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Nepal Earthquake Situation Overview



Women for Human Rights, single women group from its establishment has focused into several issues faced by widows (single women). In the later phase it has responded to dozens of natural disasters and conflicts in the nation, and has been amongst the first responders on ground for the survivors' post-earthquake of 25 April, 2015.

Message From WHR Family



Words cannot even begin to express our sorrow, as the days and week pass and as we Nepali return to life's routine, may we continue to feel comforted by supporting others and help in building new Nepal.

Relief Phase



Since the second day of the earthquake, WHR representatives initiated camp rescue of peasants and lactating mothers, with primary objective of conducting relief and rescue efforts in most vulnerable areas after the earthquake. WHR collaborated with Sasto Deal, Anthropose, Machan Wildlife Resort, Tissah and hundreds of other volunteers to provide maximum help possible. Women for Freedom, Global Fund for Women, UN Women, and Women Kind International were few international organization extending support to support with WHR. In the latter phase, Sankalpa, Goonj, GIZ, HelpAge International, The Asia Foundation, CARE Nepal, OXFAM, VSO along with others joined WHR for humanitarian assistance.





To address the emergency situation instinctive from the devastating 7.8 magnitude earthquake of late April, followed by a second powerful earthquake two weeks later, WHR has reached over 100,000 beneficiaries, providing immediate relief in fourteen of the most affected districts.

During the initial phase of the response, the most affected received basic food supplements, tents, dry



food, water and blanket, along with non-item items. During this period, distinctive attention was upon water, sanitation & hygiene, Gender based Violence (GBV) and cash-for-work efforts.

WHR has distributed food and non-food items such as tents, kitchen sets, blankets, shelter tool kits, hygiene kits, tarpaulins, Corrugated Galvanized Iron (CGI) sheets, sleeping mats to 20,000 households in the hard hit districts. The support was later extended in form of psychological counseling, dignity kits distribution, safety provision through staying at multipurpose women centers.



Thank you to all the donors, partners, helping hands, Volunteers, for all you do. We will raise Again.

- WHR Family



Recovery Phase



To safeguard human rights especially aftermath the disaster, WHR reached out to more than 10,000 individuals with awareness programs in Gorkha on the issues of GBV, WASH, Legal services. As part of cash-based programming, WHR reached more than 100 families to meet their immediate needs nurturing their skills through different ventures. To rebuild Nepal better WHR is working in its Recovery Phase which shall be covered by resettlements in coming days.



Good Practices

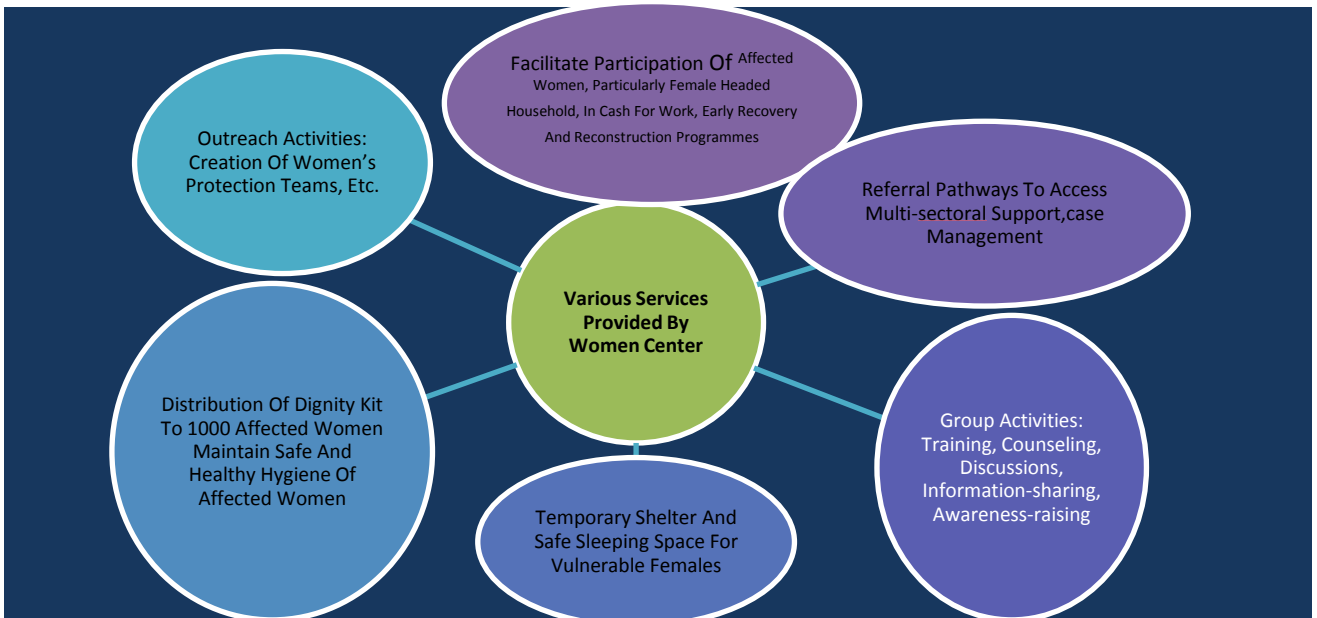
- From the initial days of emergency WHR mobilized its single women groups along with youth networks to reach the vulnerable places.
- As the process of helping and learning WHR called upon Single women group representatives from least affected districts of Nepal to gather the data at Gorkha.
- Successfully conducted the women safety audit with an support form Un Women at Dharmasthali- Kathmandu.
- Uses of social media for Lifeline communication, which further helped many Earthquake Survivor to take immediate action



WHR has built temporary shelter homes in earthquake affected areas. With the establishment of women center, WHR has supported holistic services, such as dignity kits, solar lamps, trauma counseling, life-saving information, and referrals which have enabled the women to improve themselves and reintegrate back into community and sustain a normal life. Following are the 6 areas where WHR is running the women center:

1. Kathmandu	2. Lalitpur	3. Bhaktapur
4. Nuwakot	5. Gorkha	6. Dhading

Working Mechanism of Women Center:



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