

Assalamualikum!

**Dear Compassionate Supporter,
A Heartfelt Appeal for Help this Winter**

As the winter fog thickens, communities across Bangladesh's northern regions Panchagarh, Kurigram, Lalmonirhat, Thakurgaon, and Dinajpur prepare for what is expected to be an especially severe season. The Meteorological Department warns that the cold this year will be harsher than last, posing immense challenges for the countless disadvantaged individuals in these areas. Every year, the bitter cold becomes a life-threatening struggle for impoverished families, unclothed children, and vulnerable elderly individuals who lack adequate protection. Sadly, this harsh winter can even lead to unexpected, tragic losses. But together, we can change this. With your support, **Let's Work for Bangladesh** has been distributing blankets in these high-risk areas. Before distributing, we carefully identify and prioritize those who are elderly, physically challenged, or ill ensuring that aid reaches those in the direst need.

We source blanket, crafted from garment fabric, weighs between 2.8 and 3.5 kg, and measures 7 feet in length by 6 feet in width, offering lasting warmth and protection to multiple people for at least five winters. Every contribution towards these blankets brings a little more comfort, warmth, and safety to those battling the cold.



Photos of Blankets

We source the blankets directly from a dedicated factory in Sirajganj, owned by a remarkably generous individual. Thanks to the strong relationship we have built over the past few years, we are able to purchase these blankets at a slightly reduced rate compared to the standard wholesale price. While the cost of blankets does rise slightly each year due to increasing commodity prices, this invaluable partnership helps us continue providing warmth to those who need it most at a manageable cost.

Table-1: Blanket Price

Year	Wholesale Price	Our Purchase Price
2018	180	165
2019	210	180
2020	230	195
2021	240	215
2022	250	240
2023	290	265

2024	320	265
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(Note: Blanket price includes transportation charges)

The blankets we distribute are made to last for around five years, ensuring long-term warmth and comfort. Each year, we select new locations for distribution, reaching out to communities that haven't previously received blankets. This approach allows us to extend our support to more vulnerable areas over time, bringing warmth to a wider circle of those in need.

Table-2: Distribution Plan

Last Year Distributed Locations	Probable Distribution locations of current year
Boda, Panchagarh.	Tetulia, Panchgarh
Ulipur, Chilmari and Nageshwari, Kurigram.	Char Bojra & Bhurungamari, Kurigram.
Aditmari, Lalmonirhat.	Chagol Khwa Union of Lalmonirhat.
Kishoreganj and Syedpur, Nilphamari.	Kisorgonj & Jaldhaka, Nilphamari.
Pirgacha, Rangpur.	Haragach, Rangpur
Hatibandha, Gaibandha.	Horipur, Gaibandha.
Koira, and Nalian, Khulna.	Koira & Paikgacha, Khulna.
River Bank of Jamuna, Sirajganj.	Blchuci, Sirajgonj
Shyamnagar and Pratapnagar, Satkhira.	Protapnagar, Satkhira.
Nagarpur, Tangail.	Kalahati, Tangail.
Dhaka, Mohammadpur (Slums).	Different Slums in Dhaka
Ranisankoil, Thakurgaon.	Ranisonkol, Thakurgaon.
Birampur, Dinajpur.	Cirirbondor, Dinajpur.
Galachipa, Patuakhali.	Dumki, Patuakhali.
Char Kalikrishti, Bhola.	Ilisha, Bhola.
Amtali, Barguna.	Kolatoli, Barguna.
Berha, Pabna.	Ataikuila, Pabna.
Daulatpur, Kushtia.	Goraibank, Kushtia.

(Note: Priority is always given to areas most affected by winter and poverty. Based on weather conditions and available funding, additional locations may be included. Additionally, if necessary, we are prepared to distribute winter clothing to any part of the country, In Sha Allah.)

This year, our goal is to reach 5,000 blankets, In Sha Allah. We humbly appeal to you to stand

beside the impoverished and disadvantaged unclothed children, the elderly, and vulnerable men and women across Bangladesh as they face the bitter winter months.