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NO ONE **WITHOUT
SHELTER AFTER DISASTER**



**SHELTERBOX HAS SUPPORTED
MORE THAN
3 MILLION
PEOPLE**

**around the world across almost 100 countries. People
who have had to flee their homes, or had them damaged,
because of disaster, conflict or the climate crisis.**

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**Today 120 million
people have been
forced from their
homes by
disasters, conflict
and climate
change.**

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**In the next 25
years, around 1.2
billion people could
be at risk of losing
their homes to
disaster – that's 1 in
6 people alive
today.**

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OUR HISTORY

In 2000, the idea for ShelterBox was hit upon by the Rotary Club of Helston-Lizard in Cornwall.

In the first year, Rotary Clubs alone donated £88,000. The faith shown by the Rotary community led to the first-ever response supporting families affected by the 2001 earthquake in Gujarat, India.

ShelterBox became a registered charity in 2003, with the trustees and board members all belonging to the Rotary Clubs

In 2012, with Rotary members around the world rallying behind a shared vision, the partnership between ShelterBox and Rotary was formally recognised when ShelterBox became Rotary's official project partner in disaster relief. To this day, ShelterBox works in partnership with local Rotary contacts to support families with emergency shelter support and other essential items.



WHERE WE ARE WORKING



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OUR AID

We deliver the essentials families need to begin rebuilding their lives after disaster.

Each disaster is different, and so is every community. We don't believe that one size fits all, so we spend time talking to affected families to make sure we provide the right support at the right time.



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**TYPES OF
SHELTER**



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PREPOSITIONING AID

For ShelterBox, prepositioning is a crucial part of our supply chain. This is the term we use for storing aid items in strategic locations around the world.

Helps to make the supply chain

- More efficient
- Quicker
- Cheaper

We currently have prepositioning locations in Europe, the Middle East, South America and Asia.



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EVERY COMMUNITY IS DIFFERENT

Which is why no ShelterBox response looks the same.

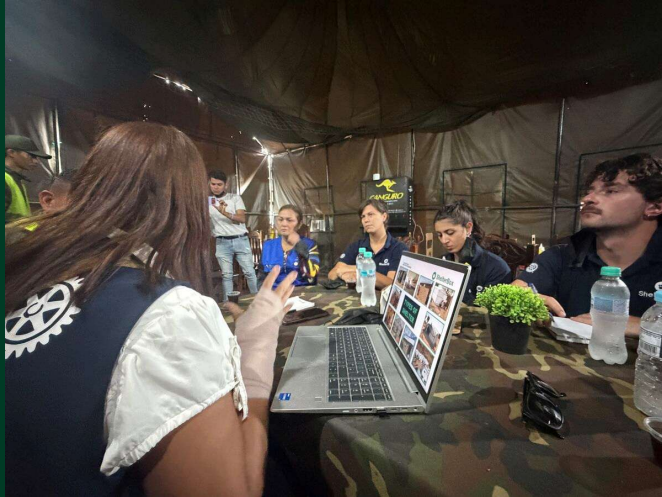
We aim to support communities on the basis of need. That is informed by what communities themselves identify through needs assessments or what is recommended by the relevant humanitarian coordination body.

This includes the decision to move away from shipping aid in our iconic, green ShelterBoxes.

Aid is now delivered in ways that are easier to carry, store, and recycle (pictured).



Photo: Hurricane Melissa – FCRM desk



ShelterBox and Rotary

Engagement and impact



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Engagement Opportunities for Rotary Members leading to greater impact for communities

LOCAL EXPERTISE

Advice and connections, in person or remotely

LOCAL RESPONSE VOLUNTEER

In-country roles supporting live responses

GROUP ACTIVITIES

Club and District level agreements

RESPONSE CYCLE

INITIATION PHASE

Do we respond?

Our 'Response Criteria' helps us make tough decisions about responding during 'Go/No-Go' meetings, which bring together the right people to make effective decisions.

ShelterBox staff were in touch with Rotary members in Thailand and Myanmar on the day of the earthquake, who shared vital insight and damage assessments.



The ShelterBox team discuss with members of the Rotary clubs of Yangon, Central Yangon and Metro Yangon.

DESIGN PHASE

Building a plan

The support we offer is always carefully tailored to the context and the community. In the design phase we focus on the details and finalise our plans.



Rtn Muhsein Mufleh and Hisham Hawari of The Rotary Club of Amman West at the JHCO warehouse.

Collaboration with Rotary District 2452 enabled us to get aid into Gaza via various routes. Plus, Rotary members in Jordan helped secure warehousing in Amman for our tents.

IMPLEMENTATION PHASE

Shelter and support to communities

Once all the ground work is complete, local partners and communities undergo the training they need to begin distributions.

Rotary and Rotaract clubs in Jamaica played key roles in distributions after the hurricane. They helped pack aid and ensured families received the items they needed.



The Rotaract Club of Kingston and several other clubs worked together on the response.

CLOSURE AND REVIEW PHASE

Learning from what we do

As a project nears completion, we conduct evaluations to assess the effectiveness and impact of our response.

Rotary and Rotaract members supported the Türkiye earthquakes response in distributions, providing translation and contributing to our evaluation report.



Yunus Emre, the President of Istanbul Erenköy Rotaract Club.

ShelterBox Response Cycle

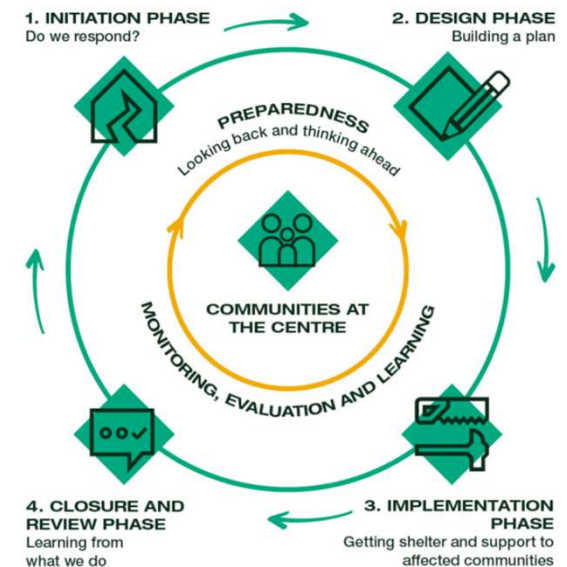


Rotary members engage with ShelterBox in different ways across all phases of the Response cycle:

- Initiation phase
- Design phase
- Implementation phase
- Closure and review phase

In addition to activities supporting

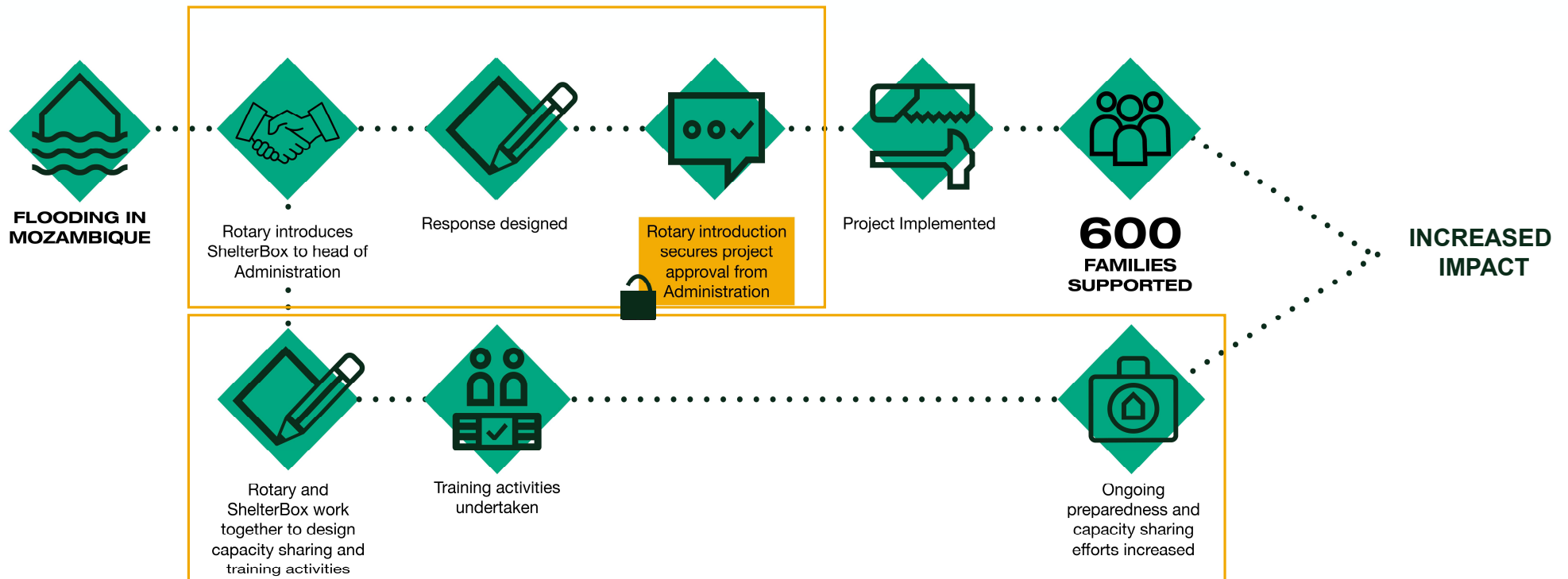
- Preparedness and
- Monitoring and Evaluation



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Every collaboration has vital impact...



Recent Rotary engagement across ShelterBox responses

Local access, operational support and preparedness across ten response

Venezuela - Earthquakes

Customs, consignee, transport + warehousing
D4370

Madagascar - Cyclone Gezani

Tamatave coordination + relationship building
D9220 · Rotary Club de Tamatave

Mozambique - Flooding

Government links, WASH design + Rotaract training
D9400 · Rotary Clubs of Maputo Metro & Polana

Burkina Faso - Project 7

Local survey + contextual updates
D9101 · Ouagadougou Elite

Sri Lanka - Preparedness

Early preparedness conversations
D3220 · Rotary Club Kolonnawa

Lebanon – Conflict crisis

Assessment + implementation across 12 clubs
D2452 · 12 Rotary and Rotaract clubs

Gaza – Conflict crisis

Warehouse procurement coordination
D2453

Philippines - General Santos - Earthquake

Introductions, warehouse scoping + local access
D3860 · General Santos, Metro Dadiangas & Cebu

Indonesia - Preparedness

Context advice + district-network connections
D3422 · Rotary Club Mataram Lombok

Philippines – Masbate - Typhoon Opong

Cash support + solar lights
D3820 · Rotary Club of Masbate



Mozambique



Philippines



Venezuela



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25 Years of Disaster Relief