

Learning Labs @ GP 2019

Target E-2 – Local level

1. Purpose & Objectives:

The Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction, through its global target E, calls for tracking the “percentage of local governments that adopt and implement local disaster risk reduction strategies in line with national strategies”. This learning lab therefore complements the learning lab on target E-1 focused on national level DRR strategies aligned to the Sendai Framework while striving to provide participants with an overview on local disaster risk reduction strategies in compliance with Sendai target E-2.

The purpose of this session is to:

- 1) Introduce participants to the 10 Essentials for Making Cities Resilient;
- 2) Familiarize participants with the Disaster Resilience Scorecard for Cities; and
- 3) Acquaint participants with the Words into Action Implementation Guide for Land Use and Urban Planning.

2. Target participants:

The main target audience for this session are local government representatives and member states who are striving to develop and align local DRR strategies and action plans to their national strategy.

(Priority will be given to local government representatives of cities signed on to the Making Cities Resilient campaign and to national Sendai Framework focal points)

3. Methodology and Content:

- Introduction to the 10 Essentials and self-scoring for making cities resilient (10 Minutes)
- Introducing reporting against Target E-2 in the custom indicators module of the Sendai Framework Monitor (5 minutes)
- Introduction of the WiA Implementation Guide for Land Use and Urban Planning (15 minutes)
- Sharing of experiences on developing and implementing local DRR action plans (15 minutes)
- Questions, Answers and Discussion (15 minutes)

4. Logistics and Resources:

Participants may benefit from bringing their own laptop (but not essential)