**June 2022** 

Area Based Response

**AFGHANISTAN** 

### **Introduction and Background**

Developed through community planning workshops with local community representatives following the completion of REACH Area Based Response (ABR) assessment from November 2021 to February 2022, Community Response Plans (CRPs) are reports that outline a shared local vision for community wide interventions.

Facilitated by a consortium of ACTED, NRC and IMPACT, CRPs take an evidence based approach to planning, effectively translating response gaps identified through REACH ABR into actionable intervention strategies, formulated as specific projects. Using a community-led planning approach, CRPs act as a road map for multi-sectoral interventions.<sup>1</sup>

### **CRP Process Overview**

### **ABR phase 1**

Mapping focus group discussions (MFGD)

Indicative findings at the community level - whole nahiya or informal settlement (ISET)

**December 2021** 

### ABR phase 2

**Key informant interviews** (KII) - 3,543 interviews

Indicative findings at the community level (gozar and ISET level)

**December 2021** 

### ABR phase 3

Household interviews (HHI) - 746 interviews

representative of the gozar or ISET population at city level

February 2022

### **Community Centre**

Established by ACTED and NRC

informed by phase 1 and phase 2

Men's and Women's community committees established with CC

### **ABR phase 4**

Community response plan (CRP)

- Identified multi-sectoral issues in the community informed by phase 2.
- Participants from community committee used a "problem tree" model of analysis to map key issues, impacts, causes, and solutions.
- From the analysis of priority challenges, participants discussed the causes and desired interventions to solve each issue and agree on a shared vision on the priority solutions that could be implemented in the community.

### **Demographics and composition**

#### **Composition of Kunduz (Phase 1)**

Number of Nahiyas

Number of gozars

Number of ISETs

8

207

Estimated number of HHs in ISETs

17,932

Estimated total number of HHs

40

#### Composition of Nahiya PD5 (Phase 2)

Number of gozars

Number of ISETs

13

0

Estimated total number of HHs

Estimated number of HHs in ISETs

7,649

0

### Displacement (Phase 2)

% of KIs reporting mixed gozars (displacement groups and host community together



**4%** Displaced population is living in ISET within gozar boundaries **90%** Population is mixed with economic migrants and host community across the whole gozar

**6%** Only host community

% distribution of displacement groups within naihya

	Gozars	ISEIS
4%	<b>■</b> IDP	
6%	■ Prolonged IDP	
3%	Protracted IDP	There were
0%	Refugee	no ISETs in
1%	Refugee returnee	this location
1%	IDP returnee	
86%	Host	

1. REACH, Afghanistan ABR Terms of refrence, 2021



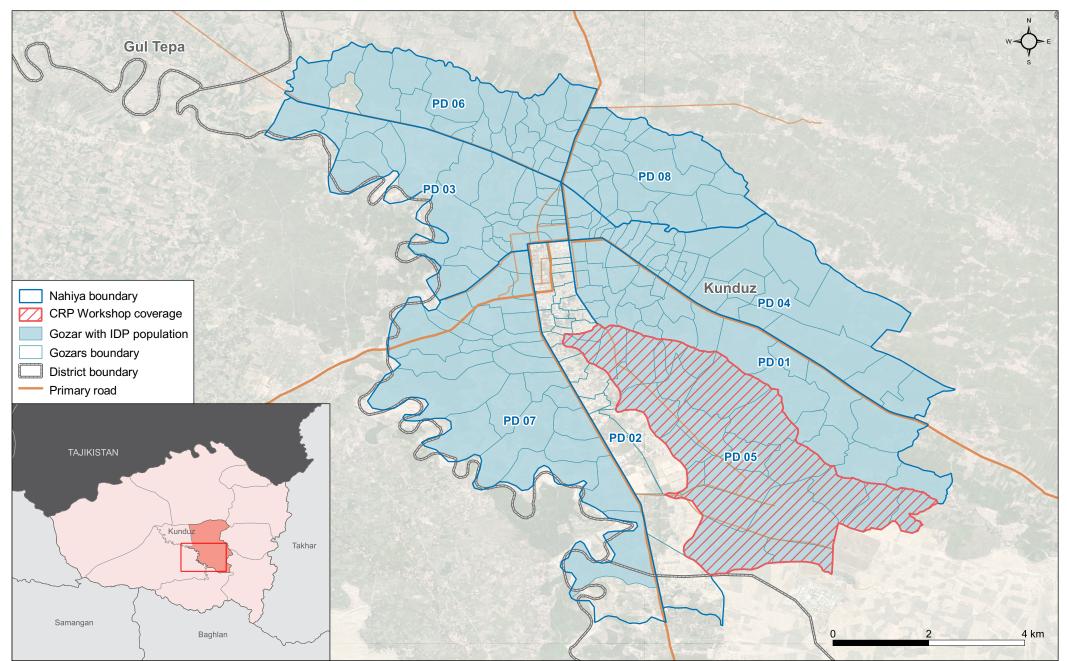




















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## Q KEY ISSUES & RECOMMENDATIONS



#### **Education**

% of KIs reporting most school age children are able to attend primary school:



The most reported barrier for primary school aged boys (54%) and girls (53%) to access education facilities was the lack of primary school in the area.

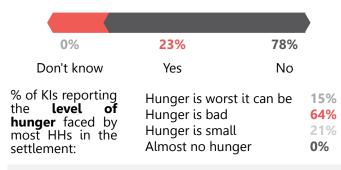
#### Stakeholder recommendations:

Establishment of training centre for adults education, expanding and equipping Rustag Abad high school, hiring female teachers in Rustagabad school, computer, English language and mathematics courses, university entrance exam preparation.



### **Food security/markets**

% of KIs reporting ability of most households to access **enough food** to meet daily needs in the past 30 days:

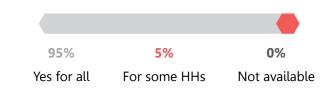


#### Stakeholder recommendations:

Distribution of aid (food), establishment of a flour mill.

### **Electricity**

% of KIs who reported the availability of electricity:



of KIs reported that most HHs experienced electricity shortages

#### Stakeholder recommendations:

No projects were proposed during the workshop

### **Healthcare**



% of KIs who reported that most households had access to an active healthcare centre close to their gozar/ ISET in the past 3 months:

**53%** Yes **47%** No.

All KIs reported that households facing access barriers could not afford to access services (96%), could not access due to lack of transport (61%) or due to insufficient female medical staff (34%).

#### Stakeholder recommendations:

Establishment of 50 bed clinic, increased number of professional medical staff in Sar e Dawra healthcare clinic, distribution of health kits for women.



#### **Environment**

% of KIs reporting the main environmental concern in the ISET/gozar:



#### Stakeholder recommendations:

Repair of water channels in sub streets, plantation of trees, construction of a drainage, awareness courses on environment protection, establishment of a standard and modern park, construction of culverts.



### Livelihoods

The **most common form of income** in the settlement reported by KIs:

71% Daily labour, no contract



% of KIs who reported that work for most residents had decreased in the last 3 months

93% Decreased

**7%** Increased

Remained consistent

#### Stakeholder recommendations:

Establishment of a vocational training centre, establishment of institutions for youth employment, employment programs for youth, vocational trainings (TVET), employment for women, livestock, bee keeping and poultry projects.









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### **KEY ISSUES & RECOMMENDATIONS**

#### **Protection**

% of KIs who reported being aware Women of **protection incidents** in the past 3 months (most reported): Men Verbally threatened or intimidated

14% 33% 6% Assaulted without a weapon 16% 13% Movement restrictions 11%

#### Stakeholder recommendations:

awareness programs on women rights, community seminars on unity and discrimination.

#### **Waste management**

% of KIs reporting the **most common method of waste** management:

None	51%
Collection services	31%
Landfills	23%
Burning	11%

#### **Stakeholder recommendations:**

Provision and installation of garbage collection points, construction of garbage collection points, provision of two equipped trucks for waste transporting.

#### Shelter/NFI

% of KIs reporting the main shelter concerns in the ISET/gozar:

Permanent shelter (mud and bricks) Permanent shelter (pakhsa)	68% 32%
Unable to afford rent	56%
Leaks during rain	54%
Overcrowding	45%
Unable to afford construction materials	40%

#### Stakeholder recommendations:

Distribution of aid (NFI), building shelter, repairing shelters, emergency assistance (rent).

### WASH

of KIs reported that most people are unable to access sufficient quantity of water to meet daily needs (drinking, cooking, domestic use and hygiene)

% of KIs reporting there are publicly available water points in their gozar/ISET:

0%	48%	53%
Don't	Yes	No

#### Stakeholder recommendations:

Public awareness programs on best hygiene practices, construction of deep wells, repairing of existing nonfunctional wells, awareness programs on clean water, distribution of 300 water filters, extension and repair of water reservoir, construction of a public bathroom.

#### **SECTORS**

**Education** 

**Environment** 

**Electricity** 

**Food security/markets** 

Livelihoods

Healthcare

**Protection** 

Shelter/NFI



**Waste management** 

Women's empowerment

#### **RESOURCES**

**Basic resources** 

Financial resources

**Human resources** 

Infrastructure

Land/site

Machinery



Materials











### % of KIs reporting the top 5 main concerns of the population



**Employment** access



66%

**Healthcare** access



55%

**Education** access



54%

**Employment** quality



**Healthcare** quality

## **Men's CRP workshop - PRIORITIZED PROJECTS**

**ACTIVITY** 

WHO AND HOW

**RESOURCES** 

**LOCATION** 

**BENEFICIARIES DURATION** 

**AVAILABLE** 

**NEEDED** 

NRC, ACTED, DACAAR, UNHCR, WHO INGOs/IOs: Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

Community Centre: Lead on the implementation of the project with the

cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.

Local community: Taking ownership ensuring reservoir management and maintenance towards sustainability in cooperation of municipality.

(Stakeholders' agreement is required)



Street 9 -22 of Rostagabad

3.000 HHs

1-2 years

Construction of a water reservoir

NRC, ACTED, UNICEF, UNESCO, AKDN, DRC, UNDP, UN-HABITAT

INGOs/IOs: Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

Community Centre: Ensure project accountability with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.

**Local community:** Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure

project security and safety. Assist with designation of land.

(Tri-party agreement)

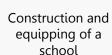




Street 11-12 of Rostagabad

2.500 students (boys and girls)

6 months













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Pavement of sub-streets (3.5km of roads) and constructing channels<sup>2</sup>

NRC, ACTED, UNOPS, UN-Habitat, UNDP

**INGOs/IOs:** Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

Local community: Private sector/ Community will be taking ownership ensuring sustainability, safety, and security of the project. The wider communities will be involved in the project activities.

**Community Centre:** Lead on the implementation of the project with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.

(Third-party agreement is required)



Street No.1 – 22 of Rostagab

3,500 HHs

6 months



Pavement of sub-streets (10km of roads) and constructing channels

NRC, ACTED, UNOPS, UN-Habitat, UNDP

INGOs/IOs: Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

**Local community:** Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety.

**Community Centre:** Lead on the implementation of the project with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.

(Third-party agreement is required)







18km sub roads of Rostagabad

3,500 HHs

6 months



Extension and providing equipment for Sar-e-Dawra healthcare clinic NRC, ACTED, UNOPS, WHO, UNICEF

INGOs/IOs: Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

Community Centre: Lead on the implementation of the project with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.

**Local community:** Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure

project security and safety. (Tri-party agreement)





Sara Dawra opposite to Khatamula Anbia mosque

10,000 HHs

2-4 years

2. This project has been partly selected by ACTED for implementation











## **Women's CRP workshop - PRIORITIZED PROJECTS\***

**ACTIVITY** 

WHO AND HOW

**RESOURCES** 

**LOCATION** 

**BENEFICIARIES** 

DURATION

AVAILABLE

**NEEDED** 



Pavement of sub-streets and constructing channels

NRC, ACTED, UNOPS, Municipality, UNHABITAT, UNDP

INGOs/IOs: Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

Community centre: Ensure project accountability with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.

**Local community:** Ensure accountability to affected populations and ensure project security and safety. Assist with road designations.

(Tri-party agreement)





Rostagabad, street No.1 - 21

2,000 HHs

12-18 months



Livestock, poultry and bee keeping projects

ACTED, FAO, NRC, IRC, Action Aid, UNHCR, UNDP, Concern worldwide AFG

INGOs/IOs: Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

Local community: Farmers associations will be taking the ownership to ensure sustainability and accountability. Wider community to ensure safety and security.

**Community centre:** Lead on the implementation of the project with the cooperation of local communities and coordination with officials.





Rostagabad

3,000 HHs

6 months

ACTED, NRC, IRC, IOM, UNHCR, UNDP

**INGOs/IOs:** Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

**Local community:** Private sector will be taking ownership and will hold some 20 % of investment in the project to supply handicraft goods and create a business centre. The wider communities will be involved in the market activities. Ensuring security and safety of the project. Designating space for this business centre.

**Community centre:** Building market linkages, creating value added activities, ensuring access for trainees. Maintaining quality of delivery and securing uninterrupted funding. Lead on the cooperation of local communities' and coordination and assist with supply chain capacity.





Masiid e Emam Jafar e Sadiq, Rostagabad

2,000 HHs

6 months

handicraft centre

Establishment of a









## Women's CRP workshop - PRIORITIZED PROJECTS

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**NEEDED** 



Distribution of food baskets to vulnerable HHs NRC, ACTED, WFP, FAO, IRC, IOM, Action Aid

**INGOs/IOs:** Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

**Local community:** Identifying vulnerable beneficiaries' conflict determination and ensure designation of site for package distribution. Ensure sustainability and accountability by being actively involved in management. Wider community to ensure safety and security.

Community centre: Lead on the implementation of the project activities, control duplication with the cooperation of local communities' and coordination of officials.





Rostagabad

2.000 HHs

12 months





Kitchen gardening for women

ACTED, IRC, NRC, Action Aid

INGOs/IOs: Ensuring funding and implementation activities.

Local community: Women associations will be taking the ownership to ensure sustainability and accountability. Wider community to ensure safety and security.

**Community centre:** Lead on the implementation of the project with the cooperation of local communities and coordination with officials.





Rostagabad

500 HHs

6 months







