

# Online Training Programme on **Child Centric Disaster Risk Reduction**

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## BACKGROUND

Disasters threaten the lives, constitutional rights and needs of the children worldwide. In past two decades India have faced devastating disasters such as Latur Earthquake (1993), Odisha Super Cyclone (1999), Bhuj Earthquake (2001), Indian Tsunami (2004), Jammu & Kashmir Earthquake (2005), Bihar Floods (2008), Uttarakhand Floods (2013), Cyclone Phailin (2013), Chennai Flood (2015), Kerala Flood (2018), and Cyclone Fani (2019), Cyclone Amphan (2020) & Kerala land slide (2020).

Drought is slow onset disasters, adversely affecting children and women alike. Karnataka (16 districts) and Andhra Pradesh (4 districts) experienced at least 10 droughts between 2001-2015. During these emergencies, children are especially vulnerable to diseases, malnutrition, and violence and trafficking. Measles, diarrhoea, acute respiratory infections, malaria and malnutrition are the major killers of children during humanitarian crises. In future, vulnerability of children is expected to increase as the intensity and frequency of natural disasters rises.

Keeping in view the increasing vulnerability of children from climate change and natural disasters, National Institute of Disaster Management (NIDM), Ministry of Home Affairs, Government of India has established “**Child Centric Disaster Risk Reduction (CCDRR) Centre**” to mainstream child centric DRR activities through Training, Research, Advocacy and Consultancy.

## AIM OF TRAINING

This **3 Days Training Programme on Child Centric Disaster Risk Reduction** is intended for officials of State level sectoral departments, Administrative Training Institutions and civil society practitioners to help build their knowledge, skills and perspectives towards child centric disaster risk reduction. This will help officials understand and prepare for risk informed planning, sectoral readiness and preparedness for emergencies so as children are not deprived of basic amenities.

## OBJECTIVES

*At the end of this course, participants will be able to:*

- Explain the impacts of disaster on children
- Can identify and list children rights- national and international for the protection of the children
- Explain the process of mainstreaming child-centric risk management
- Describe the life cycle approach and risk-informed approach for child-centric risk reduction
- Draft and apply strategies for school safety with the engagement of children
- Explain the Disaster impact on mental health of the Children

## **COURSE MODULE**

This Course has two modules and contents of the course would touch upon the following aspects, to achieve the objectives:

### **Module -1: Children and Disaster**

- Basic Concepts of Disaster Risk Management
- Hazard, Risk and Vulnerability Profile of India
- Disaster Impact on Children: Sectoral Overview
- Protecting Child Rights in Disaster
- International Commitments to CCDRR

### **Module -2: Understanding Child Centric Disaster Risk Reduction**

- Introduction to CCDRR
- Reducing Vulnerabilities & Enhancing Capacities of Children: Group Exercise
- Life Cycle Approach
- Risk Informed Programming
- Protecting Children in Emergency
- Child Participation in DRR
- School Safety

## **TARGET GROUP**

This training programme targets officials working in Health, Education, Women and Child welfare, Revenue and Panchayat Raj and Rural Development Department, Teachers working in schools, colleges and universities and NSS programme officers can also participate. Though the training targets on government officials considering the contribution of civil servants, this training also targets Civil servants from Non-Government Organization.

### **PROGRAMME DETAILS**

This training programme is scheduled for 3 days. It is based on e-learning module covering 2 hours each day during the programme.

### **REGISTRATION**

Participants will have to fill up and submit the on line registration Google form for the course.

### **LEARNING METHODS**

Cisco WebEx Meeting platform will be used for this programme. All the participants are requested to install 'Cisco WebEx' App in their devices. The webinar would be conducted through power point presentation by the

## **EVALUATION**

Before end of the programme, the participants will be provided with online evaluation form. Evaluation form is to be mandatorily filled by all the participants.

### **CERTIFICATE**

E-certificate will be issued to the participants who attend minimum 80 percent of the duration of the programme.

### **ABOUT NIDM**

National Institute of Disaster Management (NIDM) South Campus, Ministry of Home Affairs, and Government of India is a premier institute and a Statutory Body (under Disaster Management Act 2005) for training, research, documentation, awareness and human resources and capacity development in the field of disaster mitigation and management in India and in the region.

### **ABOUT PONDICHERY UNIVERSITY**

Pondicherry University, a Central University, established in 1985 by an Act of Parliament with the sole aim to provide instructional and research facilities to encourage inter-disciplinary studies.

The University has 15 Schools, 38 Departments, 12 Centres and 1 Chair offering over 140 PG, PG-Diploma/Certificate & Research programmes with a student strength of 6557, of which 3148 (48%) are female students. Besides offering innovative on-campus programs, the University offers UG/PG programmes through Distance Education in order to reach out to the students who could not realize their dreams in the on-campus stream.

### **ABOUT DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL WORK**

Established in October 2007, the Department's vision is to become a leading institution for innovative, interdisciplinary approaches in educating social work practitioners and scholars, conducting research, and serving as a catalyst for positive social transformation. The MSW programme offers specializations in Community Development, Human Resource Management and Medical & Psychiatric Social Work. Apart from classroom teaching, the MSW students shall undergo concurrent and block fieldwork in various government and non-government organizations, industries and hospitals.

This practical training enables the students to acquire professional social work skills, values and ethics. The thrust areas of research include Community Development, Mental Health, Public Health, Families and Children, Disaster Management, Elderly Care, Gender Studies, Human Resource Management, Corporate Social Responsibility, Occupational Social Work.

Youth Welfare, Social Policy and Social Welfare Administration and Disability Social Work.

Our students are employed in leading organizations such as Bharat Dynamics Ltd., BHEL, Power Grid, ICDS, TCS, Ford, Power Grid Corporation, Central University of Karnataka, Help Age India, ISRO, Intelligence Bureau, JIPMER, NIMHANS, Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences & Technology, District Institute for Education and Training (DIET), Assam, National Rural Health Mission, Care India, Magic Bus India Foundation and FXB Suraksha, etc.

### **ORGANISING TEAM**

#### **Patrons**

**Major General Manoj Kumar Bindal, VSM**

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#### **Registration & Contact Details**

Registration link:

[https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1\\_s4PK7JPJlwTYc0YPJfZwGGeJBmeY6NlkFxJpTm9o5o/edit](https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1_s4PK7JPJlwTYc0YPJfZwGGeJBmeY6NlkFxJpTm9o5o/edit)

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