

Great East Japan Earthquake: Activities Report 2

Daily Activities / Time series report

The Foundation for Global Children (FGC) initiated support actions on March 17 to the area struck by the March 11 Great East Japan Earth

Supplying Basic Needs for Survival (March 11 – April 6, 2011)

1. Distribution areas and institutions

(basing our operations at SEISA Sendai and Koriyama Learning Centers):

In Miyagi Prefecture:

Kamo Children's Center, Shiwa Kindergarten, Shichigahama Town area, Sendai Municipal Minamikoizumi Junior High School, Sendai Municipal Takasago Junior High School, Shiogama City Gymnasium, Higashimatsuyama Community Center, Ishimaki City Workers' Leisure Center, Wakuya town, Furukawa Town area, Sendai City Miyagino Ward Miyachiyo area, Izumi Park Town, Minamisanriku Town area, etc.

In Fukushima Prefecture:

Big Palette, Iwaki Municipal Ena Elementary School, Iwaki City Izumi and Yumoto areas, etc.



2. Distributed supplies:



Food (rice, buns, snacks, canned foods, retort pouch foods, etc.), water, supplements, clothes (underwear, socks, sweaters, shirts, sweat shirts, jackets, etc.), shoes, electric generators, gasoline, gas canisters, etc. collected through SEISA's bases throughout Japan, and from townspeople of Oiso and Ninomiya Towns and our supporting companies, and 100 walkie-talkies at the request of the JARL, Japan Amateur Radio League

3. Period of Distribution: March 17 – April 6

4. Transportations: March 17, 21, 23, 28 and 31 (5 times in total)



Acting against Harmful Rumors (April 12 – 30, 2011)

April 12

- Entry of the FGC support team led by Mr. Yasuo Miyazawa, Chairman of the SEISA Group and Founder of the FGC, into Fukushima Prefecture
- Consultation with Mr. Eiko Yoshida, a member of the Fukushima Prefectural Assembly, at the prefectural office on the present situation in Fukushima Prefecture, by the FGC Educational Environment Support Team (EEST)
- Entry into Minamisoma City
- Merging with Dr. Tsubokura from the Institute of Medical Science, University of Tokyo
- Consultation with Minamisoma City Mayor Sakurai, the Superintendent of Education, and the Chairman of the Board of Education on the present situation of education and health care, by the EEST, and the FGC Medical Support Team (MST)
- Consultation with Mayor Sakurai and Dr. Oikawa, Vice-president of Minamisoma Municipal Hospital, on the present situation at clinical sites, by the MST



Mr. Yasuo Miyazawa

April 13

- Consultation with Soma City Mayor Tachiya on the present situation in Soma City, by the EEST
- Distribution of relief supplies at evacuation centers in Minamisoma City, by the EEST: Hara First Elementary School, Ishigami First Elementary School, Kashima Health Center, Adult Day Care Service Himawari, and Soma City Arena
- Inspection of medical institutions in Minamisoma City, by the MST
- Discussion with the Governor of Nagao Prefecture, by the EEST

April 14

- Inquiry on needed supplies in Iitate Village, by the EEST: Agricultural Committee Office, Elderly Nursing Home Iitate, and Council of Social Welfare
- Delivery of 50 sets of textbooks for all subjects from elementary to high school to Haramachi First Elementary School, by the EEST

April 15

- Delivery of relief supplies to the Iitate Village Supply Station, by the EEST
- Visit to Soma District Shinchi Town disaster area to study the present situation in the area, by the EEST
- Distribution of relief supplies to the public in Iwaki City Yumoto and Izumi Districts, by the EEST

April 16

- Consultation with Mr. Takahashi from Hokuyo Cleaning Co., Ltd. in Minamisoma City on the present situation of civic life, by the EEST

- Distribution of relief supplies to the public in Iwaki City Izumi District, by the EEST

April 17

- Consultation with Mr. Tanno, a member of the Minamisoma City Council, on the regional characteristics of Soma and Minamisoma Districts, by the EEST
- Consultation with the Minamisoma City Board of Education Early Childhood Education Division on the present situation of their afterschool day care program, by the EEST

April 18

- Consultation with the principal of a nursery school in Minamisoma City on the present situation of nursery schools within 30 km of the nuclear power plant, by the EEST

April 19

- Consultation with Mr. Takahashi from Hokuyo Cleaning Co., Ltd. in Minamisoma City on the present situation of high schools within 30 km of the nuclear power plant, by the EEST
- Follow-up survey on procurement and distribution of relief supplies, by the EEST

April 20

- Consultation with the Minamisoma City Board of Education General Affairs Office on afterschool day care issues, by the EEST

April 21

- Visit to Alps Dormitory Evacuation Center, former Alps Electric Co., Ltd. employee dormitory building, to study the present situation at evacuation centers, by the EEST
- Conference with Minamisoma City Mayor Sakurai and Dr. Oikawa, Vice-president of Minamisoma Municipal Hospital, on the reconstruction of health care system, by the MST

April 22

- Consultation with teachers at Soma High School on issues in resuming classes, by the EEST
- Conference with Soma City Mayor Tachiya on future plans and measures, by the EEST

April 23

- Arrangement of medical examination for Soma city employees, by the MST
- Conference with Soma City Mayor Tachiya on future plans and measures, by the EEST

April 24

- First day of medical examinations for Soma city employees, by the MST
- Conference with former Superintendent of Education of Fukushima Prefecture Mr. Fujita, the current Policy Administrator of Education, and the Deputy Director of the School Guidance & Health Education Division regarding the Soma Follower Team (SFT) and provision of psychological care at municipal high schools, by the EEST
- Conference with Soma City Mayor Tachiya on future plans and measures, by the EEST

April 25

- Second day of medical examination for Soma city employees, by the MST
- Donation of picture books and illustrated encyclopedias for children to the Minamisoma City Board of Education Early Childhood Education Division, by the EEST

April 26

- Third day of medical examination for Soma city employees, by the MST
- Conference with the Soma City School Education Division and clinical psychologists regarding the SFT, by the EEST



There used to be houses --- and smiles as well



The search activity by the Self Defense Forces continues.
- Still so many people are missing.

April 27

- Visit to Soma High School with the SFT to study post-earthquake psychological care for high school students, by the EEST
- Soma Follower Team Meeting, by the EEST

April 28

- Conference with the Minamisoma Municipal Hospital, by the MST
- Conference with Soma City Mayor Tachiya on future plans and measures, by the EEST

April 29

- Consultation with the Chairman of the Soso District Society of Certified Clinical Psychologists on psychological care for children, by the EEST
- Conference with the Minamisoma Municipal Hospital, by the MST
- Arrangement with Mayor Tachiya and the President of the NGO Association for Aid and Relief, Japan (AAR JAPAN) for cooperation and collaboration between the AAR JAPAN and the FGC, by the EEST and MST

April 30

- Meeting with the President of the NGO AAR JAPAN regarding cooperation and collaboration between the AAR JAPAN and the FGC, by the EEST

Restoring Education and Health Care (May 1 - present, 2011)

May 1

- Discussion with faculty members of Soma High School on issues in resuming classes of three schools at Soma High School, by the EEST

May 2

- Conference with the Director of Soma City School Education Division and clinical psychologists regarding the SFT, by the EEST
- Consultation with parents of Haramachi High School students on issues regarding academic level of high school students and advancement to higher education, by the EEST

May 3

- Conference with the Principal of Haramachi High School on ideas for a framework to follow high school students' academic level, by the EEST
- Conference with Soma City Mayor Tachiya on future plans and measures, by the EEST
- Distribution of relief supplies (infant clothes, etc.) to people taking shelter at the Soma City Arena, by the EEST
- Delivery and distribution of relief supplies (adult diapers, etc.) to the litate Village Supply Station, by the EEST
- Conference on reconstruction of community health care, by the MST

May 4

- Discussion with Soma High School faculty members on high school students' present physical and mental states, by the EEST
- Conference with Soma City Mayor Tachiya on future plans and measures, by the EEST
- Conference on reconstruction of community health care, by the MST

May 5

- Conference with Soma City Mayor Tachiya on future plans and measures, by the EEST
- Conference on reconstruction of community health care, by the MST
- Discussion with Soma High School faculty members and litate Village Council of Social Welfare staff members, by the EEST and MST

May 6

- Conference with the Director of the Soma City School Education Division and clinical psychologist regarding the SFT, by the EEST
- Consultation with the Chairman and Principal of Minamisoma City Ichihara Seiai Nursery School on the present situation of nursery schools within 30 km of the nuclear power plant, by the EEST



May 7

- Arrangement with the Director of the Soma City School Education Division concerning employment of clinical psychologists, by the EEST

May 8

- Search for a venue for our base in Soma, by the EEST

May 9

- Confirmation of relief supply stocks, by the EEST
- Search for a venue for our base in Soma, by the EEST

May 10

- Search for a venue for our base in Soma, by the EEST
- Conference with the Director of Soma City School Education Division, Planning & Coordination Division and clinical psychologists regarding the SFT and its incorporation, by the EEST
- Arrangement with the NGO AAR JAPAN concerning future provision of material support and necessary equipment and infrastructure, by the EEST



May 11

- Guidance in dealing with tsunami sludge at the Soma City Disaster Management Conference, by the MST

May 12

- Reconfirmation of needs in the Minamisoma, Soma, Shinchimachi and Iitate disaster areas, by the EEST

May 13

- Arrangement with Soma City for the incorporation of the SFT into an NPO, by the EEST
- Door-to-door distribution of relief supplies at the Alps Dormitory Evacuation Center, by the EEST

May 14

- Delivery of relief supplies from Baylor University to hospitals in Soma City, by the EEST
- Door-to-door distribution of infant clothes at the Alps Dormitory Evacuation Center, by the EEST
- Inquiry on the needs at the Hamanasu Evacuation Center, by the EEST

May 15

- Delivery of relief supplies from Baylor University to hospitals in Minamisoma City, by the EEST
- Briefing session on "What is radiation?" with about 80 participants in Soma City Kuroki District, by the MST with logistical support of the EEST

May 16

- Investigation on evacuation centers not receiving necessary provision of relief supplies, by the EEST
- Arrangement of public medical examination in Iitate, by the MST

May 17

- Investigation on evacuation centers not receiving necessary provision of relief supplies, by the EEST
- Visit to Soma High School and
- Arrangement of a system of cooperation to support students at Soma High School, by the EEST

May 18

- Arrangement with Soma City for counseling at Isobe Elementary and Junior High Schools, by the EEST
- Visit to Isobe Elementary and Junior High Schools, by the EEST
- Preliminary inspection of venue for public briefing sessions on radiation in Hatsuno and Oono Districts, by the EEST

May 19

- Arrangement with Soma City for the incorporation of the SFT into an NPO, by the EEST
- Investigation on issues at Soma High School as a satellite school for Soma and Haramachi High Schools and Soma Agricultural High School, by the EEST

May 20



Session on "What is radiation?"
To provide appropriate information
about radiation.

- Preparation for public medical examination and health counseling in Iitate Village, by the MST and EEST

May 21

- First day of public medical examination and health counseling for 130 people in Iitate Village, by the MST
- Logistical support by the EEST including service of coffee gifted from the United States Forces Japan



Each doctor, nurse and staff spends about 1 hour for 1 person

May 22

- Second day of public medical examination and health counseling for 140 people in Iitate Village, by the MST
- Logistical support by the EEST including service of coffee gifted from the United States Forces Japan
- Briefing sessions on “What is radiation?” with about 200 participants in Soma City Hatsuno and Tamano Districts, by the MST supported by the EEST

May 23

- Arrangement with Soma City Mayor Tachiya for public medical examination and health counseling in Soma City Tamano District, by the MST
- Briefing session on “What is radiation?” with about 60 participants in Soma City Ootsubo District, by the MST supported by the EEST

May 24

- Reconfirmation of needs in Matsukawaura, Shinchi and Isobe disaster areas, by the EEST
- Counseling for 4 students and 2 teachers at Isobe Junior High School, by the SFT and EEST

May 25

- Counseling for municipal kindergarten parents, by the Soma Follower Team and EEST
- Arrangement with Isobe Junior High School faculty members regarding psychological counseling and support for students, by the SFT and EEST
- Counseling for 4 students at Isobe Junior High School, by the SFT and EEST

May 26

- Counseling for 2 students at Isobe Elementary School, by the SFT and EEST

May 27

- Distribution of relief supplies in the partially destroyed residential area of Matsukawaura, by the EEST

May 28

- Public medical examination for 153 people in Soma City Tamano District, by the MST with logistical support of the EEST

May 29

- Public medical examination for 154 people in Soma City Tamano District, by the MST with logistical support of the EEST

May 30

- Counseling for 4 students at Isobe Elementary School, by the SFT and EEST



May 31

- Counseling for 3 students at Isobe Elementary School, by the SFT and EEST



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4. Beneficiary's Account Number : 4505073
5. Beneficiary's Name : FGC

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