

WEATHER FORECAST

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES

DHAKA
H 35.4 | L 27.5

CHITTAGONG
H 31.0 | L 24.0

SYLHET
H 36.2 | L 27.3

RAJSHAHI
H 35.6 | L 27.0

KHULNA
H 34.0 | L 26.5

BARISAL
H 33.0 | L 26.5

RANGPUR
H 34.5 | L 25.8

COX'S BAZAR
H 31.5 | L 24.8

Light to moderate rain is likely to occur in Chittagong, Barisal and Khulna divisions and at one or two places in Rajshahi, Rangpur, Mymensingh, Dhaka and Sylhet divisions, reports UNB. Day and night temperatures may remain nearly unchanged over the country. **The sun sets in the capital today at 5:42pm and rises tomorrow at 5:52am.** Country's highest temperature 36.2 degree Celsius was recorded yesterday in Sylhet and Jessore and lowest 23.2 in Rangamati.

Goyeshwar doubts Khaleda recognises friends, enemies

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

BNP Standing Committee Member Goyeshwar Chandra Roy yesterday expressed doubts over whether Chairperson Khaleda Zia was capable of recognising true friends and enemies from among those surrounding her.

Troubles bring out a person's true character and some even fail to understand such revelations, he told a discussion pro-BNP organisation All Community Forum organised in the capital's Jatiya Press Club in memory of late Hannan Shah.

Goyeshwar said although the conspiracy remained, the 1/11 changeover taught Khaleda a lesson, revealing friends and enemies and those who would always be at her side.

Meanwhile, Secretary General Mirza Fakhru Islam Alamgir told another discussion organised by BNP at the Institution of Engineers, Bangladesh that the demise of Hannan Shah was a great loss for democracy in the country.

"We are arranging this discussion in memory of Hannan Shah at a time when the country is passing through a crisis...I did not expect his death at a time when the number of people who talk for people has gone down," said Fakhru.

He alleged that Hannan Shah and other leaders became sick as they had to repeatedly appear before courts over false cases.



Blocking the busy Mirpur road, students of the College of Home Economics demonstrating at the capital's Nilkhet intersection yesterday, forcing vehicles to come to a grinding halt and causing tremendous sufferings to commuters.

PHOTO: STAR

6hr-sit-in on busy intersection causes immense sufferings

College of Home Economics students demand it be made DU institute

DU CORRESPONDENT

Demanding that the government declare their college a Dhaka University (DU) institute, several hundred students of the College of Home Economics yesterday kept Nilkhet intersection on the busy Mirpur road blocked for six hours forcing vehicles to come to a standstill and causing tremendous sufferings to commuters.

Blocking the intersection at 10:30am, they staged a sit-in there till around 5:00pm.

The resultant traffic congestion spilled over to nearby roads. Police, several teachers of the college and DU Proctor M Amzad Ali urged the agitated students to free the road and raise their demands with the authorities concerned. But they defied and continued their movement.

The students said they felt deceived as they consider their college a part of DU before their admission tests which are conducted by the Faculty of Biological Sciences of the university. But after getting admitted, they do not get any facility of DU at their college.

"DU never takes care of us. Hence we are being deprived of various facilities. We want our college to be a DU institute," said Israt Jahan, a student of the college's child development and social relationship department.

Their other demands include ensuring its autonomy,

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UN okays Bangladesh's proposal on migration

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The UN has accepted Bangladesh's proposal of creating "Global Compact on Migration" to improve the migration governance and protect them during the emergencies, Foreign Secretary Shahidul Haque said yesterday.

"The UN member states decided to finalise and adapt the framework after two years of negotiation," he told reporters after a discussion at the capital's Bangladesh Institute of International and Strategic Studies (BIISS), organised by BIISS in association with Ministry of Foreign Affairs and International Organization for Migration (IOM).

The global compact may be a binding agreement for the member states that will have political commitment to protect the migrants and refugees under the UN framework, said an IOM official.

Over nine million Bangladeshis work abroad and send home annually some 15 billion dollars, but remain in vulnerabilities when caught up in situations like that of Libya crisis in 2011 and Andaman crisis in 2015.

When the migrants are caught up in such conflicts, there is no proper global body to protect them, Shahidul said.

The prime minister proposed for the global compact on migration in the UN General Assembly on Large Movements of Refugees and Migrants on September 19, he said.

Mohammad Abdiker, director for IOM Department of Operations and Emergencies in Geneva, in the keynote, said there is xenophobia against the migrants who are needed for global economy, but are often not wanted.

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57 DU law students fined for plagiarism

DU CORRESPONDENT

Fifty seven students of the law department of Dhaka University have been fined Tk 11.4 lakh in total for alleged plagiarism while submitting their research monographs for the 2014 final exam of Masters of Laws course.

Each of them has to pay Tk 20,000 and submit a new monograph, according to the dean's committee.

Prof Taslima Monsoor, dean of the law faculty, said, "We gave minimal punishment though it was a serious offence. We taught referencing and other methods...still they plagiarised."

CENTRAL JAIL AT KERANIGANJ

Incomplete boundary wall poses security risk

STAFF CORRESPONDENT

The incomplete perimeter boundary wall of Dhaka Central Jail, located in an isolated area of Keraniganj, is posing a risk to its overall security.

Without the wall, it will not be easy to tackle any untoward incident, said prison officials and staff.

The southern and western part of the wall has already been completed, along with a part of the eastern side, but the northern part close to the Dhaka-Mawa highway is completely open.

"As part of the plan, the boundary wall should have been built before the construction of the prison. Due to some unknown reasons,



it was not. For this, security is disrupted to some extent," said Inspector General of Prisons Brig Gen Syed Iftekhar Uddin yesterday.

In last July, the jail was moved to Keraniganj from old Dhaka and all of its prisoners and militants who were taken to Kashimpur on security ground.

While speaking at a press briefing on the prison's ground, the IG prisons had said some locals were the prime reason behind the obstruction of the wall's completion.

They, carrying sharp weapons, chased away Public Works Department officials, demanding,

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HOW TO PURIFY WATER

BOILING WATER

Place the water you wish to purify into a pot

Bring the water to a rolling boil

Remove the pot from the heat

Let the water sit and settle

USING A WATER PURIFIER

Use a pump purifier

Buy a water bottle with a built in purifier

Use an ultraviolet purifier

Try out a gravity fed purifier

USING PURIFICATION TABLETS

Use purification tablets or drops

Strain the water if it has large particles floating around in it

Place the tablets in the water

Mix the tablets into the water until they dissolve

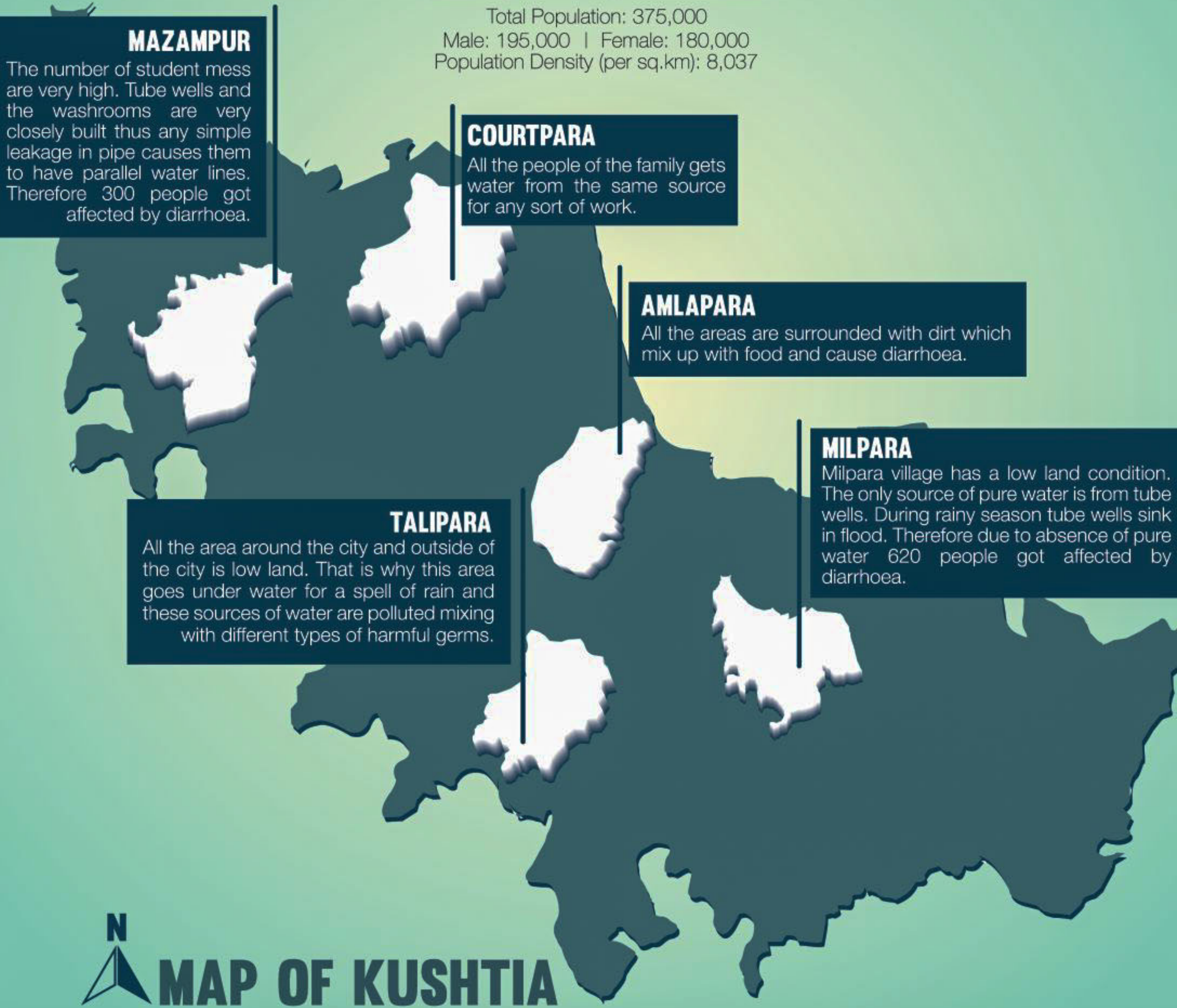
DIARRHOEA SITUATION IN KUSHTIA

An Infographic Representation of Diarrhoea Situation in Kushtia during July 20 to July 27, 2016

Almost 2000 people get admitted during this time.

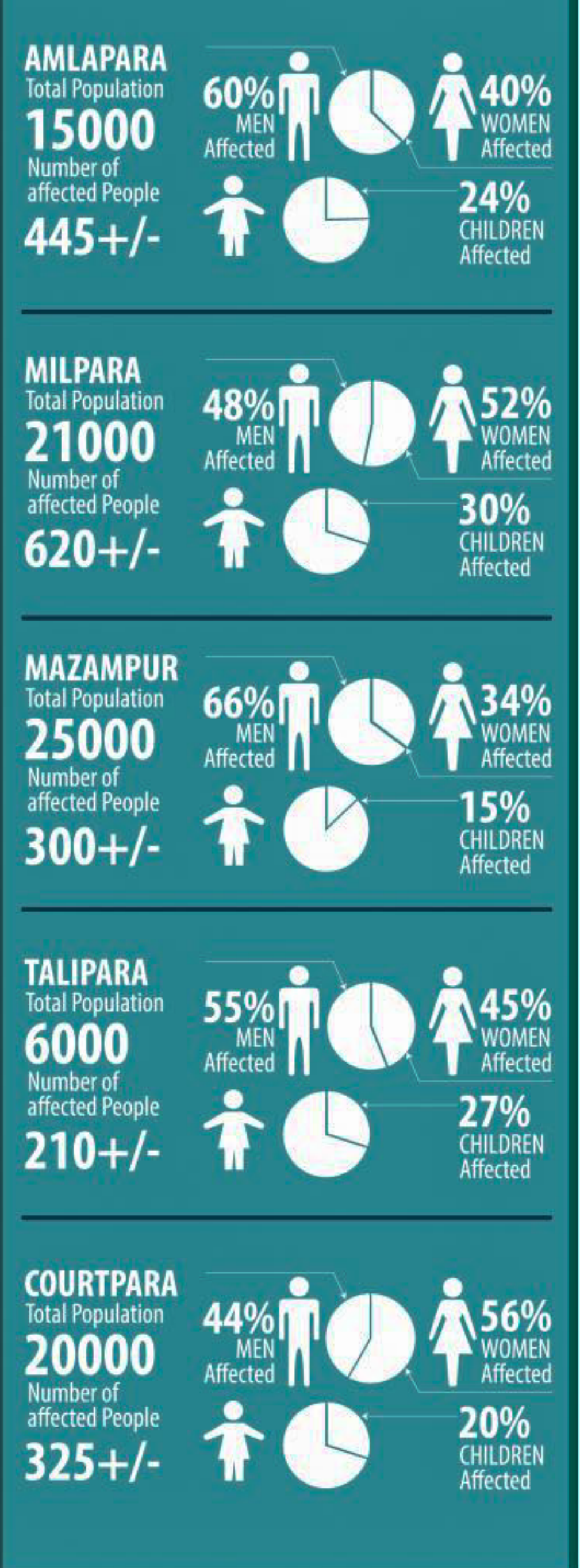
Affected Male (%)	Affected Female (%)	Affected Children(0-18) (%)
54%	46%	25%

Total Population: 375,000
Male: 195,000 | Female: 180,000
Population Density (per sq.km): 8,037



MAP OF KUSHTIA

MOST 5 AFFECTED AREAS IN KUSHTIA



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20 JULY 2016 Admitted in the hospital 135 persons	21 JULY 2016 Admitted in the hospital 255 persons	22 JULY 2016 Admitted in the hospital 380 persons	23 JULY 2016 Admitted in the hospital 456 persons	24 JULY 2016 Admitted in the hospital 372 persons	25 JULY 2016 Admitted in the hospital 270 persons	26 JULY 2016 Admitted in the hospital 152 persons
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