Immediately responding to Odisha Floods 2020, CYSD has undertaken relief operation, sanitation drive and health camp in Bari block of Jajpur district in association with like minded civil society/humanitarian organisations like, Abhijan and Amrut Global Network and Humanitarian Aid International (HAI).

Three Nodes are set up to coordinate the above operations in Bari block of the district i.e.
1) Malli Village of Ratnagari,
2) Gaama village of Indupur and
3) Ramadevi Ashram at Bari.

Concerns of the Bari Block
- Water sources, hand pumps, dug wells, ponds are contaminated by flood water.
- Drinking water has become a great problem for the villagers.
- There is every possibility of spreading waterborne diseases due to contamination of water;
- Dumping of debris in villages has become the breeding grounds for mosquitoes to spread malaria.
**CYSD’s Response to Floods**

6th of September:

- 45 Mosquito Nets distributed to 45 needy Families of Sabara Sahi in Kinhariapal GP of Bari Block.

- Dry food kit (Chhatua, Flat Rice (Chuda), Sugar, Biscuits, candle and water bottle) distributed to 155 persons of 45 families of Sabara Sahi in Kinhariapal GP of Bari block.

- Chuda, Sugar and Biscuits distributed to 130 persons of 40 needy families of Jena Sahi in Malakalapada GP.

- Sanitation Drive was undertaken in Rout Sahi of Ratnagiri GP in Bari Block. The sanitation works include cleaning of village roads/lanes, debris dumping and surrounding of wells and tube-wells and its treatment/ disinfection through bleaching. Around 3500 populations of 500 households were benefited out of this drive. Household members’ participation in the sanitation drive was noticed. 30 Volunteers were engaged in this drive too.
Drone-based Rapid Damage Assessment

In partnership with HAI, a drone based rapid damage assessment is being carried out by a technical team in different Panchayts of the block in closed coordination with the ODRAF team and district administration. This assessment would help planning the immediate relief and recovery support required by the affected population. On 6th Sept. the assessment was conducted in 3 villages of 3 GPs under Bari block.

**Highlights**

**Flood Package declared by Chief Minister :**

- Cooked/dry food to be provided to the people at shelter homes 50 K.G rice and Rs.500 to families severely affected by flood.

- Polythene sheets to be given to affected households to cover damage houses.

- Assistance for clothing and utensils House damage assistance to be given after assessment of damage within 15 days. Assistance to be disbursed within next 7 days

- Cattle feed assistance to be given to dairy farmers

- Exemption of fees for vaccination and treatment of animals in affected areas.

- Free animal check up camps in affected areas

- Assistance to be provided as per SDRF norms

**Relief Support by Civil Society Organizations :**

- Samaj Relief distributed dry food in Binjhar pur area of Jajpur district.