

Concept Note

As per training calendar 2023-24 of GIDM and instructions, a field level training program on 'Disability Inclusive Disaster Risk Management' may be organized on 18 to 20th May 2023, at Disable Welfare Trust of India; Surat.

1. Aim
To develop the capacities of target participants by linking their roles in DRM activities with field-level actions using appropriate concept and tools considering global perspectives and action at local level.
2. Background
<p>Gujarat is multi-hazard state and is extremely prone to almost all major natural hazards. State is strengthening the disability related inclusion services along with promoting/adapting the harmonized guidelines & Space Standards for Barrier Free Built Environment for Person with Disability & Elderly Persons and strengthening the inclusion & resilience; so it is pertinent to build the understanding about the Disability inclusion, Do's and Don'ts about disabled person handling during disaster.</p> <p>To build the capacity of field level staff on Disability inclusion and handling Do's & Don'ts about disabled persons, it is proposed to undertake a field level training program on Disability Inclusive DRM.</p>
3. Objectives
<p>To develop a sound understanding about Basics of DRM;</p> <p>To make participants understand local hazards and resulting risks.</p> <p>To enhance the knowledge of SDO, chief officer, chief warden, Dy. warden, District youth coordinator, and other field staff on Disability Inclusive DRM for Inclusion & Resilience;</p> <p>To encourage the use of available standard and applications for inclusion and to reduce new risks;</p> <p>To encourage strengthening of existing capacities through training.</p>
4. Why Training on Disability Inclusive DRM ?
<p>Lack of awareness and ignorance among various stakeholders about the Disability Inclusive DRM;</p> <p>More emphasis on response rather than risk reduction.</p> <p>Absence of awareness about the real challenges</p> <p>Lack of formal training among professional in DiDRM</p> <p>Lack of adequate knowledge and awareness among various stakeholder groups.</p>