

AFPRO brings relief for tsunami-hit

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NEW DELHI: AFPRO, Action for Food Production, a National level NGO providing socio-technical support to village level NGOs, has embarked on a massive programme for rehabilitation in the tsunami-hit areas of Tamil Nadu through water and sanitation, appropriate livelihoods in fishing and agriculture restoration.

They are collaborating with international development agencies like Swiss Agency for Development and Cooperation, Care India, Catholic Relief Services and CARITAS India, alongwith grassroots level NGOs.

The first priority will be the restoration of drinking water resources and sanitation in temporary relief camps. Drinking water points in villages will be next priority. Teams are already operating in affected districts like Nagappattinam, Cuddalore, Chennai and Kanyakumari providing technical services and capacity building of communities for participating in restoring these facilities.