

Annual Report 2021



Bangladesh Red Crescent Society

Established by the President's
Order No. 26 of 1973 act as an auxiliary to the Government



"The Father of the Nation, Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman (1920-1975), communicating over the wireless radio with volunteers from the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society's Cyclone Preparedness Program (CPP) in 1973."



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(The) Hon'ble President
The People's Republic of Bangladesh
Bangabhaban, Dhaka.

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December 12, 2021

Message

On the occasion of the 49th Annual General Meeting of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, I would like to convey my heartfelt greetings and congratulations to all the relevant personnel including Managing Board Members, Volunteers, Officials and Staff of the Society.

Since its establishment, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, as an auxiliary to the Government of Bangladesh (GoB), has been complementing all humanitarian response programs in several natural and man-made disasters in the country. In the recent times toward the prevention of infection of COVID-19, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society played a praiseworthy role by the distribution of masks, distribution of personal protective equipment including oxygen cylinders, health care services of Holy Family Red Crescent Medical College Hospital, Ambulance service, and countrywide mass vaccination program. The Blood Centers of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society are providing a significant amount of safe blood against the overall demand of the country. Furthermore, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has been playing a supplementary role in making the Maternal and Child Health (MCH) program of the Government of Bangladesh a success by providing health care services like Ante Natal Care, safe delivery, Post Natal Care, newborn and child health care, family planning, immunization, and general health care services to the pregnant women and children of remotest and most vulnerable areas through 56 Maternity and Child Health (MCH) care centers.

The diverse activities of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society in disaster risk reduction have been appreciated in the national and international arena. I hope that by expansion and diversification of scope of services, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society will be able to contribute further to the socio-economic growth of the country as well as in various humanitarian service delivery and in reducing disaster risks nationally and internationally.

I wish every success of the 49th Annual General Meeting of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society.

Joy Bangla.
Khoda Hafez, May Bangladesh Live Forever

Md. Abdul Hamid



بِسْمِ اللّٰهِ الرَّحْمٰنِ الرَّحِیْمِ



The) Hon'ble Prime Minister
Government of the People's Republic
of Bangladesh
Ganabhaban, Dhaka

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December 14, 2021

Message

I am delighted to know that the 49th Annual General Meeting of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society is going to take place in due course. I would like to express my sincere thanks, gratitude and good wishes to all concerned of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society on this occasion.

Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, the Greatest Bengali of All Time and the Father of the Nation, established the Cyclone Preparedness Program (CPP) in 1973 to mitigate disaster risk in Bangladesh. To safeguard people's lives and property from the cyclone and to provide shelter for cattle, the Father of the Nation, Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujib, built 172 shelters known as "Mujib Killa" or "Mujib Fort."

In 1997, we formulated Standing Orders on Disasters to integrate and expedite the disaster management programs. It was revised and updated in 2010. We have formulated a Cyclone Shelter Construction, Maintenance, and Management Policy 2011. In 1997, the Awami League government took the initiative to enact and ratify the Disaster Management Act. After assuming power in 2009, we have ratified and enacted the Disaster Management Act, 2012. In 2012, we established a separate ministry known as the Ministry of Disaster Management and Relief, and also created the Directorate of Disaster Management. We have already adopted the "Bangladesh Delta Plan-2100".

The present Awami League Government has prioritized the use of information technology in pre, during, and post disaster management related activities such as disseminating warning messages, relocating and evacuating people to safe shelter, raising public awareness, disaster risk reduction and preparedness, prompt response, conducting damage assessments, and undertaking activities for rehabilitation and reconstruction, etc. Disaster forecasts and early warning messages are now being transmitted through community radio and mobile phones. We have renovated the old 'Mujib Killas' and newly built 378 more 'Mujib Killas'. During our tenure, 230 flood evacuation shelters and 320 cyclone shelters have been constructed across the country. Another 220 cyclone shelters and 423 flood shelters are under construction. The construction work is underway for 66 warehouses for relief items and disaster management information centers in 64 districts. In addition, necessary search and rescue equipment has been procured to respond to earthquakes. As a result of various timely measures taken by this government, the adverse impact of natural disasters has been greatly mitigated. We have initiated the process of establishing the National Emergency Operation Center (NEOC) for responding to and managing various hazards and disasters.

We have taken all the initiatives to protect the lives and livelihoods of the people through various disaster management activities, including early warning and emergency response. The use of technology in disaster risk reduction and disaster management has also contributed to reducing the loss of lives and assets. In order to make people more sensitized and aware, all relevant stakeholders, including the Red Crescent Society, will have to play an active role.

I am urging the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society to further strengthen the organizational and financial capacity of the society as well as accelerate the implementation of various humanitarian and disaster risk reduction programs in the regional and international arena.

I wish the 49th Annual General Meeting of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society a great success.

Joy Bangla, Joy Bangabandhu
May Bangladesh Live Forever.

Sheikh Hasina



The Hon'ble Minister
Ministry of Health and Family Welfare
Government of the People's Republic
of Bangladesh

Message

I am delighted to know that the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society is holding its Annual General Meeting for 2021. On the occasion of the Society's Annual General Meeting, I would like to express my best wishes and congratulations to all of the Society's Managing Board Members, Life Members, Delegates, Red Crescent Youth Members, Volunteers, and Officials-Staff.

Due to the recent recurrent natural calamities like floods, cyclone YASH and the Global COVID-19 Pandemic in the country, the Red Crescent Society has continued its services, including running free medical camps in the disaster-stricken areas to ensure the treatment of the most vulnerable and poor families living in different districts, including the capital. The society has also been praised for providing special training to doctors, health workers, and volunteers to resist and combat the outbreak of the unprecedented coronavirus as well as distributing various health-protective equipment, including the PPE. The Bangladesh Red Society not only works for the victims of disasters but also provides health services to the grassroots people of the country. The organization has been making an invaluable contribution to human welfare since 1981 by providing safe blood transfusions to dying patients (or dementia) and patients with thalassemia on a regular basis under the Society's Blood Program. The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare has been rendering all possible assistance to the Bangladesh Red Society to expedite, promote, or facilitate these social-humanitarian activities or pursuits.

I honestly believe that the people working directly or indirectly with this leading humanitarian organization are profoundly or highly inspired or motivated by the mantra or light of patriotism and humanitarian service. I want to express my appreciation and thankfulness to all of them for their philanthropic, charitable, and humanitarian work.

I wish the overall success of the 49th Annual General Meeting of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society.

Joy Bangla, Joy Bangabandhu
May Bangladesh Live Long/Forever.

**Zahid Maleque, MP
or Jahid Malek, MP**



Message

On behalf of the newly elected Managing Board (2021 – 2023) of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, I take the privilege to congratulate all Volunteers, Red Crescent Youth (RCY) Members, Life Members, Delegates, All Officials, and Staffs as well as the well-wishers on the occasion of the 49th Annual General Meeting 2021 of the Society. The Red Cross Red Crescent Movement has been playing a pioneering role across the globe in humanitarian service delivery and I am proud to be associated with this Movement. The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has been publishing Annual Report which reflects the programs and activities implemented by the Society.

Established through direct supervision of the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has been working as an auxiliary to the Public Authority during any humanitarian crisis caused by various disasters by following seven Fundamental Principles. Besides, the Organization has been implementing various activities in order to strengthen the socio-economic capacity of the vulnerable communities so that they become resilient to future shocks and stresses. Since the time of assuming the role as Chairman of the Society, I am striving to transform this Society into a modern, self-reliant, sustainable organization. The new Managing Board has been elected in accordance with the provisions of the legal base of the Society with the mandate of accelerating and expanding the programs and services of the Society. Meanwhile, the Strategic Plan 2021 to 2025 of the Society has been finalized and published. I firmly believe that with the overall oversight and guidance of the new Managing Board, we will be able to successfully implement the Strategic Plan. Although the spread of COVID-19 has slightly reduced, the risk of natural disasters as well as man-made disasters is gradually increasing day by day across the planet. Keeping these climatic risks and hazards in mind, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has kept its various humanitarian services continued. Among those, the Flood early warning system introduced by the Society with the support of Google is a very timely initiative. Through this system, the Flood early warning will be reached to the remotest and most vulnerable people 3-hours to 3-day earlier than the Flood. Besides disaster preparedness, risk reduction, and climate change adaptation programs in various natural and man-made disasters, the emergency health services during any

disasters and other humanitarian services of the Society are also applauded worldwide. On top of these, the humanitarian assistance to the Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals are also ongoing. The Society is also providing various humanitarian services to the Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals relocated to and are now living in Bashanchar.

The 68 Units and Volunteer network across the country is the main source of our strength. Most specifically, the role that the Red Crescent Youth members and volunteers are playing during humanitarian emergencies in disseminating early warning messages are praiseworthy. I convey my heartfelt gratitude and gratefulness to all the Youth Members and Volunteers of the Society for their tireless effort in responding to disasters and emergencies including combating COVID-19 pandemic.

Although we have a strong desire, our financial capacity is limited. However, we are ready to give out the best and highest from our limited capacity for humanitarian services. I am expressing my sincere gratitude to the Government Ministries, Departments, and Corporate organizations who have supported us directly and indirectly during our journey toward humanitarian service delivery including the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare and the Ministry of Disaster Management and Relief of the Government of the Peoples' Republic of Bangladesh. Also, extending my sincere gratitude to all the Members of the Managing Board and Staff-Officials of all levels of the Society. My sincere thanks and gratitude also goes to ICRC, IFRC, PNSs and to all other donor agencies who have extended all necessary technical and financial support to the Society. I am expressing my gratitude to all the people of the country for supporting Bangladesh Red Crescent Society in all its activities.

I wish all-out success for the 49th Annual General Meeting of the Society.

May the Red Cross Red Crescent Movement be a success!

Major General (Retd.) ATM Abdul Wahab



The Hon'ble Chairman
The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society
December 23, 2021



Hon'ble Secretary General
The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society
December 23, 2021



Foreword

On the occasion of 49th Annual General Meeting of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, I am expressing my greetings to the Honorable Chairman, the Managing Board Members, Delegates from all the Units of the country, volunteers and Red Crescent Youth members of the Society. It is my utmost pleasure to be able to publish this year's Annual Report 2021 by organizing the 49th Annual General Meeting to mark the occasion of the Golden Jubilee of independence of the country and the celebration of "Mujib Year".

This Annual Report presents the information and descriptions on implementation of humanitarian assistance programs, emergency response activities, updates on projects such as Disaster Preparedness and Risk Reduction, Emergency Health Services during disasters, Blood donation program, Myanmar Refugee Relief Operation (MRRO) for Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals (FDMN), all types of humanitarian assistance in the target locations under PMO in last one year by the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (BDRCS). The data and information presented in the report indicate that the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society played an important role in proving humanitarian services and it will be able to contribute even more according to the Strategic Plan 2021 – 2025.

This Annual Report 2021 has been published as a result of the comprehensive effort and all Units, all Departments of the National Headquarters, and all institutes of the Society supported by providing necessary data and information. My heartfelt gratitude goes to all involved parties in this massive work, especially to those from the Planning and Development Department who were involved in the planning, communication, data collection, consolidation, review, revision, and editing of the report.

The way Bangladesh was able to deal with COVID-19 Pandemic also in 2021 was unprecedented. In connection to that, being auxiliary to the Government of Bangladesh, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has also played a pioneering role. Especially the RCY Volunteers of BDRCS performed their responsibility with the highest level of competencies in the country-wide Vaccination program for COV-

ID-19, which has been highly appraised by different levels of the Government.

The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, founded with the visionary and far-sighted decision of the Father of the Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and with his full cooperation, has been working relentlessly as an auxiliary to the public authority since its establishment. For this, I am expressing my sincere gratitude to all relevant Departments and Ministries of the Government of Bangladesh. Similarly, my sincere thanks and gratitude goes to the donors who have supported BDRCS in delivering humanitarian services including all the Red Cross Red Crescent Movement partners, donors, national and international humanitarian and development agencies, corporate organizations and so on.

Finally, I would like to conclude by expressing my sincere thanks and gratitude/appreciation to all the Red Crescent Youth Members, Volunteers, Officials, and Employees of all levels of the Society. As a result of the tireless effort of all colleagues of BDRCS, the year 2021 has become a year of success. The services of the Society for the welfare of mankind will be continued.

May the Red Cross Red Crescent Movement be successful.

Md. Feroz Salah Uddin

Acknowledgement

This gives us immense pleasure to publish the annual report for the year 2021, which reflects the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society's overall achievements in 2021. Every year, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society performs as an "Auxiliary to the Government" and a statutory entity of the Government of Bangladesh in the field of disaster risk reduction and management.

The Society also provided humanitarian assistance to the victims of the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic as well as other reoccurring natural catastrophes and human-induced disasters in 2021. We have received overall cooperation and support of people from all walks of life along with individuals and organizations while providing this humanitarian assistance and implementing other activities. We are truly grateful to everyone for this.

We would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to His Excellency the President of the People's Republic of Bangladesh who is also the president of BDRCS as well as to the Hon'ble Prime Minister of the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh for their continued cooperation in all fields. We are grateful to the concerned ministries of the government. Special thanks to the Directorate General of Health Services (DGHS) for working closely with BDRCS to combat COVID-19 pandemic.

We are very much appreciative to all the departments, projects, and units of BDRCS for your timely information and cooperation in producing this report.

Special thanks and appreciation go to the Movement Partners who have provided financial and technical support in carrying out our regular activities, as well as importance and priority in combating the coronavirus and contributing to the development of the annual report this year, as they did in previous years.

We would like to convey our heartfelt gratitude and appreciation to the Secretary General and Deputy Secretary General for their consistent direction and supervision. Without their cooperation, this report would not have been possible.

Sincere thanks to the P&D-PMER team for their direct involvement in determining the content of the Annual Report, quality control, details of activities and selection of photographs.

Last but not least, the report, published by the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society on its accomplishments in the field of human welfare throughout the year 2021, will be used as a memento and institutional memories, particularly for the implementation of humanitarian support services such as post-disaster relief and disaster risk reduction programs. On behalf of the Society, we would like to convey our sincere gratitude and appreciation to the Annual Report Editorial Committee.



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Acronyms and Abbreviations

A2I	Access to information	KOICA	Korea International Cooperation Agency
ACR	Annual Confidential Report	MCH	Maternal and Child Health
ANC	Ante Natal Care	MEI	Microeconomic Initiatives
BDRCS	Bangladesh Red Crescent Society	MP	Member of Parliament
CBHFA	Community-based Health and First Aid	MRRO	Myanmar Refugee Relief Operation
CDC	Community Development Committee	NDRT	National Disaster Response Team
CDIMS	Central Data and Information Management System	NDWRT	National Disaster WASH Response Team
CDMC	Community Disaster Management Committee	OD	Organizational Development
CDRT	Community Disaster Response Team	OPD	Outpatient department
CEA	Community Engagement and Accountability	OSV	Other Situation of Violence
CGI	Corrugated Galvanized Iron Sheet	PASSA	Participatory Approach for Safe Shelter Awareness
CHAST	Child Hygiene and Sanitation Training	PDM	Post Distribution Monitoring
COVID-19	An infectious disease caused by a newly discovered coronavirus (according to WHO)	PFA	Psychological First Aid
CPP	Cyclone Preparedness Program	PGI	Protection, Gender and Inclusion
CRM	Complaints and Response Mechanism	PHAST	Participatory Hygiene and Sanitation Transformation
CVA	Cash & Voucher Assistance	PIC	Project Implementation Committee
DC	Deputy Commissioner	PMO	Population Movement Operation
DPStock	Disaster Preparedness Stock	PNC	Post Natal Care
DREE	Disaster Response Exchange & Exercise	PNS	Partner National Society
DRM	Disaster Risk Management	PPE	Personal Protective Equipment
DRR	Disaster Risk Reduction	PSEA	Protection from Sexual Exploitation and Abuse
EcoSec	Economic Security	PSS	Psycho-Social Support

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Condolences

We extend our heartfelt condolences to the Red Crescent Family's esteemed current and former Volunteers, Red Crescent Youth Volunteers, Annual Members, Life Members, Unit Executive Committee Members, Former Chairman, Former Secretary-General, Managing Board Members, Officials, and Staffs who died in 2021.

We commemorate their contributions to the Red Cross and Red Crescent movements with gratitude and earnestly pray for the forgiveness of their departed souls, while also extending our heartfelt sympathies to their bereaved family members.

Strategic Plan 2021-2025 at a Glance

‘Strengthening transformations for better humanitarian action’



Vision

To strengthen leading role as a humanitarian organisation by mobilizing the power of humanity



Mission

The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, a volunteer-based humanitarian organisation, endeavours to prevent and reduce human sufferings and save and improve lives of the most vulnerable and marginalised groups by providing effective and efficient services through mobilising resources in emergencies and normal time.

3 Goals

4 Strategic Hubs

5 Transformations

6 Humanitarian Challenges

7 Service Sectors

Strategic Goal 1

Enhance capacity to contribute towards saving lives from disasters and crises with a view to reducing adverse impacts through building resilient communities

Strategic Goal 2

Improve access to quality health services for safe, dignified, and healthy living.

Strategic Goal 3

Transformed into a strong National Society.



Specific Objective 1.1

To strengthen organisational capacity at all levels to prepare for fastest and effective response to the people affected by disasters and emergencies.

Goal 1



Specific Objective 1.2

To build a resilient community in rural and urban settings for effective preparedness and efficient response capacity on multi hazards, climate induced phenomena and other humanitarian emergencies.



Specific Objective 3.1

To improve the overall management systems and facilities for efficient and accountable service delivery.



Specific Objective 2.1

To improve organisational and community capacity to prepare for and respond to health emergencies.

Goal 2



Specific Objective 2.2

To enhance the functionality of the health institutions for better access and utilization by vulnerable people.

Goal 3



Specific Objective 3.2

To promote volunteerism, social inclusion, protection humanitarian values and International humanitarian law.

Achievement



Life members
83,346



Active RCY volunteers
10,102



Project implemented
32












Service Map of BDRCS



Provided health services- 10,18,436 people

Personal protective equipment (Musk, gloves, PPE, sanitizer, soap)- 120,88,449

-  Blood Bank
-  Warehouse
-  Emergency Response
-  Eye Hospital
-  MCH Hospital
-  General Hospital
-  MCH Center
-  Long term development and resilience project.
-  Holi family medical college Hospital

Introduction

The Annual Report 2021 has been prepared based on the accomplished activities of BDRCS 17 departments, 68 branches and its institutions, and it is aligned with BDRCS SP 2021-2025 three goals and specific objectives. Basically, this annual report is a significant document that summarizes the Society's operation all activities for the year 2021.

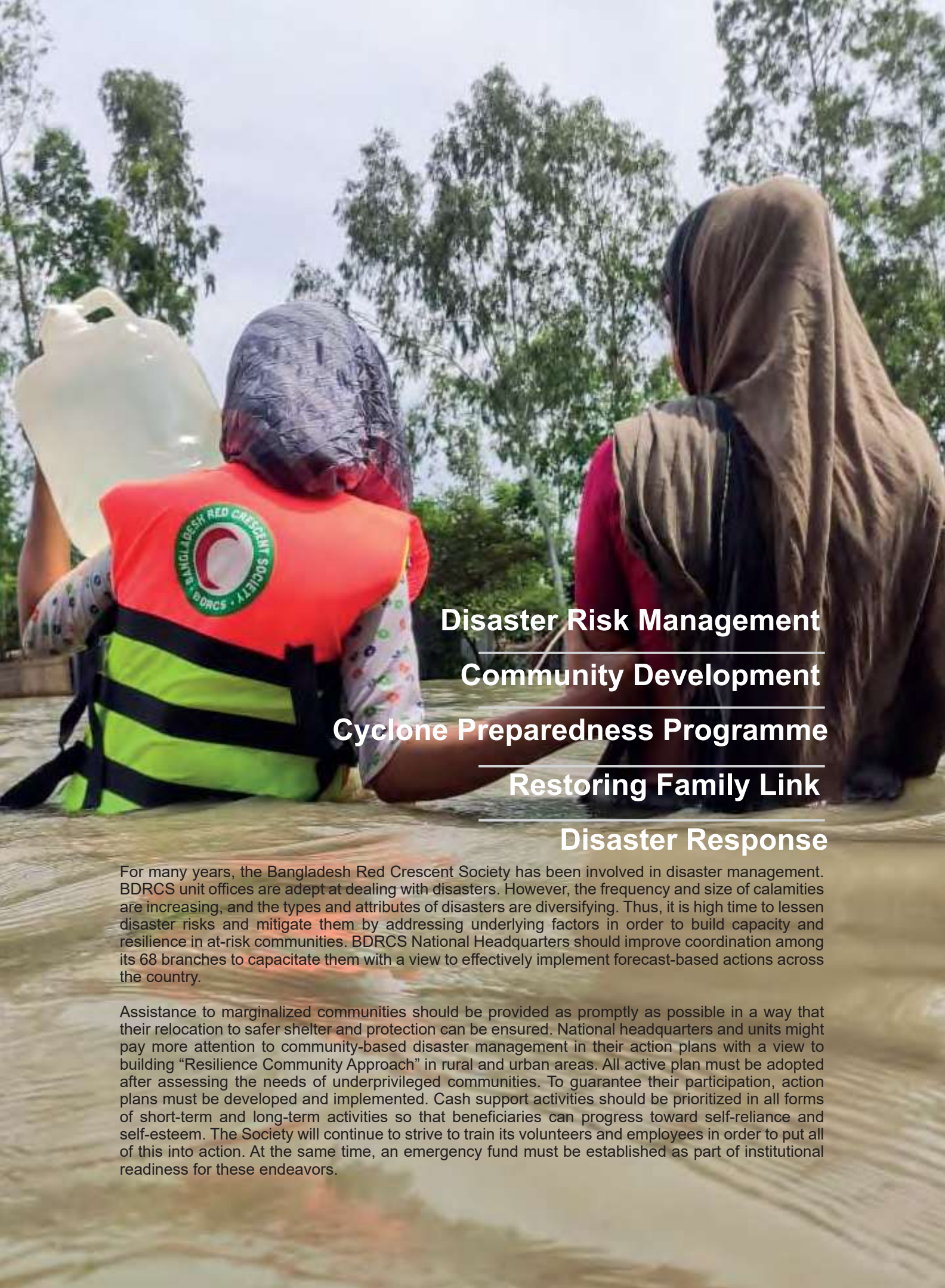
Bangladesh is one of the world's most climate-vulnerable and disaster-prone countries. Cyclones, droughts, tsunamis, tornadoes, earthquakes, river erosion, water logging, rising water levels in rivers and soil salinity all are common occurrence in the country. The Bangladesh government has identified all of them as natural hazards. Aside from these factors, earthquake susceptibility is increasing in both urban and rural areas as a result of unplanned urbanization, migration, population density and unsafe building construction. On the contrary, fires, road accidents, and launch capsizes occur often. Natural and man-made disasters and their consequences are increasing the number of deaths, depleting resources, and turning people's lives and livelihoods upside down.

To deal with the recurring disasters, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (BDRCS) has been working with the Bangladesh government for a long time by providing emergency relief and rehabilitation assistance.

Apart from the emergency rehabilitation program, the BDRCS is working relentlessly to improve disaster preparedness and disaster risk reduction, with the goal of minimizing long-term vulnerability in accordance with the Red Cross Red Crescent seven fundamental principles.

This report highlighted the activities undertaken to provide humanitarian assistance to those afflicted by the global COVID-19 pandemic, particularly the involvement of Red Crescent Youth (RCY) volunteers in the government's COVID-19 vaccination campaign. Apart from this, the report covers the activities of the Population Movement Operation (PMO) and the Myanmar Refugee and Relief Operation (MRRO) in Cox's Bazar for forcibly displaced people from Myanmar.

Finally, this report will provide a clear idea about BDRCS activities which was implemented based on operational plan 2021 as well as gives an impression of BDRCS achievement in 2021. This resourceful information will help to increase the Society's image.



Disaster Risk Management
Community Development
Cyclone Preparedness Programme
Restoring Family Link
Disaster Response

For many years, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has been involved in disaster management. BDRCS unit offices are adept at dealing with disasters. However, the frequency and size of calamities are increasing, and the types and attributes of disasters are diversifying. Thus, it is high time to lessen disaster risks and mitigate them by addressing underlying factors in order to build capacity and resilience in at-risk communities. BDRCS National Headquarters should improve coordination among its 68 branches to capacitate them with a view to effectively implement forecast-based actions across the country.

Assistance to marginalized communities should be provided as promptly as possible in a way that their relocation to safer shelter and protection can be ensured. National headquarters and units might pay more attention to community-based disaster management in their action plans with a view to building “Resilience Community Approach” in rural and urban areas. All active plan must be adopted after assessing the needs of underprivileged communities. To guarantee their participation, action plans must be developed and implemented. Cash support activities should be prioritized in all forms of short-term and long-term activities so that beneficiaries can progress toward self-reliance and self-esteem. The Society will continue to strive to train its volunteers and employees in order to put all of this into action. At the same time, an emergency fund must be established as part of institutional readiness for these endeavors.

Disaster Risk Management Department

The Disaster Risk Management Department identifies disaster and climate change risks in many areas of the country and aims to develop essential community-based readiness and capacity building through the implementation of appropriate projects/programs and interventions. By implementing the following projects/programs, the department has reached key milestones in lowering hazard risks and vulnerabilities in 2021:

Project / Program Name	Partner / Donor	Area of Implementation
Coastal DRR Program	American Red Cross	Patuakhali, Bagerhat, Khulna, Cox's Bazar
Integrated Resilience Programme (IRP)	Swedish Red Cross	Jamalpur
Integrated Flood Resilience Programme (IFRP)	IFRC, MoFA (Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Republic of Korea)	Nilphamari and Lalmonirhat District
Economic Empowerment of Rural Women (EERW)	Kuwait Red Crescent Society	Nilphamari
Forecast based Financing (FbF)	IFRC, German Red Cross and World Food Program (WFP)	11 Flood prone districts and 13 coastal districts
V2R Urban Programme	British Red Cross	Barishal

Coastal Disaster Risk Reduction Program

The major working areas of the program are outlined below:

- To develop disaster ready communities through undertaking necessary initiatives related to disaster risk reduction and implementation of programs.
- Implementing forecast-based actions to mitigate the potential damage to vulnerable community in accordance with the Early Action Protocol before a cyclone strikes at the communities.
- Increase the capacity of community, as well as local and national stakeholders to prepare, respond and coordinate the necessary services.
- Enhancing the climate change adaptation capacity of community people living in areas exposed to potential risks and threats.
- Capacity building and enhancement of activities being carried out by the Cyclone Preparedness Program (CPP).
- Strengthen organizational development initiatives of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society as well as enhancing the disaster response system in the coastal districts.

Significant Achievements of Coastal Disaster Risk Reduction Program in 2021

- 1565 women were imparted 9 days training on vegetable farming, poultry and cattle rearing and fish farming in their homestead courtyards. At the end of the training, each of them received BDT 4500/- totaling BDT 7,042,500/- provided for investing in relevant income generating activities.
- 600 CDRT volunteers were trained on first aid, disaster management, and leadership development while 515 CDMC members were trained on leadership development in disaster management.
- Provide orientation to local administration, local government, and media personnel on the Standing Order on Disaster - 2019.
- Construction of community meeting centers has been completed in five communities. As a result, community meeting centers will be used for disaster management and all other social activities of the people concerned.
- Twelve Trainings were organized on Community Engagement and Accountability (CEA) and Feedback and Complaint Response Mechanism (FCRM). A total of 500 Community Volunteers and 24 Community Organizers were briefed about their roles and responsibilities.
- 50 community organizers are provided with the necessary skills development training which enabled them to successfully playing a leading role in providing insights into disaster management, climate change and the Red Cross Red Crescent to members of small community groups under the Coastal DRR program.
- 25000+ people have been provided with basic insights into disaster management, climate change, COVID-19, and the Red Cross Red Crescent through various small groups in the community being supported by the program, which will help them respond to the disaster response activities.

- 210 Red Crescent Youth volunteers from 23 districts have been assisted by the Disaster Response Department of the Society for Basic Disaster Response Training which will contribute to the enhancement of the Society's response capacity.
- 100 UDRT members from Bagerhat, Patuakhali, Khulna District and Khulna City Red Crescent Unit have been trained on search and rescue.
- The Department of Youth and Volunteers and the CPP have been assisted to reward 701 Red Crescent Youth volunteers and 106 CPP members for their outstanding contributions to the humanitarian work.
- Before the cyclone YASH landfall, dry food and safe drinking water were distributed among the people at risk who got accommodated in 45 shelter centers through this program.
- Disaster management and first aid training has been provided to 31 volunteers of CPP and Red Crescent Youth.
- Coastal DRR program has expanded its activities at Paikgachha Upazila of Khulna district and subsequently recruited 2000 volunteers as the 42nd Upazila to expand the activities of CPP. Out of them 1991 volunteers four days basic skills development training, 100 unit team leaders received leadership training and 2000 volunteers training on rescue, personal safety equipment, first aid, and signal dissemination materials that will play a significant role in addressing the various risks posed by climate change.
- In preparation for the natural disasters, 30 VHF sets have been provided to keep the CPP's high frequency and very high frequency stations operational.

Special Activities of Coastal DRR program as part of COVID-19 Response:

Safety Gears and Other Logistics	Quantity	Safety Gears and Other Logistics	Quantity
Anti-bacterial Soap for Hand Wash	38,000 pcs	Disinfectant Spray Machine	50 pcs
Reusable Masks	50,000 pcs	Safe Drinking Water Distribution	25,400 liters
Surgical Masks	50,000 pcs	General goggles and medical goggles	1550 pcs
Hand Sanitizer	20,648 pcs	Personal Protective Equipment	500 pcs
Hand Gloves	500 pairs	Set of IV saline (1000 ml)	3008 pcs
Paddle Bin	150 pcs	Oral Saline	175,000 pcs
Bleaching Powder	200 kgs	1.5 Volt Battery to CPP	15000+ pcs



Photo: Beneficiary List Observation



Photo: Training for BDRCS and CPP Volunteers

Integrated Resilience Program (IRP)

Project Name : Integrated Resilience Program

Key Project Activities : Disaster Risk Reduction, Climate Change Adaptation, Livelihoods, Shelter, Water, Sanitation and Hygiene(WASH), and Community Capacity Building.

Project Location : 4 communities at two different Union Parishad namely Noarpara (Tartapara, Majibari), Parthoshi Union (Muradabad and Sharishabari) under Islampur Upazila of Jamalpur district.

Project duration: Three years (2018 to August 2021). Project Partner Name: Swedish Red Cross.

Significant Achievements of IRP Program in 2021:

- Various types of meetings such as PIC Monthly Meeting (8), CDRT Bi-monthly Meeting (12), Women Group quarterly meeting (8), UDRT Bi-monthly meeting (3), Staff coordination meeting (6), Special needs self-help group meeting (24), Annual activity assessment and planning meeting (1), workshop on PWD inclusion in IRP activities (1), Child safety and anti-trafficking workshop for CDMC, CDRT members and Community Organizers (2), First aid and fire safety training (1), awareness raising courtyard sessions and necessary supporting equipment distribution for PWDs (128).
- Out of the selected beneficiaries, 5 have been provided training on masonry and carpentry along with subsequent financial assistance, 7 have been provided training on TV/mobile repair and subsequent financial assistance, 9 have been provided financial assistance for livelihood development by purchasing boat and fishing net, 12 received poultry business training and other 12 received training on small business while all of them received financial assistance for running those business. In addition, 20 persons with disability received training and financial assistance for income generating activities.
- Construction of WASH blocks in 2 schools and ramp in the district social welfare office as well as repairing of 2 bridge/culvers have been completed in 2 communities.
- 2225 students at different schools have received learning materials and 54 CDMC members received financial incentives as an encouragement for humanitarian services.
- DRR training for UDMC members (2), workshop for local stakeholders at upazila level (1), stakeholder meeting on livelihood programs (1), and stakeholder meeting on WASH programs (1).
- BDT 145000 has been provided for reforming emergency relief fund in each of the 4 communities under IRP program.
- As part of COVID-19 response initiative, programs have been carried out such as miking, hand washing, hygiene kits distribution, torch light and whistle, and activation of complaint response mechanism (CRM).

Economic Empowerment of Rural Women (EERW) Program

Project Name : Economic Empowerment of Rural Women (EERW)

Key Project Activities : Economic empowerment through income generation and reduction of gender-based violence by creating employment for marginalized and disadvantaged women.

Project Location : Economic empowerment of 841 women members in a union of Sadar upazila of Nilphamari district and capacity building of 280 stakeholders of this upazila is being implemented.

Project Duration: : Two years and three months (October 2019 to December 2021)

Noteworthy Achievements of EERW Program in 2021

- Different types of meetings like PIC monthly meeting(12), monthly staff coordination meeting (6), work area inspection by PIC (4), Day celebration such as International Women's Day, Begum Rokeya Day, International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction, women's group/ forum meeting at ward level (84), union level women's group / forum meetings (4).
- At the upazila level, three gender and sexual violence prevention trainings were conducted where 119 people participated out of which 87 were women and 32 were men.
- Awareness raising sessions on Gender and Sexual Violence Prevention at family level conducted through 184 courtyard meetings where 841 women members participated. In addition, awareness activities on Gender and Sexual Violence Prevention for officers and volunteers conducted through a training.
- End line evaluation has been carried out after completion of the program implementation.
- There have also been four market linkage workshops on livelihood development, 9 revolving fund formation and 36 revolving fund / savings enhancement meetings, 21 corona virus prevention awareness activities and 12 consultation / complaint response strategy (CRM) meetings conducted at the project's area of intervention.



Photo: Nursery of female entrepreneur who is a project beneficiary

Forecast-based Financing Program (FbF)

Project Name: Forecast-based Financing Program (FbF)

Key activities of the project: Providing orientation to government officials, BDRCS and CPP volunteers. As well as taking action in advance based on the forecast.

Area of operation of the project: 14 coastal districts, 11 districts along the Jamuna river belt, and Dhaka city.

Project duration: 2015 to 2022

Project Partner Names: German Red Cross, IFRC, American Red Cross, and Swiss Red Cross.

Significant Achievements of the FbF Program in 2021:

- Based on the flood forecast, a total of 22,803 people participated in Manikganj, Rajbari, Sirajganj, Tangail, Kushtia and Kurigram districts out of which 11,137 were women, 11,524 were men and 142 were special needs.
- Beneficiaries have been involved in extensive activities such as flood warning campaigns, video screening of Google flood warning messages, evacuation of people and livestock, houses and other resources by boat and distribution of food to the flood affected families.
- Orientations on the following topics were provided to the Unit Executive Members of Cyclone Prone branches of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, CPP Officers and Volunteers and Red Crescent Youth Members in two batches.
- A total of 794 persons divided into 16 batches in 8 districts were imparted training in the different subjects where Red Crescent Society unit executive members, staff, RCY members and government officials took part.
- Based on the heat wave forecasts, the following activities have been implemented in three wards of Dhaka South City Corporation where a total of BDT 886,500/- has been distributed to 197 families at the rate of BDT 4500/- per family. As well as disaster warnings through miking, and distribution of leaflets were carried out. A feasibility study have also been published on the implementation of heat wave forecasting activities.
- Bangladesh Water Development Board (BWDB), Google, A2I, and Bangladesh Red Crescent Society jointly launched digital way for flood forecasting and warning system.
- To speed up forecast based financing activities, Bangladesh Red Crescent Society UK-Met Department, Red Cross Climate Center, Bangladesh Meteorological Department provided online training to 50 staff comprising government officials, Red Crescent officials, field level meteorological department officials for six days who works in the coastal districts that poses severe cyclone risks.
- Based on Hurricane Yash's forecast, 20,000 families in ten coastal districts have been provided with dry food, warning messages through miking, while people, livestock and birds have been evacuated to safe shelter centers.
- The Society's FbF activities have been highlighted in various forums at national and international level, such as the Asia-Pacific Dialogue Platform, Early Action Protocol (EAP) Evaluation Sessions, Asia Pacific Dialogue Platform Urban Disaster Session, Anticipation Hub Conference, UN OCHA's Evaluation of Flood 2020 etc.

Integrated Flood Resilience Program (IFRP)

Project Name: Integrated Flood Resilience Program

Key Project Activities: Disaster Risk Reduction, Climate Change Adaptation, Livelihoods, Shelter, Water Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH), and Community Capacity Building.

Location of the Project Activities: 2 communities in Dimla upazila of Nilphamari district and 2 communities in the Sadar upazila of Lalmonirhat district.

Project duration: Three years (2018 to June 2021).

Project Donor Name: Ministry of Foreign Affairs of the People's Republic of Korea.

Significant Achievements of IFRP Program in 2021:

- Various types of meetings such as PIC Monthly Meeting (10), CDMC Monthly Meeting (24), CDRT Monthly Meeting (16), UDRT Bi-monthly Meetings (5), BDRCS IFRC and KOICA Quarterly Coordination Meeting (2), BDRCS and IFRC Project Management meeting (5), At the family level 192 courtyard meetings were held on sharing early warning messages, and disaster preparedness.
- Conducted 8 health camps on a quarterly basis at the community level as part of the healthcare support program reaching 496 marginalized people (391 women, 99 men and 6 special needs).
- Out of the selected beneficiaries, 60 have been provided financial assistance for construction of hygienic latrines, 12 have been provided training on computer application and mobile repair and subsequent financial assistance for running the business, 29 have been provided training and financial assistance for livelihood development.
- At nine union parishad areas, quarterly Union Disaster Management Committee (UDMC) meetings have been held. Besides, the World Handwashing Day has also been celebrated.
- BDT 1 lakh has been provided for developing an emergency relief fund in each of the 4 communities under IFRP.
- One tree has been planted in each of the selected 1,675 houses. Apart from this, two boats have been provided for emergency rescue work in two different communities.
- Final evaluation has been conducted after completion of the program implementation timeline.
- Four lessons learnt sharing workshops have been conducted at community levels and one workshop at BDRCS National Headquarter.
- A total of 1947 people (1169 women, 761 men and 17 persons with disability) participated in 21 coronavirus awareness programs.

UKAML Project Barishal

The project, funded by UKAID-Match, is being implemented by Bangladesh Red Crescent Society on a field level in 16 communities under 8 wards of Barisal City Corporation with the technical assistance of British Red Cross (BRC).

Significant Achievements of UKAML Program in 2021:

- The source of income has been created by providing cash assistance of BDT 2,500/- among each of the selected 23,500 beneficiary families.
- Livelihood and Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) activities have been conducted especially for the economic development of women and alleviation of poverty. At the same time, the most vulnerable and most marginalized groups of the society (women, children, the elderly and the persons with disability) have been included as the beneficiaries of the project.
- According to the annual plan of action of the project, various types of meetings have been organized in the project area, such as project induction, courtyard meeting, women squad, CDRT and CDMC meeting, and monthly coordination meeting.
- Other activities of the project include community level quiz competitions, COVID-19 preparatory household survey, livelihood and disaster risk reduction workshops for community organizers, Health Education and Social Affairs related household survey, workshop on Community Engagement and Accountability (CEA) for the community organizers has been organized.

Community Development Department

The Community Development (CD) Department of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has been implementing four projects to improve the lives and livelihoods of the underprivileged tribes and ethnic minorities in three districts of the Chattogram Hill Tract (CHT) region and Cox's Bazar district. The projects are 1) Economic Security (EcoSec) CHT, 2) Economic Security (EcoSec) Cox's Bazar and 3) Water Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) in CHT, and 4) Vulnerability to Resilience (V2R) Cox's Bazar. The achievements of this department in the year 2021 are outlined below.

The following activities have been implemented under the EcoSec CHT Project:

- 614 beneficiaries (340 females 274 males) were selected from 13 communities as part of the livelihood development activities at the project area. A total of BDT 19,455,000/- were distributed among the beneficiaries where each family received 30,000 BDT. Besides, technical training was imparted to 23 beneficiaries.
- In the three hill districts, 1456 financially affected families due to lack of income in COVID-19 pandemic, received a total grant of BDT 6,552,000/- is provided at the rate of BDT 4,500/- per family. Apart from this, 624 beneficiaries received training on cropping and vegetable gardening in the courtyards while 598 others have been imparted livestock rearing training.
- CDC meetings and five coordination meetings have been held in the community under livelihood activities in the project area.

Activities Implemented through the ECOSEC Cox's Bazar Project

- In Teknaf, 213 individuals for Micro Economic Initiatives (MEI) and 539 individuals for food production were selected as beneficiaries who subsequently received financial grants.
- A community development committee has been formed for livelihood activities in the project area.
- 3 coordination meetings of Project Implementation Committee (PIC) and one monthly planning meeting have been held.

Activities Implemented through the CHT-WASH Project

- 300 latrines, 16 tubewells and four ring wells have been installed in the project area while 113 tubewells have been repaired. Besides, construction of 6 tubewells and pipelines has been completed.
- In the project areas, different trainings were provided to the beneficiaries such as Participatory Hygiene and Sanitation Transformation (PHAST), Search and Rescue, Children Hygiene Sanitation and Training (CHAST), sanitation marketing, and Tubewell maintenance training for tubewell supervisors.
- In the project community, 577 sets of hygiene kits have been distributed. In addition, chlorine solution powder, mop and other supplies have been provided to 31 hospitals in the three hill districts under the Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) Project.
- In the project community, 6 CDC meetings, 3 coordination meetings of the project implementation committee, 3 stakeholder coordination meetings, 44 courtyard sessions have been completed.
- Water Sanitation and Hygiene Inspection of 731 households completed, 1660 Hygiene Kits were distributed as well as Hand Washing Day was observed in the project area.

Activities Accomplishments through V2R Cox's Bazar Project

- In the first phase, a total of 503 households in 10 communities have been provided hygienic single offset pit latrine assistance through a survey of the project area. In the second phase, a total of 538 hygienic single offset pit latrines have been provided to 6 communities. And as the groundwater level in the other three communities is quite high, the process of installing twin pit latrines has started there. A latrine has already been set up experimentally in Dakshin Para.
- Training has been provided to 18 masons from seven communities and concerned COs and CDMC members for monitoring the installation of sanitary latrines.
- A total of BDT 15,769,000/- financial assistance has been provided to 1186 families in one installment of BDT 3000/- and 1163 families in three installments of BDT 10,500/- each time. In addition, 12 varieties of vegetable/plant seeds have been distributed to 2,510 families in 10 communities considering the nutritional needs of families during winter season.

- 180 households have been provided with LPG gas cylinder stoves to address the energy crisis and ensure low-cost fuel supply.
- Over a period of total 20 days activities undertaken including miking and distribution of leaflet, stickers and roman banners at each community in two phases to spread the COVID-19 awareness messages. In addition, a total of 300 courtyard meetings have been organized on proper hand washing and raising awareness against COVID-19 infection.
- A total of 29,790 face masks were made, nine for each of total 3310 families in ten communities under the project intervention area. 28 women beneficiaries of the V2R project who are also skilled in sewing took part in this process. As part of the Cash for Work initiative, a total of BDT 479,360/- was paid for this task where each of them received 17,120/- Taka.
- 10 Community Organizers have received two days training on Gender Awareness, Community Participation and Accountability, and facilitating sessions at communities. In addition, one session on gender-based violence was conducted with CDMC and women's groups in each of the 10 communities.
- Through the household survey, 1181 beneficiaries were finally selected for unconditional financial assistance. And a total of BDT 12,000/- unconditional cash grant is underway in three installments. In each community there are two (one at the entrance and one at the exit) maps of resources and risks in the form of billboards are set up.
- Likewise every year, on 13 October of this year, the V2R project, in conjunction with the local administration, celebrated International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction where activities such as rally, discussion meetings, and firefighting mock drills aimed at raising awareness were arranged.

No. of Participants (women and men) engaged in the above mentioned projects activities under the Department of Community Development in 2021:



Photo: Beneficiary of Livelihood Support



Photo: Cash assistance under Eco-Sec Project

Cyclone Preparedness Programme

As a joint program of the Government of Bangladesh (GoB) and the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, the Cyclone Preparedness Program (CPP), which has been already functioning with immense global recognition as a role model for disaster management, has been working successfully in the coastal areas of Bangladesh. The major disaster management pursuits being carried out through this program includes early warning, evacuation, search and rescue, first aid, relief and rehabilitation in case of cyclone and storm surge across the coastal belt of Bangladesh.

There are 7 regional offices under the control of the Head Office of the Cyclone Preparedness Program (CPP) situated at Moghbazar in Dhaka district. Under the regional offices, there are 42 Upazilas in 13 Coastal Districts. 365 Unions and 3801 Units are there under the Upazila Offices. Recently, gender equality has been adopted in the CPP volunteer structure. At present, 20 people are deployed (10 women and 10 men) as volunteers in each unit. Every unit has five working divisions, namely (a) signaling and publicity, (b) shelter, (c) search and rescue, (d) first aid and (e) humanitarian relief assistance. There are 4 volunteers (2 men and 2 women) working in each of the aforementioned department. The Ministry of Disaster Management and Relief of the Government of Bangladesh has received the "United Nations Public Service Award 2021" in the category of "Gender Responsive Services" in recognition of the CPP's women empowerment initiative in 2021. Notable accomplishments of CPP in 2021 are presented below:

Training and Meetings of Volunteers and Staff

- A total of 26177 volunteers (13090 women and 13089 men) have been trained through the capacity building activities at 655 centers under 42 upazilas of the cyclone preparedness program.
- An information-rich volunteer database of all CPP volunteers has been prepared with an updated total of 76,140 data (38070 women and 38070 men).
- This year 14 signaling devices have been provided in 13 upazilas where 19,590 volunteers are working.
- Throughout this reporting year, a total of 4,100 people participated in the disaster preparedness rally while 41,000 volunteers took part in the mock drills in 41 upazilas with an equal participation of men and women.
- A total of 113 people have received this year's Best Volunteer Award, of which 84 are CPP volunteers, 20 are from other organizations, 6 are retired volunteers and 3 are entrepreneurs.
- In 2021, a total of 103 meetings of 41 Upazila Committees and 730 meetings of 355 Union Committees were held where the members of the committees were present.
- On the occasion of the 50th anniversary of the CPP, a special mock drill was organized in Cox's Bazar where 4,000 volunteers participated directly which was witnessed by approximately 25,000 local people. About 21,000 volunteers including Hon'ble Prime Minister from Ganobhaban, Hon'ble Minister of State of MoDMR from Osmani Memorial Auditorium, other Hon'ble Ministers including Secretaries, MPs, Chiefs of the three defense forces, senior government officials and senior officials from Cox's Bazar witnessed the event online.
- On behalf of the Prime Minister, the Hon'ble State Minister of MoDMR conferred "Lifetime Achievement Award" to 9 volunteers at a function organized at the Osmani Memorial Auditorium on the occasion of 50th anniversary of CPP.
- A total of 6 employees from CPP have been awarded the Integrity Award.


Activities of projects under the department

- Under the Coastal Disaster Risk Reduction Project, CPP activities have been expanded in Paikgachha upazila of Khulna district where 2000 new volunteers have been recruited in 100 units of 10 unions. This year a total of 200 volunteers have been trained in 5 batches in Sharankhola, Kalapara, Paikgachha from the project.
- A joint venture between CPP and Action Aid has provided training on women leadership and prevention of violence against women to enhance the skills and empowerment of women volunteers where about 8,000 volunteers have been trained.



Restoring Family Link Department

The significant activities of the Restoring Family Links Department in the year 2021 include tracing of missing individual in the country and abroad, collection of search forms, updating information about foreign detainees, exchange of family messages, jail visits and services to the detainees, searching/ tracing for the missing person, organizing various meeting and workshop, screening documentaries, organizing meeting at the field level to exchange views, conducting orientation for relevant authorities. The summaries of all these activities are given in the below table:

	
At a glance the activities and accomplishments of the RFL Department in the year 2021	
Tracing of missing individuals and exchange of family messages	Seminar for exchange of views, training, orientation and various other services
Family message exchange with 470 (151 female, 319 male) missing persons (through RCM form)	Service provided to 259 individuals (75 female, 184 male) through the hotline number established in Cox's Bazar
Tracing initiatives undertaken to trace missing persons (180 female, 462 male and 8 persons with disabilities) through 642 tracing forms.	A day-long workshop about services to the detainees and migration, and a meeting to share and exchange views with different Ministries of the Government of Bangladesh and Jail Authorities about RFL services.
Red Crescent Messages were exchanged with 64 foreign detainees (12 female, 52 male)	Created mass awareness of RFL services among 7033 participants through organizing 16 different events of screening documentaries.
Family links were restored with 114 missing persons (28 female, 86 male) and their families.	70 RFL committee members (16 female, 54 male) from 68 Units and National Headquarters were trained on RFL.
Red Crescent Messages were exchanged with 64 foreign detainees in different Jails and liaised with the relevant Embassy in order to expedite the repatriation process of one foreign detainee.	RFL training was provided to 27 RCY volunteers (6 female, 21 male) of Cox's Bazar Red Crescent Unit.
The information about the whereabouts of detainees was communicated to the 299 families of those detainees among which 28 are female and 271 are male.	Workshops were organized with 160 representatives of Government Departments and Educational Institutes (34 female, 126 male) to accelerate RFL services in 8 Units of the BDRCS.
Jail visits were conducted in 13 districts and 307 (10 female, 297 male) foreign detainees were met during the visits.	Database was updated with the information of tracing initiatives of 640 missing individuals (tracing form) and family message exchange (RCM form).

In the month of November 2020, 42 individuals living in the camp of Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals in Cox's Bazar were trapped by the traffickers and were on their way to cross the Bay to migrate to Malaysian through an Engine-driven boat. From the start of the journey, they were traceless for many days. The National Headquarters of the Society and the RFL team of the Cox's Bazar Red Crescent Unit collected the names, addresses, and contact numbers of the families of those missing persons. Afterward, the Society, with the support of ICRC, communicated with the RFL team of the Malaysian Red Crescent Society. Later on, it was revealed that the missing persons first stayed in a temporary camp in Langkawi of Malaysia called "Camp Waosan IDC" and afterward they were shifted to "IDC Sangai Bikap and Bidare" in June 2021. Bangladesh Red Crescent Society informed all these updates to the family members of all those missing persons and followed by continued communication and information sharing about the RFL services.

Disaster Response Department



31,955 individuals received Hygiene Kits, 5,950 pcs of Tarpaulin distributed, 2,880 pcs of mats distributed, 500 pcs of CGI sheets distributed



11,720 individuals infected by COVID-19 virus were reached through Ambulance Services, 22,810 individuals reached through Oxygen Cylinder service.



BDT 1,250,077,500 were distributed among the 277,795 most-affected families as a part of multi-purpose cash distribution. Besides, 1,925 families were supported through Cash for Work activities.



4,750 households received support of latrine construction and other WASH related services.



97,500 families received face masks, 16,000 hand sanitizer, 2195 pcs of the Pulse Oximeter, 1825 PPE set, and 8,000 mosquito nets under the health care service program.



459250 packets of emergency dry food, food package and cooked food and Ramadan Food packages were distributed across the country as a part of the emergency response as well as regular services of the Society.



30,350 pcs of Blankets were distributed among the cold wave struck poor and marginalized families.



13,780 families were provided support for the creation of livelihood opportunities.



1,438 families were provided support for the reconstruction of shelters that were damaged by the disaster.

Below are the updates of various project and response operation programs completed under the Disaster Response Department:

COVID-19 Response Operation

Food Package Distribution

- Food packages have been distributed among 27,200 families through 68 Red Crescent Units with the support of Qatar Red Crescent and a Taiwan-based NGO.
- Cooked food has been distributed among 167,850 individuals through 19 Red Crescent Units with support from IFRC.
- Ramadan Food packages have been distributed among 16,000 families affected by COVID-19 pandemic in 7 Red Crescent Units.

Cash grant distribution

- With the support of IFRC, a total of Taka 9,715,000 was distributed in 11 Units of BDRCS among 3,886 families at a rate of Taka 2,500 for each family who had their livelihood/ source of income affected due to COVID-19 pandemic.
- With the support of the Danish Red Cross, an amount of Taka 13,500,000 was distributed in 3 Units of BDRCS among 3,000 women-headed families at a rate of Taka 4,500 for each family who had their livelihood/ source of income affected due to COVID-19 pandemic.
- With the support of the Swiss Red Cross, an amount of Taka 37,000,000 was distributed among the Slum dwellers in Narayganj and Gajipur City Corporation area. Each family received Taka 10,000 which was distributed in two phases.

Ambulance service

- Emergency Ambulance service was provided to 2,344 COVID-19 infected patients through 21 Ambulances in 21 Districts with the support from IFRC.

Oxygen Cylinder service

- With the support of IFRC and ICRC, emergency Oxygen services were provided to 4,562 COVID-19 infected patients across the country by providing 740 units of Oxygen concentrators, 512 units of oxygen cylinders, 12 units of the high-flow nasal cannula in 68 Units of the Society, and the MCH centers, Hospitals, Blood centers operated by the Society.

Distribution of Oximeter and personal protective equipment

- 439 units of oximeters were distributed in 68 Units with the support from IFRC and ICRC
- 365 units of PPE were distributed in 23 Units of BDRCS
- 19,500 pcs of Masks were distributed in 21 Units of BDRCS
- 3,300 pcs of Hand Sanitizer were distributed in 17 Units of BDRCS
- Nebulizers were distributed in 21 Units of BDRCS

Cyclone Arphan Response Operations

- A total amount of Taka 11,250,000 was distributed with the support of IFRC in 3 Districts (Khulna, Satkhira and Bagerhat) among 2,500 affected families with a rate of Taka 4,500 for each family.
- A total amount of Taka 1,500,000 was distributed among 300 families who have special needs at a rate of Taka 5,000 for each family.
- 200 Bundle of CGI Sheet were distributed among 100 families of Dakop Upazila under Khulna District.
- Food package and hygiene parcel was distributed among 4,000 families in 4 Districts with the support from HSBC Bank.

Cyclone Amphan Recovery Operation

- A total amount of Taka 6,250,000 was distributed among 250 families of Sutakhali Union of Dakop Upazial under Khulna District. Each family received Taka 25,000 as a cash grant support for livelihood development.
- Under the food for work activity, a total amount of Taka 1,200,000 was distributed among 150 families at a rate of Taka 8,000 for each family. The cash was transferred in two installments.
- A total amount of Taka 10,000,000 (one crore) was distributed among 250 families in a rate of Taka 40,000 for each family as a cash grant support for the construction and repairing of their houses.
- A total amount of Taka 4,500,000 was distributed among 250 families at a rate of Taka 18,000 to each family as a cash grant for hygienic latrine construction and repair.
- 3,000 tree saplings have been distributed among 500 families.
- A total amount of Taka 2,500,000 was distributed among 250 families at a rate of Taka 10,000 as a cash grant support for procuring a water tank for rainwater harvesting.
- Life Jackets as part of life-saving equipment were distributed among 250 individuals.

Cyclone Yash Response Operation

- A total amount of Taka 45 lakh was distributed in three districts (Patuakhali, Barguna, and Bagerhat) among 1,000 families at a rate of Taka 4,500 for each family with the financial support from IFRC.
- A total amount of taka 2 lakh 50 thousand (Tk. 250,000) was distributed among 50 families with special needs at a rate of Taka 5,000 for each family.
- A total amount of taka 16 lakh (1,600,000) was distributed among 200 families from Patuakhali and Barguna District as a part of Cash for Work activities. Each family received taka 8,000 in two installments.
- Dry food was distributed among 9,500 cyclone affected families of Bhola, Barguna, Patuakhali, Pirojpur, Bagerhat, Satkhira and Khulna Districts.
- Tarpaulin and hygiene parcels were distributed among 1,000 families of Bhola, Barguna, Patuakhali, and Pirojpur districts.

Flood Response Operation

Activities implemented under 2019 flood recovery operation

- A total amount of Taka 90 lakh (tk 9,000,000) was distributed among 250 families of Tangail and Sirajgonj District at a rate of Taka 18,000 to each family as a cash grant for construction new or repair of hygienic latrine.
- Cash grant of taka 25,000 was distributed to one family of Tangail District for livelihood development. In addition, a total amount of taka 1 lakh (100,000) was distributed among 5 families of Sirajgonj district with taka 20,000 to each family as a part of “Model Livelihood” activity. The with cash grant for livelihood, vegetable cultivation through hydroponics method was piloted and hands on training was provided among the program participants on cultivation of cattle fodder. The activities were replicated by the other participants/beneficiaries of the project.



Flash flood 2021 response

During 20-22 October 2021, the Tista river basin especially in the Lalmonirhat, Rangpur, Nilphamary, and Kurigram Districts was inundated by a sudden flash flood. Cash grant was distributed among the 1,000 most affected families of three Unions under Hatibandha Upazila of Lalmonirhat Districts. A total amount of taka 45 lakh (4,500,000) was distributed among 1,000 families at a rate of taka 4,500 to each family.

Qurbani Meat Distribution

With the financial support of the Turkish Red Crescent, Qurbani Meat was distributed among the poorest and COVID-19 affected families. 10,000 families of Dhaka, Chattogram, Cox's Bazar, Jheniadah, Magura, Patuakhali and Barguna districts received 2 kg Qurbani meat each.

Bhasanchar Operation

An influx of about 1.2 million Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals crossed the border and take shelter in the makeshift camps in Cox's Bazar in 2017. The Government of Bangladesh has constructed the necessary infrastructure in Bashanchar to relocate the Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals living in Cox's Bazar. Later on, the relocation of Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals into Bashanchar had formally started in December 2020. The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society was requested by the Government of Bangladesh to provide humanitarian assistance to the Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals living in Bashanchar. In this connection, non-food items such as hygiene box, dignity kits, home dustbins, seeds etc. were distributed among 1,200 relocated Myanmar nationals with the support from IFRC. In addition, 856 Myanmar Nationals living in Bhashanchar and 278 local Bangladesh Nationals were supported to get COVID-19 vaccines.

The other supports and assistance provided are given in the below table:

Sl No.	Name of activity	# of Units distributed in 2021
1	First Aid kits distribution	144 set
2	Food package distribution	3251 food package
3	Hygiene kits distribution	1700 packets
4	Mosquito nets distribution	2400 pcs
5	Blood grouping campaign	2000 individuals
6	Jerry cans distribution	500 pcs
7	Sleeping mats distribution	1200 pcs
8	Dignity kits distribution	500 pcs
9	Blankets distribution	1000 pcs
10	Water purification tab. distribution	60564 pcs

Training and workshop

For capacity development of Officials, Volunteers and Community members, the Disaster Response Department of the Society organized various training and workshop throughout the reporting year. The significant training and workshops include a). Training on First Aid and Search and Rescue (194 staff and volunteers), b). National Disaster Response Team (NDRT) training (60 staff and volunteers), c). National Disaster WASH Response Team (NDWRT) training (30 staff and volunteers), d). Unit level emergency WASH training (60 persons), e). Basic Response Training for Facilitators and UDRT (222 individuals), f). Cash Strategy and Cash SOP Write-shop (75 staff and volunteers), and g). Menstrual Hygiene Management (30 individuals).

BDRCS – Swiss Red Cross Urban Empowerment and Resilience Project

- On-set double chamber latrines were constructed for 37 families
- Handwashing basins were installed for 400 families living in Slums
- For solid waste management, two temporary MRF were installed. 94.5 tons of compost fertilizer were produced from those solid waste management plants. Besides, 15 Bins were constructed at the community level.

COVID-19 recovery project of Swiss Red Cross

- A total amount of Taka 1,375,000 was distributed among 275 adversely impacted families from COVID-19. Each of the 275 families received taka 5,000 cash grant.
- A total amount of taka 3,000,000 was distributed among 200 small traders/ business owners who were affected by COVID-19 pandemic. Each of the business owners was given taka 15,000 cash grant.
- In addition, in order to provide rapid emergency assistance during disaster, the information was collected from all families 8 Unions under Fulchari Upazila of Gaibandha District.

E-WASH Project

30 thousand pieces of IEC materials containing 8 types of messages on mass awareness raising were distributed under the E-WASH project funded by Japan Red Cross. Besides, initiatives were taken to distribute 350 menstrual hygiene management (MHM) kits as a part of emergency relief.

Respond to small and medium scale disasters

- In order to facilitate providing immediate emergency assistance during any disaster in 8 Coastal Districts, 50 pcs tarpaulin, sleeping mat, mosquito nets were distributed as a part of emergency Disaster Preparedness (DP) stock.
- Tarpaulin, Hygiene Parcel, Kitchen set, dignity kits were distributed among 15 families affected by fire incident in Cumilla Districts.
- Hygiene Parcel and Mosquito Nets were distributed among 176 affected families from fire incidents across Dhaka city.
- A total amount of Taka 1 lakh 25 thousand (1,25,000) was distributed among the 25 affected families of violence and fire incidents.

Myanmar Refugee Relief Operation (MRRO) Program

- With the support of UNHCR, the Society has been implementing Myanmar Refugee Relief Operation (MRRO) program in Cox's Bazar. The major activities of the program include distribution of Core Relief Items – NFI & LPG among the Forcibly Displaced Myanmar Nationals living in the camps, cash grants distribution among the host community members who have been affected due to the influx of people and their accommodation, and reducing humanitarian risks through disaster risk reduction activities.
- The Society in the year 2021, with the financial support from UNHCR, had provided humanitarian assistance by distributing relief items among 5,00,000 refugees from 1,00,000 families including the Rohingya Refugees who arrived during the recent influx.

From the MRRO Program, the Core Relief Items Distributed in 2021 among 92,500 refugee families include the following:

Sl No.	Name of items	Number of Unit/ Number of Beneficiaries
1	LPG distribution and re-filling	868,402 Unit
2	Compressed Rice Husk (CRH) distribution (20 kg)	4028 families
3	WASH Hygiene Kit	7109 families
4	Dignity kit	22,3392 individuals
5	Sleeping mat	5144 families
6	Blanket	8175 families
7	Tote Bag	711,613 pcs
8	Bathing soap	7131550 pcs
9	Laundry soap	3565775 pcs
10	Mosquito nets	68922 pcs
11	Kitchen/ cooking set	5164 families
12	Solar lamp	6339 families
13	Aqua tab	13085200 tablets
14	Mask	501604 persons
15	Umbrella	175215 persons
16	Tie-down kit	87,808 persons
17	Bed cover	157430 pcs

Cash Grant Distribution:

- In 2021, among the affected local host communities under Cox's Bazar Sadar, Maheshkhali and Kutubdia Upazilas, a cash grant of taka 2500 was distributed through BKash among 15,038 families.
- Besides, various Disaster Risk Reduction activities were undertaken under the MRRO program in 2021. Organizing training on Disaster Preparedness and Emergency Response was the most significant one of those various activities. In addition, there was training on sensitization about early warning, fire safety, landslide/ hill slides, and floods. A total of 1201 participants participated in those training. At the camp level, training for Disaster Management Unit was one of the important training where 400 participants participated. In addition, training on Fire Fighting was organized in 16 camps through which 8750 participants were able to increase their knowledge and awareness.
- In 2021, temporary accommodation was arranged for the newly arrived 1077 families in the transit center and facilitated the relocation of 1072 families.



The Population Movement Operation (PMO)

Bangladesh Red Crescent Society under its Population Movement Operation (PMO) has been providing health, medical, nutrition, shelter, drinking water, sanitation and hygiene management services to the forcibly displaced Myanmar Nationals living in the make-shift camps in Ukhiya and Teknaf Upazila of Cox's Bazar district. Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, with the overall support from IFRC, 11 Red Cross Red Crescent partner National Societies, is currently working in 16 camps and 4 Unions to provide humanitarian assistance to 200,000 forcibly displaced Myanmar Nationals and livelihood development support to 60,000 host community members.

Health and Medical Treatment support services are provided through a Field Hospital, a COVID-19 Isolation and Treatment center, 5 Primary Health Care Center (PHC), and 7 Health Posts. Alongside of services from static centers, the services are also provided at the doorsteps of the people living in the camps through CBHF and community-based outreach activities. Psychosocial services are provided from all health centers as well as from 3 Psychosocial Service Centers in the 1st and 2nd phases. Construction work of the Mother and Child Health Center in Teknaf Upazial has been recently completed. In addition to Health and Medical Treatment services, the Society is operating four distribution centers, two Fecal Sludge Management Plant, and two solid waste management plants inside the camps.

The relief items distributed in 2021 are given in the below table:

Sl No	Name of Program/ Activity	Total program participants/ number of beneficiaries (in 2021)
1.	Health and medical treatment facilities, psychosocial services and community mobilization	395502 person
2.	Cash grant distribution (Taka 36418500)	8093 families
3.	LGP Gas Cylinder and refill cylinder	5677 families
4.	Food parcel	6897 families
5.	Ramadan Food Parcel	55055 families
6.	Non-food items distribution	615 packets
7.	PASSA Training	250 participants
8.	Shelter construction of host communities	135 families
9.	Shelter kit distribution (Tarpaulin, Rope Tie Down Kits etc.)	7000 sets
10.	Mid-term shelter construction	6021 units
11.	Protection, Gender and Inclusion (PGI) services	101,117 persons
12.	Disaster Risk Reduction (DRR) and Cyclone Preparedness Program (CPP)	10814 persons
13.	Cyclone Preparedness Program (CPP)	11,871 persons
14.	Daily safe drinking water distribution	45,000 persons
15.	Disaster Risk Reduction Program (Local Host Communities)	5307 persons
16.	Disaster Risk Reduction Program (People Living in Camps)	10804 persons
17.	Emergency Response (Dry food distribution among affected families from fire incident and flash flood due to heavy rain, cloth distribution among children – five pcs each and relocation)	87321

As a part of Water Sanitation and Hygiene (WASH) programs, the Society provided safe drinking water services, water network system construction, shallow tube-well (27 unit) installation, repair and maintenance of deep and shallow tube-well/ water points (1310 units), water tap stand installation (45 unit) and repair (86), latrine construction (941 units), bathing cubicle construction (32 units), bathing cubicle repairing (669 units). Besides, hand-washing basin construction (941), hygiene kits distribution (5821 sets), hygiene top-up kits (92,888 sets), and personal protective equipment were distributed.

Under the Health, Medical treatment, psychosocial support (PSS) and community mobilization programs, there is the Field Hospital, Primary Health Care Centers (PHC), Health Posts (HP), Psychosocial Services (PSS) and Community based Health and First Aid (CBHFA) activities.

As a part of COVID-19 response program, 7057 individuals received medical treatment services from Outpatient Department (OPD), indoor IDP, treatment for COVID positive patients, sample collection and lab testing etc. In addition, the major activities implemented under COVID-19 Community Mobilization Program include COVID-19 awareness-raising message dissemination, raising awareness on maintaining physical distance, using face masks, regular hand washing as well as referral to the IITC for symptomatic cases.

As a part of Protection Gender and Inclusion (PGI) activities services were provided through the Dignity Access and Participation (DAPS) centers among 100,815 individuals (Female-51,515 and male-49,300). In addition, 8 capacity development training, 200 sessions on positive parenting, and awareness-raising message dissemination sessions on GBV, SGVB, PSEA, and COVID-19 were conducted and a total of 72,548 individuals attended. The other PGI activities include referral case management services, post hygiene kits distribution sessions, committee formation, and awareness-raising on anti-trafficking, child protection, sexual harassment and violence, protection at family and in the society, PSEA, COVID-19 etc. Awareness messaging about how to use the dignity kits during the distribution of Dignity Kits, PGI mainstreaming workshop, etc. were organized.

Community Engagement and Accountability (CEA) activity include 70 community Radio Listening programs, two meetings with Imam and Majhis, information sharing about COVID-19 and services of BDRCS through 17,341 outreach activities, training on CEA to 15 staff and community-based volunteers, services provided to 4527 individuals through Feedback and Information centers, 82 community consultation sessions for selection of beneficiaries, 125 community meetings and 60 orientation sessions on CEA at the community level.





Health Service Holy Family Red Crescent Medical College and Hospital Blood Programme

Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (BDRCS) is well-known throughout the country for its health-care institutions, blood centers, and maternal and child health facilities. BDRCS is also recognized for its emergency health services during disasters. The organization is also working to gradually improve the quality of health services by focusing on quality improvement, social inclusion, and capacity building in order to deal with changing disaster and health-risk scenarios. Simultaneously, effort is being done to increase the skills of volunteers and staffs so that they can work for people to live a safe, dignified and healthy life.

Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (BDRCS) is attempting to develop the institutional capacity of health-care institutions. Emphasis has also been laid on strengthening the financial capacity of institutions so that healthcare can continue to be provided to marginalized communities. Health care for the most vulnerable communities is one of the key components of disaster risk reduction. In this regard, learning and experiences are being used to formulate integrated operational plans of the organization.

BDRCS has been attempting to develop the institutional capacity of healthcare institutions. Simultaneously, preparations have been completed to manage all of BDRCS's health care institutions using a sustainable management system.

Health Service Department

The health service department of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has been working to improve healthcare quality and meet the needs of children and mothers. Like last year, in 2021 the health department undertook various activities and offered services through various hospitals, and maternity and children's healthcare centers located across the country during the coronavirus emergency.

Furthermore, the department has been working to restore mental health and psychosocial well-being that has been affected by natural disasters and other crises. Aim to these, BDRCS implementing variety of programmes, including emergency healthcare, maternal and child mortality reduction, first aid and infection prevention, and psychological support in COVID-19 situations.



Providing maternity services and postnatal services to pregnant women:

17,107 Pregnant Women Covered through Ante Natal Care (ANC)

Pathology test for pregnant women
8,499

Normal Safe Delivery
4,402

Post Natal Care (PNC)
4,410



Support for Health Education and Family Planning, Immunization, and psychosocial support

Family Planning Services for
11,272 people

Expanded Program on Immunization (EPI) for
14,764 children

Health Education Sessions, Reached
60,656 people

Health Counseling for
15,373 people

Psychosocial Support for
4,312 people



Providing Services Through Healthcare Centers:

Providing Healthcare Through Maternity Hospitals for 1,39,716 people

Providing Treatment Through Various Hospitals and Outdoor Clinics for 42,719 people

Providing Medical Treatment Through Medical Team or Camp for 14,733 people

Providing Treatment Through Eye Hospital for 25,366 people

Successful activities of the Health Department:

- The Shaheed Mayazuddin Matri Sadan Centre is being renovated as part of the society's health department initiatives. Furthermore, the department renovated 10 mother and child health clinics and provided medical equipment to 35 mother and child health centers.
- 66 midwives were trained in reproductive health, maternal health, newborns, children, and adolescents to increase the quality of care at maternal child health centers. This initiative aims to improve the quality of service provided by MCH centers.
- The health department is playing an important role to support for treatment of COVID-19 infected patients in this year. Providing safety and awareness training for volunteer and distribution of health safety items such as masks, gloves, sanitizers, and soaps etc. were distributed by the COVID-19 programme of this department.



COVID-19 Response of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society -

The following activities implemented in 2021 under the project are: Providing awareness training on COVID-19 to staff and youth volunteers at the national headquarters, 5 million alcohol pads were handed over to civil surgeons and chief health officers in 64 districts and 4 city corporations of the country. In addition, 3.76 million masks and 60,000 hand sanitizers have been distributed. A total of 1,561 volunteers took part in various events (547 females and 1014 males).

Institutionalization of Mental Health and Psychosocial support of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society

As part of the project intervention in 2021, the following actions were carried out: providing training in psychological first aid (PFA); stress reduction sessions were implemented along with Self-care sessions for employees and youth volunteers have been held. Additionally, World Mental Health Day is also observed. 1838 people (662 women and 1176 males) took part in 41 different activities.

Cox's Bazar Health Care Project -

The following activities has been carried out in the year 2021 under the Project: Ensured supply of safe drinking water through water treatment plants, disposal of general and infectious waste of the hospital through the medical waste management site and arrange hospital cleaning campaign, Delivering healthcare and medical care to 2,25,075 persons, along with the recruitment of one emergency medical officer and two senior staff nurses for the field hospital.



Holy Family Red Crescent Hospital

Various programs were implemented in 2021 under the initiative of Holy Family Red Crescent Hospital, including the commemoration of International Mother Language Day, the birth anniversary and martyrdom anniversary of the nation's father, Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman, and the celebration of Independence Day. Furthermore from that, improved food distribution and incentive programs for hospital employees have been carried out on the occasion of the holy Eid-ul-Fitr and the holy Eid-ul-Adha.

Successful activities implemented this year:

- The following are the hospital's development and modernization efforts undertaken this year with the financial support of numerous institutions:
- On the upper roof of the hospital's food department, a full-fledged hall room has been constructed.
- In the hospital, a modern RTPCR lab serving as a corona detection unit has been established and commissioned.
- In order to provide medical facilities to the admitted more critical patients, an additional five beds have been added to extend the existing ICU of the hospital and provide necessary oxygen supply line connections and medical equipment.
- A new generator with a capacity of 500 KVA, funded by the American Embassy in Bangladesh, has been supplied and installed at various locations throughout the hospital to ensure an uninterrupted supply of electricity. A modern washing machine for cleaning the clothes used by patients and 05 water purifying machines have also been supplied and installed.
- A 36-bed specialist clinic was set-up on top of the hospital's radiology department to provide particular treatment to kidney patients.
- As part of the nephrology department's modernization project, two hospital wards were renovated and modernized.



Holy Family Red Crescent Medical College

In the academic year 2020-2021, 145 students have been admitted to MBBS programs at Holy Family Red Crescent Medical College. There are 690 students enrolled in the college, with 111 of them being international students. Every academic year, 7 and 2 students, respectively, are offered the opportunity to study for free in MBBS and BDS programs through the poor and talented quotas. Aside from that, it is worth noting that three students are admitted each year under the independence fighters' quota, and 45 percent (excluding reserved seats) are admitted to medical colleges under government rules.

Dental Unit: Approval has been obtained to admit 40 students per academic year by increasing the number of seats in the Holy Family Red Crescent Medical College Dental Unit. At present, a total of 130 students are studying BDS courses out of which 5% of student are getting the opportunity to study free of cost as per government rules.

Hostel for Female Student: 50 female students are accommodated on the sixth floor of the academic building, and lodging for around 410 students, both new and old, is given. To improve the living amenities for female students, a 15-story modern and international quality student hostel building is being built with government funds by PWD.

Library: A modern library with all facilities for academic studies in class and hospital has been set up in the basement of the college building. Where about 4,000 books/journals of the latest edition preserved with internet connectivity.



Holy Family Red Crescent Nursing College:

The following activities have been completed in 2021 under the Holy Family Red Crescent Nursing College:

- The process of publishing the notification and submitting the application form and sending the application form along with the BDRCS file for the appointment of principal, vice-principal, assistant professor and lecturer of nursing college has been completed.
- In order to complete the formal recruitment process under the regulation of Dhaka University, the application has been processed to hon'ble vice-chancellor for the nomination as principal appointment committee, 2 (two) members and 1 (one) member of teachers of the recruitment committee.
- According to the regulations of the University of Dhaka, an application has been submitted to the Hon'ble Vice-Chancellor for the nomination of two members for the appointment committee of Principals and one member for the teacher's recruitment committee.

- The notification for the admission of 40 students to the continuing Bsc in Nursing (4 years) course and 70 to the diploma in nursing science and midwifery (3 years) programme was published in the national daily newspaper for the session 2020-2021.
- With the expiration of the term of the governing body for the management of the college, the application process has been done for the re-constitution of the 2nd Governing Body for nomination, along with the name of the Hon'ble Chairman to the Vice-Chancellor of Dhaka University.
- In 2021, after the publication of advertisements (internal) for the two ongoing courses in the college, as an admission process, the distribution, acceptance, verification, selection of forms is completed by completing the health check-up on the pre-determined date.
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- In addition to the aforementioned initiatives, various activities of college were performed like in-person classes for students, online classes, and government-mandated batch-based examinations being conducted.



The Blood Program

The BDRCS Blood Programme is actively trying to meet 10% of the country's total blood or blood component demand through a total of 8 blood centers across the country and a sub-center located at the Holy Family Red Crescent Medical College Hospital. The Blood Programme encouraged voluntary blood donors to donate blood and organized volunteer blood collection programs in the Society's 68 branches with the assistance of youth volunteers.

As a result, in 2021, a significant number of people across the country are contributing to the meeting of the national blood needs by donating blood selflessly in the society's blood program.

In the current year, 58,145 bags of blood and blood components have been collected and 69,746 bags of blood and blood components have been distributed.

The details of blood collection and distribution of various centers under blood program in 2021 are as follows.

Blood Center	Total Collection	Distribution		
		Whole Blood	Blood Component	Total
Red Crescent Blood Center, Dhaka	12,303	3,422	17,698	21,125
Fatima Begum Red Crescent Blood Center, Chattogram	13,050	12,279	1,085	13,364
Mujib Jahan Red Crescent Blood Center, Sylhet	22,898	16,145	8,821	24,966
Ahad Red Crescent Blood Centre, Jessore	5,211	5,211	198	5,409
Begum Tayyaba Majumdar Red Crescent Blood Centre, Dinajpur	2,498	-	-	2,715
Red Crescent Blood Center, Natore	1,613	-	-	1,613
Red Crescent Blood Centre, Rajshahi	171	170	-	170
Ashiya Khatun Memorial Red Crescent Blood Center, Magura	401	384	-	384
	58,145	37,611	27,802	69,746

Successful activities implemented this year:

- In collaboration with the Australian Red Cross and IFRC, the Australian Government's grant has been used for the purchase of blood bags, Apheresis Kits, Rapid Test Kits for Anti HBsAg, Anti-HCV, Anti-HIV, Syphilis, Malaria Parasite, Freezer for FFP equipment for the Mohammadpur Blood Center.
- Additionally, the American Red Cross is assisting with the purchase of several types of blood bags.
- Blood and blood bags are being delivered to hospitals serving Rohingya refugees in Cox's Bazar and Bhashanchar.
- About 10,000 bags of blood for thalassemia patients, about 3,000 bags of platelets for dengue patients and FFP have been provided on emergency basis at Sheikh Hasina National Burn Institute.



The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (BDRCS) is undergoing some of changes as an organization. Some of these altered circumstances are internal, while others are external. These transformations are putting pressure on management day by day to remain relevant to the changing conditions and to make the BDRCS capabilities well-refined, expanded, and timely.

This twenty-first century, with its attendant problems, resolutions, and changes, is an excellent lesson for everyone. This learnings has pushed the organization to become more organized and self-sufficient.

It wishes to collaborate with all members of the Red Cross and Red Crescent movement in order to achieve the goal of working for the organization's development in the coming years. Human resource development, logistical development, unit development, information technology development, youth and volunteer development are at the center of this development strategy. Economic self-sufficiency, transparency and accountability, and long-term sustainable development activities are the major drivers of these development strategies.

All units, including volunteers, officers, and employees, as well as the management board, are working on developing action plans while keeping the overall development program and its objectives in mind.



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Training Department:

The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society's Training Department, as it does every year, has delivered numerous trainings to national and international institutions, as well as its own volunteers and employees, in order to create a skilled population in 2021. Furthermore, the BDRCS Training Department performed training under several projects with the assistance of partner organizations. In 2021, a total of eight trainings were conducted and these significant trainings are:

- First aid training.
- First aid and search and rescue training.
- First aid and fire safety training.
- Early concepts of first aid.
- Refreshment training in first aid.
- Trainer training.
- Search and rescue training.
- Fire drill.

The skills and capabilities of volunteers, including Society employees, were enhanced as a result by participated in this training. In addition, training is organized for employees from various organizations based on demand. An evaluation session is prepared for the participants at the end of the training to check the applicability of the knowledge obtained. The assessment results show that the knowledge received from the program was beneficial to the participants.

Participants got an early awareness of fire safety and learned how to use fire extinguishers while participating in both search and rescue training and fire exercises.



Planning and Development Department

Strategic Plan of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society 2021-2025

The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society's 6th Strategic Plan 2021-2025 was unveiled in the presence of the Society's Honorary Chairman Major General (Retd) ATM Abdul Wahab, with the overall guidance of the Society's Governing board members and under the coordination of Planning and Development department.

Honorable members of the Society's Governing Board, representatives of the concerned Ministries of the Government of the People's Republic of Bangladesh, representatives of various embassies located in Bangladesh, representatives of the IFRC, ICRC, representatives of In-country PNSs working in Bangladesh, Directors of all departments of the Society, and officials of various levels of the Society were present.

The process of preparing Bangladesh Red Crescent Society's 6th Strategic Plan 2021-2025 was presented in the first session. Later, in accordance with the Society's 2021 Action Plan, a session was held on the successes of distinct steps and the likely action plan for 2022, during which the directors of various departments of the Society presented their departments' achievements and future plans.



Write shop on Strategic Plan 2021-2025

In order to wrap up the finalization process of the strategic plan 2021-2025, 68 units, movement partners, and officials at all levels completed the systematic method, and above important, the writing shop was arranged with the involvement of members of the Governing Board. Various adjustments and recommendations were reviewed and incorporated into the strategic plan, which was presented and approved at the Managing Board meeting no 269 on March 15, 2021.

Governance Orientation for new members of the Society's Board of Management

A workshop on Governance Orientation was held on June 27, 2021 under the initiative of the Planning and Development department under National Society Development for the new members of the Society's Governing Board (Ad Hoc Committee). The orientation was briefed in detail about the International Red Cross Red Crescent Movement, the activities of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society and its objectives and the new strategic plan of the Society 2021-2025. Members of the Ad Hoc Managing Board, including the Chairman of the Society, and representatives of IFRC, ICRC were presented in this orientation session.

Network Red: Sessions from BDRCS

The Planning and Development Department hosted a Branch Development session through the Lens of Branch Development Capacity Assessment (BOCA) and focused on the Strategic Planning Process and our Agenda for Renewal, One NS One NSD Plan in three sessions on December 6-8, 2021 on behalf of the Society. In those sessions it was highlighted various branch development activities of the National Society Development (NSD) to the global level virtually.

Solidarity fund

For the first time, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society solidarity fund has been founded by the Movement Partners and with the financial support of various projects in order to overcome any undesirable loss (accident, illness, hospital treatment, death, and other relevant damages that can be financially supported) while engaging (On-duty) in the activities of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society for the volunteers and staffs from all levels of the society. The Fund's establishment was overseen by the Planning and Development department.

Federation Wide Data and Reporting System (FDRS) 2020

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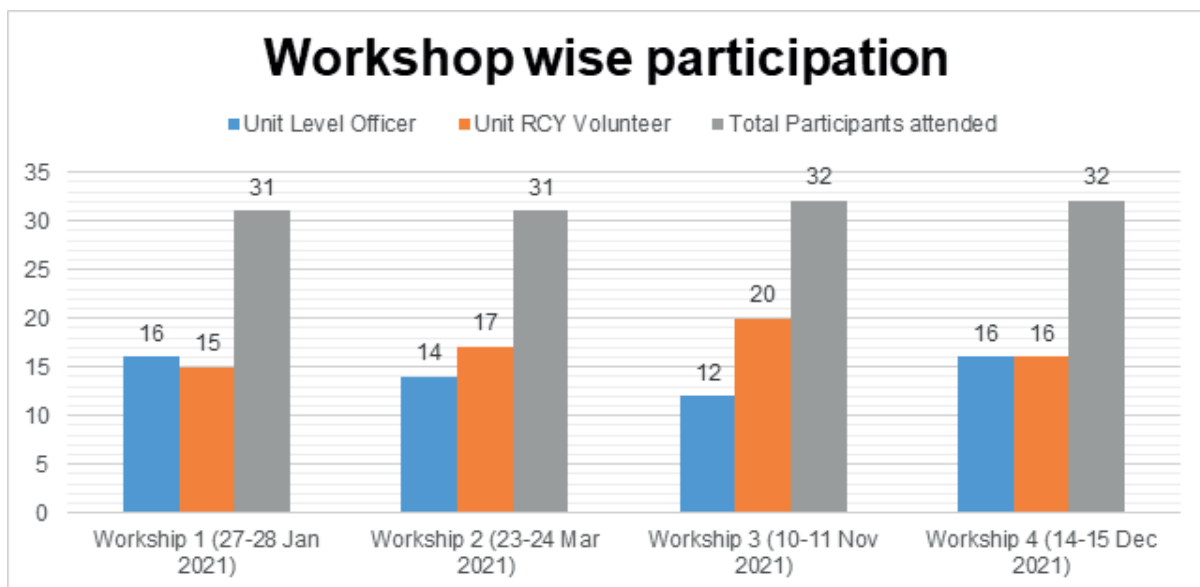
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Effective Skill Development (Supply of ICT Equipment to National Headquarters/Units):

ICT equipment, such as 17 All in One Desktop Computers, 7 Laptops, 17 Printers, 17 Scanners, 2 Multimedia Projectors, and so on, is provided to various departments and units of the National Headquarters through the National Society Development Initiatives (NSD Initiatives) to ensure digitalization at all levels of the Society.

Central Database and Information Management System:

This year (2021), four 2-day workshops on Bangladesh Red Crescent Society's Central Database and Information Management System (mis.bdrccs.org) were held in the National Headquarters training room of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society under the initiative of Planning and Development department to achieve digitalization objectives of Bangladesh Red Crescent Society's Strategic Plan 2021-25. (mis.bdrccs.org). Through these workshops, all 68 units' unit-level officers and volunteers from each unit are trained on CDIMS and various important topics of data collection and analysis (Kobo toolbox, Google form, Microsoft Excel). By this initiatives units can regularly upload and updated information on life members, number of volunteers, and other unit activities to the Central Database.



Sex Worker's Health & Livelihood Support (SWHLD) project has been pre-evaluated:

The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society (BDRCS) launched a project titled Sex Worker's Health & Livelihood Support (SWHLD) in 2021 with financial support from The China Red Cross, which is being implemented by the Planning and Development Department, to improve the health and livelihood of sex workers in Rajbari's Daulatdia community. A pre-assessment was performed as part of the inception efforts to analyze the overall scenario and observe the vulnerability situation in this community.

The pre-assessment examines the general context of the most underprivileged parts of the community's situation of occupation, such as the type of the livelihood, the social environment, and the availability of health care services. After reviewing the overall scenario and observing the ground reality, it is expected that promoting awareness about health, cleanliness, and sanitation, as well as assessing the feasibility of alternative livelihoods for this community, could improve their quality of life.



German Red Cross supported SDSC Project:

Under the German Red Cross Supported Strengthening DRM Structures and Capacities of BDRCS (SDSC) project, various school-based activities related to disaster risk mitigation and first aid were held in Dhaka district, Chittagong district, Noakhali, Barguna, Netrokona and national headquarters in 2021. The Planning and Development Department is coordinating with the Society's Youth and Volunteers, DRM, Department of Human Resources and Administration and the German Red Cross to implement the activities.

ICRC Supported Organizational Development Project:

The ICRC OD Project supports a total of eight Red Crescent units, including Kishoreganj, Satkhira, Khagrachari, Bandarban, Chapai Nawabganj, Rangamati, and Cox's Bazar. The capacity of the units in Satkhira and Champainawabganj was assessed by the initiative of this project. The project has achieved the following key achievements:

- 5,000 youth Red Crescent Youth volunteers of the Society are paid a global insurance premium for a period of six months.
- Under the duty of care, BDT 10,000 was paid to each of the 43 corona-affected Red Crescent youth volunteers who were on duty in COVID-19 response activities, and 13.5 lac taka was paid as risk allowance to the employees working across the country who performed their duties at risk during the pandemic situation.
- Apart from this, 3 lac taka has been provided from the project to Solidarity Fund formed to serve the Unit Executive Committee and Red Crescent Youth volunteers as they involved in the COVID-19 related activities through the risk
- A total of 90 people was trained in first aid and search and rescue in three batches in Sylhet, Kishoreganj, and Satkhira units with the participation of Red Crescent youth volunteers from the unit, and "First Aid, Search and Rescue Trainer Training" was held at the CCDB Hope Centre in Savar with the participation of 30 Youth Red Crescent volunteers from Rangamati, Khagrachari, and Cox's Bazar units.
- Oximeters were provided at all (56) of the countrywide maternity and child health (MCH) centers, as well as dopplers and nebulizers provided at 21 of MCH. In addition, COVID-19 response program of the society's provided oxygen services and cooked food, as well as ambulances, for three months in Satkhira and Champainawabganj.
- Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), as well as search and rescue equipment, has been handed to the Satkhira, Champainawabaganj, and Chittagong City Units to ensure first aid and emergency services during disasters. The project has granted salaries and allowances to the office assistants of Sylhet, Kishoreganj, Satkhira, and Champainawaganj units in 2021 in regard to demand.
- A total of BDT 1 crore has been allotted from the project for the construction of pre-fabricated buildings at the national headquarters.

Information about participants in training/workshops organized through Branch Development Project in 2021		
Unit Working Committee Orientation	28	62
Unit Working Committee Orientation	00	00
Basic orientation of the Red Cross Red Crescent of volunteers	29	71
Training of Trainer	07	23

Planning Monitoring Evaluation and Reporting

- In order to properly implement the Strategic Plan 2021-2025 of the Society, all activities have been performed to prepare the Annual Plan 2022 (Operational Plan 2022). Some improvements to the yearly plan template (result-oriented) have been made based on previous years' experience, and progress tracking techniques have already been developed to make the plan systematic and result-focused.
- Technical support is provided in the formulation of strategic plans for various PNS based on demand, so that the partners' country strategies are aligned with the Society's strategic plan.
- Post Distribution Monitoring (PDM) has been carried out in a systematic approach for the simulation of a heatwave under the Forecast Based Early Action (FbF) operation. A PDM report is prepared based on the field assessment, and the recommendations are communicated to management by this report.
- Technical support is provided to the project team in developing the project monitoring tool.
- A project evaluation, flood response activities, and cyclone response activities were done as part of the PMER section's regular activities. The evaluation results are already being shared at different levels.
- As in the previous year, weekly and tri-monthly reports released by highlight the overall status of COVID-19 operation of the BDRCS in terms of effective management. A three-monthly report on the departments' regular activities is also published. The English version of the Society's Annual Report 2020 has been made available. In addition, the Society's Annual Report 2021 was written and published after a process of planning, communication, data collecting, compilation, and refining.

Youth and Volunteers(Y&V) department

The BDRCS' Youth and Volunteer department, as a volunteer-based humanitarian organization, performs its activities through youth volunteers every year, in addition to the department's regular activities it has carried out several activities based on plan to combat the corona virus. Among the noteworthy programs are:



COVID-19 activities

For the prevention of COVID-19, simultaneous public awareness initiatives, mask distribution, immunization schedule, distribution of cooked food, distribution of oxygen, and ambulance services have been provided in all units of the country. About 4,200 active volunteers were involved in the program.

About 510 volunteers have provided assistance in vaccination programs and vaccination registration and crowd control in 20 centers of the capital and 45 wards of North City Corridor under the government's COVID-19 vaccination program.

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A session on data control in the Data Online Security App was held for volunteers in order to register the residents of the Karail slum in the capital. Subsequently, the volunteers provided service to the slum people. This workshop drew 36 volunteers, 14 of whom were women and 22 of whom were men.

Support was provided to the National Head Quarters RCY volunteers in order to support COVID-19 patients by providing oxygen cylinders, controlling and preventing infection, risk communication/community engagement, and COVID-19 vaccination as part of the response to COVID-19 in unserved areas of Bangladesh.

BDT 10,000 was provided to COVID-19 affected RCY volunteers under duty of care. In addition, an excursion and team-building session were organized for the volunteers who participated in the COVID-19 vaccination campaign to help manage their stress.



Voluntary blood donation campaign



Non-remunerated blood donation campaigns were organized at different sites throughout the capital on different significant days. A workshop on blood donation was also held, with an award presented to the highest blood donor in order to encourage people to donate blood.



Disaster response

In four fire incidents, 94 RCY volunteers (56 females and 38 males) assisted the fire service force and civil defenses.



Provided first aid service

RCY volunteers provided service to the people on International Mother Language Day, the West Indies Tour of Bangladesh tournament, a picnic organized by Bandhu 85 Dhaka University, Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman's 100th birthday, the Ireland Tour of Bangladesh tournament, and the Bangabandhu 5th Central South Asian Artistic Gymnastic Championship.

Youth chief workshop:

Likewise, the past years, youth chief workshop was organized in 2021 where 80 RCY volunteers attended from 68 branches across the country. Out of 80 volunteers 08 were female and 72 were male. Through this workshop guideline was provided for developing plan for the following year. Simultaneously, guidelines were provided on how they will contribute to implement Youth and Volunteers department's plan.

Orientation/Training program

Orientation and training programs were organized in different time for volunteers to strengthen their skill so that they can serve the vulnerable people in need. Significant trainings are as follows

- Volunteers participated in a training on relief and humanitarian service organized by Disaster and Relief Ministry.
- RCRC basic and first aid training
- Volunteers participated on Urban Risk Assessment organized by British Red Cross.
- Workshop organized on COVID-19 vaccination for new RCY volunteers.
- Coping with stress workshop was organized for the RCY volunteers who were involved in vaccination campaign.
- First aid workshop organized for the cleaner of Dhaka North and South City Corporation.

National and International Day Observation

In 2021, 06 national and international days were observed, and significance of the days discussed during the event as well as discussed Red Crescent's roles and responsibilities.

Projects implemented under the department

Project name	Main activity of the project	Project area	Project donor's name
BMZ-SSF-SDSC (Strengthening DRM and Structures and Capacities of BDRCS Project)	- RCRC basic and first aid training - Orientation on disaster risk reduction - Project orientation - Celebrate world first aid day	Dhaka district, Chittagong district, Borguna, Noakhali, Netrokona, Bogura, Pirojpur, Sirajganj, Lakshmipur, National Head Quatres	GRC
BRAC Skill Development Project	- Training on digitalization	68 Units and national Head Quarters, Dhaka	BRAC Bangladesh
Vaccine registration support	- Support to deprived people to get COVID-19 vaccine registration		German Red Cross
Youth and volunteer development project	- Organized training for volunteers to strengthen skill of the volunteers. - Provide safety equipment to the volunteers.	- National Head Quarters, Dhaka, Chittagong district, Khagrachari, Rangamati, Bandarban, Noakhali, Feni, Lakshmipur, Brahmanbaria, Cumilla, Chandpur, Cox's Bazar	Italian Red Cross
Emergency Response for OSV Project (ICRC)	- Training on first aid in conflict situation	- Dhaka, Chittagong and Rajshahi City	ICRC

Fund Raising Department

The fundraising department, as it does every year, has successfully implemented a number of activities in 2021. Collected fund enriched the society's reserves. Below is a brief description of this year's activities

- As a humanitarian organization, with the aim of raising revenue and making the Red Crescent known to all, the sale of gift items with monograms to local and international customers continued in 2021.
- As part of the fundraising activities, Rs. 3,015,000 (three lakh and fifteen thousand taka only) has already been collected from the Palmal Group and Individual levels for the vulnerable people in favor of the Society through the appropriate process.

At a glance, information of fundraising (in BDT) through different initiatives

Five year's fundraising information					
Year	Lottery	Gift items	Donation box	Corporate/individual donation	Total
2017	47,47,205	27,30,674	3,55,467	27,05,600	1,05,38,946
2018	2,49,69,498	14,26,143	56,709	1,75,000	2,66,27,350
2019	60,184	9,50,816	96,853	6,00,000	17,07,853
2020	0	10,76,329	7,00,000	71,813	18,48,142
2021	10,86,816	23,43,277	93,715	3,01,500	38,25,308
Grand total	3,08,63,703	85,27,239	13,02,744	38,53,913	4,45,47,599

- The Fund Raising Department has been collecting monies for the purpose of raising funds by setting up grant collection boxes at several important commercial establishments, hotels, and all of country's airports. Funds have been raised through the donation collection box in 2021 and it is expected that the target will be increased further by the end of the year.
- The Digital Fund Raising Gateway RFQ has been completed under the Digital Fund Raising Program to facilitate and expedite the fund raising of the Society. An account has been opened at an established bank for conducting the program. The final work order is currently being processed.

Unit Affairs Department

The Unit Affairs Department's important responsibilities include monitoring the unit's activities, assisting in formulating work plan, the annual general meeting, selection of the unit committee, finalization of the delegate list, enrollment of life member and annual member and their information collection and updating as well as issuing certificate and identity cards to the members. Besides, support units to be self-sufficient by assuring transparency and accountability at all levels.



80,000/-
Money received from issuance of life member and annual member enlistment form



5,61,022/-
Share money from newly added 892 life members and 2213 annual members



1,57,695/-
Money received from issuing ID card for 1,210 new life members

Unit Affairs Department

- Annual General Meetings (AGM) and Unit elections are held in the scheduled units, and the department sends out circulars outlining the necessary preparations for the Annual General Meetings and election ceremonies.
- Overall cooperation was provided in the official work for the completion of OGM-2021 and BDRCS Managing Board Elections 2021-2023.
- After receiving information on the unit's AGM and election, documents are processed in order to form a committee.
- Regular cooperation with the unit, as well as assistance in overall administrative work and communication with the Unit Executive Committee on official matters.
- Update the information of the unit's delegates and assist in the formulation of the unit's different types of plans.
- Orientation was provided to 30 members of the executive committee of 10 units to increase the capacity of the unit.

Under 'Call for Proposal' project with the support of Swiss Red Cross

- Orientation is provided to the executive committee and life members of the unit following the Red Crescent Movement. The orientation was attended by a total of 30 members including 2 women and 26 men.
- Training and office room renovation of Bandarban, Chuadanga Sherpur unit
- In Rangpur, Chuadanga, and Sherpur units, LED display boards were installed with project and other important information.
- Eye camp was organized for eye treatment at Chuadanga unit. A total of 430 people were provided services through the camp, out of which 250 were women and 160 were men.
- Sub-district level Youth Red Crescent Volunteer team has been formed with 126 volunteers (40 women and 6 men).
- 4 blood grouping campaigns have been carried out in Bandarban, Rangpur, Chuadanga and Sherpur units.
- Dinner has been organized in 4 units for raising funds and preparation of fund-raising guide.
- Database development has been completed in Bandarban, Khagrachhari, Rangpur, Chuadanga and Sherpur units.
- Lesson Learn Workshop has been conducted with the accomplished activities of 5 units. The session was attended by 56 individuals (8 women and 50 men), including the chairman, secretary, ULO, youth chiefs, different directors of the national headquarters, and Swiss Red Cross representatives.

Legal Affairs Department

Legal opinions on different matters were provided to officials from the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, Holy Family Red Crescent Medical College, and other related organizations, including employment legal action, applies for different cases, and responses to legal notices.

Furthermore, on behalf of the society the department conducts the necessary lobbying concerned with matters relating to the interest of the society in the Magistrate Court of the lower court, the Chief Judicial Magistrate Court, the Assistant Judge's Court, the Senior Assistant Judge's Court, the Joint and District Judge's Court and the High Court Division and the Appellate Division of the Bangladesh Supreme Court. His Excellency the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court and the High Court Division have filed 12 different writ petitions, civil revision, administrative tribunal cases and civil, criminal, money litigation, tenant eviction, arbitration and arbitration lawsuits of the society pending in the lower court. Through continuous lobbying and administration, the committee has been working to resolve all problems, including those involving the court.

International Relation and Communication Department

International Relation

Relationship Development with Red Cross and Red Crescent Partners: In order to develop relations with different National Societies, IFRCs and ICRCs, the Department of International Relations collaborates with regular partners on its own initiative to conduct new official activities and coordinate meetings as well as ensure new cooperation. Among the notable works were



- The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society, with the financial support from the China Red Cross, handed over two million doses of Sinopharm vaccine to the Ministry of Health of the Government of Bangladesh.
- The International Relations Department played a vital role to ensure 50 oxygen concentrators and 14 million masks for BDRCS from the Singapore Red Cross.
- Initiatives were taken by the IR department to share the Society's COVID-19 vaccination experience and to learn from the other National Societies in South Asia, including Afghanistan, Bhutan, India, Pakistan, Nepal, Maldives, and Sri Lanka.
- For the first time in 2021, the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society provided a grant of BDT 10 lakh to the International Committee of the Red Cross (ICRC).
- Mr. Alexander Matthew, Asia and Pacific Director of the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies visited Bangladesh on 21-25 November 2021.

Partnership Development (with other organizations)

In addition to developing relations with different national societies, the society also submits direct applications for different projects of international and non-governmental organizations. The department has received BDT 1 crore 9 lakh from the Global Road Safety Partnership, BDT 4 crore 20 lakh from the Coca-Cola Foundation, and BDT 50 lakh from Facebook in this regard. BDT 5 crore 80 lakh in cash equivalent has been secured by the International Relation department in 2021 for different projects/programs.

Besides, other notable activities of the department are

- The Department of International Relations has confirmed a free ride or a discount of BDT 75 lakh in cash equivalent in partnership with the well-known international ride-sharing company Uber.
- The Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has been listed by the Department of International Relations as an Asian Development Bank and World Bank. In 2021, the Society has submitted a project proposal to the Asian Development Bank through a consortium shortlisted for the COVID-19 Technical Assistant Project.
- In collaboration with the Humanitarian Advisory Group (HAG), a reputed organization of Australia, the department supported Protection, Gender, and Inclusion (PGI) focal of the Society as well as supported for a Research in Asia and the Pacific on Diversity and Inclusion.
- The Department of International Relations is also working on the implementation of the Memorandum of Understanding with the Department of Health of the Government of Bangladesh and this Memorandum of Understanding is in the final stages of implementation.
- Coordinate with relevant departments, coordinate with partners and assist in implementation of response operations in COVID-19 response activities.
- Five doctors from Holy Family Red Crescent Medical College Hospital participated in an online training on 4th Training Program on Rational Use of Medicine at an international conference organized by Kunming Medical College Hospital, China.
- An official of the Society participated in the Asia Shelter Forum held on 25-26 November 2021 in Nepal.
- Provide assistance in partnership meetings with ICRC and BDRCS

Communication

The Society's Communication department works on a regular basis to provide much needed and timely information or awareness messages to the country's grassroots people in order to raise public awareness about natural and man-made disasters. In this context, the department carried out the following regular activities in 2021.

- Call in Live Radio Show Hello Red Crescent We are listening to you: since 2017, Thematic Call in Live Radio program has been broadcasting on community radio to provide urgent, necessary, and timely information to the people at grassroots. In
- About 70 call-in-live radio programs aired in the last five years. This year, two community radio stations - Radio Naf 99.2 FM and Radio Chilmari 99.2 - broadcasted 20 call-in-live radio shows featuring people from both sides of the country. Through 20 radio broadcasts, about 175,000 people received urgent and timely information about COVID-19, general health care, and other types of calamities.
- In 2021, the Society's Communication department successfully provided first aid training to approximately 70 media people working at different levels.

Social Media



The number of followers on the society's official Facebook page is currently 5,37,107. It was 2,78,437 in 2020. It was 2,08,305 in 2019.



Official Twitter followers for the Society now stand at 19,700. It was 14,064 persons in 2020. It was 7,704 people in 2019.



The Society's official LinkedIn page had around 4,400 connected followers.



The official YouTube channel of the Society now has 1650 subscribers.

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Publicity and Promotion

The Society's continuous humanitarian assistance initiatives have been publicized by the Department of Communication in the mainstream media. News on the society's numerous activities in the year 2020 has been published in the leading national dailies and television channels through this Communication department. This year, news of the society's many activities and achievements were published more than 1300 times in national daily newspapers, television channels, and online portals.



Human Resource and Administration Department

Number of age-based revenue officer employees

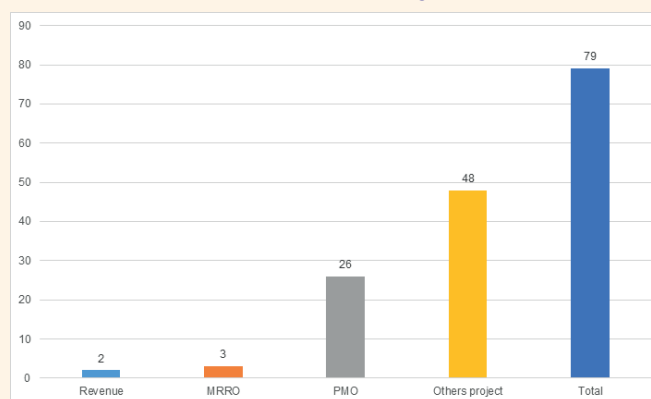
This is the first time that the Promotion Committee, with the assistance of the Society's Human Resources Department, has followed the proper procedure for the promotion of suitable revenue officers working in different departments.

The number of revenue officers by age is (till October 31st)

Age	Male		Female		Total
	Officer	Support staff	Officer	Support staff	
18 to 39	42	48	4	9	103
40 to 59	95	99	10	25	229
60+	2	0	0	0	2
Grand Total	139	147	14	34	334

- Despite the disaster of COVID-19, the Human Resources Department of the Society has continued to recruit personnel for different projects. 79 people have been appointed until 2021.
- On the initiative of the Society's Human Resources department, arrangements have been made to provide BDRCS leadership training to a total of 32 officers in the first phase, in order to improve the skills of the society's officers.
- The process of updating and digitizing the personal documents of all the officers and employees of the Society is underway.
- In addition to financial assistance from the society's welfare fund, Metlife Insurance Company Limited has made necessary arrangements for insurance of all levels of employees as Group Medical Claim up to a maximum of BDT.200,000 for financial assistance for medical treatment and BDT 5,00,000 in case of death while on duty with the support of IFRC.
- A total of 4 posts of Deputy Director, Assistant Director, Junior Assistant Director, and Officer have been elevated to a total of 6 posts in three stages based on the current manpower structure of the society for the purpose of logical restructuring and promotion. 77 persons were promoted in total.

Image of staff recruitment for the revenue sector and projects in 2021



- The Society's Standing Order-2015 Review and Revision has kicked up the process of updating. In order to do this, the process of recruiting an External Consultant is underway.
- In the year 2021, the Staff Welfare Fund provided financial assistance to 6 individuals for the application of financial assistance for medical expenditures of officers and employees working in the society, as well as financial aid after the death of two employees while on the job.

Administration

Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has always conducted administrative and structural activities of the administration department in accordance with the Red Cross Red Crescent Movement's seven principles.

In relation to this, the department conducted and implemented different internal activities, observes national and international days, and engaged in additional activities such as the adoption of various action plans to protect the society's security.

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This year 4 meetings of the Board of Management were held under the chairmanship of Hon'ble Chairman of the Society Mr. Major General A.T.M Abdul Wahab (Ret.).

Extending the validity of regular and contractual officers and employees' ID cards at different times and providing new ID cards by preparing new ones in timely manners, issuing condolence messages, and extending the tenure of 10 Ansar's every six months.

Preparation of duty roster of security guards, provision of duty uniforms and necessary materials, formulation of policies regarding telephone, mobile and internet usage of officers / employees working in different departments / projects of the society.

Issuance of Robi SIM to the officers of the Society, issuance of necessary administrative office circulars / office orders and tender notices etc., checking of attendance books of all the officers of the Society daily, To exchange.

To keep the official activities in operation during the general holidays declared by the government, to monitor the work of the cleaners with emphasis on cleanliness, to distribute disinfectant hygienic kits (masks, hand sanitizers) among the officers and employees for the purpose of health protection and safety during office hours.



Immediate decision of the authorities to organize different meetings and milad mahfils, prepare diaries, calendars and greeting cards every year for Eid-ul-Fitr and Azha and to provide them to the officers and employees of the society on New Year.

Logistics

The logistics department has been providing all types of support / services to ensure the administration of ICT, warehousing, and vehicles, as well as proper procurement of goods and services in accordance with the demands of all Bangladesh Red Crescent Society departments.

The procurement activities of all departments are carried out by the Standing Procurement Committee and the Procurement Branch in accordance with the Standing Order.

Also computer, air conditioner, printing and stationery items for different departments, poster training module printing, annual minutes 2020, bag making, Society car repairs at different times, sale of antiques and prefabricated building at the national headquarters with the financial support of IFRC. Assistance has been provided in the implementation of the work.



Purchasing of food, spices, and furniture for Bahasanchar is carried out through the logistics department of the society as per the demand.



32,000 pcs blanket purchased



359 Mid Tram Shelters, Shelter Items for 2000 Families, Mini Solar System 109 Households, 50 Latrines, Crockery Items, CGI Sheets, Primary Health Care Center Building, Group Life Insurance, 6 Visibility Items

Department/Project	Purchased Items
Disaster Response Dept.	Flip chart, flip card, handwash material, video documentary, dignity kits for wash project, printing of guideline and poster, 50,000 pcs master roll, 32,000 pcs blanket, ramadan food package, 01 ambulance.
Youth and Volunteers Dept.	11,000 pcs mask, 1,750 pcs bags, 1,250 pcs water bottle, 1,000 pcs red jacket, 200 pair safety shoes, 15 bicycles, ID card machine
Fund Raising Dept.	Different type of souvenir item and 1000 pcs red jacket, 300 pcs red caps, 3,250 pcs Polo T shirts, 15,000 pcs boll pens, 5,750 pcs umbrellas, 1,600 pcs bags, 15,000 pcs note pads
Health Dept.	1,000 pcs cholera saline, 500 set saline set, 3,000 pcs eye protection glasses, 4,000 pcs red jackets, 3,340 pcs Polo T shirts, medicine items, red caps, cloth masks, aprons, umbrellas, raincoats, hand sanitizers, nebulizer doppler, medical equipment, apart from this purchased air conditioner for Shahid Mayez Uddin Hospital
Disaster Risk Management Dept.	Assistive devise for disabled people, office furniture, 34,000 pcs hand sanitizers, 10,000 pcs pocket security guidelines, 2,000 pcs security guideline purchased
Costal DRR Project	03 motorcycles, 21,800 pcs hand sanitizers, 38,000 pcs soaps, office furniture, stationery items, 03 pcs ceramic item purchased
Restoring Family Links Dept.	300 pcs red jackets and red caps, 600 pcs Polo T shirts, 09 ICT materials
Vulnerability to Resilience project	Prepared billboard, 538 household latrines, 01 lady's washroom
Community Development Dept.	1,430 household number plates, office furniture, purchased IT equipment
Planning and Development Dept.	Furniture for units, renovation work, first aid items, search and rescue item purchased

Warehouse

From 10th November 2020 to 10th November 2021, the following relief items were received at the National Headquarters Warehouse and sent to different units for distribution among the people affected by the disaster. DP stock is stored in the warehouse with the support from IFRC.

In addition to the Society's general warehouse, the Chittagong Warehouse is being used by the ICRC and IFRC to store and deliver relief supplies to the refugee camps.

As well as, the Society supplies daily necessities to the different departments from the general warehouse as per the demand.

Name of relief item	Current stock	Name of relief item	Current stock
Blanket	3,659 pcs	Backtroll soap	17,900 pcs
Shari	71 pcs	Mega phone	17 pcs
Lungi	100 pcs	Mask	99,828 pcs
Tarpaulin	12809 pcs	Goggles	90 pcs
Jerrican	11,023 pcs	Dead body bags	1850 pcs
Hygiene kits	2124 boxes	Tent	06 pcs
Dignity kits	2084 packets	Oximeter	02 pcs
Shelter tool kits	1,976 packets	Sleeping mat	1029 pcs
Water purification tablet	2,49,280 pcs	Backpack	560 pcs
Bucket	76 pcs	Water bottle	190 pcs
Tin	769 pcs	Gumboot	04 pairs
Container	6 pcs	Empty sack (big)	2,157 pcs
Hand sanitizer	13,304 pcs	Empty sack (small)	3,125 pcs

Table 1 Relief Items Status

Transport Section

In order to ensure the smooth implementation of the Transport Section of the Society's Logistics Department's overall activities, measures were made in 2021 to reduce the use, storage, and operation of the Society's vehicles to a minimum.

Efforts are being made to keep as many vehicles as possible with limited financial resources. The Society has been meeting the demand for vehicles as required in different activities and programs.

The use of vehicles is increasing day by day as the scope of administrative and other activities of the society has expanded. According to the 2021 census, the society has a total of 36 vehicles such as jeeps, cars, minibuses, ambulances, pick-ups / carry boy, minibuses and trucks (out of which 03 are jeeps and 2 are carry boy pickups).

Below is a brief description of the vehicle:

Zip	Car	Micro bus	Ambulance	Pick-up/ carry boy	Track	Mini bus	Total
11	02	04	04	11	04	01	37

There are plans to take different initiatives to keep the vehicles running by increasing the efficiency of the vehicle branch of the logistics department and to make it more dynamic by reducing fuel and maintenance costs as much as possible.

ICT Section

The ICT section was launched in 2011 to facilitate the information and technology work of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society.

- The ICT branch is always working to keep the desk support, network, database, website, e-mail and internet connections of the officers / employees of the society active. In addition, ICT has provided with equipment purchase, ERP support, file archive etc. support.
- Because of the COVID-19 pandemic, many of the Society's official functions were digitized, with the majority of meetings held on Zoom and Microsoft Teams so that the ICT Section could provide all available support.
- Reorganize the BDRCS website, provide technical assistance in advanced information management information systems and databases, provide training in mobile based data collection and analysis, manage data management teams, contribute to data collection and analysis, use of information technology in international workshops and partners. Purchase of computer equipment is ensured as per service specifications and requisitions.
- The ICT section assists in overseeing the digital transformation process conducted by the Society's Planning and Development Department.



Finance Department

The Finance Department of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society has been working relentlessly in order to improve the accounting and financial management system and to ensure greater accountability and transparency in all transactions. The Finance Department has also developed a plan for strengthening the accounting and financial management system of the Units of the Bangladesh Red Crescent Society. In the reporting year, with the funding and technical support from ICRC, Financial Development Training has been conducted in three districts of Chittagong Hill Tracts. In addition, for transparency and accountability of overall financial management system, initiatives have been taken to conduct Financial Monitoring of Units (Branches) and Projects, gradually bringing all the Units under financial Accounting Software, and incorporating Unit Financial Report into the National Headquarters' financial reports. According to the recommendation of the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) for improving and transforming the existing Financial Management system of the Society, the initial activity of "Working with Program Partners (WWPP)" has been completed, finalization of which is underway.

In the reporting year, out of total received taka 156 Crore 07 Lakh 51 thousand and 954 (Tk 1,560,751,954), taka 29 crore 89 lakh 69 thousand 87 were received under Myanmar Refugee Relief Operation (UNHCR), taka 58 Crore 43 lakh 77 thousand 954 (Tk 584,377,954) were received under Population Movement Operation, and taka 16 Crore 45 lakh 09 thousand 981 (tk 164,509,981) were received under countrywide COVID-19 vaccination program. With the Taka 4 Crore allocation of the Government of Bangladesh for the construction of 7th Story to 12th Story of the Academic Building of Holly Family Red Crescent Medical College, the total allocation has reached taka 15 crores. The Pre-Fabricated Building Construction is underway in the National Headquarters with the estimated cost of taka 5 Crores, which has been incurring from the joint fund of IFRC, ICRC and PNSS.

The statement of income and expenditure of the year 2021 under Society's revenue sector is presented in the below table:

Expenditure head	Amount in Taka	Income Head	Amount in Taka
Establishment cost	205,197,996	Building and warehouse rent collection	150,220,864
Health and welfare function	11,603,477	The interest from fixed deposit	9,017,769
Expenditure for relief item	16,345,066	Government and other donation	17,701,500
Expenditure in the capital sector	48,406,756	Donations for relief distribution	15,941,852
Other expenditure	53,235,651	Other income	183,003,681
Total Expenditure	334,788,946		
Variance (income vs expenditure)	41,096,720		
Grand total	375,885,666	Total	375,885,666



Internal Audit Department

In the reporting year, alongside performing routine roles and responsibilities, the Internal Audit Department had audited bills and vouchers under Population Movement Operation (PMO) and various other projects implemented with funding support from Partner National Societies (PNSs), and provided feedback and recommendations in accordance with Society's Standing Orders and other (Government) rules and regulations. In 2021, the Department provided feedback, and suggestions according to standard rules of business to Finance/ relevant departments in order to settle the bills and vouchers. Alongside of this, the Department also provided the necessary information and regular monitoring report for mobilize the Logistics Department of the Society. Below are the highlights of the activities of the Department in 2021:

- The bills and vouchers for all Cash Distribution of the Society had been audited
- The bills and vouchers for all programs implemented with the funding support of IFRC had been audited.
- The bills and vouchers for all programs implemented with the funding support of ICRC had been audited. In addition, bills and vouchers of all programs implemented with support from PNSs had also been audited.
- Routine and regular auditing of bills and vouchers of all Departments. Especially, the process of the Logistics Department had been closely monitored and audited and necessary feedback and recommendations were provided for modernization/ revitalization of the Department.

Estate Department

The collection of rent from various buildings and establishments of the Society is the only source of revenue income. All the activities and functions of the Society are operated through the revenue income. The revenue income is increasing every year due to the renewal of the tenant agreements, the positive result of which the Society is enjoying. A brief update of current condition, progress, and future plan of the buildings and establishments managed by the Real Estate Department is given below:

For the relocation of the Base Depot, a two-story office building and a warehouse of 15,180 Square feet has been constructed by the Chattogram Unnayan Kotripakkho which is located at the River Bank of Laldiar Char, behind the Incontrade under Bandar Thana of Potenga in Chattogram. Currently, the land and the warehouse (without the office building) has been rented out to a Chattogram based local institute. A tenant agreement has been done with the said institute with monthly rent of BDT 15 lakh, which will be in effect upon completion of the construction activity by the Chattogram Unnayan Kotripakkho.

Below table presents the information about monthly rent collection, payment of holding tax and formation of owners' association of different buildings owned by the Society:

Name of the Building	Monthly rent collection	Holding tax payment (1 st to 4 th installment)
Red Crescent Borak Tower	71,88,076	20,95,924
Red Crescent Jashim Trade Center	3098340	1883988
National Headquarters, Bara Moghbazar, Dhaka	-	24948
Red Crescent Shopping Complex	197425	96120
Red Crescent Multi Plan City	706095	150218
Red Crescent Concord Tower	1240235	180160
Red Crescent House	1408016	258331
Shahid Moyezuddin Red Crescent Maternity Care Hospital, Banglabazar, Dhaka	-	6416
Total	13,838,187	4,896,105

Community Empowerment Program (CEP)

The revenue earned from the leased assets under Community Empowerment Program (CEP) has been deposited into Society's fund. In the following fiscal year of 2021-2022, the Society might make a profit of about taka 10,00,000 (taka Ten Lakh) from the leased ponds at the end of the lease tenure.

Protection, Gender, Inclusion (PGI) and Child Protection

- With the support of the Norwegian Red Cross, 800 copies of “field protection guidelines” have been printed for the staff, volunteers, and officials in order to operate field-level activities. 8,000 copies of brochures have been printed about “Sexual Violence, Child Protection, Child Marriage. During the COVID-19 pandemic situation, 3000 posters about the “problems of negative thinking and decision making” and 3000 brochures about “information on PGI” were printed which were distributed to all Departments of National Headquarters, 68 Units, PMO, MRRO, and Bhashan Char. In addition, 600 copies of the Child Protection Policy in Bangla and 3000 leaflets about information on the rights and entitlements of persons with disability, and elderly persons.
- A consultant was hired in order to revise and update the Gender Policy and Guideline of the BDRCS. A workshop was organized to finalize the Gender Policy.
- The Gender Policy of BDRCS was reviewed and updated which is under approval process by the Managing Board of the Society. Besides, the PSEA (Prevention and Response to Sexual Exploitation and Abuse) policy was approved by the Managing Board and printing of the Policy was completed.
- A 14-member Gender Working Committee has been formed comprising officials/ focal points of BDRCS and IFRC.
- A study report about Diversity and Inclusion in the Society was prepared by the Humanitarian Advisory Group.
- PGI Orientation was provided in the NDRT training organized by the Society. The RCY volunteers and UDRT members of Tangail and Sirajgonj Unit under the 2019 Flood Response Program, and RCY volunteers of Jamalpur Unit were also oriented on PGI. As a part of the International Women Day 2021 program, PGI orientation was organized for the RCY volunteers of the Society.
- 50 pcs of Hygiene and Dignity kits were distributed among the Slum-dwellers as a part of the International Women Day 2021 program.
- Conducted Live show on the Social Media about Psychosocial Support during COVID-19 pandemic and disseminated Video documentary to create awareness against child abuse.

Safer Access

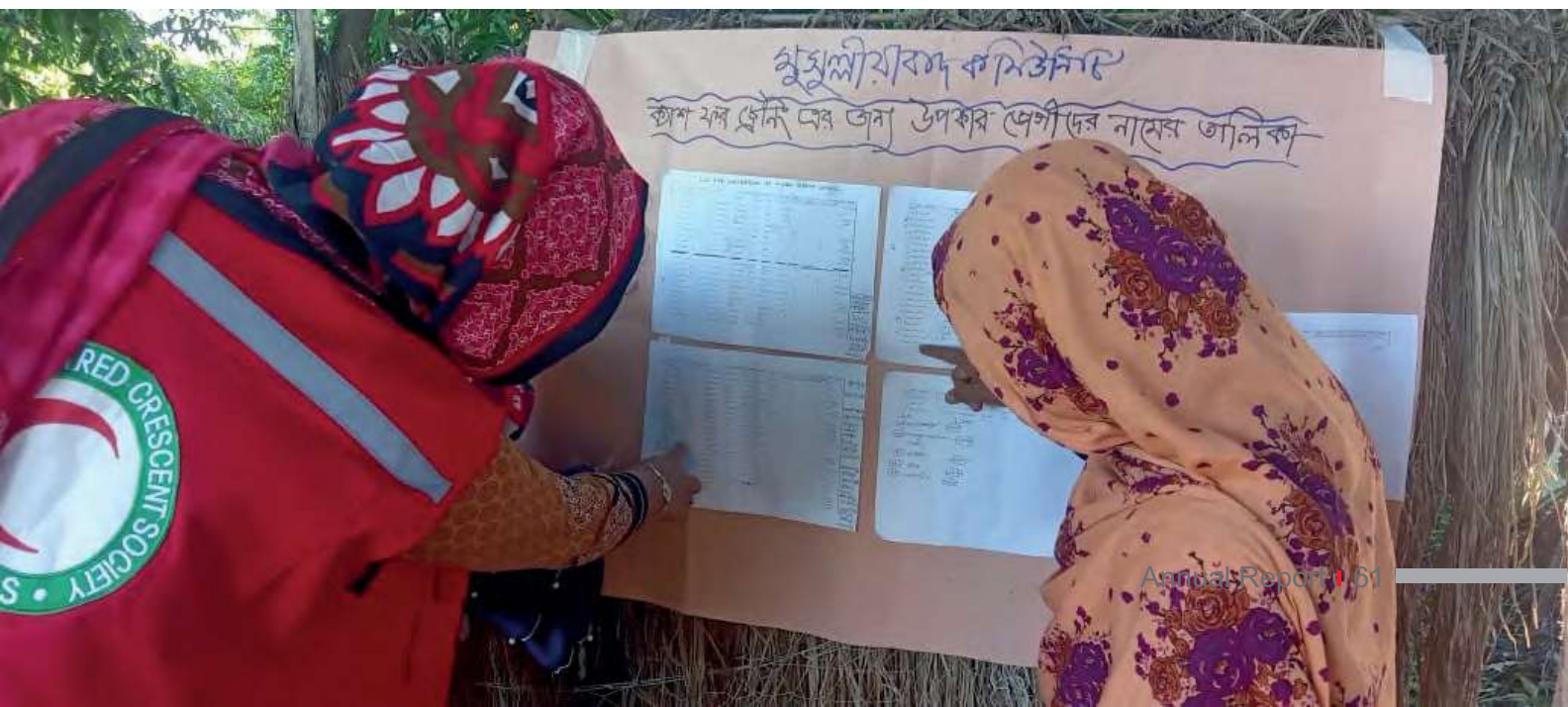
- A workshop was organized to develop safer access training manual, identify gaps and errors in the manual and make corrections of those, and assess the appropriateness of the manual for use at the field level.
- Re-printing of 12000 copies both safety security policy and safety security guideline was completed (Pocket size 2000 and regular size 10000 copies)
- For proper knowledge management, 12 Units of the Society were provided with a laptop, a projector, and a sound system.
- 4 Video Messages have been developed, for the RCY volunteers deployed in the COVID-19 vaccination program, to support them in managing any adverse situation in the vaccination centers. In order to the training of the RCY volunteers, the videos have been disseminated in all 68 units of the Society through Youth and Volunteers Department.
- A round table meeting was conducted to discuss on Safer Access with the participation of Leaders of the Cox's Bazar District.
- Considering the COVID-19 situation, a 3-hour online training manual about Safer Access has been prepared.
- Sessions were conducted about Safer Access for 60 participants in two batches of the NDRT training organized by the Disaster Response Department, and among 69 Youth Chiefs during the Youth Chief Conference.

Community Engagement and Accountability (CEA)

In line with the ongoing commitment and trend of the Red Cross Red Crescent Movement and various international humanitarian agencies, the Society emphasizes ensuring the participation of and accountability to all relevant stakeholders while providing various services and implementing programs. As a part of this, the Society's initiative toward community engagement and accountability (CEA) is acknowledged as an effective initiative. The main objective of the CEA activity is to create mutual trust and credibility through establishing partnerships between crisis-affected people and organizations. CEA is playing important role in ensuring active participation and engagement of all involved parties toward the improvement of living conditions and bringing positive changes. The implementation of programs on the basis of assessment of needs and damages of the community and providing necessary information about project designing, selection of area and beneficiaries, monitoring and evaluation process, etc. are ensured as a part of CEA. BDRCS officials, ICRC, IFRC, movement partners, stakeholder organization, unit executive committee members, life members, project stakeholders, and other delegates have all played a supportive role in ensuring community participation and accountability activities in integrated management in accordance with BDRCS CEA policies / guidelines.

Significant CEA activities in 2021 include:

- Approval of CEA Policy, Guideline and Training Module and mainstreaming of CEA into programs.
- A total of 34 batches of CEA training, orientation, workshops, and awareness meetings are delivered online and by direct participation in different location such as National Headquarters, Units, Communities, PMOs, and MRRO. A total of 2596 people including 1260 women and 1318 men participated in the events.
- A total of 51 committees were formed at the national headquarters, unit and community level to implement activities related to community participation and accountability.
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- Under feedback and complaint management, services are provided to 3939 people (1345 females and 34 males) via feedback and suggestion box / feedback hub and center.
- A total of 1,60,275 services were provided through nine social and behavioral change communication / campaigns (implementation of disaster-related awareness activities, COVID-19, and immunization programs - National Headquarters / Unit / Long-Term Project / PMO level).
- Issue-based advocacy (engaging with various platforms / networks to solve community problems)
- Bangladesh's Risk Communication and Community Engagement Platform
- Implementation of Webinar-COVID-19 immunization activities (BDRCS, IFRC, UNICEF, World Health Organization)
- ICRC Protection Community, IFRC CEA Platform, British Red Cross CEA Hub, Songjog)



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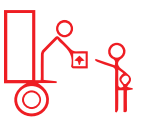








Kishoreganj Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	57	516
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	1
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	79	231
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	42	136



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021










	Under the Co curriculum programme, 20 teams were formed with 718 student (218 female and 500 male). Of these, 9 teams based on Sub district level and 11 teams based on educational institutions have been formed.
	Under the Co curriculum programme, training was organized in 2 educational institutions with 70 students (30 female and 40 male).
	By the unit's blood donation programme, 179 people (140 women and 39 men) were provided with blood this year.
	Cooked foods were served to 1853 people, including 50 women, 1,780 men, and 23 people with disabilities, on the unit's own initiative. Aside from that, cooked food has been delivered to 9000 unemployed COVID-19 victims. With the help of the Danish Red Cross, 1200 women-led households affected by COVID-19 were assisted, and food packages and blankets were delivered to 700 people received from the national headquarters, and so on. Through the unit's own initiatives, 10276 people have been assisted, including 4,072 women and 6,430 men, as well as 474 disabled people.
	Nine executive meetings have been held in the presence of members of the Executive Committee where important decisions on emergency activities, including day celebrations, are taken.
	The unit celebrated 9 National and International and International and Red Crescent Day, International Mother Language Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, Independence Day, National Mourning Day, First Aid Day, Honorable Prime Minister's Birthday Celebration, Blood Donation and Posthumous Eye Donation Day, Blood Donor Day.
	The unit's volunteers have provided consistent assistance to the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Aside from that, the notable activities were carried by the unit volunteers such as providing oxygen on demand for a person suffering from COVID-19, assisted them through ambulance services, distribution of cooked food, providing first aid in marathon competitions, different tournaments for instance Bangabandhu Gold cup, Cycling, Kabaddi, and hockey etc. Also engaged in COVID-19 disinfection activities, mass vaccination programme, relief distribution activities, raising awareness about dengue, formation of youth red crescent team and arrange training for them.
	Two training sessions on first aid, search and rescue and Psychological First Aid for the unit's youth volunteers have been organized with the collaboration of the Youth and Volunteer Department. This training included 50 participants, 15 of whom were women and 35 of whom were men.
	The unit attended coordination meetings at 8 government and nongovernment institutions with the participation of total of 240 people, including 52 women and 188 men by service.
	The unit's oxygen and ambulance service delivery program has supplied emergency oxygen and ambulance services to 76 patients, included 14 women and 60 men and two people with disability.

Munshiganj Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	191	962
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	4
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	39	145
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	10	60



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021









	Under the Co curriculum programme, 1 Youth Red Crescent team was formed with 15 members (3 female and 12 male).
	This year, blood is supplied to 150 persons (20 women and 130 men) through the unit's blood donation program, with the support of Youth Volunteers and interested blood donors on demand at various times.
	Three executive meetings were held in the presence of 9 members of the Executive Committee, during which various significant decision was made to carry out the unit's activities.
	Four national and international holidays were observed on behalf of the unit, including International Mother Language Day, Great Independence Day, International Day for Reduction D, and Bangladesh Fire Service Civil Defense Week. The day's celebrations gathered a total of 50 persons, including 10 female and 40 males.
	As part of the volunteers' activities, the district unit formed a full-fledged youth volunteer committee comprised of 05 female and 10 male volunteers. The unit's volunteers have provided consistent assistance to the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. They also participated in youth volunteer committee meetings and monthly meetings, also provided support to the Iftar distribution event during Ramadan, mass vaccination program, special vaccination event, blood grouping assistance, leaflet distribution, COVID-19 awareness miking, and oxygen service activities as well.
	A training in first aid, search and rescue was organized for the unit's youth volunteers with the collaboration of the Youth and Volunteer Department. This program gathered 45 people, 12 of whom were women and 33 of whom were men.
	The unit took part in two coordination meetings on COVID-19 and International Day of Disaster Preparedness and Risk Reduction, at government or non-government entities, with a total of 38 persons in attendance, including 8 women and 30 men.
	A total of 100 patients, including 40 women and 60 men, have been provided with emergency oxygen services under the oxygen service delivery programme of the unit.
	Iftar was distributed to 2060 beneficiaries as a volunteer initiative. 760 of these were given to women, while 1300 were given to men. As a noteworthy initiative, the unit distributed 2400 flyers on its own initiative.

Faridpur Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	195	1837
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	05	14
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	70	104
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	39	89



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	One team has been formed as part of the Co-curricular program with 53 persons among them 12 female and 41 male).
	Under the Co curriculum programme, 1 training was provided to 30 student (12 female and 18 male).
	The unit's grant collection campaign brought in BDT 67,540 in the form of life members and annual membership fees.
	Eight executive meetings have taken place in the presence of members of the Executive Committee, during which different decisions to implement the unit's activities have been made.
	The unit celebrated various national and international days including 8 National and International Mother Language Day, Independence Day, Bangabandhu's birthday, National Disaster Preparedness Day, Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Mourning Day. A total of 240 people including 72 women and 168 men participated in the various day celebrations event.
	As part of the volunteers' activities, 53 women and 87 men have regularly assisted in a variety of activities, including the government's COVID-19 vaccination campaign. Aside from that, 140 volunteers from the unit assisted in a variety of events such as commemorating several national and international days, distributing food packages, assisting with COVID-19 vaccine programs, mass vaccination, mask distribution, raising awareness, and so on.
	A three-day first-aid training for the unit's Youth Volunteers was organized, with 30 people in attendance, including 12 women and 18 men.
	Twelve representatives from the unit, including ULO, attended 8 different district-level coordination meeting on behalf of the unit.

Rajbari Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	128	723
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	07	19
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	28	67
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	20	40



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	This year, blood is donated to 50 persons (15 women and 35 men) through the unit's blood donation program, with the support of Youth Volunteers and interested blood donors on demand at different times.
	Nine executive meetings have been held in the presence of members of the Executive Committee through which various important decisions are taken to implement the activities of the unit.
	The unit celebrated 8 different days including International Mother Language Day, Independence Day, Bangabandhu's birthday, National Disaster Preparedness Day, Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Mourning Day and various national and international days. A total of 50 people including 20 women and 30 men participated in the day celebrations.
	Volunteers participate in the government's COVID-19 vaccination campaign as part of their activities. Aside from that, 85 volunteers from the unit, including 35 women and 50 men, participated in a variety of activities such as national and international day celebrations, distribution of food packages, distribution of cooked food, assistance in COVID-19 vaccine activities, mass vaccination, mask distribution and awareness on prevention, and so on.
	The unit's Youth Volunteers also organized a two-day first-aid course with the cooperation of the youth and volunteer department, in which 30 persons, including 12 women and 18 men, participated.
	ULO and unit representatives attended 2 different district-level coordination meetings on behalf of the unit, in which a total of six people, including 1 woman and 5 men, participated.
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	On the unit's own initiative, BDT 5,000 was donated to three families as part of the unit's relief distribution program.

Gopalganj Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	142	877
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	18	67
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	25	42
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	05	12



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021





	Under the unit's blood programme, blood was supplied to 32 people (03 women and 29 men) in various hospitals and clinics this year with the help of Youth Volunteers of the unit and through interested blood donors in response to the demand.
	Eight executive meetings have been held in the presence of members of unit Executive Committee through which various important decisions are taken to implement the activities of the unit.
	Eleven different national and international days were celebrated by the unit. A total of 330 people including 63 women and 267 men participated in the day celebrations.
	The unit's volunteers have regularly assisted with the government's COVID-19 vaccination program as part of their volunteer efforts. Aside from that, 255 volunteers from the unit, including 75 women and 180 men, participated in 15 different activities, including several national and international day celebrations, food package distribution, distribution of cooked food, assistance in COVID-19 mass vaccination activities, distribution of masks, awareness raising etc.
	Two trainings on the use of oxygen cylinders and corona vaccine were held with the unit's Youth Volunteers, and 37 persons attended, including 13 women and 24 men.
	ULO and unit representatives attended 7 distinct district-level coordination meetings on behalf of the unit, with a total of 70 people in attendance, including 25 women and 45 men.
	Donations were received from 85 life members, comprising 18 women and 67 men, as part of the unit's donation collection program.
	On the unit's own initiative, 2,000 masks were provided for 343 women and 1657 men, as part of unit's relief distribution program.

Madaripur Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	916	4,452
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	0
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	0	08
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	12	20



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021









	1 Executive Meeting was held in the presence of 7 members of the Executive Committee to discuss the follow-up of previous meeting minutes, the selection of delegates, and the implementation of various activities. Various decisions have been made in this meeting.
	The unit observed one national and one international day. To celebrate these days, 46 persons (including 18 women and 28 females) joined a rally and discussion meeting.
	The unit's volunteers have regularly assisted with the government's COVID-19 vaccination program as part of their volunteer efforts. Aside from that, 14 volunteers from the unit, including 09 women and 05 men, were involved in the distribution of masks and sanitizers, as well as giving COVID-19 oxygen services.
	As part of the unit's initiative, 400 food packages containing rice, lentils, oil, salt, and suji were provided to 400 helpless, poverty stricken, and COVID-19-affected people.

Tangail Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	293	1826
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	3
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	34	56
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	124	316



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	One youth team of 38 participants was formed as part of the Co curriculum initiative.
	5 Red Cross Red Crescent basic and first aid trainings were provided to 265 people (171 female and 94 male) as part of the Co curriculum program.
	In response to demand, 48 bags (3 female and 45 male) of blood were donated this year through the unit's blood donation program, with the participation of Youth Volunteers from the unit and interested blood donors.
	18 executive meetings have been held in the presence of members of the Executive Committee through which various important decisions are taken to implement the activities of the unit.
	The unit observed seven national and international events, including disaster preparedness day, international mother language day, Independence Day, and Red Cross Day. 500 people including 200 female and 300 males were participated in these day celebrations event.
	As part of the volunteers' activities, the volunteers of the unit regularly assisted to the government's COVID-19 vaccination programme. In addition, volunteers were engaged in team formation, training, vaccination activities, relief distribution, blood donation, flood-19 rehabilitation activities.
	The unit actively participated in several coordination meetings at 11 government/private organizations, attended by a total of 38 people, including 80 women and 210 men.
	On May 8, 200 packets of cooked food were distributed as part of the unit's own initiative to commemorate Red Cross Red Crescent Day.

Narsingdi Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	130	1994
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	01	22
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	31	26
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	53	39



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021




	Under the Co curriculum programme, 2 teams have been formed based on educational institutions with 106 members (52 Female and 54 Male).
	Five executive committee meetings have been held in the presence of Executive Committee members.
	Six national and international days were observed by the unit, including mother language days, Independence Day, World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day, national mourning day, and disaster mitigation day. 245 people attended the day's ceremonies, including 120 women and 125 men.
	Volunteers from the unit have consistently aided the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. In addition, 439 volunteers, including 139 women and 300 men, engaged with the special vaccination program, free oxygen services, and food package distribution.

Gazipur Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	70	961
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	02
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	15	61
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	4	6



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021










	Four executive meetings have been held in the presence of Executive Committee members. Throughout those meetings, important decisions were made regarding the nomination of two delegates, the distribution of blankets, the distribution of 400 food packages from the national headquarters, the replacement of the signatory of Sonali Bank, and the distribution of masks, among other things.
	As part of the volunteers' activities, the volunteers of the unit have provided regular assistance in the government's COVID-19 vaccination programme. In addition, 14 women and 56 male volunteers contributed to the oxygen service, food package distribution program as part of the volunteer's activity.
	A total of 40 persons, including 10 women and 30 men, were presented on behalf of the unit at two decision-making, implementation, supervision related coordination meeting.

Narayanganj Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	82	950
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	04	14
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	115	107
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	30	25



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021









	Under the Co curriculum programme, 4 teams were formed with 212 members (120 girls and 92 boys) based on educational institutions.
	Basic first-aid training was provided in two educational institutions for 106 student (60 girls and 46 boys) as part of the Co-curriculum program.
	This year, blood is donated to 450 persons through the Unit's 08 blood donation programs.
	With the support of the Swiss Red Cross, cash grants were handed to 1200 families, among each family received 10,000 taka.
	Five executive meetings have been held in the presence of members of the Executive Committee where important decisions on emergency activities, including day celebrations, are taken.
	The unit celebrated 8 National and International and International days including International Mother Language Day, Independence Day, World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day, National Mourning Day, and Disaster Mitigation Day. A total of 255 people including 125 women and 130 men participated in these day celebration events.
	The unit's volunteers have provided consistent assistance to the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Volunteers also participated in 20 activities, including free oxygen service, Ramadan food package distribution, plantation, traffic week observation, and tourist day celebration. Through these initiatives, support was provided to 770 people.
	The unit organized two first aid and Red Cross Red Crescent basic trainings for 106 participants, including 60 women and 46 men.
	The unit participated in 8 different coordination meetings of government or private organizations.

Manikganj Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	90	991
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	01	10
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	52	145
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	23	70



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	As a regular activity of the unit, four Youth Red Crescent teams were formed with 93 members (25 female and 68 male) under the Co-curriculum programme.
	This year, 33 people received blood through the unit's blood donation program. Youth volunteers donate blood at various hospitals and clinics for essential patients in need. Thirteen of the female had severe cesareans, while the remaining 12 male suffered from blood loss.
	Six types of food items, including rice, pulses, sugar, and oil, were distributed by the unit on its own initiative to 50 needy and helpless households in order to tackle the coronavirus pandemic-induced crisis. There were 21 men, 7 physically challenged people, and 29 pregnant women.
	In the presence of 12 members, five executive Committee meetings were held to make decisions on COVID-19 emergency activities, including the day's celebration.
	On behalf of the unit, six national and international days were observed, including international mother language day on February 21, the birthday of the Bengali nation's father, National Children's Day on March 17, Independence Day on March 26, World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day on May 8, the death anniversary of the Bengali nation's father, Bangabandhu, on August 15, and national mourning day. The 13th of October is designated as Disaster Mitigation Day. The day's festivities drew a total of 460 persons, including 110 women and 350 males. Additionally, disaster mitigation day is observed on October 13. A total of 460 people including 110 women and 350 men participated in those day celebrations event.
	The unit's volunteers have provided consistent assistance to the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Volunteers were also involved in six activities including flood relief distribution, public awareness miking to avoid coronavirus, spray activities at several significant locations and prisons, free oxygen services for emergency requirements, mask distribution, and leaflet distribution.
	A youth member attended RFL training on behalf of the unit, and a unit level officer and a Youth Volunteer attended CDIMS training. Apart from that, a 5-member team of the unit provided first aid training to 40 employees of a manufacturing firm called JTI.
	Four coordination meetings were held on behalf of the unit in government institutions as well as the Deputy Commissioner's conference room, including #musk for me, ensuring security for all, awareness activities on COVID-19, coordination meeting on 13th October regarding disaster risk reduction day celebration, coordination meeting on "Strengthen the promise of Mujib Year on Disaster Preparedness" and door-to-door relief programme to combat corona virus, among others. A total of 110 people took part, including 12 women and 98 males. A total of 110 participants, including 12 women and 98 men, participated.

Dhaka District Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	52	428
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	01
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	52	96
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	23	30



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	Youth red crescent teams were formed in eight teams with 424 members (250 females and 174 males) located in eight different educational institutions as part of the Co curriculum program.
	Under the Co curriculum programme, 250 student (120 female and 130 male) were trained in 12 first aid and 2 Red Cross Red Crescent basic and DRR issue.
	Three executive meetings were held in the presence of 10 members of the Executive Committee where important decisions were taken on COVID-19 emergency activities, including the celebration of the day.
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	The unit's volunteers have offered consistent assistance to the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Furthermore, 200 people (60 women and 140 men) actively participated in six activities, including relief distribution, distribution of iftar items, and distribution of sacrificial meat during the Eid-Al Adha festival.







Dhaka City Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	290	1961
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	12	41
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	130	250
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	82	158



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	Under the Co curriculum program, 4 Youth Red Crescent teams were formed and 1 training was provided.
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	Two executive meetings were held in the presence of 15 members of the Executive Committee where important decisions were taken on COVID-19 emergency activities, including the celebration of the day.
	On behalf of the unit, conferences, rallies, floral tributes, and national and Red Crescent flags were hoisted on the occasion of 8 national and international days. A total of 180 people participated in the day celebrations.
	The unit's volunteers have provided consistent assistance to the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Volunteers also engaged in 21 different activities.
	On behalf of the unit, 961 persons participated in various training and awareness initiatives.
	As a representation of the unit 94 people participated in various coordination meetings.

Shariatpur Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	27	433
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	01
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	08	17
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	04	10



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	Three Youth Red Crescent team was formed under the Co-curriculum program with 159 members (68 females and 91 males) at three various educational institutions.
	On behalf of the unit, conferences, rallies, were organized on the occasion of 1 national and international day. A total of 47 people including 12 women and 35 men participated in the day celebrations.
	Volunteers from the unit have been regularly supporting the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Through the unit's six volunteer activities, including oxygen services, food package distribution, cash distribution, and cooked food distribution, a total of 2843 persons (1369 women and 1474 men) assisted as underprivileged category.
	A total of 7 unit representatives, including 1 woman and 6 males, have participated in 5 distinct coordination meetings concerning decision-making, implementation, and supervision.

Chattogram Division

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Brahmanbaria Red Crescent Unit










Chattogram City Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	87	532
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	00	05
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	75	175
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	75	80



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021








	In 42 institutions, teams were formed under the Co curriculum program, involving 630 students, with 78 students and 552 students respectively.
	Under the volunteer blood donation program, 181 bags of blood were collected and provided to the poor and needy patients.
	On the unit's initiative, relief has been handed to the 360 people who have lost their jobs as a result of COVID-19, the poor and needy people, as well as victims of the fire and mountain fall.
	This year, there were eight executive meetings attended by members of the executive committee. Representatives from the unit also attended two emergency coordination sessions.
	This year, a total of 10 national and international days were celebrated by the units which included Mother Language Day, Independence Day, Red Cross and Red Crescent Day, World First Aid Day, National Mourning Day, Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman's birthday and Children's Day, World Blood Donor Day, World Environment Day, Prime Minister's birthday and Victory Day.
	The volunteers of the unit have organized 7 activities under their regular activities like COVID-19 vaccines, oxygen services, distribution of masks and sanitizers, distribution of cooked food and dry food packages, free vegetable market campaign, vaccines and BMAT registration for emigrants.
	32 volunteers have participated in OSV activities in Chattogram city corporation elections and strike situation in Chattogram .

Chattogram District Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	292	2584
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	00	02
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	65	175
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	75	85



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	Under the Co curriculum programme in 9 educational institutions, teams have been formed and training has been provided in 8 institutions in which a total of 717 students participated out of which 620 students and 97 are female students.
	231 bags of blood were collected and provided to poor and needy patients through four unique voluntary blood donation programs.
	This year, six executive meetings were held in which members of the executive committee were present. Representatives from the unit also took part in four emergency coordination meetings.
	This year's unit celebrated 10 national and international days including International Mother Language Day, Great Independence and National Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, Bangabandhu and Sheikh Russel's birthdays, National Mourning Day, International Day of Disaster Mitigation and Victory Day were celebrated.
	On the unit's own initiative, 420 people (122 women and 298 men) were distributed food packages who were unemployed, helpless, and poor due to COVID-19 situation.
	The volunteers of the unit have organized 7 activities under their regular activities like COVID-19 vaccines, oxygen services, distribution of masks and sanitizers, distribution of cooked food and dry food packages, free vegetable market campaign, vaccines and BMAT registration for emigrants.
	32 volunteers have participated in OSV activities in Chattogram city corporation elections and strike situation in Chattogram .

Cumilla Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	265	1165
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	08	23
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	35	85
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	25	23



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	In 11 educational institutions, RCY team formation and training has been performed under the Co curriculum programme.
	This year, a total of 150 youth volunteers, including 18 women and 132 men, completed five volunteer trainings, including the Red Cross Red Crescent Basic and First Aid Search and Rescue training.
	Eight executive meetings were held where members of the executive committee were present. Eight coordination sessions at the deputy commissioner's office were also attended by members of the unit.



Six national and international days have been celebrated through units which include International Mother Language Day, Great Independence Day, National Children's Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, International Red Cross/Red Crescent Day, International Disaster Mitigation Day.

Feni Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	47	784
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	00	02
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	28	85
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	12	42



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021






	Teams were formed in 7 educational institutions, and training was offered in 1 institution, with a total of 371 students (135 students and 236 students) participating in the Co curriculum program.
	A total of 23 bags of blood were collected and distributed among the critical patients.
	Five executive meetings were held where members of the executive committee were present. Representatives of the unit also participated in three emergency coordination meetings.
	Five national and international days are celebrated through units, including International Mother Language Day, Great Independence Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day and International Disaster Mitigation Day.
	As humanitarian assistance, delivered blankets to 300 recipients and food packages to 400 households as unit's own initiative.
	The unit's volunteers have carried out a total of five operations as part of their usual activities, including raising awareness and distributing masks to battle COVID-19, distributing relief, providing ambulance and oxygen services, and assisting with the COVID vaccination campaign.
	The unit's unique activities include a tree planting drive, a cleanliness campaign, relief distribution, various day celebrations, and a 15-day vitamin A plus campaign throughout Feni Municipality. Aside from that, the Feni Red Crescent Unit delivered basic and first-aid training in four different institution this year.

Lakshmipur Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	95	1034
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	01	13
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	85	333
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	04	07



Activities implemented by unit in 2021






	Group was formed in 4 educational institutes and 01 training was provided to school students where 140 students participated (37 girls and 73 boys).
	There were four executive committee meetings in which committee members were present. Besides, representatives from the units attended the district level 05 coordination meeting.
	07 national and international days celebrated. Remarkable days were, International Mother Language Day, Independence Day, World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, World Blood Donation Day, and International Disaster Risk Reduction Day etc.
	Unit RCY volunteers implemented 12 activities as part of their regular activity. The activities were as follows- 1) National and international day celebration, 2) Group formation, 3) Iftar distribution, 4) Assisted government vaccination campaign, 5) Distribute awareness leaflet, 6) Awareness miking, 7) Health care materials distribution, 8) Relief distribution, 9) Participated in national Polio vaccination program, 10) Orientation for youth volunteers, 11) Dry food distribution, 12) Oxygen cylinder supplied to the patients in free of cost.
	In 2021, each sub-district of Laxmipur district received 95 days of oxygen service, with the help of oxygen cylinders and oxygen concentrators provided from the national headquarters to combat the corona virus. In addition, food was supplied to 200 vulnerable, destitute, and jobless households in the Laxmipur district's Sadar sub-district.




Noakhali Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	95	903
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	00
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	65	75
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	07	06



Activities implemented by unit in 2021

	Group was formed in 31 educational institutes and training was provided to school students where 504 students participated (251 girls and 253 boys).
	35 bags of voluntarily donated blood were collected and distributed among the poor severely ill patients.
	There were four executive committee meetings in which committee members were present. Besides, representatives from the units attended the district level 04 coordination meeting.
	07 national and international days celebrated. Remarkable days were, International Mother Language Day, Independence Day, World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, World Blood Donation Day, and International Disaster Risk Reduction Day etc.
	Relief distribution on Noakhali Unit's own initiative: BDT 5000 was provided to the 05 families impacted by fire occurrences on Noakhali Unit's own initiative.








	Unit RCY volunteers implemented 27 activities as part of their regular activity. The activities were- picnic, winter cloth distribution, vaccination activities, mass vaccination program, iftar distribution, oxygen cylinder service, ambulance service, food package distribution, cash distribution, tree plantation, observation of communal conflict, provided first aid, assisted applicants for administration, Eid reunion, and RFL activities in jail.
	This year the youth volunteers of Noakhali unit have participated in various trainings including Red Cross Red Crescent Basic and First Aid, Information management, training on operating oxygen cylinder, NDWRT, NDRT Training, FBF/A Orientation, RFL, PFA training. Participants attended a total of 16 trainings, with 220 volunteers, 119 of them were female and 121 of whom were male.
	A part of the forcibly displaced Myanmar population was relocated to Bhasanchar in Noakhali in 2021, the unit's volunteers often take part in the Society's relief distribution and survey activities. The 24-hour ambulance and oxygen services provided by the unit are appreciated throughout the district.

Cox's Bazar Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Mae
Life Member (as of 2021)	185	1851
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	03
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	193	524
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	98	269



Activities implemented by unit in 2021

	Group was formed in 23 educational institutes and training was provided to 19 school students where 2,226 students participated (610 girls and 1,616 boys).
	35 bags of voluntarily donated blood were collected and distributed among the poor severely ill patients.
	There were 08 executive committee meetings in which committee members were present. Besides, representatives from the units attended the district level 04 coordination meeting held with district administrative, ICRC, IFRC and other PNSs of Cox's Bazar.
	08 national and international days celebrated. Remarkable days were, Independence Day, National Children Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day, International Disaster Risk Reduction Day, National Mourning Day, Birth Anniversary of Father of Nation Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibar Rahman.
	200 packets iftar has been distributed to vulnerable people on the occasion of World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day by the own initiatives of Cox's Bazar Unit.
	The volunteers of the unit have conducted 6 activities under their regular activities. These include COVID-19 outbreaks, spraying of pesticides at critical locations, awareness programs, response to various disasters, providing overall assistance in relief and rescue operations, COVID-19 vaccination activities, free oxygen treatment for distressed patients, and free oxygen service. The Oral Cholera Vaccine Campaign is one of them.
	This year Red Cross Red Crescent on Basic and First Aid, First Aid Search and Rescue, Trainer Training, Protection and Gender Inclusion, Psychosocial First Aid, Oral Cholera Vaccine, Community Engagement and Accountability, Information Management and Topics Training A total of 434 youth volunteers took part, including 140 women and 294 men.

Khagrachari Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	90	1037
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	08	90
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	80	241
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	20	119



Activities implemented by unit in 2021









	Group was formed in 12 educational institutes and training was provided to school students where 636 students participated (186 girls and 450boys). Besides, 08 teams formed at sub-district level and orientation provided.
	122 bags of voluntarily donated blood were collected and distributed among the poor severely ill patients. In this context, 56 youth volunteers (25 female and 31 males) donated blood directly.
	There were 04 executive committee meetings in which committee members were present. Besides, representatives from the units attended the district level 08 coordination meeting.
	08 national and international days celebrated. Remarkable days were, Independence Day, National Children Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, World Red Cross and Red Crescent Day, International Disaster Risk Reduction Day.
	The unit's volunteers participated in 27 regular events throughout the year, including active engagement in relief and rescue operations, clean-up operations, firefighting drills in case of disaster, and humanitarian accidents at different times.
	The second phase of Infection Prevention and Control (IPC) program has been implemented in 11 government hospitals and health centers to ensure the safety of health workers, doctors, and patients. Under the IPC program, training of cleaners, distribution of various safety equipment and regular monitoring activities are conducted.
	This year 2 basic and primary medical trainings were organized with the participation of Youth Red Crescent members at unit and sub-district level. At the district and sub-district level, the active participation in various programs by the National Headquarters on awareness and prevention of COVID-19 is significant. Apart from this, daily necessities have been given as gifts among the foreign nationals detained in Khagrachhari District Jail. At the same time, trust and confidence in the Red Crescent has increased among the local administration and residents.

Rangamati Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	367	462
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	06	31
Active Volunteers upto 2021	212	336
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	08	14



Activities implemented by unit in 2021




	14 academic institution teams were formed and 2 institution among them got trained on Red Cross Red Crescent Basic and First Aid under RCY co-curriculum activities comprising 795 students (229 girls, 566 boys).
	28 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors through blood donation campaigns and later distributed among critical patients.
	04 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members. In addition, the unit representatives attended in 3 district level emergency and high level coordination meetings.
	06 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, National Mourning Day, and the International day for Disaster Risk Reduction.
	This year Rangamati unit has distributed Iftar in Ramadan, Eid gift items, and cooked food on the National Mourning Day through own arrangements.
	As part of the regular activities being carried out by the RCY volunteers, a total 5 activities have been implemented which includes but not limited to vaccination at district and upazila level, IPC programme, vaccine registration, free of cost oxygen distribution, as well as awareness programming through postering, mask and leaflet distribution.
	1batch first aid and search & rescue training as well as one batch psychological first aid training was organized by the unit where 50 RCY volunteers participated comprising 13 female and 37 male. Apart from this, 10 RCY volunteers took part in a Training of Trainers (ToT) on First Aid, Search & Rescue at Dhaka, organized by the planning and development department through ICRC supported Organizational Development initiative.
	With support from ICRC, three projects are being implemented at this unit namely Economic Security (EcoSec) since 2016, CHT-WASH since 2020, and Organizational Development (OD) since 2016.

Bandarban Red Crescent Unit





Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	58	498
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	03	35
Active Volunteers upto 2021	95	155
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	10	15



Activities implemented by unit in 2021

	35 bags of voluntarily donated blood collected from RCY volunteers (23 female and 12 male) through blood donation campaign and later distributed among critically ill and poor patients.
	07 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, national Disaster Preparedness Day, and the International Day for Disaster Risk Reduction.
	The RCY volunteers at district and upazila level accomplished 15 major initiatives as part of their regular plan of actions. This includes 210 RCY volunteers served at natural calamities as well as human induced disasters such as road accidents and fire incidents through search and rescue, relief, cleanliness campaign either directly or by assisting the national trained forces. Due to having four ongoing projects at the unit, RCY volunteers are getting better opportunities to engage themselves in humanitarian activities. Besides, all the upazilas now have well formed RCY teams to act locally.

Activities implemented by unit in 2021





	04 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members. In addition, the unit representatives attended in 7 district level emergency coordination meetings.
	This year Bandarban unit has distributed emergency relief items among 93 families who are worst affected of COVID-19. This food package contained rice, lentils, edible oil, and salt.
	As part of COVID-19 awareness raising at district and upzila level, Bandarban unit has implemented different activities such as miking, leaflet distribution, disinfectant spraying, and other activities as guided and supported by the BDRCS National Headquarter. In addition, relief and cash grants have been distributed along with supporting other activities undertaken by the unit, DC office, district jail, and Sadar hospital etc. One special activity was miking and leaflet distribution for awareness raising with a view to combating epidemics during dengue season.
	This year, the Bandarban district council provided the unit with BDT 4 crore funds for the vertical expansion of the office building. With this amount, the second floor of the unit office was designed and constructed, which has 15 guest rooms, 1 conference hall, 1 dining space, and 1 warehouse that will be used commercially to generate income.

Chandpur Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	95	525
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	00
Active Volunteers upto 2021	09	42
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	03	10



Noteworthy achievement of the Chandpur Red Crescent unit in 2021







	During this reporting year Chandpur unit received BDT 54,000 from the district council as donation to purchase 200 blankets. In addition, 300 blankets were donated by the UEC members, and 200 more blankets were purchased from unit's own fund. A total 700 blankets were distributed among poor and marginalized people suffered from cold wave this year as a timely support.
	As part of the regular activities being carried out by the RCY volunteers, a total 5 activities have been implemented which includes but not limited to vaccine registration and vaccination at district and upazila level, free of cost oxygen distribution, as well as mask and alcohol pad distribution.
	08 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, Birth anniversary of Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Rahman and National Children's Day, National Mourning Day, and the International day for Disaster Risk Reduction.
	05 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members. In addition, the unit representatives attended in 2 district level emergency coordination meetings.

Brahmanbaria Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	4035	5522
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	04
Active Volunteers upto 2021	18	19
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	13	03



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021:

	03 academic institution teams were formed and trained on Red Cross Red Crescent Basic and First Aid under RCY co-curriculum activities. In addition, 15 member team has been formed as Nabinagar upazila RCY committee.
	This year a total 106 individuals received first aid training from the unit comprising 45 female and 61 male.
	On the World Red Cross Red Crescent Day this year, 8 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors through blood donation campaigns and later distributed among critical patients.
	06 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, National Mourning Day, and the international day for Disaster Risk Reduction. The major activities were rally, wreath laying, and food package distribution among the poor.
	06 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, National Mourning Day, and the international day for Disaster Risk Reduction. The major activities were rally, wreath laying, and food package distribution among the poor.
	The free oxygen service and miking initiative as part of the COVID-19 awareness campaign, the people from all over the district got benefit of this which in return exacerbated the fame of the Brahman Baria unit. Apart from this, RCY volunteer support to the Fire Service and Civil Defense force for search and rescue operation during the boat capsized incident at Loiskar beel under the Bijoyagar upazila were remarkable.



Barishal Division

Red Crescent Unit

Barguna Red Crescent Unit

Barishal Red Crescent Unit

Bhola Red Crescent Unit

Jhalakathi Red Crescent Unit








Patuakhali Red Crescent Unit

Pirojpur Red Crescent Unit

Barguna Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	84	767
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	04	25
Active Volunteers upto 2021	106	270
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	70	140










	22 academic institution teams were formed totaling 1166 students (527 girls and 639 boys) as part of the RCY co-curriculum activities. Among them 954 students (459 girls, 495 boys) got trained on Red Cross Red Crescent Basic and First Aid in 18 batches.
	360 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors (68 female, 292 male) through 6 blood donation campaigns and later distributed among critical patients.
	08 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	15 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, National Mourning Day, and the international day for Disaster Risk Reduction. The main activities include rally, round tables, mock drills where a total 1870 individuals participated comprising 630 female and 1240 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing on-demand free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	1batch first aid and search & rescue training was organized by the unit where 30 RCY volunteers participated comprising 6 female and 24 male.
	15 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 454 people participated comprising 120 female and 334 male.

Barishal Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	220	996
Life Member (New Inclusion in 2021)	2	2
Active Volunteers upto 2021	105	244
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	15	22



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021






	15 academic institution teams were formed totaling 795 students (355 girls and 440 boys) as part of the RCY co-curriculum activities.
	15 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors (3 female, 12 male) through 1 blood donation campaign and later distributed among critical patients.
	5 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	6 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussion sessions, mock drills where a total 120 individuals participated comprising 35 female and 85 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing on-demand free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	1 batch first aid and search & rescue training was organized by the unit where 30 RCY volunteers participated comprising 10 female and 20 male.
	1 emergency coordination meeting took place this year where 7 people participated comprising 1 female and 6 male.




Bhola Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	61	830
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	00
Active Volunteers upto 2021	28	57
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	10	17



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021

	6 academic institution teams were formed totaling 90 students (31 girls and 59 boys) as part of the RCY co-curriculum activities. Among them 30 students (12 girls, 18 boys) got trained on Red Cross Red Crescent Basic and First Aid in 2 batches.
	10 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors (3 female, 7 male) through 1 blood donation campaign and later distributed among critical patients.
	4 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where important decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	7 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, National Mourning Day, and the international day for Disaster Risk Reduction. The main activities include rally, round tables, mock drills where a total 250 individuals participated comprising 75 female and 175 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing on-demand free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.








	1 batch first aid and search & rescue as well as 1 batch RFL trainings were organized by the unit where 30 RCY volunteers participated comprising 12 female and 18 male.
	11 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 57 people participated comprising 22 female and 35 male.
	423 people (123 female and 250 male) received relief items through own initiatives by the unit.

Jhalakathi Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	44	353
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	03
Active Volunteers upto 2021	33	97
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	08	15



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021









	6 academic institution teams were formed totaling 90 students (35 girls and 55 boys) as part of the RCY co-curriculum activities.
	24 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors (3 female, 21 male) through 2 blood donation campaigns and later distributed among critical patients.
	6 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where important decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	6 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, National Mourning Day, and the international day for Disaster Risk Reduction. The main activities include rally, round tables, mock drills where a total 105 individuals participated comprising 50 female and 55 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing on-demand free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	1 batch first aid and search & rescue training was organized by the unit where 30 RCY volunteers participated comprising 9 female and 21 male.
	5 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 80 people participated comprising 30 female and 50 male.

Patuakhali Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	142	623
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	5	18
Active Volunteers upto 2021	40	119
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	24	83












Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021

	18 academic institution teams were formed totaling 1094 students (620 girls and 474 boys) as part of the RCY co-curriculum activities.
	1094 students (620 girls and 474 boys) from 18 academic institutions got trained on Red Cross Red Crescent Basic and First Aid in 18 batches.
	170 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors (128 female, 42 male) through 4 blood donation campaigns and later distributed among critical patients.
	10 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where important decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	18 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, National Mourning Day, and the international day for Disaster Risk Reduction. The main activities include rally, round tables, mock drills where a total 1870 individuals participated comprising 620 female and 1250 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing on-demand free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	1batch first aid and search & rescue training was organized by the unit where 28 RCY volunteers participated comprising 8 female and 20 male.
	12 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 371 people participated comprising 128 female and 243 male.

Pirojpur Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	61	830
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	00
Active Volunteers upto 2021	28	57
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	10	17

	34 academic institution teams were formed totaling 2152 students (749 girls and 1403 boys) as part of the RCY co-curriculum activities.
	265 students (53 girls and 212 boys) from 5 academic institutions under RCY co-curriculum got trained on Red Cross Red Crescent Basic and First Aid in 5 batches.
	7 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors (2 female, 5 male) through 1 blood donation campaign and later distributed among critical patients.
	5 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where important decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	6 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. This includes International Mother Language Day, National Independence Day, World Red Cross Red Crescent Day, National Disaster Preparedness Day, National Mourning Day, and the international day for Disaster Risk Reduction. The main activities include rally, round tables, mock drills where a total 424 individuals participated comprising 166 female and 258 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing on-demand free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	5 batch first aid and search & rescue trainings were organized by the unit where 336 RCY volunteers participated comprising 67 female and 269 male.
	12 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 156 people participated comprising 31 female and 125 male.
	395 people (130 female and 265 male) received relief items through own initiatives by the unit.



Khulna Division

Red Crescent Unit

Bagerhat Red Crescent Unit
Chuadanga Red Crescent Unit
Jashore Red Crescent Unit
Jhenaidah Red Crescent Unit
Khulna City Red Crescent Unit
Khulna District Red Crescent Unit
Kushtia Red Crescent Unit
Meherpur Red Crescent Unit
Narail Red Crescent Unit
Satkhira Red Crescent Unit
Magura Red Crescent Unit

Bagerhat Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	537	2187
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	1	6
Active Volunteers upto 2021	30	66
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	12	30



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021







	6 academic institution teams were formed totaling 90 students (18 girls and 72 boys) as part of the RCY co-curriculum activities.
	150 students (35 girls and 115 boys) from 6 academic institutions under RCY co-curriculum got trained on Red Cross Red Crescent Basic and First Aid in 18 batches.
	58 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors (12 female, 46 male) through 3 blood donation campaigns and later distributed among critical patients.
	20 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	10 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills where a total 544 individuals participated comprising 107 female and 437 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	8 batch first aid and search & rescue trainings were organized by the unit where 68 RCY volunteers participated comprising 25 female and 43 male.
	3 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 100 people participated comprising 18 female and 82 male.

Chuadanga Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	120	1462
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	1	11
Active Volunteers upto 2021	15	30
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	2	3



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021





	15 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors (10 female, 5 male) through 1 blood donation campaign and later distributed among critical patients.
	6 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	5 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills where a total 125 individuals participated comprising 33 female and 92 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	4 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 80 people participated comprising 20 female and 60 male.
	500 people (235 female and 265 male) received relief items through own initiatives by the unit.






Jashore Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	86	872
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	00
Active Volunteers upto 2021	30	50
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	1	3



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021

	500 ultra-poor families who are also severely affected due to COVID-19 received cash grant of BDT 2500 each through mobile financial services (MFS) of Bangladesh Postal Service in the Jashore Sadar upazila and Municipality area. In addition, 13 families having person with disabilities from Keshabpur and Monirampur upazila received BDT 5000 each through the same MFS.
	150 bags of blood were donated by the RCY volunteers of Jashore unit to save lives of injured and critically ill patients. Apart from this, 4473 bags of voluntarily donated blood have been provided through the blood bank of this unit. The actual collection in the year 2021 was 4328 bags. Moreover, the unit conducted blood grouping of 365 donors.
	7 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills where a total 458 individuals participated comprising 184 female and 274 males.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.





	RCY volunteers of the unit shared necessary information of a Pakistani prisoner to his family through RFL message form. Apart from this, gift items provided by BDRCS National Headquarter were provided among foreigner prisoners in Jashore jail.
	156 poor and helpless COVID-19 infected patients received ambulance support by the RCY volunteers for reaching hospital from home or vice-versa. This process was facilitated by initiating the phone call hotline service.
	104 poor and helpless COVID-19 infected patients were provided free of cost oxygen service through the phone call hotline service.
	9000 individuals received cooked food packets (300 per day for 30 days) by the unit as provided by the BDRCS National Headquarter under COVID-19 response initiative.
	The Unit Executive Committee members, ULO and RCY volunteers warmly welcomed the Honorable Chairman of BDRCS at Jashore airport on his first visit after getting appointed.

Jhenaidah Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	54	732
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	01	17
Active Volunteers upto 2021	12	28
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	06	18



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021

	230 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors through 2 blood donation campaigns and later distributed among critical patients.
	6 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	6 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills where a total 180 individuals participated comprising 60 female and 120 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.

Khulna City Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	106	619
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	00
Active Volunteers upto 2021	15	22
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	22	48



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021

	843 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors (112 female, 731 male) through blood donation campaigns and later distributed among critical patients.
	16 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	9 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	8 batch first aid and search & rescue trainings were organized by the unit where 109 RCY volunteers participated comprising 62 female and 47 male.
	8 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where unit representatives attended.





Khulna District Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	27	55
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	0	2
Active Volunteers upto 2021	16	5
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	5	8



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021

	79 bags of blood collected in 2021 from voluntary donors (28 female, 51 male) through blood donation campaigns and later distributed among injured and other critical patients.
	9 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.









	5 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills where a total 472 individuals participated comprising 165 female and 307 male.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	1 batch first aid and search & rescue, and CAT capacity building training were organized by the unit where 34 RCY volunteers participated comprising 14 female and 20 male.
	6 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 95 unit representatives comprising 39 female and 56 male attended.

Kushtia Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	166	937
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	1	8
Active Volunteers upto 2021	25	31
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	7	23



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021

	18 academic institution teams were formed totaling 945 students (494 girls and 451 boys) as part of the RCY co-curriculum activities.
	24 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors through 7 blood donation campaigns and later distributed among 20 female and 4 male injured or critical patients.
	4 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	6 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills where a total 107 individuals participated comprising 33 female and 74 males.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	2 batch first aid and search & rescue as well as psychosocial first aid trainings were organized by the unit where 38 RCY volunteers participated comprising 14 female and 24 male.
	5 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 83 people participated comprising 25 female and 58 male.
	1550 individuals (1300 women and 250 men) received relief support including cash grant and food parcels from the unit.

Meherpur Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	32	289
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	00
Active Volunteers upto 2021	15	20
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	2	3



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021:










	4 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	8 bags of blood collected from voluntary donors through 1 blood donation campaign and later distributed among 3 female and 5 male injured or critical patients.
	5 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills where a total 153 individuals participated comprising 58 female and 95 males.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	1 batch psychosocial first aid training was organized by the unit where 30 RCY volunteers participated comprising 10 female and 20 male.
	2 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 40 people participated comprising 10 female and 30 male.
	400 individuals (142 women and 258 men) received food packages from the unit as provided by the BDRCS National Headquarter.

Narail Red Crescent Unit:

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	51	507
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	1
Active Volunteers upto 2021	23	54
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	8	18



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021




	195 bags of blood collected in the year 2021 from voluntary donors through blood donation campaigns and later distributed among 27 female and 168 male injured and critical patients.
	12 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	8 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	1 batch first aid, search & rescue training was organized by the unit where 20 RCY volunteers participated comprising 12 female and 8 male.
	7 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 7 people participated comprising 2 female and 5 male.
	300 blankets received from BDRCS NHQ and distributed among poor and marginalized people.
	300 poor and helpless COVID-19 infected patients received ambulance support by the RCY volunteers to either reaching hospital from home or vice-versa. This process was facilitated by initiating the phone call hotline service.
	560 poor and helpless COVID-19 infected patients were provided free of cost oxygen service through the phone call hotline service.
	9000 individuals received cooked food packets (300 per day for 30 days) by the unit as provided by the BDRCS National Headquarter under COVID-19 response initiative.






Satkhira Red Crescent Unit:

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	105	1101
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	00	8
Active Volunteers upto 2021	12	28
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	6	12



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021

	2 academic institution teams were formed totaling 30 students (5 girls and 25 boys) as part of the RCY co-curriculum activities.
	72 bags of blood collected during the year 2021 from voluntary donors through blood donation campaigns and later distributed among 12 female and 60 male injured and critical patients.
	7 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.






	4 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	1 batch first aid and search & rescue training was organized by the unit where 30 RCY volunteers participated comprising 10 female and 20 male.
	8 emergency coordination meetings took place throughout the year where 40 people participated comprising 12 female and 28 male.
	3871 individuals (1760 women and 2111 men) received relief support through the unit's own initiative.

Magura Red Crescent Unit

Life member and youth volunteer information	Female	Male
Life member up to 2021	52	485
Life member (new inclusion in 2021)	2	5
Active Volunteers upto 2021	15	40
Active Volunteer (new inclusion in 2021)	8	22



Noteworthy achievements of the unit in 2021

	480 bags of blood collected during the year 2021 from voluntary donors through blood donation campaigns and later distributed among injured or critical patients.
	6 executive Meetings took place in participation of UEC members where decisions have been taken on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, national and international day celebration initiatives.
	6 national and international days were celebrated by the unit during this reporting year. The main activities include rally, round table discussions, mock drills where a total 195 individuals participated comprising 65 female and 130 males.
	To facilitate the COVID-19 vaccination program being implemented by the Government of Bangladesh, RCY volunteers from the unit have assisted on the regular basis. Moreover, RCY volunteers dedicatedly worked for providing free of cost oxygen support to the COVID-19 infected patients. Apart from this, RCY volunteers took part in mask and leaflet distribution, food package distribution and other emergency humanitarian activities.
	600 individuals (210 women and 390 men) received food packages through the unit's own initiative.



Mymensingh Division

Red Crescent Unit

Jamalpur Red Crescent Unit

Mymensingh Red Crescent Unit

Netrakona Red Crescent Unit









Sherpur Red Crescent Unit

Jamalpur Red Crescent Unit



Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	66	690
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	05
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	30	90
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	15	25

Activities implemented by the unit in 2021:

	Under the Co curriculum programme, 05 teams were formed with 265 members (106 female and 159 male).
	The blood donation programme was implemented by the unit, and 143 people received blood among them 19 women and 124 were men.
	Iftar (cooked khichuri) was distributed on the unit's own initiative to a total of 300 low-income people, including 160 women, 110 men, and 30 people with disabilities, who were under lockdown due to COVID-19.
	Six executive meetings were held in the presence of members of the Executive Committee where important decisions were taken on emergency activities including relief distribution, COVID-19 response and day celebrations.
	The unit observed seven national and international days, which were commemorated by rallies and discussion meetings.
	Volunteers from the unit have participated actively in the unit's numerous operations and have assisted with the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Volunteers were also engaged to deliver on-demand oxygen to a COVID-19 infected person and to raise awareness about the COVID-19 vaccination. Furthermore, with their active participation, food packages, cash distribution, mask and hand sanitizer distribution, and post-distribution monitoring were carried out.
	The unit participated in 7 different coordination meetings.
	The unit organized training in psychological first aid (PFA), PGI, SGBV, Child Protection (CP), and anti-trafficking for 45 people, including 13 women and 32 men.

Mymensingh Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	132	951
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	3
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	18	80
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	9	20



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021

	Under the Co curriculum programme, youth red crescent teams have been formed in 4 sub district and 9 more Sub district are in under process. A total of 125 student, including 35 female and 90 males, were included under the programme.
	The blood donation programme was implemented by the unit, and 160 bags of blood were distributed to 105 women, 45 men, and 10 people with disabilities.
	Six executive meetings were held in the presence of 11 members of the Executive Committee where important decisions were taken regarding COVID-19 response, participation in vaccination activities, discussion on Youth Volunteer co-curriculum activities and other emergency activities.
	Five national and international days were celebrated by the unit. Rallies, discussion meetings and rehearsals were held to celebrate these days in which a total of 310 people, including 240 women and 70 men, were present.
	The unit's volunteers have participated actively in the unit's numerous operations and have assisted with the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Volunteers were also engaged to provide free and on-demand oxygen service to the COVID-19-infected person.
	A total of 30 people, including 6 women and 24 men, attended a training on first aid, search and rescue organized by the unit.
	Four different coordination meetings were held on behalf of the unit to determine the strategy to implement COVID-19 response operations.
	On behalf of the unit, 2 people participated in the RFL training, 2 in the MHM training, and 2 people participated in the NDRT/NDWRT training organized by the national headquarter.

Netrakona Red Crescent Unit



Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	224	1212
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	0	8
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	31	58
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	9	20

Activities implemented by the unit in 2021









	Under the Co curriculum programme, 05 teams have been formed in 4 Sub District, 4 schools and 1 college with 161 student (66 female and 95 male).
	Basic and first aid training was offered in five batches comprising 173 participants under the Co curriculum program among them 60 female and 113 are male.
	The blood donation program is run by the unit, and blood is donated to 40 persons through it (9 women and 31 men).
	Eight executive meetings were held in the presence of ten Executive Committee members, during which important decisions were made on relief distribution, COVID-19 response, oxygen services, vaccination program and Youth Volunteer co-curriculum, SDSC project and office development activities, and other emergency activities.
	On the unit's own initiative, 400 women, 1400 men, and 200 people with disabilities received free masks, and public awareness campaigns were carried out.
	The unit observed eight national and international days. Rallies, discussion meetings, and rehearsals were held to commemorate these days, and a total of 660 persons attended, including 120 women and 440 men.
	The unit organized five training on first aid, search and rescue in which a total of 173 participants, including 60 women and 113 men, participated.
	The unit participated in two different coordination meetings to develop strategy for carrying out COVID-19 activities, with a total of 93 persons attended there, including 1 disabled person, 32 women, and 66 men.
	The unit's 31 female and 58 male volunteers participated actively in the unit's several operations and collaborated with the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Volunteers also assisted actively in mask distribution, soap distribution, hand sanitizer distribution, awareness events, miking, and volunteer blood donation events.

Sherpur Red Crescent Unit

Life member and active volunteer information of the unit	Female	Male
Life Member (Up to 2021)	42	567
Life Member (Inclusion of new in 2021)	06	62
Active Volunteer (Up to 2021)	14	31
Active Volunteer (Inclusion of new in 2021)	04	11



Activities implemented by the unit in 2021:

	As part of the Co-curricular program, 12 teams comprising 636 participants (287 females, 342 males, and 7 people with special needs) were formed.
	Training is provided in 6 batches under the Co curriculum programme.
	Two blood donation programs were held, through which 724 bags of blood were donated.
	Eight executive meetings were held in the presence of 11 members of the Executive Committee, during which significant decisions on relief distribution, COVID-19 reaction, discussions on oxygen services, vaccination programs, office development efforts, and emergency operations were made.
	15 national and international days were observed by the unit. Rallies, discussion meetings, and rehearsals were held to commemorate these days, and a total of 1870 persons attended, including 630 women and 1240 me
	The unit's 31 female and 58 male volunteers participated actively in the unit's numerous operations and collaborated with the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Furthermore, volunteers also actively participated in activities such as oxygen services, food package distribution, awareness activities, miking, voluntary blood donation, and so on.
	The unit conducted one training in first aid, search and rescue, with a total of 26 participants, including 8 women and 18 males.
	The unit representative attended in one coordination meeting, with a total of five participants, including one woman and four men.

Rajshahi Division

Red Crescent Unit

Chapainawabganj Red Crescent Unit
Naogaon Red Crescent Unit
Natore Red Crescent Unit
Rajshahi City Red Crescent Unit
Rajshahi District Red Crescent Unit
Sirajganj Red Crescent Unit
Bogura Red Crescent Unit
Pabna Red Crescent Unit
Joypurhat Red Crescent Unit

FIRST AID KIT

Chapainawabganj Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	62	1001
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	03
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	20	30
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	25	35



Disinfected Activities

Different activities of the unit in 2021:

- 04 RCY volunteers (01 female, 03 males) from unit participated in BDRCS Central Database and Management System (CDIMS) workshop, RFL workshop and WASH training.



23 team formed under co-curriculum activities



10 executive committee meetings were held



06 youth volunteer's events were organized



01 day national and international celebrated

Naogaon Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	63	818
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	01	05
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	01	05
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	20	35



Different activities of the unit in 2021:



Under co-curriculum activities 02 RCRC basic and first aid training held



Blood supplied to 15 individuals voluntarily



10 executive committee meeting and 07 coordination meeting were held



10 youth volunteer's events organized



Under 09 relief distribution, food package, hygiene kits and dignity kits distributed



08 national and international days observed

Nator Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	54	380
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	04
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	15	42
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	07	05



At a glance
regular activities
of Nator Red
Crescent Unit



Under co-curriculum activities 05 coordination meetings were held



22 teams formed under co-curriculum activities



08 executive committee meeting and 02 coordination meetings were held



06 youth volunteers event organized



05 national and international days celebrated



04 RCY volunteers (01 female, 03 males) from unit participated in BDRCS Central Database and Management System (CDMIS) workshop, RFL workshop and WASH training.



Under the co-curricular activities, basic and primary medical training for volunteers is conducted in 2 educational institutions and units where 71 women and 45 men participate.

Rajshahi City Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	43	239
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	02
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	42	75
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	10	25



Regular activities of Rajshahi City unit



10 teams formed under co-curriculum activities



Under co-curriculum activities 02 RCRC basic and first aid training held



Under 04 blood donation program 50 bags safe blood collected and supplied



05 executive committee meetings and 03 coordination meetings held



16 youth volunteer's events organized



06 national and international days celebrated

Rajshahi District Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	99	289
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	06	09
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	12	37
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	12	17



Different activities of Rajshahi District unit in 2021



04 teams formed under co-curriculum activities



07 executive committee meetings and coordination meetings were held



05 youth led program were organized



02 national and international days celebrated

Sirajganj Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	23	1082
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	01	01
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	1969	2458
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	381	448



Regular activities of Bogura unit



33 teams formed under co-curriculum activities



01 fund raising activity implemented



Relief distributed to the community received from NHQ



13 youth volunteer's events organized



09 executive committee meetings and 03 coordination meetings were held



05 national and international days celebrated

Bogura Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	23	1082
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	01	01
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	1969	2458
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	381	448



At a glance, regular activities of the Bogura unit

- 02 RCRC basic and First Aid trainings were organized with the participation of RCY youth volunteers of the unit.
- The unit provided food, blankets, and hygiene parcels that were received from National Head Quarters, as well as cooked food to the distressed people on its own initiative.
- Safe drinking water was distributed to 4,000 people during flood as well as 01 tub-well and 01 latrine renovated and repaired in the community.
- Awareness activities were executed as part of COVID-19 response operation.
- Oxygen cylinder service and emergency ambulance service were provided to COVID-19 infected people as part of COVID-19 response operation.
- As an auxiliary to the Bangladesh government, RCY volunteers assisted with national vaccination and vitamin 'A' plus campaign.
- BDT 100000 (one lakh) donation was collected through 02 different fundraising initiatives in order to build unit office.



17 RCRC basic and first aid trainings were held under co-curriculum activities



Blood donated to 15 severely ill people



05 executive committee meetings and 01 coordination meetings were held



63 Red Crescent Youth lead activities organized



07 national and international days celebrated

Pabna Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	179	1249
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	02	03
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	30	55
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	15	20



At a glance, regular activities of the Pabna unit



20 teams formed under co-curriculum activities



05 RCRC basic and first aid training were held under co-curriculum activities



05 bags safe blood supplied



04 executive committee meetings and 05 co-ordination meetings were held



20 RCY volunteer's activities were organized



12 national and international days celebrated

- As part of COVID-19 response operation, awareness programs were executed as well as volunteers participated in vaccination program.
- Oxygen cylinder service and emergency ambulance service were provided to COVID-19 infected people as part of COVID-19 response operation.
- 02 donation collection initiatives organized.
- On Unit own initiative, food was delivered to 100 families.

Joypurhat Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	176	1557
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	02	01
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	15	35
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	15	25



At a glance, different activities of the Joypurhat unit



04-unit executive committee meetings and 05 coordination meetings were held



20 RCY volunteer's events were organized



12 national and international days were celebrated

RCY volunteers donated safe blood to the 120 individuals in different hospitals and clinics.



Rangpur Division

Red Crescent Unit

Rangpur Red Crescent Unit
Kurigram Red Crescent Unit
Dinajpur Red Crescent Unit
Lalmonirhat Red Crescent Unit
Nilphamari Red Crescent Unit
Panchagarh Red Crescent Unit
Thakurgaon Red Crescent Unit
Gaibandha Red Crescent Unit

Rangpur Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	131	443
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	02
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	55	105
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	66	66



COVID-19 response activities by the unit

- On its own initiative, COVID-19 has distributed a total of 1800 packets of cooked food among the affected people, including 855 women, 945 men and 100 special needs.
- Leaflet and spray activities are conducted in various public and private hospitals and various institutions to prevent corona virus. The service has been provided to an estimated 4,105 people, of whom 1,572 are women, 2,263 are men and 250 have special needs.
- In order to manage the activities of COVID-19, the unit maintains social distance and participates in coordination meetings with government and non-government organizations.



Regular activities implemented by the unit

- Co- curriculum Activities: Under this program a team of 1325 members was formed from different educational institutions with 592 females, 630 males and 3 special needs.
- Executive Meeting: 6 executive meetings were held where a total of 50 members including 8 female and 42 male members were present.
- Blood Donation Program: Under the Voluntary Blood Donation Program, 198 bags of blood were supplied to 196 persons with 592 women, 630 men and 3 persons with special needs.
- Day Celebrations: The unit has celebrated various international and national days on its own initiative. A total of 320 people participated in the celebration of these days out of which 125 were women and 195 were men.



Kurigram Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	71	572
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	08
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	23	69
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	10	15



Regular activities implemented by the unit

- Youth Red Crescent Team Formation: A 156-member youth committee was formed in 5 upazilas of Kurigram district with 21 women and 137 men.
- Blood Donation Program: Under the voluntary blood donation program, 120 bags of blood are supplied to 120 persons where 60 women, 30 men and 20 persons with special needs are met.
- Executive Meetings: 6 executive meetings are held where various important decisions are taken for the implementation of the activities of the unit.
- Day Celebrations: The unit has celebrated 6 international and national days on its own initiative. Discussion meeting was held highlighting the significance of the day.
- Training: RCRC Basic and First Aid training is arranged for the volunteers of the unit. Through this training, the volunteers get a clear idea about basic care and RCRC basics.

COVID-19 response activities by the unit

- On the initiative of the unit, food has been distributed among the affected people of COVID-19. The government's immunization program is supported by volunteers from the unit.
- Leaflets and disinfectant activities are conducted in various government and non-government hospitals and various institutions to prevent corona virus.



Dinajpur Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	177	1014
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	06	40
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	23	69
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	10	15



Under the co-curricular activities, 8 teams were formed with 265 members (128 female and 157 male).



A blood donation program was conducted through which blood was supplied to 20 people (08 women and 13 men).



Four executive meetings were held in the presence of the members of the executive council where important discussions were held on urgent activities including relief distribution, COVID-19 response, and celebration of the day.



A blood donation program was conducted through which blood was supplied to 20 people (08 women and 13 men).



Volunteers of the unit have provided regular assistance in the government's COVID-19 vaccination program. Volunteers were also involved in providing oxygen as per the demand for the person affected by COVID-19. In addition to the activities mentioned above, volunteers were involved in distributing food packages and distributing masks at various times.

Lalmohirhat Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	506	386
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	01	01
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	09	20
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	02	02



Regular activities implemented by the unit

1 Red Cross Red Crescent basic, First Aid and 1 Search and Rescue training was organized for the volunteers of the unit where 15 volunteers participated including 04 women and 11 men.	06 executive meetings were held where unit executive members were present.
The unit has celebrated 08 international and national days on its own initiative (50 people participated in the program including 20 women and 30 men)	The unit has celebrated 08 international and national days on its own initiative (50 people participated in the program including 20 women and 30 men)

COVID-19 response activities

In addition to the regular activities of the unit, various activities have been conducted this year as per the Covid plan of the society considering the Covid situation. It is to be noted that these activities are implemented through the active and spontaneous participation of 50 volunteers (20 female and 30 male).

Mentionable activities are as follows:

- Assisted by providing volunteers for the government's regular COVID-19 vaccination program
- Full support was provided by employing volunteers in the government's COVID-19 mass vaccination program.
- Masks were distributed to the general public on behalf of the unit.



Nilphamari Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	70	712
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	01
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	15	50
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	30	20





Executive Meeting: 5 meetings were held in the presence of the members of the Executive Council of the unit where important decisions were taken on urgent matters including relief distribution and COVID-19 response activities.



Day Celebration: The unit has celebrated 09 international and national days on its own initiative. To celebrate these days, rallies, discussion meetings and simulation were held.



Youth Committee Meeting: The implementation of youth activities of the unit is discussed in the youth committee meeting. A total of 15 volunteers participated in this discussion meeting out of which 5 were women and 10 were men.



COVID-19 Response Activities by the Unit: On the initiative of the unit, food has been distributed among the affected people in COVID-19 and oxygen services have been provided to the affected people as per the need. As an auxiliary to the government, the unit provides support to the government's immunization program by employing volunteers.



Panchagarh Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	49	314
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	00
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	25	45
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	10	15



Major accomplishment by unit

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15-member youth committees were formed in 4 sub-districts. These sub-districts committee was formed with 20 female and 40 male members.

Food items have been distributed among 400 people infected with COVID-19.

1 executive meeting was held where corona virus, annual meeting and election were discussed.

COVID-19 response activities



In addition to the regular activities of the unit, various activities have been conducted this year as per the Covid plan of the society considering the Covid situation. It is to be noted that these activities were implemented through the active and spontaneous participation of 16 volunteers. Mentionable activities are as follows

- Assisted by providing volunteers for the government's regular COVID-19 vaccination program
- Leaflets, sanitizers and masks were distributed by the unit to make the general public aware. In addition, the service is provided with oxygen cylinders as per the need of the people suffering from COVID-19.

Thakurgaon Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	64	271
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	00
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	24	40
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	21	25



COVID-19 response activities by the unit

Regular activities implemented by the unit

- Youth Red Crescent team formed: Youth committee was formed with 15 members in 3 upazilas of Thakurgaon district.
- Executive meeting: 1 executive meeting was held where 1 female and 6 male members were present.
- Relief distribution: 400 food packages sent from the national headquarters were distributed among the helpless, poor and people affected by COVID-19.



16 volunteers have actively participated in this response program out of which 5 are women and 13 are men.



Awareness leaflets are distributed on the topic of getting vaccinated against corona virus.



The unit assisted government's immunization program by recruiting youth volunteers.



Distribution of mask and sanitizer



Oxygen cylinder distribution

Gaibandha Red Crescent Unit

Life Member and Active Red Crescent (RCY) Volunteers	Female	Male
Life Member (as of 2021)	385	536
Life Member (new enrollment in 2021)	00	12
Active RCY volunteer (as of 2021)	21	36
RCY volunteers (new enrollment in 2021)	12	18



COVID-19 response activities by the unit

Regular activities implemented by the unit

Relief distribution: 400 food packages sent from the national headquarters were distributed among the helpless, poor and people affected by COVID-19.
Day Celebration: The unit has celebrated 08 international and national days on its own initiative. A total of 58 individuals including 25 female and 33 males were participated the events.

Under the initiative of the unit, masks, and sanitizers along with food have been distributed among the affected people of COVID-19. The government's immunization program is supported by the provision of volunteers by the unit. In addition, oxygen and ambulance services were provided to the person affected by COVID -19. Eighty volunteers actively and voluntarily participated in the COVID -19 response program, including 25 female and 35 male volunteers.

Sylhet Division



Red Crescent Units

Sylhet Red Crescent Unit
Moulvibazar Red Crescent Unit
Habiganj Red Crescent Unit
Sunamganj Red Crescent Unit

Sylhet Red Crescent Unit

Life Members and Active RCY Volunteers: Update of year 2021 (persons)	Female	Male
Life Members (as of 2021)	218	4020
Life Members (new enrolment in 2021)	02	18
Active Volunteers (as of 2021)	115	110
Active volunteers (new enrolment in 2021)	70	103



50 teams formed with 3187 members (1390 female and 1970 male students) under the RCY Co-Curriculum Activities.



Four national and international days were observed by the Unit. As a part of those days observance program, rallies, discussion meetings, mock drills, etc. were organized where a total of 47 people including 12 females and 35 males participated.



230

Events of various activities related to volunteers were organized



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Meetings of Unit Executive Committee members were conducted.



37

Events of blood collection campaign conducted

- With the own initiative of the Unit, 7 relief distribution programs were organized. In the month of Ramadan Sehri and Iftar items were distributed among a total of 1400 people among which 80 were female, 1200 were male and 120 were persons with disabilities.
- COVID-19 vaccination program was functioned through active participation of RCY volunteers of the Unit.
- First Aid Training, Search and Rescue Training, workshop on BDRCS Central Database and Management Information System (CDMIS) and in various other workshops were organized by the Society where 339 individuals (Female -129, Male-210) including RCY volunteers participated from the Unit.
- First Aid, Search and Rescue training was organized in participation of 30 RCY volunteers. The training was organized under the OD project of Planning and Development Department with financial support from ICRC.

Moulvibazar Red Crescent Unit

Life Members and Active RCY Volunteers: Update of year 2021 (persons)	Female	Male
Life Members (as of 2021)	48	1067
Life Members (new enrolment in 2021)	00	09
Active Volunteers (as of 2021)	28	42
Active volunteers (new enrolment in 2021)	6	15



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Different events of activities related to volunteers were organized



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Meetings of Unit Executive Committee meetings were conducted.



15

coordination meetings were conducted.



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National & International Day's Celebrated

- Safe blood collection through 37 blood collection campaigns, and 3 relief distribution programs were organized at the own initiative of the Unit. Cooked food, masks, and hand sanitizers were distributed among a total of 5,000 people (2,000 females and 3,000 males).
- A total of 33 RCY volunteers (13 female and 20 male RCY) participated in Training on First Aid, Training on RFL, NDRT Training, Workshop on BDRCS Central Database and Management Information System (CDMIS) and in various other workshops organized by the Society.

Habiganj Red Crescent Unit

Life Members and Active RCY Volunteers: Update of year 2021 (persons)	Female	Male
Life Members (as of 2021)	19	410
Life Members (new enrolment in 2021)	00	00
Active Volunteers (as of 2021)	21	29
Active volunteers (new enrolment in 2021)	9	15



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Different events of activities related to RCY volunteers were organized



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Meetings of Unit Executive Committee members meetings were conducted.



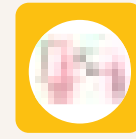
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National & International Days Observed



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Upazila Red Crescent Youth Team were formed.



At the own initiative of the Unit, two relief distribution programs were organized. Cooked food was distributed among 1100 female, 700 male, and 200 persons with disabilities.

Sunamganj Red Crescent Unit

Life Members and Active RCY Volunteers: Update of year 2021 (persons)	Female	Male
Life Members (as of 2021)	53	410
Life Members (new enrolment in 2021)	03	00
Active Volunteers (as of 2021)	9	23
Active volunteers (new enrolment in 2021)	5	8



At the own initiative of the Unit Iftar items were distributed among 50 families.



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Meetings of Unit Executive Committee members meetings 4 Coordination meetings were organized.



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Different events of activities related to RCY volunteers were organized



50

Units of safe blood were donated through voluntary blood donation among 50 patients in different hospitals and clinics.



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batches of RCRC Basic and First Aid Trainings were organized under RCY Co-Curriculum activities.



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National and International day observation programs organized.

