



Update: Emergency Report on a Devastating Sandstorm in Al Anad Camp, Tuban District, Lahj Governorate

Summary

A catastrophic sandstorm strikes Al Anad Camp, Tuban District, Lahj Governorate on Monday, June 24. We are reaching out to inform you of a severe situation that has unfolded in the IDPs camp. The powerful sandstorm hit the camp, resulting in the complete destruction of all shelters. This catastrophic event has left 112 households without any shelter, placing them in an extremely vulnerable position. We sent an appeal, however, no intervention has been made till now.

Reporting by:	Title	Remarks
Incident Date:	25/06/24	
Type	Sandstorm	
Hub	Aden	
Governorate	Lahj	
District	Tuban	
Sub-district	Tuban	
According to CCCM Master list (Site Name):	Al Anad Camp	
Status of land agreement:	No Agreements	
Typology	Plain	
Type of Shelter	Tent	
Obstruction to access the location/site	No	
Others Please specify them		
Number of People Affected		
Number of affected HHs and Individuals affected	112 HHs	
Number of Injuries (Individuals)	0	
Number of deaths (Individuals)	0	
Causes of Damages	Sandstorm	
Others Please specify them	No	
Were the community able to extinguish the fire?	No	
Is this location/site located in a flood prone zone?	No, not located in the flood prone zone	
Needs		
WASH		
There are WASH needs	Yes	
What type of WASH assistance is needed to provide?	constructing latrines	
How many latrines are needed?	60	
How many water points are needed?	0	

Were those WASH needs referred?	No	
To whom the WASH needs were referred If Yes, Please mention (Name, position)		
Email of the person to whom the referral was made		
Referral's status -FOOD		
Shelter		
There are shelter needs	Yes	
Number of shelters fully destroyed	112	
Number of shelters partially destroyed	0	
Were those shelter needs referred?	No	
To whom the shelter needs were referred If Yes, Please mention (Name, position)		
Email of the person to whom the referral was made		
Referral's status - SHELTER		
Shelter and NFIs		
There are NFI needs	Yes	
Number of the HHs in need of the NFIs assistant	112	
Were those NFI needs referred	No	
To whom the NFI needs were referred If Yes, Please mention (Name, position)		
Email of the person to whom the referral was made		
Referral's status -FOOD		
Protection		
There are protection needs	No	
Please specify what kind of protection assistance or activities		
Were those protection needs referred?		
To whom the protection needs were referred If Yes, Please mention (Name, position)		
Email of the person to whom the referral was made		
Referral's status - PROTECTION		
Health		
There are health needs	No	
Please specify what kind of health assistance or activities		
Were those health needs referred		
To whom the health needs were referred If Yes, Please mention (Name, position)		
Email of the person to whom the referral was made		
Referral's status - HEALTH		
Food		
There are food needs	Yes	
Number of the HHs in need of the food assistant	112	

Were those food needs referred	No	
To whom the food needs were referred If Yes, Please mention (Name, position		
Email of the person to whom the referral was made		
Referral's status -FOOD		
Comments /Further description of Incident		

Executive Unit Procedures

The Executive Unit has been working continuously to monitor the situation in the affected governorate, including the impacted camps. It has implemented a comprehensive package of actions including:

- Visit sites affected immediately after the rainfall to document the damage, assess the situation and identify needs.
- Communicate with local authorities in the governorate and coordinate with humanitarian partners to provide humanitarian assistance to the affected families
- Follow up on updates on the field developments, assess, identify the needs, **issuing an urgent appeal** and sharing them with humanitarian partners.
- Coordinate with the humanitarian partner to conduct urgent interventions.

Recommendations

The Executive Unit recommends the following

- It is necessary to Implement urgent interventions by international organizations and non-governmental organizations to provide emergency assistance to affected households.
- Strengthening the capacity of the Executive Unit by completing the equipping of the Early Warning Centre in order to reduce the effects of climate change.
- It is necessary to exert joint collaborative efforts between local authorities and non-governmental organizations to identify safe locations for IDP camps.

