



INTER-AGENCY COMMON FEEDBACK PROJECT Nepal Earthquake 2015

COMMUNITY PERCEPTION REPORT

GORKHA

ROUND 5



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The findings in this report are not necessarily representative of all communities in the district. The findings in this report should be considered indicative of how community perceive response efforts.

A total of **100 surveys** were conducted in **Gorkha** district:

Distribution by caste/ethnicity:

Caste/ethnicity	Female	Male	Other	Total
Brahmin	3	10		13
Chhetri	9	10		19
Dalit	5	1	1	7
Gurung	4	11		15
Janajati	5	13		18
Magar		1		1
Newar	7	5		12
Other	2	2		4
Sherpa	2	5		7
Tamang	1	3		4

GENDER DISTRIBUTION

FEMALE: 38
 MALE: 61
 OTHER: 1

Distribution by age:

Age	Female	Male	Other	Total
15-24	11	10	1	22
25-39	20	33		53
40-54	5	17		22
55+	1			1
Refused	1	1		2

DO YOU HAVE ANY HEALTH PROBLEM?

No difficulty 76%
 Some difficulty 22%
 A lot of difficulty 2%

Gender	No difficulty	Some difficulty	A lot of difficulty
Female	76%	21%	3%
Male	75%	23%	2%
other	100%		

Caste/ethnicity	No difficulty	Some difficulty	A lot of difficulty
Brahmin	77%	23%	
Chhetri	63%	32%	5%
Dalit	100%		
Gurung	80%	13%	7%
Janajati	78%	22%	
Magar	100%		
Newar	58%	42%	
other	100%		
Sherpa	86%	14%	
Tamang	75%	25%	



Age	No difficulty	Some difficulty	A lot of difficulty
15-24	86%	14%	
25-39	81%	19%	
40-54	55%	41%	5%
55+			100%
Refused	100%		

1 ARE YOUR MAIN PROBLEMS BEING ADDRESSED?

Negative 15%
Neutral 39%
Positive 46%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive
Female	11%	39%	50%
Male	18%	39%	43%
other			100%

Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive
Brahmin	8%	38%	54%
Chhetri	5%	32%	63%
Dalit		14%	86%
Gurung	27%	53%	20%
Janajati	17%	39%	44%
Magar			100%
Newar	8%	33%	58%
other	25%	25%	50%
Sherpa	43%	57%	
Tamang	25%	75%	

Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive
15-24	27%	36%	36%
25-39	13%	38%	49%
40-54	9%	50%	41%
55+			100%
Refused			100%



• **If negative, biggest problem:**

long term shelter (housing)	96%
clean water	2%
financial support	2%

• **Second biggest problem:**

healthcare	28%
financial support	22%
education	22%
livelihoods	20%
clean water	4%
toilets sanitation	2%
seeds and fertilizers	2%

2 ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH WHAT GOVERNMENT IS DOING FOR YOU AFTER THE EARTHQUAKE?

Negative 7%
 Neutral 11%
 Positive 69%
 Don't know 1%
 Refused 12%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
Female	5%	13%	68%	3%	11%
Male	8%	10%	69%		13%
other			100%		

Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
Brahmin	8%		77%		15%
Chhetri	5%		74%		21%
Dalit			86%	14%	
Gurung		27%	67%		7%
Janajati	6%	11%	72%		11%
Magar			100%		
Newar			83%		17%
other	25%	25%	25%		25%
Sherpa	29%	29%	43%		
Tamang	25%	50%	25%		



Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
15-24	18%	23%	55%		5%
25-39	4%	8%	72%	2%	15%
40-54	5%	9%	73%		14%
55+			100%		
Refused			100%		

• **If not satisfied, top reason:**

was promised relief but never received	61%
relief distributed based on distance from road	17%
do not trust government	11%
reconstruction process taking too long	6%
can't get to distribution sites	6%

• **Second top reason:**

reconstruction process taking too long	50%
don't know how to register for relief services	28%
government plans unclear	11%
was promised relief but never received	6%
relief distributed based on severe damage	6%

3 DO YOU HAVE INFORMATION YOU NEED TO GET RELIEF AND SUPPORT?

Negative 2%
 Neutral 6%
 Positive 91%
 Refused 1%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Refused
Female	3%	8%	89%	
Male	2%	5%	92%	2%
other			100%	

Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Refused
Brahmin		8%	92%	
Chhetri			100%	
Dalit			100%	
Gurung		7%	93%	



Janajati		11%	89%	
Magar			100%	
Newar			100%	
other			75%	25%
Sherpa	29%	29%	43%	
Tamang			100%	

Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Refused
15-24	5%	14%	77%	5%
25-39	2%	4%	94%	
40-54		5%	95%	
55+			100%	
Refused			100%	

- **If negative, top information needed:**

news about government decisions	75%
how to replace personal documentation	13%
how to get healthcare psychosocial support	13%

- **Second most important information needed:**

how to get shelter materials	63%
how to get healthcare psychosocial support	13%
other	13%
how to replace personal documentation	13%

4 ARE YOU SATISFIED WITH WHAT NGOS ARE DOING FOR YOU AFTER EARTHQUAKE?

Negative 7%
 Neutral 17%
 Positive 76%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive
Female	8%	21%	71%
Male	7%	15%	79%
other			100%



Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive
Brahmin		8%	92%
Chhetri	16%		84%
Dalit		14%	86%
Gurung		33%	67%
Janajati	6%	28%	67%
Magar			100%
Newar	8%	17%	75%
other		50%	50%
Sherpa	29%	14%	57%
Tamang			100%

Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive
15-24	5%	27%	68%
25-39	9%	17%	74%
40-54	5%	9%	86%
55+			100%
Refused			100%

• **If not satisfied, top reason:**

was promised relief but never received	46%
renters excluded from distribution	17%
don't know where distribution sites are	13%
NGO plans unclear	13%
do not trust NGOs	8%
can't get to distribution sites	4%

• **Second top reason:**

reconstruction process taking too long	46%
was promised relief but never received	25%
do not trust NGOs	13%
don't know where distribution sites are	8%
don't know how to register for relief services	4%
NGO do not listen to my concerns	4%

5 IS SUPPORT PROVIDED IN A FAIR WAY?

Negative 5%



Neutral 11%
 Positive 70%
 Don't know 7%
 Refused 7%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
Female	8%	11%	61%	11%	11%
Male	3%	11%	75%	5%	5%
other			100%		

Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
Brahmin	15%	15%	69%		
Chhetri	5%	26%	63%		5%
Dalit			86%	14%	
Gurung			87%	7%	7%
Janajati		6%	78%	11%	6%
Magar			100%		
Newar	8%	17%	42%	17%	17%
other			25%	25%	50%
Sherpa	14%	14%	71%		
Tamang			100%		

Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
15-24	5%	14%	68%	5%	9%
25-39	8%	11%	68%	6%	8%
40-54		9%	73%	14%	5%
55+			100%		
Refused			100%		

• **If negative, top reason:**

based on political parties	63%
based on distance from main road	19%
only if damage is severe	13%
other	6%

• **Second top reason:**

other	44%
based on distance from main road	25%
first come first served	13%



based political parties	13%
based on caste systems	6%

6 ARE YOU PREPARED FOR WINTER?

No	60%
Neutral	30%
Yes	10%

Gender	No	Neutral	Yes
Female	63%	24%	13%
Male	59%	34%	7%
other			100%

Caste/ethnicity	No	Neutral	Yes
Brahmin	54%	31%	15%
Chhetri	68%	32%	
Dalit	14%	29%	57%
Gurung	80%	20%	
Janajati	17%	67%	17%
Magar	100%		
Newar	83%	8%	8%
other	75%	25%	
Sherpa	100%		
Tamang	75%	25%	

Age	No	Neutral	Yes
15-24	55%	36%	9%
25-39	62%	26%	11%
40-54	64%	27%	9%
55+	100%		
Refused		100%	

- **If no, top reason:**

house shelter will not protect against cold	51%
not enough blankets	21%
house shelter will not keep snow out	20%
not enough fuel	6%



do not have warm clothing

2%

7 OVERALL, IS POST-EARTHQUAKE RELIEF EFFORT MAKING PROGRESS?

Negative 6%
 Neutral 16%
 Positive 34%
 Don't know 11%
 Refused 33%

Gender	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
Female	11%	16%	37%	16%	21%
Male	3%	16%	31%	8%	41%
other			100%		

Caste/ethnicity	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
Brahmin	23%	8%	31%		38%
Chhetri		11%	11%	26%	53%
Dalit			71%		29%
Gurung	7%	7%	60%		27%
Janajati		17%	56%		28%
Magar				100%	
Newar	8%	17%		42%	33%
other	25%	25%			50%
Sherpa		86%	14%		
Tamang			75%		25%

Age	Negative	Neutral	Positive	Don't know	Refused
15-24	5%	23%	41%	14%	18%
25-39	6%	11%	40%	8%	36%
40-54	5%	23%	18%	14%	41%
55+				100%	
Refused	50%				50%

8 DO YOU FEEL THERE HAS BEEN AN INCREASE IN THE ENVIRONMENT OF TENSION, OR RISK OF VIOLENCE OR HARASSMENT SINCE THE EARTHQUAKE? (Female based question)

Yes 5%



Neutral 5%
No 76%
Don't know 13%

Caste/ethnicity	Yes	Neutral	No	Don't know
Brahmin			100%	
Chhetri		11%	67%	22%
Dalit			80%	20%
Gurung	25%	25%	50%	
Janajati			100%	
Newar			71%	29%
other	50%		50%	
Sherpa			100%	
Tamang			100%	

Age	Yes	Neutral	No	Don't know
15-24			100%	
25-39	5%	5%	70%	20%
40-54	20%	20%	40%	20%
55+			100%	

• **If yes, by whom:**

strangers	50%
others	25%
community members	25%
