

SITUATION REPORT #3 Earthquake Majene, West Sulawesi

Update: Sunday, 17 January 2021

Type of Incident : Eartquake
Location : Majene, West Sulawesi
Time of Incident : 14 January 2021

I. Key Information

- The first earthquake measuring 5.9 on Richter Scale occurred on Thursday (14/1), at 14.35 wita (Central Indonesia Time). The epicenter is located on land around 4 km Northwest of Majene, West Sulawesi.
- The second earthquake measuring 6.2 on Richter Scale occurred again on early Friday morning (15/1) at 02.28 wita (Central Indonesia Time), with epicenter at 6 km Northeast Majene, West Sulawesi, at the depth of 10 KM
- 5.9 magnitude earthquake was felt in Majene, North Mamuju, Central Majuju, Toraja, Mamasa, Pinrang, Pare-pare, Wajo, Polewali Mandar, Tanah Grogot, until Balikpapan.
- While a 6.2 magnitude earthquake was felt in Majene, Palu, Central Sulawesi and Makasar, South Sulawesi.
- BMKG has stated another earthquake measuring 5.0 on the Richter Scale hit Majene Regency on Saturday, 16 January, 2021
- The latest info from BMKG stated that the death toll of the earthquake has reached 56 people consisting of 47 people died in Mamuju Regency and 9 people in Majene Regency. In addition, 637 people were injured in Majene Regency and 189 severely injured in Mamuju Regency.

II. Description of the Situation

Major earthquake occurred 2 times on Thursday at 14.35 local time and early Friday morning measuring 6.2 on Richter Scale at 02.28 local time according to data as of Friday (15/1), at 06.00 WIB (West Indonesia Time).

The Meteorology, Climatology and Geophysics Agency (BMKG) said that the type of tectonic earthquake hitting Majene area, West Sulawesi, was of shallow crustal earthquake caused by active fault activity.

On Saturday (16/1) BMKG stated another aftershock measuring 5.0 on the Richter Scale hit Majene Regency. The following aftershock is expected to reoccur, so that the BMKG asks the people to stay calm and be alert.

The latest data from BNPB stated the earthquake killed 56 people consisting 47 people in Mamuju Regency and 9 people in Majene Regency. Twelve people were seriously injured in Mamuju Regency and 200 people suffered from moderate injuries, and 425 people had minor injuries. Meanwhile, in Majene Regency, 189 people have to be hospitalized for major injuries. Some parts of roads connecting Majene Regency and Mamuju Regency have been recovered. The electricity power in Majene Regency has partly functioned, while in Mamuju Regency, the electricity has been blackout.

Currently, Human Initiative Response Team is at Bambang village, Malunda Sub district, Majene Regency, while additional personnel has been deployed to Mamuju Regency. The Response team has conducted a rapid study at a shelter at Bambang Village located next to Village Office. At least there are 346 Family Heads or 1056 people at the shelter coming from 3 hamlets.

There are 256 children, 4 breastfeeding mothers and 210 elderlies. The daily foods for the refugees are supported from field kitchen while the food materials are from the surrounding community. Meanwhile the Response Team has opened services for the refugees such as power charging stations because until Saturday (16/1) the electricity has been blackout.

The availability of non-consumption clean water at the shelters have been sufficient. The shelters are needed for the survivors because their houses are heavily damaged. Meanwhile many vulnerable groups and the heavily damaged houses have made the house are urgently needed.

Source : www.bnpb.go.id

III. Human Initiative Response

- Coordinating with local volunteers, BPBD and local government
- Sending emergency response team for South Sulawesi by land transportation
- Conducting a quick assessment in the evacuation of Kayuwanging Village, Malunda sub district, Malunda Majene Regency
- Setting up water supply at refugee shelter at Kayuwanging village, Malunda Sub district, Malunda Majene Regency
- Setting up water supply at refugee shelters at Banbangan Village, Malunda sub district, Majene Regency

IV. Urgent Needs

- Basic foods
- Blankets and mats
- Refugee tents
- Family toiletry kits
- Medical services
- Tarpaulin
- Baby Kit
- Water supply/Field kitchen
- Genset
- Clean water
- Emergency toilets

V. Action Plan

- Assessment and Coordination in Majene Regency and Mamuju Regency
- SAR Operations
- Support of 3 Field Kitchens at Bambang Village
- Mobile phones Power charging stations in Mamuju Regency
- Support of Medical Service for survivors
- Distribution of basic need packages, family sanitary and shelter packages

VI. Response Team

- Coordination with stakeholder 2 personnel
- Medical 1 personnel
- Assessment team 1 personnel
- Evacuation team 3 personnel
- Distribution team 3 personnel

VII.PIC

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VIII. Documentation



Power charging stations at Bambangan Village, Malunda sub district, Malunda Majene Regency



The condition of refugees and toilets at the refugee shelters next to Bambangan Village office, Malunda Sub district, Malunda Majene Regency



Additional personnel deployed to Mamuju Regency





***Setting up water supply and power charging stations at Kayuwanging village,
Malunda sub district, Malunda Majene Regency***



***Refugee shekters at warga di Ulumanda-Malunda sub district, Parrihuang
hamlet, Sulai village, Majene, West Sulawesi***



***Preparations of deploying doctor team of HI South Sulawesi via land
transportation***