



SitRep 27 Nov 2017

Scenario as of 27 November 2017

- An estimated **624,000** Myanmar nationals have arrived in Bangladesh since August 2017.
- Since the last situation report, there have been 3,000 new arrivals.
- On 23 November 2017, Bangladesh and Myanmar signed an initial deal for the return of Rohingya people.

Emergency Response to Displaced Myanmar Nationals

Key Challenges

Safe disposal of faecal sludge is still a key challenge.

Shallow aquifer being contaminated.

What is needed?

Cross-sector knowledge sharing on faecal sludge management in emergency context.

WaterAid's Response

Since 28 September, we have provided:

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|  <p>12 deep tubewells serving 3,600 people.
115 shallow tubewells serving 34,500</p> |  <p>391 latrines serving 19,550 people.
9 latrines are under construction.</p> |  <p>6,440 hygiene kits serving 32,200 people.</p> |
|  <p>6,880 jerry cans serving 29,700 people. 750,000 water purification tablets among 65,210 people.</p> |  <p>34 bathing cubicles for girls and women.</p> |  <p>1,546 hygiene promotion sessions to over 37,000 participants.</p> |
|  <p>11 Emergency faecal sludge management plant at the settlement built, using context specific technologies.</p> |  <p>11 latrines, 2 deep tubewells and 8 shallow tubewells installed in 10 health camps established by DG-Health. 3 WASH facilitates in 3 Primary Health Centres of Unicef.</p> | |

WaterAid's Engagement

Given our history in the area and our expertise in water, sanitation and hygiene provision, WaterAid is responding to the humanitarian crisis of displaced Myanmar nationals in selected camps in coordination with government and aid agencies.

We are aiming to reach over 75,000 people over the coming weeks and months through our intervention. These interventions are supported by WaterAid ground staff tirelessly working within the camps at this difficult time.

Partners & Coordination

Government of Bangladesh, Department of Public Health Engineering (DPHE) and UNICEF.

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