

Dear Brothers,

Words can't express the level of devastation, hunger and pains.

Following Syed Abid Gillani's visit to Noshehra, a three member team including Taqweem Anwar, Mansoor Malik and Massalam Zubair (from Denmark) was sent to district Charsadda today. Gift packs of food items were given to more than **200 families** and a DM-Aid funded **Free Medical Camp** was established in union council Sareekh of district Charsadda. This medical camp would serve the population of around four villages. All of these villages are part of District Charsadda and situated along river Swat. These villages are clustered in a radius of around 3 KM. Details are as follow:

Name of Village	Households	%age of Population Directly Affected
Sarikh /Marozai	3000	60%
Bela & Mula Khel	500	90%
Dildar Gari	2000	80%
Kharki	2500	50%

The inhabitants of the worst affected villages are unfortunately extremely poor as well. The case of Marozai is an example, this village used to have 600 acres agriculture land highly fertile and irrigated, the previous floods has already eroded 500 acres and the left over 100 acres no more exists as arable land, been taken away by this flood. So in fact this village has lost its subsistence base for almost forever. Nevertheless the issue is to provide them relief on the face of this worst flood. These villages lying in the interior with minimum access and visibility thus can not attract substantial relief activities. Local volunteers are self motivated and always ready to facilitate any kind of aid coming from generous friends. Currently their priority needs are **Food, Health and Clothing**.

The response we are receiving from our friends is very encouraging. Yesterday Rs. 0.4 million were generated in 15 minutes on just one call of Syed Asmat Gillani during his Jummah Khitab. People are giving in kind in cash and in time.

People have lost their homes but not the hope. **WE NEED TO KEEP THAT HOPE ALIVE, AT ANY COST.**

Best Regards,

Mansoor Malik

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