The Cyclone VAYU has formed in Arabian Sea on 10th June, 2019 as a Deep Depression to very severe cyclone today, Indian Red Cross Society, Gujarat State Branch and its respected district and taluka branch is monitoring the situation. The organization has started his task in Saurashtra and Kutch coastal area to evacuate support, Relief distribution and Medical Services instantly from morning 12th June, 2019. The organization has mobilized number of activities during the preparedness phase.
Major Highlights

1. 1000 volunteers involved
2. Early Warning to the community
3. Immediate Medical Help and first Aid Service
4. Provided Temporary Shelter at Alang Hospital
5. Provided 15000 food packets by District and Taluka Branches
6. HAM Radio Service at Alang, Bhavnagar, Rajkot and Ahmedabad
Activities in Photo

IRCS Bhavanagar Branch under the leadership of Shri Summit Thakkar
( Vice Chairman –IRCS, Gujarat State Branch)

Shri Kirit Majithiya (Chairman, Disaster Management Committee, IRCS Gujarat State Branch)

Shri Manish Acharya (Chairman, Youth Red Cross Committee, IRCS Gujarat State Branch)
Activities Branch wise

**Gujarat State Branch**

Emergency Control Room is activated since 11th June, 2019 with duty allocation of branch office bearers and staff members. The State Branch is in Continuous coordination with GSDMA, NHQ, IFRC and different stake holders. Ready and standby for emergency assessment and 2000 family relief pack of Non Food Items. Ham Radio service is activated.

**Bhavnagar District Branch**

Established Temporary Shelter at Alang Red Cross Hospital and provided medical and first aid services to all migrants. Provided shelter to 250 migrant workers. Branch has established food and tea services for 600 workers for 24 hours. Total no of 5500 food packets handed over to Mamlatdar for immediate relief distribution in different shelters. Ham Radio Set activated at Bhavnagar and Alang.

**Kutch District Branch**

Branch has established coordination with district authority and all the stakeholders since 11th June, 2019. All the trained SDRT, DDRT, SERV and Search & Rescue volunteers were ready and standby. The Control room of Red Cross in Bhuj was operated round the clock 24 hours and monitored the situation of district. Branch also has deployed their volunteers at Mundra and Mandavi for evacuation to the vulnerable community at safe places. Gandhidham Taluka branch was also ready with food packets and evacuation process and supported authority in evacuation process in Kandala Port and surroundings vulnerable community.
Porbandar District Branch

Branch has distributed 1000 food packets and is closely coordinated with local authority. 10 volunteers are ready and standby for Search and Rescue and Early warning activities.

Junagadh District Branch

A volunteer team visited Mangrol and Chorawad for evacuation and community awareness.

Gir Somnath District Branch

A team of 25 volunteers is ready and standby. Distributed 2000 food packets in different shelters in Veraval

Devhbumi Dwarka Branch

500 food packets handed over to mamlatdar office for relief distribution

Jamnagar District Branch

Ready and standby with 50 Youth Red Cross Volunteer team for food packet distribution and emergency First Aid.

Dwarka Taluka Branch

Distributed 500 food packets immediately

Savarkundala Taluka Branch

Ready and Standby with 50 volunteers team for immediate relief distribution

Thanking You

Yours in Service of Red Cross

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