

## Swift Action, Big Impact: Habema Soldiers Rescue Injured Maybrat Farmer

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PAPUA- The Infantry Battalion Task Force (Satgas Yonif) 501/BY, a unit under HABEMA Operations Command in Papua, once again demonstrated its **dedication to the community** by swiftly assisting a local farmer who suffered a **serious machete injury** while gardening in Maybrat Regency. The quick response of **Yonif 501/BY soldiers** in providing first aid and ensuring the victim's safety highlights their deep commitment beyond military duties. **(Maybrat, 04/02/2025).**

The incident took place in a **remote area of Maybrat**, where the injured farmer **accidentally fell while using a machete**, resulting in a **deep wound on his hand**. Upon hearing the distressing news, **the Yonif 501/BY soldiers on duty immediately rushed to the location** and provided **life-saving first aid** to stop the bleeding and stabilize the victim's condition.

**"It is our duty to always be present for the community—not just as security forces but as true partners who care for the people,"** said **Lieutenant Colonel Inf Yakhya Wisnu A. S.Sos., M.Han.**, Commander of **Yonif 501/BY Task Force**.

Following the **initial treatment**, the soldiers **personally transported the injured farmer to the nearest health facility** for further medical care. Beyond medical aid, they also **comforted the victim's family** and provided **educational outreach to the community** about the importance of handling sharp tools safely while working in the fields.

The presence of **Yonif 501/BY soldiers in Maybrat** is not limited to security operations; they are also **trusted allies** who are **always ready to assist in any emergency**. Their **empathy and responsiveness** have significantly strengthened the bond between the **TNI and local residents**.

The **people of Maybrat** deeply appreciate the soldiers' dedication. A community leader, **Mr. Johan**, expressed his heartfelt gratitude:

**"We are very thankful for their help. The soldiers of Yonif 501/BY are not just protectors—they genuinely care about our well-being."**

Meanwhile, **HABEMA Commander, Major General TNI Lucky Avianto**, acknowledged the soldiers' humanitarian efforts, stating:

**"The initiative of Task Force Yonif 501/BY to assist an injured resident in Maybrat is a reflection of TNI's unwavering commitment to serving the community. This humanitarian action aligns with our broader mission to accelerate development in Papua."**

Through **swift action and compassionate service**, the **TNI Yonif 501/BY Task Force** continues to strengthen its presence as **both a protector and a partner** in Papua, ensuring safety, well-being, and a **brighter future for the local community**.

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