

UNDP Support to Institutional and Legislative Systems for Disaster Risk Management

- A Global Review -

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- **What has been the role of UNDP ?**
- **What were the objectives of the review ?**
- **What was the scope of the review ?**

What have we found?

- Legal and regulatory frameworks
- Policy and planning
- Organizational structures
- Human & financial resources
- Partnerships

Factors Triggering Change

- Disaster events
- Entrepreneurs of change/ pressure points
- Participation of civil society and private sector
- Political environment/stability
- Conducive institutional set-up
- Capacities & resources to ensure enforcement
- Technical inputs from experts

Good practices

- Multi-hazard approaches
- Multi-stakeholder consultation
- South-South cooperation & UNVs
- Risk assessment for stakeholders dialogue
- Decentralized approaches
- Participatory monitoring
- Capacity assessment of beneficiaries
- Integrating risk reduction into development
- Financial instruments for DRM
- Media involvement

Lessons Learned

- Sustained engagement
- Advocacy and policy dialogue for DRM
- Linking national, intermediary and local levels
- Translate DRM concepts into appropriate language for dissemination beyond technocrats
- Program planning and preparatory assistance phases

Recommendations to UNDP

- Harmonize DRM programming with UNDP core development business
- Explore rights based approach
- Place national disaster reduction advisors in highly disaster prone countries
- Revisit resource mobilization strategy for long-term capacity building programmes
- Improve institutional memory and documentation of DRM initiatives to facilitate analysis of lessons learned

Thank you ☺

