



INTER-AGENCY COMMON FEEDBACK PROJECT Nepal Earthquake 2015

COMMUNITY PERCEPTION SURVEY REPORT

MAKWANPUR

ROUND 6



DECEMBER, 2015



The findings in this report are not necessarily representative of all communities in the district. The findings in this report should be considered indicative of how community perceive response efforts.

A total of **100 surveys** were conducted in **Makwanpur** district:

Distribution by caste/ethnicity:

Caste/ethnicity	Female	Male	Total
Brahmin	6	26	32
Chhetri	1	6	7
Dalit	1	2	3
Janajati	5	6	11
Magar	1	3	4
Others	1		1
Tamang	12	30	42

GENDER DISTRIBUTION

FEMALE: 27
MALE: 73

Distribution by age:

Age	Female	Male	Total
15-24	3	6	9
25-39	13	25	38
40-54	9	30	39
55+	2	12	14

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DO YOU HAVE ANY HEALTH PROBLEMS THAT HAVE CAUSED YOU DIFFICULTY TO MOVE, SEE, SPEAK, UNDERSTAND/LEARN OR COMMUNICATE?

No difficulty	81%
Some difficulty	18%
A lot of difficulty	1%

Gender	No difficulty	Some difficulty	A lot of difficulty
Female	85%	15%	
Male	79%	19%	1%

Caste/ethnicity	No difficulty	Some difficulty	A lot of difficulty
Brahmin	94%	3%	3%
Chhetri	43%	57%	
Dalit	67%	33%	
Janajati	100%		
Magar	25%	75%	
Others		100%	
Tamang	81%	19%	



Age	No difficulty	Some difficulty	A lot of difficulty
15-24	100%		
25-39	82%	18%	
40-54	74%	23%	3%
55+	86%	14%	

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ARE YOUR MAIN PROBLEMS BEING ADDRESSED?

Negative	83%
Neutral	3%
Positive	13%
Don't know	1%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know
Female	85%	4%	11%	
Male	82%	3%	14%	1%

Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know
Brahmin	97%		3%	
Chhetri	57%	14%	29%	
Dalit	100%			
Janajati	73%	9%	18%	
Magar	25%	25%	50%	
Others	100%			
Tamang	83%		14%	2%

Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know
15-24	67%		33%	
25-39	84%	5%	8%	3%
40-54	87%		13%	
55+	79%	7%	14%	

If negative, biggest problem:

Long-term shelter (housing)	59%
Housing inspections	10%
Short-term shelter (tent/shelterbox)	10%

Second biggest problem:

Financial support	31%
Long-term shelter (housing)	22%



Livelihoods

17%

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ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH WHAT THE GOVERNMENT IS DOING FOR YOU AFTER THE EARTHQUAKE?

Negative	73%
Neutral	1%
Positive	23%
Don't know	3%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know
Female	74%		22%	4%
Male	73%	1%	23%	3%

Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know
Brahmin	72%		28%	
Chhetri	86%		14%	
Dalit	100%			
Janajati	82%		9%	9%
Magar	75%		25%	
Others	100%			
Tamang	67%	2%	26%	5%

Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know
15-24	67%		33%	
25-39	66%	3%	29%	3%
40-54	87%		10%	3%
55+	57%		36%	7%

If not satisfied, top reason:

Was promised relief but never received	41%
Government plans unclear	22%
Relief distributed based on political parties	9%

Second top reason:

Reconstruction process taking too long	23%
Relief distributed based on first come, first served	15%
Do not trust government	15%



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DO YOU HAVE THE INFORMATION YOU NEED TO GET RELIEF AND SUPPORT?

Negative	42%
Neutral	5%
Positive	52%
Don't know	1%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know
Female	44%		52%	4%
Male	41%	7%	52%	

Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know
Brahmin	53%		47%	
Chhetri	29%	29%	29%	14%
Dalit	67%		33%	
Janajati	9%	9%	82%	
Magar	50%	25%	25%	
Others	100%			
Tamang	40%	2%	57%	

Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know
15-24	56%		33%	11%
25-39	50%		50%	
40-54	31%	10%	59%	
55+	43%	7%	50%	

▪ **If negative, top information needed:**

News about government decisions	62%
How to register for/access support	15%
Finding missing people	11%

▪ **Second most important information needed:**

How to get shelter materials	47%
How to replace personal documentation	30%
How to register for/access support	15%

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ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH WHAT NGOs ARE DOING FOR YOU AFTER THE EARTHQUAKE?

Negative	58%
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Neutral	2%
Positive	17%
Don't know	20%
Refused	3%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
Female	44%		30%	26%	
Male	63%	3%	12%	18%	4%

Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
Brahmin	78%		9%	13%	
Chhetri	57%		29%		14%
Dalit	67%		33%		
Janajati	27%	9%	45%	9%	9%
Magar	100%				
Others	100%				
Tamang	45%	2%	14%	36%	2%

Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
15-24	56%		11%	33%	
25-39	68%	3%	13%	11%	5%
40-54	56%		18%	23%	3%
55+	36%	7%	29%	29%	

▪ **If not satisfied, top reason:**

Was promised relief but never received	60%
NGO plans unclear	8%
Reconstruction process taking too long	7%

▪ **Second top reason:**

Reconstruction process taking too long	28%
NGO plans unclear	22%
Relief distributed based on first come, first served	20%

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IS SUPPORT PROVIDED IN A FAIR WAY?

No	56%
Neutral	5%
Yes	28%
Don't know	11%



Gender	No	Neutral	Yes	Don't know
Female	44%		37%	19%
Male	60%	7%	25%	8%

Caste/ethnicity	No	Neutral	Yes	Don't know
Brahmin	78%	6%	13%	3%
Chhetri	14%		57%	29%
Dalit	67%		33%	
Janajati	27%	9%	36%	27%
Magar	100%			
Others	100%			
Tamang	48%	5%	36%	12%

Age	No	Neutral	Yes	Don't know
15-24	56%		33%	11%
25-39	61%	5%	24%	11%
40-54	54%	5%	33%	8%
55+	50%	7%	21%	21%

▪ **If not, top reason:**

First come, first served	46%
Based on distance from the main road	39%
Based on caste system	7%

▪ **Second top reason:**

Based on political parties	52%
Others	13%
First come, first served	13%

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ARE YOU PREPARED FOR WINTER?

No	63%
Neutral	2%
Yes	35%

Gender	No	Neutral	Yes
Female	63%		37%
Male	63%	3%	34%

Caste/ethnicity	No	Neutral	Yes
Brahmin	81%		19%



Chhetri	57%		43%
Dalit	100%		
Janajati	82%		18%
Magar	50%	50%	
Others	100%		
Tamang	43%		57%

Age	No	Neutral	Yes
15-24	56%		44%
25-39	82%		18%
40-54	56%	5%	38%
55+	36%		64%

▪ **If no, top reason:**

House/Shelter will not protect against cold	54%
Not enough blankets	20%
Do not have warm clothing	9%

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DO YOU HAVE PROBLEMS RELATED TO CHILDREN IN YOUR HOUSEHOLD OR FAMILY IN THE POST-EARTHQUAKE PERIOD?

Yes	36%
Neutral	1%
No	62%
Don't Know	1%

Gender	Yes	Neutral	No	Don't Know
Female	26%		70%	4%
Male	40%	1%	59%	

Caste/ethnicity	Yes	Neutral	No	Don't Know
Brahmin	28%		72%	
Chhetri	71%		29%	
Dalit	67%		33%	
Janajati	36%		64%	
Magar	75%		25%	
Others	100%			
Tamang	29%	2%	67%	2%

Age	Yes	Neutral	No	Don't Know
15-24	44%		56%	



25-39	34%	3%	61%	3%
40-54	44%		56%	
55+	14%		86%	

▪ **If yes, top problem:**

Safety at home (due to structure)	27%
Improper school winterization	27%
Health care	11%
Hunger	11%

▪ **Second top problem:**

Not prepared for winter (clothing, household)	27%
Safety at school (due to structure)	19%
Health care	14%
Safety at home (due to structure)	14%

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OVERALL, IS THE POST-EARTHQUAKE RELIEF EFFORT MAKING PROGRESS?

No	56%
Neutral	4%
Yes	31%
Don't Know	6%
Refused	3%

Gender	No	Neutral	Yes	Don't Know	Refused
Female	59%		26%	15%	
Male	55%	5%	33%	3%	4%

Caste/ethnicity	No	Neutral	Yes	Don't Know	Refused
Brahmin	56%		41%	3%	
Chhetri	57%	14%	14%	14%	
Dalit	100%				
Janajati	64%		18%	9%	9%
Magar		25%	25%		50%
Others	100%				
Tamang	55%	5%	33%	7%	

Age	No	Neutral	Yes	Don't Know	Refused
15-24	33%		44%	22%	
25-39	55%	5%	34%	5%	



40-54	67%	5%	21%	3%	5%
55+	43%		43%	7%	7%

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DO YOU FEEL THERE HAS BEEN AN INCREASE IN THE ENVIRONMENT OF TENSION, OR RISK OF VIOLENCE OR HARASSMENT SINCE THE EARTHQUAKE?

Yes	14%
Neutral	2%
No	75%
Don't Know	7%
Refused	2%

Gender	Yes	Neutral	No	Don't Know	Refused
Female	7%		81%	7%	4%
Male	16%	3%	73%	7%	1%

Caste/ethnicity	Yes	Neutral	No	Don't Know	Refused
Brahmin	3%		97%		
Chhetri	43%		57%		
Dalit	33%		67%		
Janajati	9%		82%		9%
Magar	100%				
Others			100%		
Tamang	10%	5%	67%	17%	2%

Age	Yes	Neutral	No	Don't Know	Refused
15-24			89%	11%	
25-39	16%	3%	71%	8%	3%
40-54	18%	3%	77%	3%	
55+	7%		71%	14%	7%

▪ **If yes, by whom:**

Strangers	44%
Local government	25%
Family members	13%
NGO/aid workers	13%



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DO YOU FEEL THAT THE CHILDREN IN YOUR FAMILY ARE IN A SAFE PLACE WHILE ATTENDING SCHOOL?

No	36%
Neutral	10%
Yes	52%
Refused	2%

Gender	No	Neutral	Yes	Refused
Female	33%	7%	56%	4%
Male	37%	11%	51%	1%

Caste/ethnicity	No	Neutral	Yes	Refused
Brahmin	47%		50%	3%
Chhetri	43%	14%	43%	
Dalit	100%			
Janajati	36%	18%	45%	
Magar	50%	25%		25%
Others			100%	
Tamang	21%	14%	64%	

Age	No	Neutral	Yes	Refused
15-24	33%	11%	44%	11%
25-39	45%	13%	42%	
40-54	33%	8%	56%	3%
55+	21%	7%	71%	

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DO YOU NEED TO REBUILD, REPAIR OR RETROFIT YOUR HOME BECAUSE OF DAMAGE CAUSED BY EARTHQUAKES?

Yes	88%
No	8%
Don't know	2%
Refused	2%

Gender	Yes	No	Don't know	Refused
Female	85%	11%	4%	
Male	89%	7%	1%	3%



Caste/ethnicity	Yes	No	Don't know	Refused
Brahmin	94%	3%		3%
Chhetri	100%			
Dalit	67%	33%		
Janajati	82%	18%		
Magar	50%	50%		
Others	100%			
Tamang	88%	5%	5%	2%

Age	Yes	No	Don't know	Refused
15-24	78%	11%	11%	
25-39	89%	8%	3%	
40-54	90%	8%		3%
55+	86%	7%		7%

- **If yes, where do you plan to get resources or funds to rebuild/repair/retrofit your home?**

Government grant	73%
Government loan	13%
Personal loan (informal)	6%

- **If yes, what factors do you base yours rebuild/repair/retrofitting decisions on?**

Building requirements released by government	26%
Confidence in government support	20%
Availability of financial support	10%
Waiting for building assessment	10%

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DO YOU FEEL YOUR COMMUNITY HAS RECOVERED FROM THE EARTHQUAKE?

No	60%
Neutral	3%
Yes	36%
Don't Know	1%

Gender	No	Neutral	Yes	Don't Know
Female	56%	4%	41%	
Male	62%	3%	34%	1%



Caste/ethnicity	No	Neutral	Yes	Don't Know
Brahmin	69%		31%	
Chhetri	86%		14%	
Dalit	100%			
Janajati	64%	9%	27%	
Magar	75%		25%	
Others			100%	
Tamang	45%	5%	48%	2%

Age	No	Neutral	Yes	Don't Know
15-24	56%		44%	
25-39	63%	3%	34%	
40-54	62%	3%	36%	
55+	50%	7%	36%	7%

▪ **If not, what is the main thing your community need to recover:**

Repair/reconstruction of community buildings	40%
Repair/reconstruction of schools	16%
News on government decisions	10%
Reconstruction advice/training	10%

▪ **Second main thing:**

Repair/reconstruction of community buildings	21%
Repair/reconstruction of schools	13%
Reduce risk of future disasters	13%

End of Report