Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea



Press Release Response to the Earthquake in Southern Highlands and Hela Provinces

The Anglican Church of Papua New Guinea supports the joint church-led earthquake response through the Church Partnership Programme (CPP).

We have received the initial "Rapid Assessment Report" compiled by the CPP Field Assessment Team. The CPP Assessment Team included representatives from the Hela Council of Churches, United Church in Hela, and met with the Hela Provincial Administration, Papua New Guinea Defence Force, CARE International and United Nations in Papua New Guinea met at the Central Coordination Hub in Mt Hagen.

The Anglican Church of PNG will contribute to the overall response which includes supporting affected communities to have access to functioning health services (community health services are returned to functioning capacity, facilities are stocked with medicines and supplies, psycho-social support/pastoral care is available). This will be facilitated through the existing CPP network. Donations may be sent to Anglicare PNG. ACPNG Sanap Wantaim Cheque account: Westpac Wagani branch, BSB No. 038007, Account number 6001347900.

We want to assure donors that Anglicare through CPP has a strong history of providing regular and timely reporting and accountability for the many projects it is involved with.

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