**EXTRACT FROM SITREP – CYCLONE KAYLA[[1]](#footnote-1)**

DATE: 30 SEPTEMBER 2020

LOCATION: BOGORIA

Background

Cyclone Kayla hit the west coast of Bogoria at approximately 5.15 pm on 26 September 2020 affecting more than 4 million people in 7 coastal districts. According to the Joint Needs Assessment, 4 of the districts are severely affected and 3 are moderately affected.

100 villages in the Bernu and Gerda districts were hit by high tides on 29 September and most of the population are taking shelter on the embankments and living in makeshift shelters with a lack of food and safe drinking water.

Key challenges

* People already living marginally above the poverty level are likely to fall below the poverty line due to loss of income and employment.
* Damage to crops and other agricultural products, and loss of livestock, may increase food insecurity for residents already suffering from a livelihood crisis due to recent conflict and an influx of migrants in the region.
* Lack of safe drinking water and sanitary latrines risks spreading waterborne diseases.

1. Fictitious – can be adapted for context [↑](#footnote-ref-1)