



### **ADRA South Sudan CAPACITY STATEMENT (with focus on emergency)**

ADRA South Sudan has been operating in southern Sudan since 1994. ADRA has been working in seven out of the ten states namely Eastern Equatoria, Western Equatoria, Central Equatoria, Jonglei, Northern Bahr El Ghazal, Warrap and Upper Nile. ADRA's main portfolios as mentioned in its *Strategic Plan 2012-2015* include the following:

- 1) **Primary health care** with the provision of the Basic Package of Health Services, capacity building for health personnel, construction of PHCCs/Us and County Health Departments and adolescent sexual and reproductive health focusing on youth friendly services;
- 2) **Education** consisting of teacher's training, promotion of girl child education, construction of classrooms, construction of County Education Centres, alternative learning program (ALP), functional adult literacy (FAL), training on school administration (head teachers, PTAs, school supervisors etc.) and capacity building for education authorities;
- 3) **Food security/livelihoods** is one of the lesser developed areas of the organization, but we have had experience implementing within this important sector as it is part of our overall Strategic Plan. Activities include training in small-scale agriculture, supporting farmers' associations, provision of farming inputs (i.e., seeds, tools, equipment), facilitation in market access, provision of vocational training, establishing village-based savings and loans schemes, and promoting income generating activities.
- 4) **Emergency response** for displacement or disruption due to natural disasters or conflict. Activities include distribution of NFIs, GFD, child protection, education in emergency (EiE), WASH and assistance and capacity building for local authorities and communities in preparation and mitigation of risks;
- 5) Integrated/cross-cutting programs include civil society strengthening, HIV and AIDS awareness, WASH, gender sensitivity and women's empowerment.

ADRA chooses to maintain its development oriented activities in several less conflict-affected areas, while at the same time, addressing dire emergency needs congruent with the crisis that broke out in December 2013. For the purpose of this document presentation, the focus is on emergency. In the past three years alone, ADRA South Sudan has implemented a variety of sector oriented projects that integrate all types of water and sanitation for health (WASH), food and/or NFI distribution activities for a more holistic approach. Education in emergency has taken a prominent role in ADRA's portfolio as well. These include the following projects through the support of a wide variety of donors:

<b>Project name</b>	<b>Type of project</b>	<b>Timeframe</b>	<b>Size/budget</b>
Sudan Health Transformation Project II Juba &Terekeka, CES	<b>Health</b> Includes hygiene awareness raising	Nov 2009-Jul 2012	<b>USAID</b> \$4,873,560
Primary Health Care Reform Support Budi, EES &Nasir, UN	<b>Health</b> Includes borehole drilling & hygiene awareness raising	Jun 2010-Dec 2012	<b>BSF</b> \$1,940,972
Integrated Service Delivery Program Juba &Terekeka, CES	<b>Health</b> Includes hygiene awareness raising	Aug 2012- on-going in Terekeka	<b>USAID</b> \$2,474,765
Education in Emergency for IDPs and Returnees in Warrap and Western Equatoria States	<b>Education</b> Included 40 emergency latrines & hygiene awareness raising	Apr 2012-July 2013	<b>UNICEF</b> \$918,937
Education in Emergency for IDPs and Returnees in Warrap State	<b>Education</b> Included 10 emergency latrines & hygiene awareness raising	Feb-July 2013	<b>CHF</b> \$376,573
Education in Emergency for IDPs and Host Communities in Upper Nile	<b>Education</b> Includes 5 gender segregated latrines	Feb-Jul 2014	<b>CHF</b> \$176,206
Budi Sustainable Education System Project (BSES)	<b>Education</b> 46 primary schools supported-Budi	Jan 2010-Dec 2013	<b>NORAD</b> \$880,950
Basic Services for Reintegration of Returnees and the Host Community in Maiwut County, Upper Nile	<b>Education</b> 13 schools supported-Maiwut	Mar-Dec 2013	<b>NORAD</b> \$300,000
Promotion of Basic Services for Reintegration of Returnees I-II Nasir&Maiwut, UN	<b>Integrated</b> Includes girl-friendly latrines, borehole drilling & hygiene awareness raising	Sep 2009-Sep 2012	<b>US Dept of State/BPRM</b> \$3,255,000
Assistance to Reintegration and Self-reliance of Returnees and Local Community for SS Nasir, UN	<b>Integrated</b> Includes latrine construction & hygiene awareness raising	Apr 2010-May 2014	<b>JPF</b> \$3,115,924
Returnee Reintegration and Livelihood Enhancement I-III Bor, Jonglei& Budi, EES	<b>Integrated</b> Includes CLTS & hygiene awareness raising	Jul 2010-2013	<b>OFDA</b> \$3,128,425
ADRA Network Proposal Terekeka, Central Equatoria Torit, Eastern Equatoria	<b>Emergency</b> Includes emergency WASH intervention, hygiene & sanitation promotion, and NFI distribution	Feb-Apr 2014	<b>ADRA</b> \$368,500
General Food Distribution in Nasir&Mading, UN	<b>Emergency Food Response</b> Food distribution to the 21,000 most vulnerable population	Apr-Sep 2014	<b>WFP</b> \$1,162,350
Emergency Food Response for Budi, Eastern Equatoria	<b>Emergency Food Response</b> Addresses emergency food needs for 11,340 vulnerable people using the food voucher system	Apr-Aug 2014	<b>CFGB</b> \$463,644
Emergency Response in Upper Nile (ERUN)	<b>Emergency</b> 30,000 beneficiaries receive assistance for food security and livelihoods; 2)WASH; and 3) shelter	Jun-Dec 2014	<b>MFA Norway</b> \$1,667,690

Integrated Emergency Response for Nasir, UN	<b>Emergency</b> Includes WASH, NFI distribution, EIE, child protection and peace building with and through youth	Jun-Dec 2014	<b>UNICEF \$650,000 PENDING</b>
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Of the above projects, ADRA has accomplished the following since 2010:

51 Boreholes drilled

53 Boreholes rehabilitated

63 Permanent latrines constructed (of 2-4 stances for public spaces, schools, health facilities)

274 emergency latrines constructed (majority are household initiatives as a result of CLTS programming)

65 Water Committees trained or refreshed (approximately 7 members each)

Hygiene and sanitation awareness raising has taken various forms of children’s hygiene and sanitation training (CHAST) mostly in schools and participatory hygiene and sanitation transformation (PHAST) at community and household levels. ADRA utilizes the participatory approach the most, by raising health awareness first, describing alternatives to unhygienic or unsanitary practices and encourages the uptake of the new ‘better for health’ practices through specific engagement in all construction activities (latrines and boreholes), site selections, contribution of materials, pump mechanics training, operations and management of new facilities. Parents/Caregivers are encouraged to instill good health practices in the home with their children, while at schools, children are also engaged in clubs and activities with knowledge sharing with peers and at home.

Food and NFI distribution are done in close collaboration with donor partners and local community-based authorities, especially for registration and identification of the most vulnerable segment of the population. In response to food needs, ADRA is working with a variety of approaches to fit the context of the different areas: general food distribution, distribution of seeds and tools, and food vouchers.

#### *Administrative background*

ADRA South Sudan had over 500 staff members working for 19 projects in 2013. The projects have reached an approximate 2,188,000 beneficiaries with US\$10,786,500. Funding has been received from the following array of donors over the last three years:

<b>DONOR SUPPORT TO ADRA South Sudan</b>	
ADRA International	OCHA - Common Humanitarian Fund
ADRA Denmark, ADRA Norway, ADRA Japan and ADRA Sweden	SlovakAid
Basic Services Fund	Swedish Mission Council
DANIDA	US Department of State
Japan Platform	USAID
Multi-Donor Trust Fund	UNFPA
NORAD	UNICEF

#### *ADRA’s coordination, assets, partnerships and presence*

ADRA South Sudan works closely with the communities and government authorities at payam, county, state and national levels, to agree on project goals and objectives, workplans and schedules as

appropriate, Agreements, information sharing and for obtaining guidance on national and/or state policies and relevant standards and procedures. In Northern Bahr Al Ghazal, ADRA has had a well established relationship with the local government of Aweil South, in particular, during its implementation of the two-year USAID funded SSHiNE project for coordination of accommodation, working space, supply storage and distribution and recruitment of emergency staffing.

For borehole drilling purposes, ADRA has a PAT drill, Model 301 – somewhat older, but still effective and functional. Along with the drill, there is an Atlas Copco AXH176 compressor. For water quality testing purposes, ADRA has a WagtechCPotable water laboratory. In most cases now, ADRA works with contractors for drilling of boreholes and provides qualified technical staff to oversee drilling activities.

In 2011, ADRA South Sudan partnered with four local NGOs namely Christian Development Services (CDS), Aweil Community Development Organization (ACDO), Nile Hope Development Forum (NHDF) and Assistance Mission for Africa (AMA). ADRA also partnered with three international NGOs namely Concern World Wide, Malaria Consortium and Food for the Hungry (FH) in the implementation of a South Sudan Health Nutrition and Women Empowerment Project funded by FFP/USAID.

ADRA South Sudan is an active participant with the various Clusters, especially those of Education and WASH. Any new emergency response activity planned by ADRA will be done in coordination with the specific relevant Clusters (WASH, NFIs, Education, Health) at the State level.

ADRA has active presence in Warrap State, Ulang, Nasir and Maiwut Counties of Upper Nile, Juba and Terekeka of Central Equatoria, Budi and Greater Kapoetas of Eastern Equatoria as well as in Yambio, Maridi and Mundri West of Western Equatoria.