Relief Information System for Earthquakes - Pakistan
A web portal to facilitate relief aid

No village left behind, no voice left unheard

“ I am really pleased to see such a wonderful website which provides information and updates of natural disaster. I am one of those directly effected by this earthquake. My village is Rawali Kass, it is near Harighal and just 14 km from District town of Bagh. In my village nobody has shelter and people are living under the sky. There is another village adjacent to my village. Its name is Bhurka. 45 people died in the first go and others are stranded under the sky. Its 4 km from the main road, so no relief aid or any other rescue efforts approached them yet. I appeal to the rescue people and others involved to please see to this area.”

Saghir Durrani, Village Rawali Khas, Bagh
[Notice posted October 18, 2005]
The RISEPAK Network

An informational tool for relief coordination that...

Provides information for each village on demographics, location, access, disaster and relief

Allows easy user access through searchable tables and clickable maps

Integrates existing surveys, GIS data and satellite imagery

Collates SMS/phone/fax/web input from relief organizations and individuals

Supports short, medium and long-term relief and reconstruction efforts

“(...) details about each and every village will make sure no one is left behind.”

John Wall, Pakistan Country Director, World Bank

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The **RISEPAK** Network records information from you...

Provide information:

Provide Village Information:
Let us know where you are going, what you are seeing, and what you are doing. Before you contact us, please do make sure to have the official village name.

- Complete and submit this [web form](www.risepak.com).
- Call at 0301-4573534 or (042)111-11-5867.
- Send SMS at 0301-4573531.
- Fax the form to 042-6840900 (PDF, MS WORD).
- Email us at info@risepak.com.

List of official village names per district:

**NWFP Districts:**
- Abbottabad, Buner, Charsadda, Haripur, Landi Kotal, Kohat, Malakand, Mardan, Nowshera, Shangla

**AJK Districts:**
- Bagh, Bhimber, Kohistan, Naushera, Pabbi, Scouts

*Please help us by using the reporting forms provided on the website*
The RISEPAK Network gives you information about...

4000 villages, their population, distance from the epicenter and from major roads

The status of access, damage, and relief received from individuals and relief organizations

The physical location of village clusters (patwar-circle) in the affected area

Relief provided by different organizations
The **RISEPAK** Network records every voice...

**The Notice Board...**

Provides accounts, comments, opinions, and requests from the field

Searchable by category (needs, damage, relief, road access, and more...)

Searchable by physical location and village name

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<td>These people require more tents and blankets and food. I will provide more information later. This information is about the Chisapai village, Jamshoro and district. A total of 150 people are affected and more than 100 houses damaged and about 200 people are injured.</td>
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Ashar Khan, Tehsil, Jamshoro. Total population is around 80 people living in very difficult conditions. Homes have been totally destroyed. Lots of people are injured and are living under the open sky. For more information please contact Mohammed Zainab Khan, Village District, Phone Number |

Physical Condition, Relief Distribution | Click here |

A narrow partly paved and partly unpaved road goes to the village. There are 70 houses in the village with a population of 507. About 95% of the houses have been completely demolished and it is easy to live under most of the remaining 5% houses. This village is still looking for rescue help |

Access of Village, Needs, Physical Condition | Click here |

In the first 12 days the notice board received more than 450 posts from the relief community, villages and concerned citizens and **RISEPAK** updated information on more than 180 villages.

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RISEPAK is using Google Earth to provide...

Satellite images linked with:

- Village location
- Updated village information on damage, access and relief

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The RISEPAK Network Promise...

To treat every source of information—large or small, public or private—equally. Every person affected by the earthquake has a voice and must be heard.

RISEPAK is YOU!

RISEPAK is you and cannot function without you.

Every individual and relief organization that uses RISEPAK to coordinate relief makes this effort grow.

Spread the word!

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- COMSATS - Abbottabad
- Islamic Relief
- Insanity works
- The International Islamic University, Islamabad
- The Rural Support Programmes Network (RSPN)
- Strengthening Participatory Organizations (SPO)
- INTERNEWS
- SUNGI Development Foundation

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