Request from Bharathi Trust/Siddamma seeking Funds for Irula Families Affected by Cyclone Michaung in Tamil Nadu, December 2023.

Tamil Nadu has been hit hard with torrential rains, and high wind in December 2023. The worst affected areas are in Chengelpettu, Ponneri, and Thiruvallur. A total of 300 Irula families are completely washed out and need tarpaulin sheets for their homes.

So far, Kari Siddamma, a long-standing ASHA Fellow is coordinating the efforts on the ground. For more details and background regarding the work done by Siddamma/Bharathi Trust, please visit: https://ashanet.org/project/?pid=579

Below is the budget requested to help the families in need:

No. of Families Affected	Item Needed	Unit Cost
300	Tarpaulin Sheet	Rs.700/sheet
Total		INR 2,10,000

Pictures of Irula homes inundated with water from the Cyclone:



