



Teaching communities to understand technologies in India

In Tamilnadu and Kerala (India) many of the leading international agencies, including UN bodies, were keen on teaching the community or specific targeted groups to understand and practice various technologies related to the disaster preparedness programme. In Kerala where health systems are comparatively well established compared to other Indian States, it would be possible to integrate disaster management programmes through Primary Health Centres and Community Health Centres. The changes should come within the self, groups, and in the community itself.

Note: See source document for full reference.

Applicable to:

Stakeholders: [Power relations](#)

Disaster Phases: [Preparedness](#)

Types of Actors Concerned: [Healthcare and emergency services](#), [Non-active citizens](#)

Hazards: [Natural hazards](#)

Recommendations:

- [Develop culturally aware disaster preparedness and response training](#)
- [Engage in activities and develop strategies aiming to improve trust between citizens and authorities](#)
- [Foster the adoption of a culture of disaster prevention and resilience by informing and motivating citizens to take action](#)

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