

Highlights

- In July, **630 m³ of relief items** were received into common storage on behalf of **six organisations** making it a total of **4045 m³ of relief items** stored on behalf of **15 organisations** in Madhu Chara, Balukhali, Unchiprang, Teknaf and COVID-19 Special Hub in Cox's Bazar district.
- The Logistics Sector in partnership with Humanity & Inclusion- Atlas Logistique (HI-Atlas) transported **3072 m³ (488 mt)** of relief items for **13 organisations including UN agencies, INGOs and NGOs**, where **207 trucks** were used.
- The Cox's Bazar COVID-19 special hub received 10,000 protective gowns from China on behalf of the World Food Programme (WFP) that were donated by the Join Together Society in Korea using the WFP Global Aviation Service for the COVID-19 response in Cox's Bazar.
- The [Midterm satisfaction survey result](#) showed that 97% of the respondents are satisfied or very satisfied with the activities in coordination, information management and common services. Coordination and Information Management received a 100% satisfaction rate and common service received a 91.3% satisfaction rate.
- The Logistic Sector loaned a 22 KVA generator to the International Rescue Committee (IRC) in Shamlapur, Camp 23 and a 15 KVA generator was loaned to Save the Children (SCI) in Camp 21. Both generators were loaned to support the Severe Acute Respiratory Infection Isolation and Treatment Centres (SARI ITCs).
- Two 10x24m MSUs, two 2.2KVA generators and one 15KVA generator were prepositioned in Balukhali Logistics hub for Monsoon preparedness.
- The Logistics Sector's received Relief International to visit the Madhuchara Logistics hub for the hub management overview and trained their staff with good hub practices.
- A total of 50 litres of hand sanitiser was distributed to one organisation to facilitate office hygiene and staff wellbeing.



Red Homebound truck carrying the gowns



Unloading of the gowns at the COVID-19 Special Hub

Background

In 2020, the Logistics Sector continues to work with partners to address common logistics gaps and challenges in Cox's Bazar and ensure an efficient humanitarian response. The Rohingya Response Strategy maintains focus on strengthening collaboration amongst international and national partners, synchronising logistics decisions, producing and sharing key information, and facilitating access to common logistics services to support partners' logistics operations.

In the lead-up to the monsoon and ensuing cyclone seasons, the Logistics Sector is focusing efforts on planning and reinforcing partner capacities and preparedness. Also, since mid-March, the Logistics Sector focused on planning, preparedness and on obtaining health materials in response to the COVID-19 pandemic. Previous sector activities that do not support WASH, Health or food distribution have been reduced to a bare minimum in line with current humanitarian priorities. To support effective decision making, the Logistics Sector provides technical logistics advice and access to facilities for organisations facing supply chain challenges.



A forklift unloading at the Cox's Bazar COVID-19 Special Hub

Coordination & information management

- The Logistics Sector conducted two Logistics Sector Coordination Meetings in July attended by **24 organisations** including national NGOs, INGOs, and UN agencies.
- Six information management products were published on the [Logistics Sector website](#) in July, including the [2020 Mid-term User Satisfaction Survey Feedback](#).

Logistics Services

- In July, **630 m³ (318 mt) of relief items** were received into common storage on behalf of **six organisations** making it a total of **4045 m³ of relief items** stored on behalf of **15 organisations** in Madhu Chara, Balukhali, Unchiprang, Teknaf and COVID-19 Special Hub in Cox's Bazar district. Items stored included oxygen, PPE items (gowns and surgical masks). Also, HI-Atlas transported **3072m³ (488 mt) of relief items** for **13 organisations**.
- Between October 2017 and July 2020, the Logistics Sector received a total of **43,135 m³ (14,456 mt) of relief items** for storage on behalf of **38 organisations**.

- The Cox's Bazar COVID-19 special hub is being currently used by partners including Food for the Hungry (FH), World Food Programme (WFP), Humanity & Inclusion (HI) and The International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) for storage of Health, WASH, Shelter and Logistics related cargo.
- IOM was handed over the MSUs and office equipment that came from UNHRD Malaysia in the joint procurement.

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