CARE Bangladesh is implementing the USAID’s Northern Bangladesh Disaster Preparedness (NOBADIP/নবদীপ) Activity through local partner organizations-MJSKS, ESDO and SKS Foundation-in Kurigram, Jamalpur and Gaibandha respectively. The Activity will strengthen the resilience and improve the livelihoods of communities in the targeted areas and is aligned with USAID Bangladesh 2020-2025 Country Development Cooperation Strategy’s Development Objective 3: Strengthened Resilience to Shocks and Stressors. It will scale Strengthening Household Ability to Respond to Development Opportunities- III (SHOUHARDO III)’s plinth raising activities and Flood Preparedness Program’s (FPP) community flood preparedness, coping and response capacity enhancement and expand geographic targeting beyond present CARE project areas. As a whole, NOBADIP will achieve its goal by reducing most vulnerable flood-prone char dwellers risks through scaling-up flood-resilient shelter improvements and flood preparedness initiatives.

**PROJECT APPROACH**

- Flood Resilient Shelter & Settlement
- Community Engagement
- Capacity Strengthening in DRR and Preparedness

**TARGET & MILESTONES**

- Total estimated reach: 6,890 people (Male 3,568 and female 3,322)
  - 2,066 people through household plinth-raising
  - 3,600 people through community plinth-raising
  - 864 community volunteer and 120 UDMC member trained in preparedness, early warning and response
  - 240 people engaged in community risk assessment and forming 12 union level and 108 ward level flood management plan