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1.0 Background

The [Laar Humanitarian and Development Programme \(LHDP\)](#), the [HELP Foundation](#), and the [Doaba Foundation](#) jointly established the [Indus Consortium for Humanitarian, Environmental, and Development Initiatives](#) (IC) in 2008 as a platform for organisations to coordinate humanitarian response, improve surge capacity and work together among the three founding organisations and other like-minded organisations mainly in humanitarian and climate resilience sectors.

Doaba Foundation: Doaba Foundation has extensive experience in implementing projects of varying scales across Punjab. Since 2003, it has successfully delivered over 145 projects of varying sizes, with a total financial portfolio of approximately PKR 4,500 million.

HELP Foundation: HELP Foundation focuses on humanitarian response, climate resilience, and WASH sectors in Punjab. Over the past decade, HELP Foundation has implemented 67 projects valued at approximately PKR 2,410.51 million.

Laar Humanitarian & Development Programme (LHDP):

LHDP primarily operates in Sindh. The organisation's focus is on humanitarian programme (preparedness, response, anticipatory actions, recovery and rehabilitation phases), climate resilience, and WASH (both in humanitarian and development contexts). With extensive experience, LHDP has completed 76 projects with a total budget of approximately PKR 1,720 million.

The platform approach, as manifested in the IC, brought together the three founding organisations to build reliable surge capacity in the event of mega humanitarian crises and synergised their effectiveness. The three founding organisations finally registered IC as a legal entity under the Securities and Exchange Commission of Pakistan (SECP) under Section 42 of the Companies Ordinance.

The IC, as a humanitarian platform of three founding organisations, is currently responding to the 2025 floods in Punjab Province and is engaged in preparatory work in Sindh Province.

2.0 Key Points of the Previous Report

The previous report highlighted that Punjab (particularly Sialkot, Kasur, Lahore, Sheikhupura) was among the worst-hit areas, with the Sutlej, Chenab, and Indus rivers at high to very high flood levels. The Pakistan Meteorological Department (PMD) warned of continued urban and rural flooding, reservoirs at full capacity, and potential new surges across South Punjab and Sindh. Member organizations were actively engaged in preparedness and early response. **Doaba Foundation** coordinated with DDMCs and Rescue 1122, launched awareness sessions, and distributed food rations, WASH kits, and hygiene supplies in Gujranwala and Muzaffargarh. **HELP Foundation** provided evacuation support, cooked food, water, and dignity kits in Rajanpur, Rahim Yar Khan, and Bahawalpur. **LHDP** allocated PKR 1 million for rapid response across seven Sindh districts, activated its Emergency Response Unit, and mobilized boats, pumps, and volunteers for early warning and evacuation. Other stakeholders, including PDMA, Rescue 1122, PPHI, Pakistan Navy, PRCS, and UN OCHA, supported with boats, medical camps, relief kits, and coordination efforts.

3.0 Situational Update

3.1 General Situational Update

According to the National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) Monsoon Situation Report No. 77¹, the floods in Pakistan between June 26 and September 10, 2025, have caused 929 deaths, including 526 men, 153 women, and 250 children. A further 1,053 people were injured (448 men, 287 women, and 318 children). The disaster has damaged or destroyed 8,217 households, washed away 671.6 kilometres of roads, destroyed 239 bridges, and resulted in the loss of 6,508 livestock.

Sindh province is on high alert for a potential super flood, with 1.6 million people identified as at risk of flooding. With ongoing rains, cities in Punjab (Lahore, Multan, Dera Ghazi Khan) and Sindh (Karachi, Hyderabad, Thatta and Badin) provinces are at risk of urban flooding. Nationally, over 5.8 million people (over 4.2 million in Punjab) and 1.6 million in KP have been affected.²

3.2 Our Situational Update

Doaba Foundation (DF) is coordinating and liaising through participation in District Disaster Management Committee (DDMC) meetings to align flood preparedness measures. Field Assessments: DF teams visited vulnerable sites, including Chamb Mor, to review embankments, settlements, and potential evacuation routes. Rescue 1122 Engagement: A dedicated meeting with Rescue 1122 Lodhran was held to plan joint evacuation support and safe-boat access in the event of riverine flooding. Community Preparedness: Through the Doaba Women Welfare Forum (DWWF), awareness sessions were conducted to reactivate flood emergency preparedness, ensuring women leaders and community focal persons are ready for mobilisation. Emergency Communication: The flood emergency control room contact number was updated and widely shared with communities for direct access. Resource Review: A debriefing on DF's contingency stock was carried out to assess hygiene kits, water purification supplies, PPE, and logistics resources. Planned Action: Procurement and pre-positioning of chlorine tablets, jerrycans, and family hygiene kits in high-risk union councils (Adam Wahan, Qureshiwala, Jhoke Janan).

HELP Foundation HELP Foundation is actively coordinating with district authorities, maintaining close **liaison with the DDMA** and regularly participating in coordination meetings to ensure preparedness and response efforts remain aligned. Field teams have conducted visits to high-risk areas for **assessment**, including Tehsil Rajanpur, Rojhan, Rahimyar Khan, Khanpur, Ahmedpur, and nearby riverine settlements, to identify vulnerable households and assess potential evacuation routes. In **coordination with Rescue 1122**, a joint evacuation plan has been developed, with HELP Foundation deploying its own boats one of which is already operational in Meeranpur, Tehsil Rojhan to support district-level response. At the community level, HELP Foundation is **mobilising through its community forums** and women leaders' networks, conducting orientations to strengthen flood emergency awareness and prepare focal persons for rapid mobilisation. To further enhance **emergency communication**, updated flood helpline



¹ [National Disaster Management Authority \(NDMA\)](#)

² UN OCHA Monsoon floods 2025, Flash update # 7

numbers have been widely disseminated among Emergency Response Teams (ERTs) and riverine communities, ensuring quick access to information and support.

LHDP is actively participating in coordination meetings convened by government bodies and humanitarian forums, ensuring alignment with wider response efforts. Recognizing the urgency of the situation, LHDP has initiated a rapid humanitarian response focusing on rescue, shelter, WASH, food, and medical assistance. An initial **allocation of PKR 1 million from LHDP's own funds** has been committed to kick-start response activities. At the organizational level, LHDP has activated its Emergency Response Unit (ERU) at Head Office in Badin, which is overseeing operations and coordination across the affected areas. A rapid assessment is underway in seven of the most vulnerable districts to identify at-risk communities and their immediate needs. Focal persons have been onboarded in all seven districts to monitor the situation and share real-time information with the ERU via dedicated WhatsApp groups. Simultaneously, LHDP is compiling a roster of potential volunteers to support data collection and field response activities. On the preparedness side, LHDP has established a coordination mechanism with PDMA Sindh and respective DDMA's and is maintaining critical stockpiles, including 3 motorboats, 11 de-watering pumps, 20 megaphones, and water testing kits. The organization is also working closely with existing community organizations (COs) to strengthen social structures, while developing an early warning system in collaboration with affected communities and DDMA's. To promote accountability and transparency, LHDP is producing and sharing daily situation reports with national and international stakeholders. The LHDP conducted the **"Strengthening Anticipation: Pre-Flood Rapid Assessment (2025)"** in Sindh to identify risks for riverine communities across six districts: Ghotki, Kashmore, Larkana, Qambar Shahdadkot, Sujawal, and Sukkur. The assessment covered 375 villages, 43,614 households, and 261,684 individuals. Findings and recommendations were launched in a webinar with 52 stakeholders, including NGOs, INGOs, journalists, consortia, and community representatives, who provided valuable feedback. The full report is available here: <https://tinyurl.com/jd7h3d2k>

The district-wise details are the following:

1. Gujranwala

Doaba Foundation is actively responding to floods in Gujranwala through preparedness and early action interventions supported by the Start Network (UK). Key efforts include coordination meetings, assessments, and field visits in Union Council Mansoor Wali. Priority needs identified are food rations, safe drinking water, emergency sanitation, hygiene kits, temporary shelter, livestock fodder, and de-watering of infrastructure. Despite challenges in household-level data collection, the Foundation is closely coordinating with government departments to ensure accurate beneficiary identification and scalability. District officials have extended strong support, and Doaba Foundation calls on humanitarian actors, particularly philanthropists, to align with the administration for a unified and effective response.

On 6 September 2025, heavy rainfall in Tehsil Wazirabad, Gujranwala Division, worsened flood challenges. In collaboration with the Social Welfare Department and District Government, Doaba Foundation conducted dewatering at Government High School Khanki and the Basic Health Unit (BHU), restoring access to education and health services. Under READY Pakistan and the START Network's DRF mechanism, over 300 beneficiaries were registered, and relief provided included 325 Hygiene & MHM Kits (Winjo Wali: 190, Mansoor Wali: 81, Dilawar: 54) and 325 food ration packages (Winjo Wali: 135, Mansoor Wali: 109, Dilawar: 81), prioritizing vulnerable households such as female-headed families, persons with disabilities, and destitute groups. Additional assessment in Basti Burj (UC Dilawar) recorded 61 men, 33 women, 14 boys, 9 girls, and 2 persons with disabilities, identifying 113 urgent food/nutrition needs and 38 hygiene support cases. To strengthen preparedness, six Distribution & Crowd-Controlling Committees were established in affected UCs. These interventions highlight Doaba Foundation's inclusive, rapid, and dignity-centered response, with next steps to be aligned in a coordination meeting chaired by the Divisional Director of Social Welfare and Bait-ul-Maal.

Key Highlights of the Activities in district Gujran Wala:

With the Start Network's support, the below activities have been carried out.

Activity	Description of details
Provision of Ration pack	325 ration packs were distributed to flood-affected families, providing essential food and household supplies during the emergency
Provision of Hygiene and MHM Kits	325 hygiene and Menstrual Health Management (MHM) kits were distributed to flood-affected communities, promoting safe practices, safeguarding women's and girls' dignity, and reducing health risks during the crisis.
Dewatering of stagnant water	Dewatering was completed at schools, health facilities, and public buildings in Baloki, enabling timely restoration of essential services.

2. Muzaffargarh

Muzaffargarh remains under an exceptionally high flood alert as the Chenab River continues to swell, forcing mass evacuations from low-lying areas. Relief and response operations are being intensified under the supervision of the district administration, with support from NGOs and provincial authorities. On the administrative side, the Deputy Commissioner (DC) Muzaffargarh chaired a coordination meeting with NGOs, assigning specific responsibilities for relief camp management, particularly the **provision of cooked food**. **Doaba Foundation** was allocated responsibility for cooked meal distribution at the **Jhalrain Shumali Boys High School relief camp**, with implementation to follow under the district plan. Across the district, 22 relief camps have been established, equipped with food, shelter, sanitation, medical services, and livestock support. More than 1,500 police personnel and district officials are deployed for evacuation support, camp management, and security. On the ground, Doaba Foundation field monitoring confirms that dozens of villages in Jatoi, Alipur, and Khairpur have been inundated, with breaches in local bunds triggering urgent community relocations. Evacuated populations are being shifted to designated relief camps, where NGOs will provide cooked food and essential services as per the coordination plan.

In close collaboration with the District Government, Social Welfare Department, and the NHN Network, Doaba Foundation has actively contributed to the ongoing response. Together with partner NGOs, the following activities have already been conducted:

Focused area	Details
Relief Camps	22 flood relief camps have been declared and notified.
DC-NGO Coordination	NGOs have been assigned specific camps for cooked food distribution
Doaba Foundation Role	Jhalrain Shumali Boys High School designated as a cooked food distribution camp; WASH facilities supported across 22 flood relief camps.
Food Provisions and other support by NGOs	The district government has made it mandatory for all NGOs to provide food and other requested support. Organizations unwilling to comply risk cancellation of their NOC by the authorities.
Portable latrine	Doaba Foundation to install portable latrines in all 22 camps; first phase includes 10 units to be established tomorrow in Jawana Bangla.
NHN Coordination for anticipatory action project activities	Hygiene kits, food hampers, and water distribution will be carried out through the NHN platform in collaboration with Sajh, SYCOP, and Sukh Foundation.
Water Provisions	Doaba Foundation will deploy two water bowzers: one at Comprehensive High School and Khurshid Abad School (city side), and one at the downstream side.
NHN Coordination for Anticipatory Action Project Activities	Under the NHN platform, hygiene kits, food hampers, and water will be provided in collaboration with Sajh, SYCOP, and Sukh Foundation.
Installation of Portable emergency Toilets in Camps	A total of 44 emergency toilets were installed: 10 in Jawana Bangla and Langar Saray camps serving 4,714 users, 4 in flood relief camps, and 30 in Tehsil Alipur, District Muzaffargarh.
Provision of Safe Drinking Water	Safe and clean drinking water has been ensured for all individuals, including women, children, persons with disabilities, and transgender persons. In District Muzaffargarh, approved water sources designated by the district government are providing safe drinking water in relief camps at Jhalarin Shumali, Langar Sarai, Jawana Bangla, and Government Comprehensive School, benefiting approximately 31,000 people daily. To further strengthen this response, Doaba Foundation has also designated two additional camps Manjan Sultan and Taraf Flood Relief Camps on the recommendation of the Deputy Commissioner, Muzaffargarh.
Psychosocial Support in camps for the displaced children	In Flood Relief Camp Jhalarin, psychosocial support activities for displaced children were inaugurated by the Divisional Director and Director of Social Welfare & Bait-ul-Maal, Punjab.

	The initiative includes swings, cricket, and ludo games to promote children's emotional well-being and social adjustment during displacement.
Provision of Nutrition food Hamper relief camps.	Doaba Foundation distributed nutritious food hampers to 35 vulnerable individuals (PLWs, elderly, PWDs, adolescent girls) in flood relief camps at UC Jhalarin Shumali, District Muzaffargarh. This initiative represents an innovative, locally driven solution, developed with the technical expertise of a partner university. By leveraging local resources and capacities, the intervention aligns with the global agenda on humanitarian innovation and aid localization.
Provision of Hygiene and Menstrual Hygiene Management (MHM) Kits.	A total of 325 Hygiene and Menstrual Health Management (MHM) kits were distributed to flood-affected communities, in collaboration with the Start Network. These kits support safe hygiene practices, safeguard the health and dignity of women and girls, and help reduce the risk of waterborne and sanitation-related diseases during the crisis.
Coordination Meeting with UNOCHA for Collaboration in emergency response	On 10 September 2025, Doaba Foundation participated in a coordination meeting with UNOCHA in District Muzaffargarh to plan and align the Rapid Needs Assessment (RNA) for flood-affected areas. Discussions focused on displacement figures, damages to housing, agriculture, and livelihoods, and identifying urgent gaps in food, WASH, shelter, and health services. UNOCHA emphasized standardized data collection and joint assessments to ensure reliability across partners. Doaba Foundation shared preliminary field findings, highlighting the vulnerabilities of female-headed households, persons with disabilities, and destitute families, and confirmed use of UNOCHA's tools and methodologies. Both parties agreed on real-time information sharing and close coordination with DDMC and local authorities to enable evidence-based response planning and resource mobilization.

3. Jhang

The Chenab River's discharge has exceeded 900,000 cusecs, causing severe flooding across Tehsils 18-Hazari, Shorkot, and Ahmad Pur Sial, where protective bunds remain under extreme pressure. Low-lying villages, croplands, schools, homes, and key infrastructure have been inundated, placing an estimated 2,160 people at risk. So far, 396 people and 1,392 animals have been evacuated from multiple locations including Jhang City Band, Pindi Mohallah, Daduana, Ali Pur, Peer Kot, Thatha Jabana, Wijhlana, Kot Khera, Jogera Bhochera, Kharora Baqar, Dabkalan, Kot Umar Daraz, Bahoo Pull Toll Plaza, and Bahoo Bridge West. Several exposed villages remain at risk with limited or no movement reported.

Relief operations led by Rescue 1122, Pakistan Army, PDMA Punjab, and district authorities are ongoing. Eighteen relief camps have been established, while rescue boats and medical teams are deployed at 20 critical points, delivering food, safe drinking water, shelter, health services, and WASH support. Humanitarian partners, including Doaba Foundation, are providing hygiene kits and psychosocial services to ensure a coordinated, inclusive, and dignified response. Preventive measures included a controlled breach near Rewaz Bridge and the detonation of a railway line to divert floodwaters away from populated areas. Despite these efforts, one fatal drowning was reported in UC Sultan Baho, where Rescue 1122 search operations continue.

Looking ahead, Doaba Foundation, in collaboration with Welthungerhilfe (WHH), is preparing a Rapid Needs Assessment (RNA) in Tehsil Ahmad Pur Sial to identify urgent humanitarian gaps and guide targeted interventions in WASH, food security, shelter, and psychosocial support for flood-affected families

Evacuations:

- To date, **396 out of 2,160 at-risk individuals have been evacuated in District Jhang**. The evacuated population includes residents from Jhang City Band (6), Pindi Mohallah (25), Daduana (45), Ali Pur (29), Peer Kot (9), Thatha Jabana (14), Wijhlana (50), Kot Khera (15), Jogera Bhochera (11), and Kharora Baqar (70). In Tehsil Shorkot, evacuations were carried out in Dabkalan (22), Kot Umar Daraz (93), and Bahoo Pull Toll Plaza (3), while in Tehsil Ahmad Pur Sial, four people were relocated from Bahoo Bridge West.
- No movement has been reported yet from several other exposed villages, including Darbar Abdul Razzaq and Wali Muhammad Jhandeer.

Response:

- **Rescue 1122, Pakistan Army, and district authorities**, with support from PDMA Punjab, are leading relief operations.
- Flood relief camps have been established, providing **food, safe drinking water, shelter, health services, and WASH facilities**.
- **Doaba Foundation and humanitarian partners** are supporting the response with hygiene kits and psychosocial support, ensuring a **coordinated, inclusive, and dignified response** for affected families.

Emergency Measures:

1. A controlled breach of the embankment near Rewaz Bridge was carried out to reduce pressure on Jhang City and Trimmu Barrage.
2. A section of the railway line was detonated to redirect floodwater away from dense population centers.
3. Over 130 villages affected, with 1,358 people and 1,392 animals evacuated to safer areas.
4. 18 relief camps established; Rescue 1122 teams with boats and medical staff deployed at 20 critical sites.

Community Tragedy (30 August 2025):

Chenab Forum, established through Doaba Foundation's CBDRM mobilization, reported a **drowning incident in UC Sultan Baho**. A 60-year-old man drowned in rising Chenab waters; his body has not yet been recovered. Rescue 1122 search operations are ongoing. The affected family is being supported with care and dignity, and the case will be documented in upcoming donor briefings.

Focused area	Details
Preventive Steps	In Chenab, extremely critical
Evacuations	1,358 people, 1,392 animals evacuated from 130 villages
Relief Response	18 camps established, Rescue 1122 active with boats and medical teams
Fatality Reported	60-year-old man drowned in UC Sultan Baho, search ongoing

4. Multan

Multan is on high alert as a severe flood emergency looms, with surging waters of the Chenab River, therefore in preparation, the district administration has intensified emergency measures, including controlled breaches at five embankments to divert floodwaters from densely populated areas and drone surveillance of vulnerable low-lying zones. Deputy Commissioner Wasim Hamad Sindhu has urged residents in high-risk areas to evacuate immediately to government-run relief camps, warning that "we cannot fight the water." Despite these efforts, humanitarian concerns are escalating. Families face acute shortages of food and livestock fodder, with residents voicing distress. "Our animals are starving, and we are not getting food anywhere else," said Emaan Fatima, a local resident.

The unfolding crisis underscores the urgent need for coordinated relief efforts, particularly the rapid provision of food, safe drinking water, livestock support, and medical services, to protect vulnerable communities as Multan braces for the peak impact of the floods.

Focused area	Details
Flood threat	Ongoing rains are causing risk of urban flooding.
Preventive Measures	Drones deployed for monitoring; controlled blasts at 5 embankments to divert water
Evacuation Appeal	Deputy Commissioner urging relocation to government camps
Installation of Portable emergency Toilets in Camps	Installation of Portable emergency Toilets in Camps with the collaboration of Social Welfare Department Multan held on 07-09-2025.

5. Lodhran

In this district, flooding from the Sutlej River has devastated multiple villages, including Chamb Kuliari, Jagear Hora, Adam Wahan, and Jhoke Janan. By late August 2025, approximately 4,000 people and 4,500 livestock were evacuated to safety, with emergency camps established across 40 riverine localities. However, nearly 30,000 people in 14 revenue villages remain at high risk as a flood wave of 130,000 -140,000 cusecs is expected. Standing crops and homes have been severely damaged, posing grave threats to food security and livelihoods.

Evacuation and Relief Efforts: Under the leadership of **Deputy Commissioner Dr. Lubna Nazir**, the district administration has imposed an emergency in all flood-prone riverine areas. Large-scale evacuation operations are underway, particularly in

the **Bait area**, with residents and livestock being relocated to relief camps. The **District Disaster Management Committee (DDMC)** has been activated, and **Rescue 1122** is on standby to manage emergencies and ensure swift response. Community Support: Prominent businessman Jahangir Khan Tareen has pledged a donation of over PKR 20 million to support the rehabilitation of flood-affected families. The contribution will directly strengthen relief and recovery efforts in the district. Humanitarian Partner Response: Doaba Foundation, in collaboration with WaterAid Pakistan, is set to launch a WASH emergency intervention to complement government-led relief efforts. Planned activities include dewatering operations in waterlogged areas, provision of hygiene and menstrual hygiene management (MHM) kits, ensuring access to safe drinking water in relief camps, and installation of 10 emergency toilets in partnership with the District Government. These interventions aim to reduce health risks, restore essential services, and uphold the dignity and resilience of flood-affected communities

6. Khanewal

Khanewal remains on high alert due to severe flooding threats from both the Chenab and Ravi rivers. According to the National Emergency Operations Centre (NEOC), floodwaters are moving downstream and are expected to impact multiple Union Councils within the next 24–48 hours, placing the district at high risk.

Rising discharge levels at Head Balloki and the anticipated confluence of the Ravi and Chenab rivers are projected to further intensify flood threats.

Response Measures: The Punjab Government has launched one of the largest flood evacuation operations to date, with 750,000 individuals displaced and 500,000 livestock rescued across affected districts, including Khanewal.

The district administration has activated continuous surveillance, evacuation planning, and the establishment of relief camps to safeguard vulnerable populations. Preparations are being reinforced to address the potential large-scale humanitarian impact.

7. Rajanpur

HELP Foundation has initiated an immediate flood response in District Rajanpur, where riverine communities are facing severe threats due to the rising waters of the Indus River. During the reporting period, HELP Foundation evacuated 90 people by boat and provided medical treatment to over 215 patients through its camps. To date, the Foundation has also served cooked food to 250 individuals, while 300 children in relief camps received sweets to boost morale and bring comfort during this difficult time. Moving forward, HELP Foundation plans to establish 2-3 additional medical camps in hard-to-reach areas to strengthen lifesaving assistance.

Rajanpur continues to face the most severe impact of the floods. Inflows from upstream have inundated vast areas across Tehsil Rajanpur and Rojhan, submerging more than 150 revenue villages and displacing thousands of families. Standing crops of cotton, rice, mungbean/pulses, and fodder have been destroyed, heightening food security concerns. HELP Foundation, in collaboration with the district administration and local volunteers, has evacuated hundreds of families by boat from its project areas. Significant livestock losses are anticipated, while the risk of disease outbreaks among displaced populations is becoming a growing concern. The district government has declared a complete flood emergency and appealed to local, national, and international NGOs for urgent support in food, shelter, and medical assistance.

8. Rahim Yar Khan

The flood emergency in Rahim Yar Khan remains critical. The Benazir Shaheed Bridge is under severe pressure, with 11 of its 24 bays blocked by heavy silt and debris. This obstruction has caused further swelling of the Minchin Flood Bund, where seepage has already been reported at multiple points. Despite ongoing protective work, the risk of a bund breach remains high.



Medical camp established by HELP Foundation Basti Wahgarr union council Wang

Authorities have enforced Section 144, restricting movement near bund areas, while the irrigation department has deployed heavy machinery to clear the blocked bays. Meanwhile, over 6,000 families from vulnerable localities have been relocated to safer areas, but the rising Indus River still poses a serious threat to downstream settlements.

In anticipation of these risks, HELP Foundation has activated its Anticipatory Actions Plan supported by the START Network.

Key Efforts: Mobilization of trained volunteers across high-risk union councils. Dissemination of early warning messages through community networks, mosques, and street announcements. Close coordination with district authorities following the imposition of Section 144 restricting settlements in flood-prone riverbeds. Ongoing Updates: Volunteers are assisting vulnerable families with safe evacuation before water levels rise further. Household-level data is being collected to enable rapid targeting for emergency food, WASH, and shelter support. Continuous information-sharing with the DDMA and humanitarian partners to ensure a well-coordinated response.

9. Bahawalpur

The flood situation in Bahawalpur has intensified. After earlier medium-level flooding, the water level in the Sutlej River continues to rise due to sustained high discharge from India. A breach near Baqirpur has widened, submerging nearly 150 acres of agricultural land, mainly cotton, sugarcane, and maize fields. Several kacha houses in low-lying riverbed villages have collapsed, forcing families to move to safer ground. The district administration, Rescue 1122, and local volunteer groups are working around the clock to strengthen protective embankments. Authorities have renewed evacuation orders for riverine settlements, while temporary relief camps are being established in government schools and health facilities. Communities along the Sutlej River and downstream of Panjnad face an increasing risk of flooding due to continued water releases and heavy monsoon inflows. In response, HELP Foundation has activated its preparedness measures in project areas near Sutlej and Panjnad. Key Efforts: Engagement with community-based organizations in high-risk areas. Deployment of trained volunteer teams to facilitate safe evacuation of vulnerable households. Awareness campaigns on safe evacuation, livestock protection, and water safety practices. Ongoing Updates: Volunteers are assisting families in riverine settlements to relocate to designated safe shelters. HELP Foundation teams remain in close coordination with DDMA Bahawalpur for relief planning. Community-level assessments are underway to identify urgent needs for food, shelter, safe drinking water, and sanitation kits.

10. Dadu

The local office is closely working with community volunteers to identify vulnerable households and coordinate with the District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA). The team also supports preparedness by keeping dewatering pumps and motorboats ready for deployment.

11. Qamber-Shahdadkot

The LHDP focal person is on board and has established a trained volunteer team to support response efforts. An early warning system has been activated, and a dedicated community WhatsApp group has been created to ensure real-time information sharing.

LHDP is maintaining close coordination with existing Community Organizations (COs) and local activists, providing daily updates on the evolving flood situation. A rapid needs assessment is currently underway and is expected to be completed within one day. Meanwhile, LHDP teams are in continuous coordination with the District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA) to align response actions.

12. Larkana

A total of 490 families from katcha areas have been relocated to the Karani Bund in Talukas Dokri and Bakrani. Due to heavy rainfall, affected populations are currently facing shelter shortages. Continuous rainfall with thunderstorms in District Larkana has left low-lying areas of Larkana City submerged.

13. Khairpur

LHDP has mobilised its volunteer network and remains engaged with district authorities to ensure the timely dissemination of flood alerts. The office contributes to preparedness by coordinating with local partners, assisting communities in identifying safe evacuation routes, and maintaining essential response equipment.

14. Sukkur

LHDP is formulating a strategy to protect affected communities. LHDP is actively engaged at the ground and field level, where 1,045 individuals have been evacuated by DDMA and relocated to stay with relatives in Panu Akal and Sukkur. Considering the severity of the situation, LHDP is formulating its strategy to safeguard affected communities. In the past days, continuous monsoon rains have hit various parts of Sukkur, leaving low-lying areas of the city submerged.

15. Jamshoro

A total of 520 families from UC Talty, UC Channa, and UC Manjhand have relocated to stay with relatives in safer locations. Several other villages remain submerged, but residents have not yet evacuated despite DDMA announcements urging evacuation.

16. Sujawal

A total of 585 families from UC Belo, UC Daro, and Qadir Dino have been relocated to embankments and government-established camps. DDMA has established 25 tent cities across five talukas of District Sujawal (Sujawal, Mirpur Bathoro, Shah Bandar, Jati, and Kharochan). Many other populations remain in katcha villages, and if the situation worsens, more families are expected to move toward the embankments for safety. Current situation monsoon rains reveal an intermittent rainfall continues in District Sujawal and is forecasted to persist until September 11. Low-lying areas have been submerged, while nearly 30% of standing crops including rice, cotton, chili, and vegetables have been badly affected.

17. Badin

In District Badin, intermittent rainfall has been ongoing since 7 September and continues across all five talukas. Both rural and urban low-lying areas remain inundated, with schools, hospitals, and government offices still under water. The reverse flow of existing drains and sub-drains has severely damaged standing crops in four union councils of Taluka Tando Bago. According to the Meteorological Department, the current spell of rainfall is expected to continue until 10 September 2025.

18. District Ghotki: A total of 2,500 families have been relocated to OGDCL Bund, Qadirpur Bund, and Jam M. Ali Lakhan points. Communities from the katcha areas have also shifted an estimated 4,000 livestock to the protection bunds of OGDCL and Qadirpur Loop Bund. Yesterday, the Chief Minister of Sindh, accompanied by the PPP Chairperson, visited Guddu Barrage to review the situation.

19. District Kashmor: A total of 1,010 families from the katcha areas have relocated to stay with relatives in Kashmore, Qambar, and Shikarpur. Several other villages remain submerged, yet many residents are still staying in their homes despite the flooding.

3.3 What are the IC Membership planned actions?

Doaba Foundation

The Foundation continues to strengthen its emergency response through close coordination with DDMC and Rescue 1122 to define roles in WASH and relief camp management. Field teams are regularly monitoring high-risk areas such as Chamb Mor, Jhoke Janan, and Adam Wahan following PMD advisories. Community engagement efforts have been scaled up through DWWF orientations, distribution of IEC materials, and dissemination of bilingual early warning messages via WhatsApp, voice calls, mosques, and loudspeakers. To ensure timely access to information, the District Flood Control Room helpline is being widely publicized, with weekly checks to confirm functionality. In addition, refresher trainings for staff and volunteers on evacuation, first aid, and WASH practices are being organized in collaboration with Rescue 1122. Information management has also been enhanced with a structured daily SitRep template to track river levels, activities, and gaps, ensuring transparency, coordination, and effective donor engagement.

HELP Foundation

In **District Rajanpur**, HELP Foundation is prioritising life-saving relief through the distribution of cooked meals to evacuees at safe sites, initially supported by PKR 250,000 from an individual philanthropist, with further resource mobilisation ongoing. Rapid needs

assessments are being carried out to identify urgent requirements of internally displaced persons, while evacuation support continues through the Foundation's boat services. To safeguard public health, clean drinking water is being supplied to affected families via tanker services. However, in district **Rahim Yar Khan and Bahawalpur**, HELP Foundation is maintaining close coordination with district administrations to ensure a timely and aligned response. Early warning messages and flood advisories are being continuously disseminated to vulnerable riverine communities, while trained community volunteers are mobilised to support preparedness measures, facilitate safe evacuation, and provide immediate assistance in disaster-prone areas.

LHDP

LHDP is implementing a coordinated flood preparedness and response strategy across eight districts, focusing on **community mobilization, early warning, and close coordination with authorities**.

Core Actions (All Districts)

- Designation of **focal persons** and formation of **volunteer teams**
- Activation of **early warning systems** and dissemination of timely alerts
- **Daily information-sharing** with Community Organizations (COs), local activists, and affected communities
- Strong **coordination with DDMA** for response planning and resource mobilization

District-Specific Actions

- **Qamber Shahdadkot:** Use of **WhatsApp community groups** for rapid early warning dissemination
- **Badin:** **Dewatering operations** in villages of Taluka Shaheed Fazil Rahoo in coordination with local government/Union Councils
- **Other Districts (Ghotki, Kashmore, Sukkur, Larkana, Jamshoro, Sujawal):** Continued volunteer mobilization, early warning dissemination, and support to evacuations as needed

Indus Consortium

The Indus Consortium has been providing regular field situation updates to the humanitarian community in Pakistan and internationally through its SITREP reports. These reports not only capture the evolving situation but also highlight the contributions of member organizations, including Doaba Foundation, HELP Foundation, and LHDP. The Consortium is further engaging with humanitarian actors to explore opportunities for future collaborative initiatives. In parallel, the Consortium is working closely with the media to raise awareness about the challenges and response gaps faced by affected communities. Through this engagement, it continues to encourage government departments and humanitarian stakeholders to adopt more coordinated and collaborative approaches. Earlier, the Indus Consortium launched a Joint Humanitarian Strategy outlining response targets aligned with the grassroots capacities of its member organizations. The strategy also drew on lessons from previous emergencies, including the 2010, 2011, and 2022 floods, and emphasized people-centred approaches to guide future humanitarian response efforts.

3.4 What are the planned actions of other stakeholders?

Doaba Foundation is actively coordinating with stakeholders through regular participation in DDMC meetings and ongoing discussions with Rescue 1122 to define roles in WASH interventions and relief camp management. Field teams are **monitoring high-risk areas** such as Chamb Mor, Jhoke Janan, and Adam Wahan following each PMD advisory. At the community level, the Foundation is expanding **DWWF orientations**, distributing IEC materials, and disseminating **bilingual early warning messages** via WhatsApp, voice messages, mosques, and loudspeakers. To strengthen preparedness, **refresher trainings for staff and volunteers** on evacuation, first aid, and WASH practices are being conducted in collaboration with Rescue 1122. Additionally, the Foundation is enhancing its **information management system** by using a structured daily SitRep template to capture river levels, activities, and gaps, ensuring transparency, coordination, and effective donor engagement.

As per working of **HELP Foundation** the other stakeholders have also mobilized critical support. The District Administration and **DDMA** are leading overall coordination by setting up relief camps, deploying evacuation machinery, and maintaining law and order, while **Rescue 1122** is providing boats, emergency rescue services, and medical first aid to safely relocate populations. **UN-OCHA and partners** are facilitating coordination among humanitarian actors, supporting needs assessments, and mobilizing resources for food, WASH, and shelter. The **Pakistan Red Crescent Society (PRCS)** is distributing relief kits, tents, and hygiene supplies, alongside operating medical camps in affected areas. In parallel, local philanthropists and community networks are providing cooked food and safe drinking water to displaced families in camps and along evacuation routes.

The **LHDP** has reported several developments in coordination and response. Several key stakeholders are scaling up their preparedness and response measures to address the evolving flood situation. The coordination revealed the following activities by other stakeholders.

PDMA: Providing stocks of boats, tents, and mosquito nets for humans and livestock to DDMA.

Rescue 1122: On high alert, with **178 boats deployed** across riverine districts for emergency evacuation and rescue operations.

PPHI: Establishing emergency medical camps in affected districts to provide health services.

Pakistan Navy: Engaged in rescue operations (as per the Chief Minister of Sindh) and operating relief camps in District Sujawal.

DDMA: Coordinating through stakeholder meetings and establishing relief camps across districts.

Acted Pakistan: Conducting assessments in District Kashmore for the provision of shelter kits, supported by IOM.

4.0 Policy Asks

The situation remains unchanged since the previous report

5.0 Request for Support

Doaba Foundation urgently seeks support to strengthen its ongoing flood response in **Gujranwala**. While immediate humanitarian assistance remains the priority, there are also emerging medium-term recovery needs. In addition to financial contributions, support is required in the following areas:

- Uncooked food rations for affected households. **Urgent**
- Safe drinking water through bottled water, purification tablets, or filtration units. **Urgent**
- Emergency sanitation facilities (portable latrines, desludging services). **Urgent**
- Basic hygiene kits (soap, sanitary pads, water containers, mosquito nets). **Urgent**
- Temporary shelter materials such as tents, tarpaulins, and mats. **Urgent**
- Livestock support, including fodder and veterinary assistance. **Urgent**
- De-watering equipment and services to clear flooded essential infrastructure. **Urgent**
- Logistical support (transport vehicles, fuel, boats) for outreach in inundated areas. **Urgent**
- Technical expertise in rapid assessments, WASH, and shelter management. **Medium**
- Volunteer engagement to assist in field operations and community mobilization. **Medium**

Lodhran:

Considering the evolving flood situation in District Lodhran, the following are priority areas:

- **Hygiene kits** (soap, sanitary pads, towels, detergent, toothpaste, etc.) – *1,000 kits* for vulnerable households. **Urgent**
- **Water treatment supplies** (chlorine tablets, jerrycans) – *2,000 household sets*. **Urgent**
- **Ration packs** (flour, rice, pulses, oil, sugar, salt, tea) – *1,000 family packs*. **Urgent**
- **Personal Protective Equipment (PPE)** for responders – *200 life jackets, 200 raincoats, 200 pairs of boots*. **Urgent**
- **Machinery & equipment** to reinforce embankments at Chamb Mor, Jhoke Janan, and other vulnerable points – *2 excavators, 4 dumpers*. **Medium**
- **Mobile water purification units** – *5 units* to serve flood-affected riverine communities. **Medium**
- **Transport support** – *2 trucks* (10-ton capacity) for relief item distribution and evacuation. **Medium**

Muzaffargarh:

- **WASH & Infrastructure:** Immediate restoration of toilets in relief camps and dewatering of schools, BHUs, and public facilities. **Urgent**
- **Early Action** (within 15 days): Distribution of ration bags and hygiene kits (prioritized for women-heavy households) as recommended by the Health Department. **Urgent**
- **Food & Water:** Cooked meals and dry rations for displaced families; safe drinking water through tankers, purification tablets, and filtration units. **Urgent**
- **Shelter & NFIs:** Provision of tents, tarpaulins, bedding, mosquito nets, and clothing. **Urgent**
- **Health Services:** Deployment of medical teams for first aid, maternal/childcare, and communicable disease prevention. **Urgent**
- **Hygiene & Protection:** Supply of soap, sanitary items, MHM kits, and temporary latrines, with focus on women, children, elderly, and persons with disabilities. **Urgent**
- **Nutrition Support:** Inclusive, nutrition-sensitive food assistance tailored for children, pregnant and lactating women, and persons with disabilities. **Urgent**

HELP Foundation is seeking **urgent support** to strengthen its ongoing humanitarian response in the flood-affected districts of **Rajanpur, Rahimyar Khan, and Bahawalpur**. In addition to financial contributions, the following areas of support are critical:

- **Cooked Food Assistance:** Provision of cooked meals for displaced families in relief camps and cooked rations for households in temporary shelters. **Urgent**
- **Dry Food Packages:** Supply of essential dry food items for affected households. **Urgent**
- **Safe Drinking Water:** Provision of clean water through tankers and other safe supply mechanisms. **Urgent**
- **Dignity Kits:** Distribution of dignity kits to women evacuated from high-risk areas.
- **Temporary Shelter Material:** Support with tents, tarpaulins, plastic sheets, floor mats, and blankets for displaced populations. **Urgent**
- **Livestock Fodder and Veterinary Care:** Provision of fodder and basic veterinary support to protect the livelihoods of smallholder farmers. **Urgent**
- **Medical Aid:** Deployment of mobile medical assistance for displaced families, particularly those sheltering along flood embankments and in temporary locations. **Urgent**

LHDP has identified **funding needs** to support its response activities, including evacuation and transportation, provision of shelter, cooked food, safe drinking water, livestock fodder, and WASH services. Planned actions include:

- **Developing proposals** to mobilize resources. **Medium**
- **Coordinating with donors and international organizations** to secure support. **Medium**
- **Ensuring timely and accurate information sharing** with all stakeholders to facilitate a coordinated response. **Medium**

Logistical Support

Doaba Foundation has identified needs technical & logistics: 2 excavators, 4 dumpers for embankments; 5 mobile water purification units; 2 trucks (10-ton) for relief and evacuation. Capacity building: 10 WASH/MHM refresher sessions (250 participants); 5 safeguarding and gender-sensitive response orientations (100 participants). Information & communication: 10 awareness campaigns via FM radio, mosques, and cable networks.

Furthermore, we are currently operating with 10 fibreglass motorboats and 60 dewatering pumps across Punjab and Sindh Provinces. Moreover, we have a network of riverine communities organised into village organisations and river-level forums at the district level. To expand its reach and effectiveness, IC members require an enlarged fleet of **10 boats and 50 dewatering pumps**, along with sufficient financial resources to hire trucks and vehicles suitable for rural terrain, as well as **warehousing facilities** to ensure the timely and efficient delivery of relief items to cut-off communities.

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