

**UNHCR calls for cash and in-kind donations to help
Pakistan's displaced people; Relief Bank set up in Nowshera**

In response to the enormous solidarity expressed by the people of Pakistan, and with authorisation from the NWFP government, the UN refugee agency has set up a dedicated bank account to receive cash donations for its operation to help Pakistanis displaced by conflict in the north-west, and a Relief Bank in Nowshera to receive and distribute in-kind contributions.

As the majority of people taking refuge in camps and other locations have fled in haste with little more than the clothes on their backs, they are in dire need.

There are two ways people can contribute to the relief operations:

1) Cash Donations

For cash donations, deposit your contribution in our dedicated **UNHCR IDP Relief Fund** at any Standard Chartered Bank branch, Account: 08-7316410-02 - UNHCR - Private Sector

2) Donate urgently needed items to our **Relief Bank, Nowshera**

UNHCR/SRSP Relief Bank: Zaidi Colony (formerly Attock mills), (Opposite Khishko Chungy bus stop), Mardan Road, Nowshera.
Warehouse contact: Sohail Baber 0300 8110150;
Directions: Asad Ullah 03469218493

The most urgently required items include:

- New summer clothing for men, women and children; and clothing fabrics (please do not send second-hand clothes);
- Pillows, sheets, soap, detergent, toothpaste, soap;
- Water coolers (please do not send electric ones).

The Relief Bank in Nowshera has been set up by UNHCR, which offers its assurances that distribution will be done in a planned, coordinated and transparent manner. UNHCR plans to establish more Relief Banks in Islamabad/Rawalpindi, Lahore and Karachi.

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