

Including People with Disabilities in Disaster Preparedness and Response

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- The **participation** of persons with different types of disabilities should underpin all phases of Disaster Risk Management.
- A **disability-rights based approach** should be ensured when defining international, regional, national, and local plans for Disaster Risk Management. **The twin track approach** is essential to create greater inclusion and resilience in all communities.
- **Coordination** amongst the different stakeholders involved in Disaster Preparedness and Risk Management is crucial at all levels to ensure the **cross-cutting of disability inclusion**.
- **Include Disabled People's Organisations and service providers** in the definition and/or revision of national DRM policies following the Hyogo Framework for Action priority in improving community resilience.
- Ensure that **full accessibility** (infrastructures, communication, information etc) is a minimum standard of all national DRR strategy, program and services.

THANKS, LET'S MOVE INTO ACTION!



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