

NRRC FLAGSHIP 4



Integrated Community Based Disaster Risk Reduction

Supporting community development through reducing vulnerability to natural disasters

ABOUT

The Nepal Risk Reduction Consortium (NRRC) recognizes the value of empowered communities as a key driver to reduce vulnerability to natural disasters. - The NRRC's Flagship 4, led by the International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) in partnership with the Ministry of Federal Affairs and Local Development, is a coordination and advocacy mechanism for community based disaster risk reduction (CBDRR) in Nepal. Flagship 4 aims to build a common understanding and approach among the many organisations contributing to CBDRR activities, to track progress against national targets and encourage greater investment for scaling up CBDRR across the country.

HOW TO GET INVOLVED

- Visit the Flagship 4 Information Platform www.nrrc.org.np
- Add yourself to the mailing list and receive regular updates about Flagship 4 and CBDRR activities in Nepal
- If you have a CBDRR project in Nepal, register it with us and help us track how CBDRR activities are helping to make communities in Nepal more resilient to disasters.

WHO'S INVOLVED

- Visit our website for a detailed map / spreadsheet of who, what, where CBDRR projects are being implemented in Nepal
- Our members include: Government of Nepal ministries, donors such as DFID and DIPECHO, implementing partners including; Save the Children, CARE Nepal, Practical Action, Mercy Corp, Oxfam, ActionAID, Mission East, Handicap International, UNDP, UNICEF, Caritas Nepal, ADRA Nepal, Luther World Federation, Nepal Red Cross Society and more.

OBJECTIVES

- Provide an overall strategic framework for community based disaster risk reduction (CBDRR) activities
- Map and demonstrate the progress of CBDRR projects on a national level over a period of time
- Attract additional resources and partners
- Strengthen the linkages with government/administrative structures in Nepal to ensure sustainability

TARGET

- The Flagship aims to have CBDRR projects covering 1000 Village Development Committees (VDCs)/ municipalities over 5 years.

MAJOR ACCOMPLISHMENTS TO DATE

- Agreed nine minimum characteristics of a disaster resilient community that are specific to Nepal, which now set the base standard of what a CBDRR at a minimum should include. For more information on these characteristics visit the website
- Conducted district and municipality consultations to increase awareness of CBDRR and common tools developed (such as 9 minimum characteristics and local disaster risk management planning guidelines)
- Developed Flagship 4 website that includes detailed CBDRR project mapping across Nepal, online project tracking survey and knowledge library.
- So far, CBDRR projects are covering more than 500 VDCs/ municipalities across Nepal

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