

## Early Recovery Activities

**Outcome: Basic asset replacement and transitional shelter needs of target population are met.**

Output	Activities planned
Assist victims from evacuation centres moving into transitional shelters	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Provision of basic household items in prefabricated temporary homes</li> </ul>
Assist disaster victims with cash grant assistance to meet their immediate needs	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The first JPY 65 billion (USD 802 million) cash distribution from donations has been distributed</li> <li>The second distribution will address people who were seriously injured and whose houses were flooded</li> </ul>

### Progress to date:

#### Grant Disbursement Committee Distribution Status

- As mentioned in JRCS Operational Update No. 1, the Central Committee made the following decisions:
  - 1) Victims who lost immediate family members will receive JPY 350,000 (USD 4200) per dead or missing member;
  - 2) Households whose residences were destroyed by the earthquake, tsunami or resulting fires--about 46,000 --will receive JPY 350,000 (USD 4200) each;
  - 3) Households whose homes were severely damaged--about 10,000--will get JPY 180,000 (USD 2160) each. About 65,000 households located within 30 kilometres of the Fukushima No. 1 nuclear plant that have been told to evacuate will receive JPY 350,000 each. The committee is treating these people as if their homes were destroyed, regardless of any damage actually sustained. (Note that USD rates are approximate and will change based upon foreign exchange rates at any given date.)
- As of 28 April, 2011, 166 billion JPY (approximately USD 2.0 billion) has been collected from national and international donor sources by JRCS (excluding that from sister Societies).
- Based on the 8 April decision of the central Grant Disbursement Committee, the grant disbursement committee at each prefecture level in turn distributes cash to targeted families.
- 65 billion JPY (or 802 million USD) has been transferred from JRCS to 12 affected prefectures upon the request from the prefectures. The distribution status, as of 29 April:

Date of transfer	Prefecture	Amount (JPY)
13 Apr. 2011	Fukushima	23,006,000,000
	Tochigi	252,150,000
	Nagano	19,500,000
15 Apr. 2011	Miyagi	15,611,680,000
	Niigata	16,710,000
	Saitama	10,320,000
19 Apr. 2011	Hokkaido	350,000
	Aomori	271,900,000
	Iwate	10,152,550,000
22 Apr. 2011	Miyagi	3,492,350,000
	Yamagata	700,000
	Nagano	12,600,000
26 Apr. 2011	Ibaraki	2,785,510,000
	Gunma	530,000
	Nagano	6,810,000
28 Apr. 2011	Miyagi	4,754,100,000
	Fukushima	4,732,000,000
TOTAL		65,125,760,000