

Annex II

Nomination form for cities and local governments to participate in the campaign

Please send the nomination form and the mayor's letter to isdr-campaign@un.org. Nominations will be accepted on an ongoing basis throughout 2010-11.

City / Local Government (Please indicate the year the numbers were provided.)	
City name	Istanbul
Location (short description)	Governorship of Istanbul, Ankara Caddesi 34410 Cağaloğlu-Fatih/İstanbul
Size (year)	2009
Population (year)	12.915.158 (Turkish Statistical Institution, 2009 address-based registration system)
GDP	Aprox. 1/5 of total population live in Istanbul. 43 percent of total tax income provided by Istanbul. 52 percent of export and 54 percent of import of the total figure are through Istanbul.
Hazard type(s)	Earthquake, Flooding and Landsliding
Name of Mayor / Commissioner / Governor / Community leader	
Mr. Hüseyin Avni MUTLU, Governor of Istanbul	
Which part of the city administration will be the focal point for the Campaign?	
GOVERNORSHIP OF ISTANBUL a) Provincial Directorate of Disaster and Emergency b) Special Provincial Administration, Istanbul Project Coordination Unit	
Contact details Focal Point	
Name	GOVERNORSHIP OF ISTANBUL a) Provincial Directorate of Disaster and Emergency b) Special Provincial Administration, Istanbul Project Coordination Unit
Function	a) Coordination of Disaster Preparedness in Istanbul b) Implementation Unit for ISMEP Project (Istanbul Seismic Risk Mitigation and Emergency Preparedness project)
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Which local institutions will be engaged in the Campaign? (In addition to the local government.)	
White Ship Ltd. Company, Bahcesehir University-Search and Rescue Team, Foundation For District Disaster Volunteers, Association of Disaster Preparedness	
Major Disaster Risks (Please indicate major disasters that have occurred, prevailing hazards and vulnerable conditions.)	
Earthquake (Kocaeli, Marmara Region, 1999) and flooding (2006, 2010)	
Achievements and plans in relation to the ten essentials areas A - Make an estimation of the status per essential as follows: 1 - poor/nothing in place, 2 - some progress in place, 3 - in place, well functioning, or N/A B - Please describe main areas of progress and achievements . C - Please identify activities and plans your city will pay special attention to improve the current situation during the campaign and beyond. Additionally, feel free to propose special events or activities your city would like undertake to raise awareness on disaster resilience. Please select the respective Essential(s).	
Essential 1 – Risk reducing organization and coordination in place	Status - 2
Progress and achievements – Provincial Disaster and Emergency Directorate, which was founded in order to provide coordination and cooperation among institutions that are designated by the law (Number 5902) of organization and tasks of Disaster and Emergency Department, has a strong establishment. Training Programs and materials for increasing public awareness on Disaster Preparedness and Reduction were designed for 3 target groups; local decision makers, technical staff who work in the area of land use development and citizen representatives, Training sessions were implemented in both ISMEP pilot municipalities in Istanbul (Bagcilar and Pendik). After the finalization of trainings, three target groups came together and shared their vision and responsibilities with regard to disaster reduction. In that, an action plan representing roles and responsibilities of each target group and activities for a safer settlement was designed with their contribution will be submitted to the Municipalities.	
Plans – Creek upgrading and geotechnical workings are on progress. Workings regarding microzonation and plans for disaster/emergency prevention and intervention are on progress.	
Essential 2 – Budget assigned	Status - 2
Progress and achievements – Domestic and external sources are used in order to make Istanbul resistant against all type of major disaster, earthquake first. There are issue related allocation articles in responsible institutions' budgets.	
Plans -	
Essential 3 – Risk assessment prepared	Status - 2
Progress and achievements – An assesment report concerning determining earthquake hazard and risk by Bogazici University, Kandilli Observation Center and Earthquake Research Institute is available. Earthquake master plans and microzonations maps were prepared by Istanbul Metropolitan Municipality.	
Plans -	
Essential 4 – Investment in risk reducing infrastructure	Status - 2
Progress and achievements - Ongoing	
Plans -	
Essential 5 – Safe schools and health facilities	Status - 3
Progress and achievements - Retrofitting Activities (completed and ongoing) : 420 schools, 13 dormitories and social buildings, 14 administrative buildings, 8 hospitals, 5 polyclinics	

-Reconstruction Activities: 71 schools and 1 polyclinic	
Plans - Retrofitting Activities: In accordance with the results of ongoing feasibility studies, number of schools, hospitals, polyclinics and administrative buildings are defined. Reconstruction Activities: 95 schools, 1 hospital and project designs for reconstruction of 2 hospitals	
Essential 6 – Risk-compliant building regulation and land use applied	Status - 2
<p>Progress and achievements - Spatial and non spatial data availability, integration and efficiency and transparency in work flows of streamlining of building permit issuances, planning and land use development procedures are being improved in the ISMEP pilot municipalities in order to achieve better enforcement of building codes.</p> <p>-In order to enforce risk compliant building regulations, civil engineers are being trained throughout Turkey under the cooperation with the Ministry of Public Works and Resettlement. The aim is to reach more than 3.000 civil engineers till the end of ISMEP project. The training of trainers was completed in 2009. During the sessions held between October – December 2009, 955 engineers were trained from all around the country and the total number reached at 1219.</p>	
Plans - Engineers will be trained till the end of 2010.	
Essential 7 – Education programmes and training in place	Status - 3
<p>Progress and achievements - Education programmes and materials for increasing public awareness on disaster risk reduction were prepared for local communities and public institutions. Training Modules and Materials for Public Awareness are given below;</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. First 72 Hours for The Individual and Family in an Earthquake 2. First 72 Hours for Disabled People in an Earthquake 3. Compulsory Earthquake Insurance Awareness 4. Survival Under Extraordinary Conditions 5. Psychological First Aid in Disasters 6. Non-structural Risk Mitigation Against Earthquake 7. Structural Risk Mitigation Against Earthquake 8. Structural Retrofitting Against Earthquake 9. Disaster Emergency Aid Planning for Educational Institutions 10. Disaster Emergency Aid Planning for Healthcare Organizations 11. Disaster Emergency Aid Planning for Industries and Working Places 12. Disaster Preparedness for Local Disaster Volunteers 13. Urban Planning and Construction for Disaster Mitigation for Local Decision Makers 14. Urban Planning and Construction for Disaster Mitigation for Technical Staff 15. Urban Planning and Construction for Disaster Mitigation for Community Representatives <p>All these trainings are in effect as of 2009 in Istanbul. (reached around 25.000 people covering individuals and participants from education, health services and other organizations) . Moreover, training activities are being conducted for the schools to be retrofitted under ISMEP Project. Including school directors, teachers, students and parents, a total number of 160.000 people have been reached in 2009 and 2010. Training Sessions and Materials for First 72 Hours in an Earthquake for Individuals and Families were prepared and 94 teachers have been trained as trainers.</p>	
Plans - A total number of 90.000 people from community and public institutions in Istanbul is expected to be reached	
Essential 8 – Ecosystems and natural buffers protected	Status - 2
Progress and achievements – Sanctions of the related laws are strictly followed.	
Plans -	
Essential 9 – Early warning systems installed	Status - 2

<p>Progress and achievements - Enhancement of disaster and emergency communication systems, -Design and deployment of emergency management information systems, -Enhancement of operational capability of the Governor’s Provincial Disaster and Emergency Directorate,</p>	
<p>Plans – The workings by Bogazici University, Kandilli Observation Center and Earthquake Research Institute are on progress.</p>	
<p>Essential 10 – Needs-based (survivors) reconstruction</p>	<p>Status - 3</p>
<p>Progress and achievements – All plans are available in line with the Instruction for disaster-related Emergency Aid Organization and Planning Principles.</p>	
<p>Plans – Service Groups were established in order to provide effective and urgent help for disaster-affected people. As follows;</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a) Communication b) Transportation c) Rescue and Debris Removal d) Firt Aid and Sanitation e) Pre-damage Assesment and Interim Settlement f) Security g) Purchasing, Hiring, Confiscation and Distribution h) Agriculture i) Electricity, Water and Sawage 	

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