

Humanitarian Crisis of IDPs

Helping Hand Medical Care Facility for IDPs of North Pakistan

Emergency health clinics:

Helping Hand for Relief and Development as an international organization is providing medical care to the internally displaced persons from the very first as the crisis emerged in north Pakistan. Helping Hand gave a quick emergency response to the IDPs of Malakand Division. Helping Hand focused on health initially and set up medical camps at several stations. Helping Hand is mainly focusing on the hosted IDPs in different districts of the NWFP and also in other parts of the country as well.

Details regarding medical camps in NWFP are given below:

Sr .No	District	Station/Venue	Total no. of patients	Treated & medicines Provided	Referred
1	Buneer	Totalli	1017	998	19
2	Swabi	Saleem Khan Lakhtai	523	519	04
3	Dir	Talash Shamsi Khan	516	510	06
4	Dir	Samarbagh	2270	2256	14
5	Dir	G.C. College Timargarah	1708	1697	11
Total	3 Districts	5 stations	6034	5980	54

Mobile Health clinics/Medical camps:

The IDPS with host families who are living in remote areas where such facility of health care is missing and people facing problems regarding health due to the unavailability of transport services to bring their patients to hospitals in emergency situations. Helping Hand envisaged the severity of the circumstances

and come forward with a comprehensive plan of establishing mobile health units/camps in the rural as well as urban areas of district Mardan, Swabi, Buner, Newshehra and Malakand, NWFP to help out these conflict affected internally displaced and vulnerable people.

The detail of the mobile health units/emergency health units is as below:

S.No	District	Location/venue	Dated	No of patients	Treated	Referred
1	Mardan	Mervoos	19/05/2009	118	116	2
2	Mardan	Shergarh	20/05/2009	98	95	3
3	Mardan	Hathian	20/05/2009	164	163	1
4	Mardan	Machli	21/05/2009	168	167	1
5	Mardan	Chargali	21/05/2009	65	60	5
6	Mardan	Eisa Kilay Jaray	22/05/2009	186	186	
7	Mardan	Sikandari	22/05/2009	254	251	3
8	Mardan	Govt. Primary school Opposite Railway station	23/05/2009	66	66	00
9	Mardan	Rustam	23/05/2009	113	113	
10	Mardan	Rutam 2nd	23/05/2009	64	64	00
11	Mardan	Khakakhail Camp	24/05/2009	34	34	00
12	Mardan	Sairi	24/05/2009	86	86	00
13	Mardan	Gujrat	25/05/2009	174	174	00
14	Mardan	Lound Khor	25/05/2009	169	169	00
15	Mardan	Tafheem Colony	26/05/2009	124	124	00
16	Mardan	G.G.H.S.School Katlang	26/05/2009	151	151	00
Total	-----	16	-----	2034	2055	15

HR Resources:

In district Mardan Medical camps are organized with the coordination of International Islamic Medical College. Each mobile health team is consisting of:

S. No	Medical officers	Paramedics staff	Dispenser	Social organizer	Volunteer
1	2	1	1	1	4



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Medical Camp at Shah Mansoor Town Swabi:

Medical camp at Shah Mansoor Town Swabi was arranged with the coordination of Ayub medical college Abbottabad. Detail is as under:

S.No	District	Station	Dated	No of Patients	Treated	Referred
1	Swabi	Shah Mansoor town	21/05/2009	514	503	11

Staff available for the camp:

S. No	Medical officers	Paramedics staff	Dispenser	Social organizer	Volunteer
1	8	4	4	2	6

Pictorial View

Medical Camps in Katlang and Tafheem Colony District Mardan, NWFP Pakistan



A Doctor examining a child at Helping Hand medical camp in Katlang, Mardan



A Doctor examining a female patient in Helping Hand free medical camp



Paramedic staff is busy in dressing of an injured child



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Free medicines are being provided to a child



Majority of patients are children and women, a young girl being examined in Helping Hand free medical camp



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