

2015 NEPAL EARTHQUAKE

On 25 April 2015, a 7.9 magnitude earthquake struck Nepal, 81km northwest of the capital Kathmandu. Another quake, measuring 7.3, struck on 12 May, this time 83km east of the capital.

The Emergency Telecommunications Cluster (ETC) was activated to meet the urgent communications needs of the humanitarian community responding to this disaster.

4 PRIORITY ACTIVITIES



Internet connectivity in hubs and operational areas.



Security communications network in remote areas.

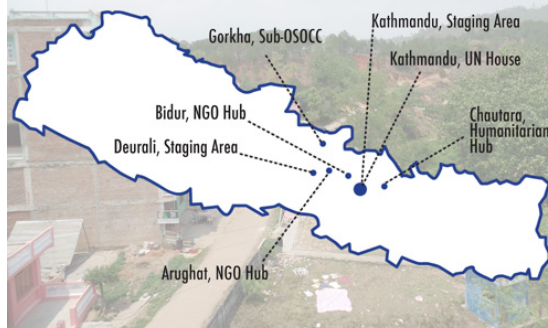


Technical training of humanitarian staff, upskilling local personnel.



Strengthening of disaster response capacity for the Nepali authorities.

SHARED SITES



SEVEN LOCATIONS WITH SHARED SERVICES

400+
REGISTERED USERS

90+
USING SHARED SERVICES
ORGANIZATIONS

\$2.5 MILLION
FUNDING NEEDED

OUR SUPPORTING PARTNERS



The Emergency Telecommunications Cluster (ETC) is a global network of organisations that work together in emergencies to provide shared IT and telecommunications services for the response community. By 2020, the ETC will create an emergency response environment that provides humanitarians, citizens and governments with a seamless, resilient and principled communications experience.