

Management response

Evaluation: DPRK RCS/IFRC Floods Operation 2011 (MDRPKP003)

I. Assessment, distribution of relief items and planning stage

Recommendation 1:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To enhance the assessment capacity of DPRK RC branches to provide timely and comprehensive assessment report. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country delegation			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Conduct assessment workshop with technical support of DMU and Regional delegation targeting the HQ and branch staff	April, 2013	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			
Recommendation 2:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Post distribution survey should be in place after distributions of relief items which also serve as a mean of reviewing suitability of the items, distribution procedure and obtain beneficiaries feedback. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country delegation			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Provide DPRK RCS staff with the opportunity for international training in such skills	May, 2013	IFRC delegation
	Conduct simulation exercise involving NDRT and PDRTs	June, 2013	DPRK RC
Comments: N/A			

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Recommendation 3:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Investigate possibilities and planning for baseline study in IFRC project areas in DPRK for better impact study. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country delegation			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Partially accepted	Provide DPRK RCS staff with possibilities for international training and cross learning opportunity Develop guideline for baseline study suitable to the DPRK	2014 2014	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			
Recommendation 4:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To investigate inclusion of longer-term recovery aspects, such as livelihoods support, in future disaster interventions. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Continue to build up the relevant capacity through implementation of community based rehabilitation and recovery projects including livelihood and food security. Pilot a longer-term recovery project that links emergency operation to livelihood support in the next disaster event	Ongoing	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			

II. Health/Water and Sanitation

Recommendation 5:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To further build up DPRK RCS psychosocial support capacity in emergencies by establishing links with IFRC technical points and other partner national societies with experience in this field. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Provide DPRK RCS staff with opportunity for international training and cross learning opportunities (some DPRK Staff members and health delegate are attending similar course in Beijing).	2014	IFRC delegation
	Develop the PSS guideline suitable to the context of DPRK Conduct volunteer training	2014	DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			
Recommendation 6:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To reduce the risk of outbreaks of diseases in disaster affected areas and to develop DPRK RCS capacity in helping to prevent epidemic-prone and communicable diseases through establishment of early warning and alert systems. (E.g. include data collection from service providers and communities, its analysis and dissemination in cooperation with the Ministry of Health through regular meetings, joint trainings/workshops and efficient exchange of information). 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Conduct stakeholder meeting to discuss possible establishments of early warning and alert system	June, 2013	DPRK RCS
	Develop guideline and pilot a project to establish such system in conjunction with community based disaster preparedness projects	June, 2014	
Comments:			
Recommendation 7:			

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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To facilitate inclusion of DPRK RCS's health department representative in interagency health cluster meetings. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted		Ongoing	IFRC delegation
Comments: Health Delegate will continue to explore possibilities and inform NS for the same.			

III. Shelter

Recommendation 8:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A final review on the quality of the shelter should be undertaken with DPRK RCS, IFRC, the State Academy of Sciences and relevant government authorities. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Partially accepted	Quality check on the shelters	February, 2013	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: Budget constraints in checking every homes built.			
Recommendation 9:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Realistic timeline should be expected and set depending on essential factors that would affect construction process such as climate, farming season, labor availability and time needed for procure and deliver materials for future shelter programming 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Review on the timeline and include in lesson learnt for the operation.	December, 2012	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			
Recommendation 10			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To employ a construction delegate in overseeing shelter component in future operation. This can also be substituted by employing a short- 			

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term shelter technical advisor to a recovery operation to provide the technical support to the DPRK RCS.			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Explore possibility and facilitate the employment of construction or shelter delegate in future emergency operations	Ongoing	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			
Recommendation 11			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Review current shelter programming procedure for an aim to draft shelter programming guidelines (for shelter in emergency, transition and recovery). 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Develop shelter guideline and pre-stock for emergency shelter operation	June 2013	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			

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IV. General

Recommendation 12:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To review and obtain a clear & common understanding between delegation and national society on the needs, requirement and mechanism in regular monitoring. Consensus should be made on intervals of visits, composition of monitoring team, issues on delegate's application for field visit, roles and responsibilities, delegation of responsibility visit while delegate's presence is not possible in any events. The common understanding should then apply to relief distribution and also schedule to subsequent recovery programming for the next disaster to happen. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Develop common monitoring and evaluation regulation	April, 2013	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			
Recommendation 13:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> To built up the understanding and knowledge on effective monitoring especially in provincial and county RC level. Practically, this would contribute to records of activities and results, and signal problems to be remedied along the way and contribute to enhanced standard of accountability. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Conduct workshop on monitoring and evaluation targeting provincial RC staff	Ongoing	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			
Recommendation 14:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enhance understanding of the IFRC procurement requirement and procedure with key departments in the national society and the IFRC delegation, DPRK RCS logistic department to facilitate the common understanding on how the IFRC procurement requirement and procedure applied in DPRK context, to clearly define the challenges and constrain, and measures to ensure compliance to Federation guidelines in emergency procurement. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			

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Accepted	Conduct a workshop on logistics with technical support from KL	December, 2013	IFRC Delegation
Comments: N/A			
Recommendation 15:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Feasibility study in establishment in beneficiary communication and feedback system. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Pilot feasibility study on the CBDRR project	December, 2013	IFRC Delegation
Comments: N/A			
Recommendation 16:			
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Revisit the current response mechanism, including contingency plans, trigger point for launching emergency appeals. The revisit process should be designed in an annual basis, and should include movement partners for a better common understanding of the plans and better resources mobilization in future operation. 			
Responsibility for providing management response: DPRK RCS & IFRC country office			
Management Response:	Key follow-up action / deliverable:	Timeframe:	Responsibility:
Accepted	Conduct pre-disaster workshop to consolidate contingency plan	May, 2013	IFRC delegation and DPRK RCS
Comments: N/A			

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