

# Implementing the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction 2015-2030

## Piloting Words into Action Guide

*Disaster Displacement: How to Reduce Risk,  
Address Impacts and Strengthen Resilience*

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# Sendai Framework references to displacement

## Target (B)

Substantially **reduce the number of affected people globally by 2030**

- Prevent and reduce **disaster displacement risk**: transboundary risk, relocation of human settlements
- Develop policies and programmes on **disaster-induced human mobility**, including host communities
- Conduct exercises to ensure rapid and effective **response to displacement**
- Include temporary settlements within post-disaster **recovery and rehabilitation** efforts
- Ensure the **inclusion** of displaced people and migrants in DRB

## Objective of guide: help to address displacement in disaster risk reduction strategies—supporting Sendai Target (E)

- Platform on Disaster Displacement (PDD) work plan
- Led by Norwegian Refugee Council, with two consultants
- Reference Group; brokered by UNDRR
- Consultative process: regional DRR platforms
- Launched at Global Platform DRR 2019
- Supporting Nepal, South Africa and Andean Governments + new



# Structure of the Words into Action guide

- Addressing displacement under each Sendai Priority
- Examples from countries
- Regional collaboration on displacement
- Annexes: references for further guidance



# Support to Governments

- NRC in collaboration with PDD and financial support from Germany is supporting countries to address displacement in existing or new policies
- In South Africa and Nepal: Supporting national disaster management agency to develop disaster displacement guidelines
  - to launch consultation, review relevant policies and regulations, help draft displacement guidelines
- In **Andean countries**: with **regional** disaster management body, CAPRADE, offering **training** based on the WiA guide on displacement
  - To identify policies that might be **developed nationally** and others where **regional approach** might be useful
  - To identify measures that **can be integrated in policies** on disaster risk reduction, climate change adaptation, migration, others



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*Coming soon:* Checklist for assessing inclusion of disaster displacement in DRR strategies