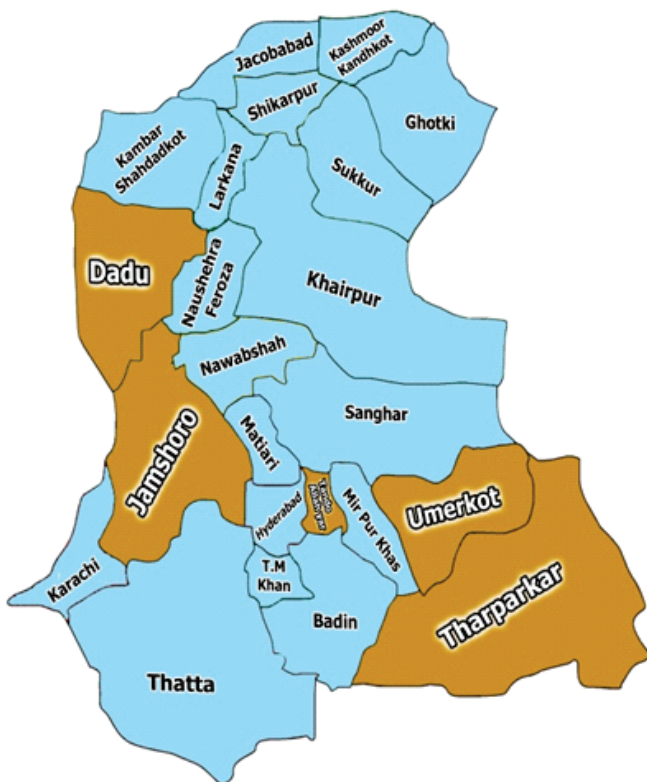


Emergency Relief Operation



TRDP's Response to Combat Coronavirus COVID-19

April 2020



- Umerkot
- Tharpakar
- Dadu
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- Jamshoro

TRDP continued working in lock down providing cash support and relief to thousands of poor families. With restrictions on supply side, TRDP facilitated poor women and men in rural areas to get items of daily consumption and setup small grocery at village level. With cash grant that TRDP gave, the poor villagers started delivering daily consumption items in their neighborhood securing their livelihood along with serving in th most dire needs.

TRDP provided packets of food items and items of personal protection as well. The following is summary of activities undertaken by TRDP in the period of lock down.

- Face Masks Making & Distribution
- Distribution of Soaps
- Distribution of Sanitizers
- Distribution of Food Items
- Cash Support
- Distribution of Awareness Leaflets
- Mobile Medical Camps



Face masks making and distribution

- Trained community members prepared some 3,421 masks in rural areas of programme districts and provided to community institutions for distribution in their area.



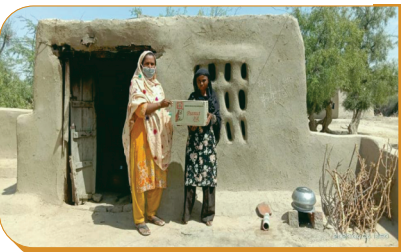
Distribution of Soaps

- Provided some 12,546 Anti-Septic soaps to 85 Government Health Facilities and Ehsas Kafalat centers in programme districts



Distribution of Sanitizers

- Distributed some 1123 sanitizers in Government Health Facilities and community institutions of programme districts.



Distribution of Food Items

- Provided some 99,204 packets of food items among some 16,534 poor families. Provided food and non-food items to 3 fire affected families in Tharparkar.



Cash Support

- Distribution of cheques (cash) grant for Income Generation to poorest households. In current situation, markets are closed. By using income generation grant provided by TRDP to the poor households for starting small grocery shops for securing their livelihood needs.



- Supported grant cheques of PKR. 23,775,800 (23.77million) to 1,160 poor families at the doorsteps to secure their livelihood in programme districts.



- Distributed cheques of PKR.2,895,200 among 91 households of union councils of Dadu and Jamshoro under Programme for Improved Nutrition. The poor families identified through poverty score card.



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Thardeep Rural Development Program distributes 99,204 ration bags to 16,534 families in Dadu, Jamshoro, Umerkot and Tharparkar districts

By Zia Qureshi

KARACHI. 99,204 ration bags of food items were distributed to 16,534 poor families recently by the Thardeep Rural Development Program during ongoing relief operations in districts Dadu, Jamshoro, Umerkot and Tharparkar districts.

Chief Executive Officer of TRDP, Dr Allah Nawaz Samoo said that the Thardeep Rural Development Program conducted a rapid assessment in 100 Union Councils of Dadu, Jamshoro, Tharparkar and Umerkot districts at the end of March.

Briefing journalists at his office here, Dr Allah Nawaz Samoo said that the purpose of the assessment was to find out the effects of the lockdown on rural economic activity and on the livelihood of poor people.

Jai Parkash Shivani Program Manager SUCCESS TRDP funded by EU Program, Aftab Baloch Coordinator for Community Investment Fund and IGG- Income Generation Gant of TRDP, DC Dadu, Raja Shazhman Khuhro, DC Jamshoro, Captain (R) Fareeduddin Mustaf' also briefed

about the operation work of TRDP in support of district administrations. He said that some 12,330 Antiseptic soaps to 80 health facilities in the program districts were provided.

He said that the Thardeep Rural Development Program has its outreach to 700,000 households in 228 Union Councils including 184,160 households from 2,829 rural settlements of 96 rural UCs of Dadu and Jamshoro districts.

Sharing the details, he said that according to a poverty profile collected by TRDP, 56% fall below the poverty line.

So far under the SUCCESS Program, more than 27,000 poor households of Dadu and Jamshoro ranked below poverty line have been granted more than PKR 600 million for livelihood and income generation supports. Under the current situation such grants for economic activity has opened new windows of business opportunities particularly in the rural areas.

As, Face masks making & distribution Trained community members prepared some 2,336 masks' in rural areas of district and provided to district authorities

and restore supply chain to minimum possible level.

He said that Thardeep designed mechanism to support communities and start economic activities with three major inputs; a) providing income generation grant of PKR 20,000 to each of the poor households to start small grocery shops in villages.

He said that The data of the poor households was available with Thardeep which was collected through poverty score card two years ago. b) Facilitated these poor households to purchase daily consumption items from market with support of district administration. c) Facilitated poor households to get cash from banks where the grant was transferred.

He said that thousands of community volunteers working with TRDP in villages ensured that compliance of guidelines is given by district administration properly made.

He said that TRDP restored activities in these districts from March 30. He said that Thousands of poor households started small grocery shops providing daily consumption items on the doorsteps of their

neighborhood. He said that by doing so they made ends meet along with providing household items in their neighborhood. He said that by first week of April they also started selling milk to towns. This initiative provided communities an opportunity to continue economic activity at the time when it was direly needed.

He said that TRDP is now leveraging this initiative with other grant inputs, in kind, such as providing goat and seed for cultivation. He said that the purpose is to build resilience of poor communities in the worst economic time, contribute them to protect their basic household assets such as cattle/ goats or small shop. Mr Jai Parkash Shivani Program manager SUCCESS TRDP funded by EU Program briefed about the activities and said that TRDP also provided food and nonfood items to 3 fire affected families in Tharparkar. In terms of cash support, he said that TRDP continues distribution of cheques (cash) of Income Generation Grants (IGG) component to poorest households.

Thardeep Rural Development Program launches a PINS Program

By Zia Qureshi

KARACHI. Thardeep Rural Development Program launched a PINS-Program for Improvement Nutrition in Sindh through SUCCESS project of EU funded and distributed the cheques of worth of 8, 31,600 among 27 households/poorest women for the nutrition of mother and Childs at village Ahmed Landhar of taluka KN Shah in Dadu district on Friday.

TRDP under the Supervision of CEO Dr Allah Nawaz Samoo with coordination of Sindh government and district administration launched a PINS-Program for Improvement Nutrition in Sindh at village Ahmed Landhar of taluka KN Shah of Dadu district as also continued this PINS in two districts Dadu and Jamshoro district under SUCCESS program of EU funded.

This step of TRDP in support of poorest families having low income, widely appreciated by stake holders at locked down situation. Sindh government, district administration, Locals and poorest families, widely appreciated TRDP to help them in this locked down situation and to fight with COVID-19.

Assistant Commissioner Khairpur Nathan-KN Shah, Irshad Ahmed Kamali distributed the cheques among 27 households' poorest women in a cheque distribution program at village Ahmed Landhar in taluka KN Shah on Friday.

Jai Parkash Shivani Program manager SUCCESS program funded by EU, Ali Mohammad Kallar program manager PINS, Samad Phulpoto Human Resources Coordinator TRDP, Hameed Samejo district project Coordinator PINS at Dadu, Abdul Ghaffar Bughio district manager TRDP at Dadu, Syed Nadeem Shah taluka coordinator TRDP and Human Resource officer TRDP, Humeeran Shaikh also attended the program attended program. Notables of area also attended program by wearing masks and following safety measures of Corona Virus.

Speaking the program, AC -Assistant Commissioner K.



Shah Irshad Ahmed Kamali said that in this worst situation of locked down; it was need for the nutrition for women and their children. He said that it was proposed by TRDP that women will purchase the goats and will complete the nutrition through milk of goats. He said that it was rural and far flung areas of KN shah in Dadu district where the cheques of PINS were distributed among 27 households of seven union councils of KN shah taluka of Dadu district.

CEO-TRDP Dr Allah Nawaz Samoo said that with coordination of Sindh government and district administrations, the efforts were taken to complete the task of SUCCESS project of EU funded. He promised to continue, the services of this project in community according to policy of TRDP.

Ali Mohammad Kallar, program manager PINS said speaking the program, PINS district coordinator, Hameed Samejo 27 cheques worth of 8,31,600 rupees were distributed among poor households through PINS program of TRDP funded by European Union. He said that cheques were distributed among union councils Rahaqa, Gadehi, Bughia, Thalho, Borari, Fatah Pur and Butra of taluka KN shah of district dadu after completing survey.

District Coordinator PINS Hameed Samejo said that the it was nutrition problem among women, hence through through PINS the cheques were distributed among women for purchasing goods for milk to complete nutrition.

Jai Parkash Shivani Program manager SUCCESS program funded by EU said that teams of TRDP had made the successful to events and provided relief to

the poorest through PINS-Program for Improved Nutrition in Sindh and IGG-Income Generation grant under the SUCCESS project funded by EU for Dadu and Jamshoro districts. He said that through this program the economics of the poorest households will be strong. He said that TRDP will continue its services to the poorest according to policy.

While, through IGG-Income generation grant for livelihood support to the poorest households, the cheques also were distributed among 46 households of seven union councils of taluka KN Shah at TRDP office.

Assistant Commissioner Khairpur Nathan-KN Shah Irshad Ahmed Kamali distributed the cheques of 9,20,000 rupees among 46 poorest households. On that occasion, speaking the program, Abdul Qadir Bughio said that the cheques worth 9,20,000 rupees of IGG-Income generating grant were distributed among the poorest households at seven union councils of taluka KN shah for their livelihood by the TRDP through SUCCESS program funded by EU.

Samad Phulpoto, coordinator HRD TRDP said that these drives of PINS and IGG were continuing with coordination of Sindh government and district administrations Dadu and Jamshoro district. He said that it was worsening situation and this SUCCESS project was beneficial for the poorest families as TRDP teams were paying services at doorsteps.

Notables of area had said that TRDP was first NGO with coordination of Sindh government and district administration helped the poorest at door steps and it was real work of services.

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