiruk - Thirukkivil
Maddu - Madduvil	Vatha - Vatharavathai	Batti - Batticaloa	Mara - Marapalam	
Maru - Maruthapuram	Kilinochchi (Kili), Mullaitivu (Mullai)	Aray - Arayampathy	Ontha - Onthachimadam	
Navan - Navanthurai	Vavuniya (Vavu), Mannar	Chenk - Chenkalady	Kuru - Kurukkalmadam	
Sahaya	Thalv - Thalvupadu	KPN - Koralai Pattu North (**Vaharai) DS		
Sahayapuram	Achch - Achchankulam			
Sandi - Sandilipay				