

2020 AT A GLANCE: IN BANGLADESH



101,396 households graduated from extreme poverty
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **118,242** participants received cash support, hygiene materials and awareness on COVID-19. Dry rations, agriculture and livestock inputs mobilised for **117,635** participants from government and village communities



105,374 people (including **30,270** women and **1,519** persons with disabilities) reached through skills training and decent work interventions
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **15,830** people received emergency cash support and **92,525** hand sanitisers distributed



246,871 outpatient consultations conducted in **11** health facilities in the Rohingya camps in Cox's Bazar
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **1.36 million** people reached through awareness messages in the camps and host communities in Cox's Bazar



8.18 million total clients reached with financial services and **USD 4.5 billion** disbursed in loans
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **USD 17 million** emergency cash transferred to **700,000** households through digital financial services



656,950 people in hard-to-reach situations such as *haor* (wetlands) regions supported with healthcare, telemedicine services and climate-resilient technologies
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **1.42 million** people (including **900,000** people involved in rice harvesting) received awareness messages in hard-to-reach areas



556,531 people reached through awareness activities on safe migration, human trafficking and reintegration of returnee migrants, and **9,510** returnee migrants received immediate support after arriving at the airport
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **2,739** returnee migrants received tele-counseling services through mobile phones and **5,856** returnee migrants received emergency cash assistance



104,678 people made aware of their legal rights and provided with legal aid, and **USD 5.1 million** recovered through Alternative Dispute Resolution and court cases
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **4,100** disputes resolved through Online Dispute Resolution



9.7 million reproductive, maternal, neonatal, child and adolescent health, nutrition, non-communicable diseases, disability and eye care services were received by people
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **63 million** people reached with prevention and protection information



608,813 people living in urban slums received low-cost housing, infrastructure development, livelihood support, urban agriculture, water, hygiene and sanitation services
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **1.8 million** people living in urban slums across 20 cities received food and cash support, hand washing facilities and hygiene promotion



107,135 people gained access to safe drinking water and **52,513** people gained access to safely-managed sanitation facilities
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **1,000** hand washing stations installed at public places and **203,381** people reached with awareness messages in **20** upazilas with high infection rates



50,000 households received holistic emergency response support in areas affected by flood and **10,600** households received holistic emergency response support in the aftermath of Cyclone Amphan
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **430,153** households received cash stipends and food and **7,300** students received protective items



748,679 students accessed inclusive learning opportunities in BRAC schools and neuro developmental disability centres
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **748,679** students continued learning through at-home learning platforms such as mobile phones, television and community radio, and **214,860** pre-primary students from government primary schools were reached through radio schools



1.99 million people sensitised on violence against women and children, and **4,925** BRAC staff and **11,798** volunteers trained on gender sensitivity



40,867 households in climate vulnerable situations supported in building resilience to climate change
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **8,900** people received awareness and safety messages



1.74 million symptomatic cases screened for TB, of which **230,049** cases were diagnosed and started treatment. **1.25 million** symptomatic cases were screened for malaria and **1.31 million** long-lasting insecticidal nets were distributed for malaria prevention
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **2.2 million** people in the Chittagong Hill Tracts oriented on COVID-19 awareness and care, and **80** COVID-19 sample collection booths and **42** GeneXpert machines were introduced for TB-COVID-19 bidirectional tests with the Government of Bangladesh



13,317 survivors of violence supported with medical, psychosocial and rehabilitation services, and **4,608** women referred for legal aid services
+ **COVID-19 spotlight:** **9.8 million** people reached with awareness messages through members of *Polli Shomaj* (women-led institutions), local cable networks and community radio network