

The monthly bulletin on the activities of the 'Improving Social Cohesion Project'. The project is being implemented by the Coast Trust in collaboration with UNHCR to improve 'Social Cohesion' among Host and Rohingya Communities at Rajapalong, Palongkhali, Whykong, Hnila unions and respective 8 Rohingya camps in Ukhiya and Teknaf upazilas of Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh.

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Improving Social Cohesion among Host and Rohingya Community is the burning asking for Rohingya crisis.

COAST and UNHCR collaborate project "Improving Peaceful Co-existence among Host and Rohingya" implemented in 2019 successfully. Aftermath of the implementation of IPC project, an impact seen in the both community which is demanding the improvement of Social Cohesion among Host and Rohingya. With the agreement between COAST and UNHCR a project is implementing namely "Improving Social Cohesion among Host and Community people".

Social Cohesion Group and Committee has been introduced for Improving Social Cohesion Project.

Social cohesion group and committee will work directly for the improvement of social cohesion through different activities among Rohingya and Host community people. The core objective of the project is to improve social cohesion among Rohingya and Host community people. And this group will enhance this friendly situation in both sides. Total 8 social cohesion groups and 4 social cohesion committee has been introduced for the project.

25 Educational Institution will play a vital role in Improving Social Cohesion among Rohingya and Host Community.

A number of educational institutions has been updated in the list from the previous list. Interactive session, cultural events, games and sports, debate competition, career development orientation and strengthening PTA will be facilitated in these institutions to bring a positive outlook among students and their parents for Rohingya community until the repatriation.

Target and achievement table of the month of January, 2020

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01	Formation of Social Cohesion Group at Camps	8	8
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