

## NEED ANALYSIS

- Displacement in PNG concerns approximately 75,449 individuals. More than 14,200 homes including shelters are being destroyed by natural disasters. There is a possibility of more destruction in the coming months based on the PNG National Weather Service outlook predictions' on the upcoming of La Nina.
- Shelter cluster lead is conducting a joint shelter assessment with the lead government agencies and cluster members in 5 disaster's prone provinces.
- The shelter cluster PNG is working on a policy to incorporate Disaster Risk Reduction into the Government Building Codes in PNG to achieve disaster proof construction.

## RESPONSE

### Key Achievements:

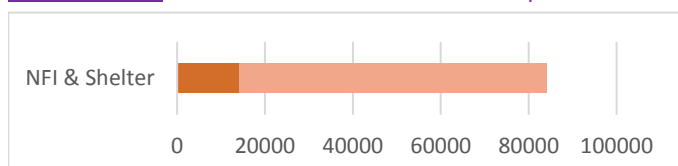
- Shelter cluster teams have completed shelter assessment in 5 disaster's prone provinces, targeting 13 communities, vulnerable to natural disasters.
- Shelter cluster teams have designed a local vernacular safe shelter construction tips to assist local communities in constructing strong structures to withstand the impact of disaster.
- Shelter cluster lead is setting up a dialogue with the lead government agency to incorporate a disaster proofing policy in the building codes of the country.
- Cluster leader is mobilizing partners and cluster member in 4W matrix and pre-positioning of shelter kits in strategic provinces for upcoming disaster response.
- Team have distributed 2300 emergency shelter NFI till date.

## GAPS / CHALLENGES

- Critical funding needed for Pre-positioning of NFI and shelter kits in strategic locations in the country as well as for awareness raising in vulnerable communities.
- National Framework to incorporate DRR in the National Building Code of the Country.
- Need more participation of cluster members in meetings and updates on the 4W matrix.
- Limited manpower and technical expertise in affected areas.

## COVERAGE AGAINST TARGETS (HH)

**Shelter & NFI:** 1000 hh in 30 communities in 12 provinces.



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## KEY DATES

Provide a short description of the key events and dates before and/or after cluster activation.

Activation of cluster: Month Year

## KEY DOCUMENTS

- [Shelter/NFI Cluster Strategy](#)
- [Technical guidance](#)
- [Maps](#)
- [2017 shelter Action Plan](#)

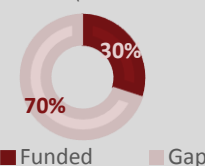
## KEY LINKS

- <https://png.iom.int/>
- [http://www.sheltercluster.org/sites/default/files/docs/gscfactsheet\\_pacific\\_sc\\_preparedness\\_june\\_2016\\_v1.pdf](http://www.sheltercluster.org/sites/default/files/docs/gscfactsheet_pacific_sc_preparedness_june_2016_v1.pdf)

## KEY FIGURES

**13** Cluster partners      **0.07 M / 0.01 M** People in need / targeted

## FUNDING (source: OCHA Financial Tracking Service)



Total funding required:  
**100 M**