

FACTSHEET Typhoon Haiyan (Yolanda) Philippines November 2013



OVERVIEW

People affected: **11.3 million**



Deaths: more than **2,344**

People displaced: **670,000**



NOTE: the worst affected areas: Leyte, Southern Leyte, Samar and Eastern Samar.

Typhoon Haiyan, one of the largest storms ever recorded, hit the Philippines on 7 and 8 November 2013, leaving devastation in its wake. Houses, schools, and roads were damaged or destroyed.

People are in desperate need of food, shelter, water, hygiene and sanitation, and medicine.



CARE is appealing for **US\$5 million**

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to help 150,000 of the most vulnerable people.

"We need to get lifesaving assistance to people now, but we also need to think of their future," said Celso Dulce, CARE Philippines Representative in Manila. "Houses, crops and businesses have been destroyed, schools and roads have been damaged. Our response will also help people recover for the long term and help replace what they've lost. Some of the areas hit by Typhoon Haiyan have been previously hit by landslides or earthquakes in the past few years, so they're especially vulnerable. They need help, now."

HOW IS CARE RESPONDING:

As the extent of the damage caused by Super Typhoon Haiyan begins to emerge, CARE personnel and our partners are now working to deliver emergency aid to families in desperate need of help. CARE aims to provide food and shelter to 150,000 people (30,000 families).



Shelter



Food