Project Overview

Emergency Humanitarian Assistance for IDPs and Conflict-Affected Communities in Kayin State (EHAI)

With support from the Myanmar Humanitarian Fund (MHF), Community Partners International (CPI) is implementing the Emergency Humanitarian Assistance for IDPs and conflict-affected communities (EHAI) Project in three townships in Kayin State and Bago Region, Myanmar.

The EHAI project supports the delivery of critical health, hygiene, protection, nutrition and education services to vulnerable populations in seven townships. Target populations include people living in conflict-affected areas, communities with histories of multiple displacements, communities receiving internally displaced persons (IDPs), and those living non-government controlled areas with poor access to health services.

At a Glance

Donor(s):
Myanmar Humanitarian Fund

Project Duration:
October 2019 - September 2020

Geographic Coverage:
Kayin State - Hpapun and Hlaingbwe Townships | Bago Region - Kyaukkyi Township

Population Coverage:
13,584

Target Population Profile:
Internally-displaced and conflict-affected populations

Impact Focus:
Education | Emergency Response | Primary Health Care | Nutrition | WASH

Implementing Partner(s):
Back Pack Health Worker Team, Karen Ethnic Health Organizations Consortium
Key Activities:

- Initial rapid assessment in IDP camps;
- Advocacy with camp management committees and other stakeholders;
- Provision of cash/coupon for food security;
- Construction of latrines and hygiene promotion activities in IDP camps;
- Distribution of hygiene kits;
- Construction of tube wells in IDP camp for clean water sources;
- Construction of shelters for IDPs;
- Provision of teachers' salaries for pre-school and lower primary schools in Myaing Gyi Ngu IDP camp;
- Provision of student kits and teaching aids, and renovation of early childhood care and development (ECCD) areas, in selected schools;
- Awareness raising on land mines, child protection, and GBV in IDP camps;
- Active screening for acute malnutrition, and infant and young child feeding (IYCF) counseling;
- Provision of referral support for medical emergencies;
- Installation of lights in public places to help reduce gender-based violence (GBV) cases;