

EADRCC REQUEST FOR INTERNATIONAL ASSISTANCE FOR THE EARTHQUAKE IN TÜRKİYE

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From: : Euro-Atlantic Disaster Response Coordination Centre
To : Points of Contact for International Disaster Response in NATO and partner countries
Precedence : Priority
Originator : EADRCC Action Officer
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This request consists of 4 pages.

Changes are highlighted in **bold**.

1. On 06 February 2023, in accordance with the procedures at reference, the EADRCC has received an updated request for additional items from Türkiye.

2. **Description**

2.1. On 06 February 2023 at 01:17 UTC, a powerful **7.7** magnitude earthquake struck southern Türkiye near Gaziantep. At 10:04 UTC, a second powerful earthquake of 7.5 magnitude struck the Kahramanmaraş area. Weather conditions are extreme. Aftershocks continue throughout the affected area.

2.2. As a result, at least **3,381** people have died according to local Turkish officials. **5,700** buildings have collapsed and many people are trapped. At least **20,426** people have been injured.

3. Although many nations have offered assistance through other mechanisms, the following offers have been reported to the EADRCC:

Nation	Request	Offer
Republic of Moldova	USAR Teams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Medium USAR team, self-sufficient for seven days. Travel by road to Türkiye
Azerbaijan	USAR Teams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 420 Personnel (rescuers, firefighters, dog experts, construction engineers and management staff) and 8 specialized dogs. Transport by air.
Iceland	USAR Teams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • USAR Coordination Cell (UCC), INSARAG qualified
North Macedonia	USAR Teams	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • USAR Team (40 personnel with specialized equipment, 6 transport vehicles and 2 firefighting vehicles) • USAR Team (24 personnel and 2 SAR dogs) • Firefighting team (5 personnel, 1 firefighting vehicle and SAR equipment) • 10,000 blankets and 200 stretchers

List of abbreviations

HUSAR	Heavy Urban Search and Rescue Team
MUSAR	Medium Urban Search and Rescue Team
SAR	Search And Rescue
UCC	Urban Search and Rescue Teams Coordination Cell
USAR	Urban Search and Rescue

4. The following requested items for emergency aid have been identified as highest priority by Türkiye:

No.	Description
4.1.	Medium Urban Search and Rescue Teams (MUSAR)
4.2.	Heavy Urban Search and Rescue Teams (HUSAR)

5. The following requested items for emergency aid have been identified by Türkiye:

No.	Description
5.1.	Emergency Medical Teams (EMT) – EMT2 and EMT3*
5.2.	Emergency Medical Equipment
5.3.	3 Extreme weather-proof fully equipped field hospitals with technical personnel for assembly* (medical personnel to operate the hospital have not been requested at this moment)

*The Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Türkiye has announced that international Emergency Medical Teams will be issued visas free of charge at point of debarkation, arranged by Türkiye.

6. New items requested by Türkiye:

No.	Description	Quantity
Winter Clothing		
6.1.	Coats	As many as possible
6.2.	Raincoats	As many as possible
6.3.	Boots	As many as possible
6.4.	Sweaters	As many as possible
6.5.	Pants	As many as possible
6.6.	Gloves	As many as possible
6.7.	Scarf	As many as possible
6.8.	Beret	As many as possible
6.9.	Socks	As many as possible
6.10	Underwear	As many as possible
Other Materials		
6.11	Tent	As many as possible
6.12	Bed	As many as possible
6.13	Mattress (for tent)	As many as possible
6.14	Blanket	As many as possible
6.15	Sleeping bag	As many as possible
6.16	Tube catalytic stove, heater	As many as possible
6.17	Tube - tubelet	As many as possible
6.18	Thermos	As many as possible
6.19	Flashlights	As many as possible
6.20	Powerbanks	As many as possible
6.21	Generators	As many as possible
6.22	Food Parcel (durable food - canned)	As many as possible
6.23	Baby food	As many as possible
6.24	Diapers	As many as possible
6.25	Cleaning and Hygiene Items	As many as possible
6.26	Female Sanitary pads	As many as possible

7. **Financial Aid Request:**

7.1. **Bank details for financial assistance to AFAD (Disaster and Emergency Management Presidency) are linked below:**

7.2. **<https://en.afad.gov.tr/earthquake-donation-accounts>**

8. **Delivery Point:** To be agreed with Turkish Points of Contact

9. **Points of entry:** To be agreed with Turkish Points of Contact

10. **Response coordination:**

10.1. With a view to providing a coordinated response to Türkiye on these urgent requirements, nations in a position to meet these demands, in full or in part, are invited to reply to Türkiye with copy to the EADRCC, by any of the communication means listed below. **Please notify the EADRCC of all offers provided to Türkiye for better coordination with international organizations, regardless of the mechanism used.** The Euro-Atlantic Disaster Response Coordination Centre can be reached in the following ways:

10.2. Mobile phone: +32 475 82 90 71

10.3. E-mail: nato.eadrcc@hq.nato.int

10.4. Internet: <https://www.nato.int/eadrcc>