



In support of the Hyogo Framework for Action (HFA), the UNISDR has launched PreventionWeb, a website on disaster risk reduction (DRR). PreventionWeb informs and connects professionals working in disaster risk reduction, and promotes an understanding of the subject by non-specialists.

PreventionWeb provides a common platform for institutions to connect, exchange experiences and share information about DRR. Readers can submit content to PreventionWeb, as well as syndicate PreventionWeb content to their own websites.

The website is updated daily and contains DRR news, events, online discussions, contact directories, policy documents, reference documents, training and academic programmes, jobs, terminology, and country information, as well as audio and video content.

Features:

HFA Process

Information on the HFA and the ISDR system, including monitoring HFA implementation, key documents, events, and guidance for the development of National Platforms for DRR.

National Platforms for DRR

Full descriptions of National Platforms for disaster risk reduction and related national documentation is available.

Content Updates

PreventionWeb offers daily updates via email subscriptions and RSS feeds. You can also save searches.

Content Syndication

PreventionWeb provides content syndication to other sites with automatic updates. The event calendar can be shared and filtered by theme on any partner site. For example, the PreventionWeb calendar is being used on safehospitals.info, gfdrr.org and UNISDR websites.

Events and Training

Find out when meetings, conferences, workshops and training are happening and promote your own events on the PreventionWeb ISDR system calendar.

Thematic Networks

PreventionWeb promotes and hosts online networks among communities of DRR practitioners, and has active DRR networks focusing on themes like education, gender, and NGOs. Connect with your peers and find answers fast.

Data and Statistics

Find relevant disaster data, graphs and maps for each country and region to help users understand the existing risk and priorities for action.

Academic Programmes in DRR

Make choosing a course easier by searching the DRR higher education database.

Educational Materials for DRR

Search materials by target audience for in-class use.

Terminology

Reference peer-reviewed DRR definitions.

People in DRR

Listen to audio interviews with people working in DRR to hear what's working, and how it's being done.

Saving, Tagging and Sharing

Your own space on PreventionWeb allows you to save content, add your own tags, and share content with other members of the DRR community.

Search all DRR sites

Quickly find relevant information, filtering out non-DRR information. PreventionWeb provides and syndicates a search engine dedicated only to sites involved in disaster risk reduction.

Share with the DRR Community

PreventionWeb is a participatory site. Share announcements, documents, links and other DRR resources online:
<http://www.preventionweb.net/submit>



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