City Resilience Profiling Programme

With 50% of the world's population already in cities and substantial projected urban population increases over the coming decades, the rationale for new tools that better protect human, economic and natural assets of our towns and cities is strong. In order to achieve this, UN-Habitat launched the City Resilience Profiling Programme (CRPP) to support local governments to build their capacity to improve resilience by developing a comprehensive and integrated urban planning and management approach for measuring and profiling city resilience to all types of hazards.

Deliverables

- An adaptable urban systems model
- A set of indicators and profiles for calibrating urban resilience
- Software systems that produce city resilience profiles
- Global standards for building urban resilience

How resilient is your city?

The Programme will be implemented through partnerships with international agencies, academic and research institutes, private sector actors, NGOs, and representatives from a number of partner cities around the world.

The partner cities of the programme are:

'Urban Resilience' refers to the ability of any urban system, to withstand and recover quickly from any plausible hazard.

UN-Habitat support programmes and activities

- **Sub-regional Centre for Disaster Mitigation and Sustainable Reconstruction (DIMSUR)**

A technical centre for reducing risk, climate change adaptation and urban resilience in Southern Africa.

- **A Resilient Cities Initiative in Pakistan**
  31 cities of Pakistan are engaging their provincial and local government authorities in disaster risk reduction activities using the Local Government Self-Assessment Tool (LGSAT)

- **Resilience, disaster risk reduction and territorial planning for local and urban sustainable development**
  Classroom and virtual learning for planners and urban managers.

- **Cities and Climate Change Initiative**
  Helping secondary cities in developing countries become more climate resilient and mitigate their greenhouse gas emissions