

Editorial Board

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Message

A very "Happy New Year 2015 to all our readers!

Clive Staple Lewis said, "in the final analysis, you should not measure your success by what you have accomplished, but, what you should have accomplished with your ability". NIDM since its inception has been working with its dedication for accomplishing its goal at making India a Disaster Risk Resilient (DRR) country. The task is tough but not impossible to achieve and during its journey for DRR it has taken various initiatives. Many milestones have been achieved in the process under the broader framework of Capacity Building of which the key pillars are training, research, public awareness and policy support. NIDM is committed to undertake various activities as in-scripted in the National Act 2005. The Act has also given an insight to look things differently and out of the box. Swacch Bharat Abhiyan has been one such much awaited and most important initiative which has created an euphoria. It has become a public movement. A national level campaign officially launched by Hon'ble Prime Minister on 2nd October 2014 at Rajghat, New Delhi by the Government of India and has covered about 4041 statutory towns to clean the streets, roads and infrastructure of the country. NIDM also embraced the programme as one of its priority activity. Components of the programme have been integrated into various disaster risk reduction and management initiatives so as to avoid spread of epidemics and facilitate other medical emergency services for the betterment of the society at large. This indeed can be seen as a stepping stone to bring about behavioural change in people regarding healthy sanitation practices and in generating awareness amongst the citizens about sanitation and its linkages with public health. Ofcourse, with this comes a huge challenge to achieve the mandates of the programme and indeed has given new dimension and dreams to NIDM to fulfill the daunting task to facilitate better DRR practices for the countrymen of this nation. NIDM is committed to undertake various activities for risk reduction in a more innovative manner. I take this opportunity to wish all the readers a very happy and prosperous new year 2015.

(Santosh Kumar)

NIDM Organized a Cleanliness Drive

2nd October 2014

NIDM organized a cleanliness drive on 2nd October 2014 as a part of “Swachh Bharat Abhiyan”. All employees participated in the drive and cleaned their workplace and NIDM campus. A brief talk was also organized on this event. All employees took a pledge of cleanliness and discussed various issues related to cleanliness and sanitation. Employees whose workplaces adjudged to be cleanest were also awarded. To identify the three best cleaned rooms a committee was formed who inspected all the rooms and selected the rooms for award. The three awardees selected were: (a) Library (First Prize); (b) Dispatch Section of NIDM (Second Prize); and (c) Room of Dr. Sushma Guleria & Ms. Anupama Sethi (Third Prize), who were given certificates and mementos during the Disaster Reduction Day Observed on 8th October 2014.



NIDM Employees during the cleanliness drive

NIDM Observed "Disaster Reduction Day"

8th October 2014



Ms. Sneha Lata Kumar, Chief Guest addressing the gathering during DRD

National Institute of Disaster Management (NIDM) observed “Disaster Reduction Day” at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi on 8th October 2014. This was an opportunity to focus national attention on important issue of “Home Safety and Local Preparedness for Disaster Risk Reduction”. The occasion was graced by Ms. Sneha Lata Kumar, Secretary (Border Management) MHA; Shri O. P. Singh, Director General, NDRF; Shri Anil Sinha, Vice Chairman, Bihar-SDMA; Prof. V. K. Sharma, Vice Chairman, Sikkim-SDMA and many other dignitaries, officials & children. Dr. Satendra, Executive Director, NIDM addressed the delegates on this occasion. He extended a very warm welcome

to delegates and briefed about NIDM and its contribution in managing disasters through capacity building.

NIDM organized poster making competition in schools across the country and the prizes were distributed to the winners of the competition during the Disaster Reduction Day. The Key Note Address was delivered by Prof. V.K. Sharma on “Home Safety and Local Preparedness for Disaster Risk Reduction”. The special address was given by Shri Anil Sinha,



Delegates during the inaugural session of DRD

Vice Chairman, Bihar-SDMA. Shri O.P.Singh, Director General, NDRF addressed the delegates highlighting role of disaster preparedness in forming effective response perspective. Ms. Sneha Lata Kumar presided over the inaugural session. Ms. Kumar highlighted on key role of community preparedness, which is possible with the concerted efforts of all the stakeholders. A book titled “Forest Fire Disaster Management”, jointly authored by Dr. Satendra and Dr. A.D.Kaushik, was also released. Inaugural session was followed by a special Technical Session on “Children and Disability in Disaster Management”. The session was chaired by Shri Anil Kumar Sinha and the panelists were Dr. Ajay Bahl (Head, Sushrta Trauma Center); Dr. Saraswati Arya [District Coordinator (North West), Education Department, New Delhi]; Shri Saurabh Gautam (Director, Global Rescue Consultants Pvt. Ltd); and Shri Anil Kumar, Assistant to Physical Rehabilitation Program Manager, ICRC. Dr. Anil K. Gupta proposed vote of thanks.



ED, NIDM, along with faculty and staff and winners of posters during DRD. Large number of children participated in the DR Day program

Formulation of DM Plan for National Zoological Park, New Delhi – NIDM Team Visit

18th October 2014

NIDM had received a request from National Zoological Park (NZN), New Delhi to develop a comprehensive disaster management plan for the park. In this context a visit was made to the NZN on Saturday, 18th October 2014 under the leadership of the Executive Director Dr Satendra. Other faculty members who visited the Zoological Park included Dr. Amir Ali Khan, Dr. Saurabh Dalal of NIDM and Dr. N.P.S Chauhan of Amity Institute of Wildlife Sciences. Preliminary studies pertaining to various aspects like animal shelters, protective barrier, existing safety mechanism, veterinary hospital, emergency protocols and hazard analysis were carried out. To discuss modalities and other relevant issues for the development of DM Plan, a meeting with the Director of the NZN Mr Amitabh Agnihotri, other staff members and operating officials of the NZN was also organized. In addition to the DM plan NIDM also proposed to provide advisory in enhancing technical capacity and skills of the staff and long term capacity building measures for the NZN.



ED, NIDM, along with NIDM team during the visit to National Zoological Park, New Delhi

Training Programme on “Forest Fire Mitigation and Management”

13th – 17th October 2014

NIDM in collaboration with Forest Research Institute (FRI) conducted a 5 day training program on “Forest Fire Mitigation and Management” from 13th to 17th October, 2014 at FRI, Dehradun.

The training programme was inaugurated by Dr. R. K. Aima, IFS as acting Director, FRI. Shri Kunal Satyarthi, IFS, Head Silviculture Division, FRI, Dehradun. Dr. A.D. Kaushik, Sr. Faculty, NIDM, New Delhi and Shri V.K. Dhawan, Research Officer, FRI, Dehradun organized the training programme. Various participants from different states of the country attended the program.



Dr. R.K. Aima and Dr. A.D. Kaushik during inauguration of the Training Program

State Level Training on "India Disaster Resource Network" organized at Uttar Pradesh Academy for Administration and Management (UPAAM), Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh

27th – 28th October 2014

State Level training on "India Disaster Resource Network" has been organized at Uttar Pradesh Academy for Administration and Management (UPAAM), Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh on 27-28 October 2014. The training programme was inaugurated by Mrs. Leena Jouhari, Relief Commissioner, Uttar Pradesh. Shri Net Ram, Director General, UPAAM; Ms. Sheetal Verma, Addl. Director, UPAAM; Dr. Rakesh Verma, Jt. Director, UPAAM also addressed the delegates. Thirty-three participants (officials from National Informatics Centre and district administration) from 32 districts of the State) participated in the course. The officials were introduced to the IDRN portal, its uses, workflow and administration. Besides, a hands on session was organized for familiarizing the participants with the IDRN portal, user login, data uploading, various formats, data accessing, etc. Participants shared their experiences and specific challenges pertaining to IDRN. Group exercises on use of IDRN for managing different disaster scenarios were also organized. The utility of IDRN was unanimously agreed by the participants. The participants agreed to update data of the concerned districts and requested NIDM to provide necessary technical/ administrative support. Feedback and suggestions received from the group regarding technical issues, portal administration, data collection and data entry etc. will be used for upgrading the portal further.



Ms. Sreeja Nair and Ms. Anupama Sethi from NIDM along with participants of the course

Rashtriya Ekta Diwas

31st October 2014

Government of India has decided to observe the Birth Anniversary of Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel as "Rashtriya Ekta Diwas" (National Unity Day) on 31st October. The occasion provides us an opportunity to reaffirm the inherent strength and resilience of our nation to withstand the actual and potential threats to the unity, integrity and security of our country. The theme would be Unity, Integrity, Safety and Security. On this occasion, all NIDM employees gathered together and took the pledge of Unity.

NIDMs' Participation in IITF-2014

14th – 27th November 2014

NIDM has been participating in India International Trade Fair (IITF) regularly for the last three years. During the year 2014, NIDM stall was placed at Hall No. 12 along with NDMA and NDRF. NIDM stall at IITF had more than 30 awareness materials for distribution and number of books and other publications for display. In addition to this, the stall also had shake-table showing earthquake liquefaction during earthquake and various models to demonstrate how to construct safe buildings in earthquake prone areas. Models also showed various retrofitting techniques for earthquake resistant building construction. The stall was inaugurated and visited by Dr. P. K. Mishra, Additional Principal Secretary, PMO on 14th November, 2014 in the presence of Secretary (BM); DG, NDRF; Secretary, NDMA; and Joint Secretary, NDMA on November 18th 2014.



Hon'ble Home Minister, Shri Rajnath Singh releasing the NIDM Calendar



Shri. P.K. Mishra, Additional Secretary to Prime Minister along with Ms. Senh Lata Kumar, Secretary (BM), MHA and ED, NIDM at the stall

NIDM Calendar on School Safety was released by Hon'ble Home Minister, Shri Rajnath Singh in a programme organized at IITF on November 18, 2014. During this programme, NIDM also organized a skit play about disaster awareness at school level. The NIDM calendar contains 14 pages showing various Do's & Don'ts and other techniques related to school safety- before, during and after various natural and man made disasters.

The calendar was appreciated by various stakeholders and was in great demand among visitors at the stall.

By carrying out awareness activities among various sections of societies, NIDM is progressing steadily to achieve its objectives and aim to make India a disaster resilient country.



Skit Play by school children about awareness on disaster management

Training Conducted for Staff of National Zoological Park

14th – 27th November 2014

A one- day training programme on Disaster Management for the staff of National Zoological Park (NZN) was conducted on 21st November, 2014, at NIDM. Around 35 staff members from various departments of NZN were present during the programme.

Objectives of the programme included handling disasters and ensuring visitors' safety. The staff members were trained on various aspects by experts of NIDM. The session was inaugurated in

presence of Dr. Satendra, Executive Director, NIDM and Shri. Amitabh Agnihotri, Director, NZP, Delhi. During the session on experience sharing various issues like installation of alerting and communication systems, trained staff rotation and formation of quick response team, stampede prevention strategies, awareness for the visitors' proper utilization of existing resources and management of common predictable injuries were discussed. A detailed training session with hands-on practice on Basic Life Support and First Aid was conducted by Dr. Saurabh Dalal, Disaster Health Section of NIDM and Mr. Nitesh Kumar, Senior Paramedic and Instructor, PCH. As NIDM is in the process of development of Disaster Management Plan for the Zoo, this training was a part of the process and will further be followed by brainstorming sessions by the experts.



Shri. Amitabh Agnihotri, Director, NZP, Delhi along with NIDM team during the programme

Presentation on "Social and Gender Dimensions of Post Disaster Needs Assessment" by Dr. Asha Kambon, for PDNA Study for India under NCRMP

20th November 2014

A talk by Dr. Asha Kambon, Social Development and Gender expert for "Post Disaster Needs Assessment (PDNA) Study for India" under National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Project was organized at NIDM on 20th November, 2014, on social and gender dimensions of PDNA. Dr. Asha Kambon, based in Trinidad & Tobago, has been working as Lead Technical Advisor, World Bank and is a researcher and public policy expert, with over 30 years of experience working at international level, in the socio-economic and demographic research of social development.



Executive Director NIDM along with others during the talk

During her presentation, Dr. Asha threw light on various aspects of social, gender and psycho-social impact and needs assessment after disasters. Citing some of her very relevant international experiences, she conveyed how such assessments should be carried out with the help of most relevant indicators driven by regional contexts. While discussing the qualitative and quantitative aspects of such assessments, she also emphasized on the kind of data necessary to arrive at quantitative assessments from areas such as health, education, housing, etc, which, when put together, may give an objective base to the social sector needs assessment on the whole. The session concluded with a brief discussion, where participants pitched in with their views and questions on some of the topics covered like relocation and extent of psycho-social assessments prevalent.

Roundtable Meetings on Innovations in Technologies for Disaster Rescue Efforts amongst ASEM Countries and Inauguration of the Virtual Knowledge Portal (VKP) and Meeting of the 24x7 PoCs of the EAS Countries

4th – 5th December 2014

Two days Roundtable Meetings on "Innovations in Technologies for Disaster Rescue Efforts amongst Asia-Europe Meeting (ASEM) countries & Inauguration of the Virtual Knowledge Portal (VKP) and

Meeting of the 24x7 Point of Contact (PoCs) of the East Asia Summit (EAS) countries” was organized by the Ministry of Home Affairs and the Ministry of External Affairs on 4th and 5th December 2014, at Vigyan Bhawan, New Delhi. It was inaugurated by the Minister of State (Home), Shri Haribhai Parathibhai Chaudhary on 4th December 2014 at 9:30 hrs.

Mrs. Sneha Lata Kumar, Secretary (Border Management), Ministry of Home Affairs, Shri Anil Wadhwa, Secretary (East), Ministry of External Affairs, Dr. Arbind Prasad, Director General, Federation of Indian Chamber of Commerce have graced the inaugural session of the event. These meetings were attended by delegates from 26 members of Asia-Europe Meeting (ASEM) countries and East Asia Summit

(EAS) member countries, representative from European Union (EU) and Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN) Secretariat. Besides participants from 10 International Organizations, such as Asian Disaster Preparedness Center (ADPC), United Nations Platform for Space-based Information for Disaster Management and Emergency Response (UN-SPIDER), United Nations Children’s Funds (UNICEF), United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and Pacific (UNESCAP), SAARC Disaster Management Centre (SDMC), European Union Humanitarian Aid and Civil Protection Department (ECHO) and Officials & experts from various Central Ministries, Armed Forces, State Governments, and Technical Organizations from India also attended the meeting. More than 360 delegates participated in the event.

The Virtual Knowledge Portal (VKP), a web based tool to share knowledge & best practices related to natural disaster risk assessment, mitigation, and response among EAS countries was launched by the Minister of State (Home), Shri Haribhai Parathibhai Chaudhary, during the inaugural session.

An exhibition on “Innovations in Technologies for Disaster Rescue Efforts”, organized by the Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI) was inaugurated by the Minister of State (Home), Shri Haribhai Parathibhai Chaudhary. More than 40 domestic and international industries participated in the exhibition.

These roundtable meetings discussed and explored use of innovations in technologies for Disaster Rescue efforts, amongst the ASEM countries. These meetings also deliberated upon opportunities to promote multilateralism in cross border assistance in the event of disasters and establish a mechanism for activating the 24x7 Point of Contacts of the EAS countries and discussed how innovations in technology can be utilized to save lives and reduce effective response time by the Governments.

Brainstorming Session to develop plan of action for Model Disaster Management Plan for Zoological Parks

19th December 2014

A Brainstorming Session was organized by NIDM to develop an action plan for identifying course of action for the development of Model Disaster Management Plan (DMP) for Zoological Parks (DMP) on 19th December 2014, Friday, at 11.00 hrs at Conference Hall, NIDM, New Delhi.



The Hon'ble Minister of State (Home), Shri Haribhai Parathibhai Chaudhary inaugurating the two days Roundtable Meetings

The session was chaired by Executive Director, NIDM and representatives from MoEF, NDMA, Central Zoo Authority, IIPA, National Zoological Park, Amity University, National Tiger Conservation Authority, World Animal Protection, and NIDM, participated.

During discussion, some important points for implementation were drawn. These included listing out all possible scenarios arising in zoos that require action plan and working accordingly; preparing Standard Operating Procedures for overall management of the zoo; identifying and including experts in finalizing the Model DMP; preparation of evacuation plans; capacity building; and organising regular mock drills and continuous training to handle the emergencies.

NIDM intends to prepare a Module on Disaster Management Plan for Zoological Parks at national level.

Central Review Committee Meeting for "Study on Preparing Long Term Training and Capacity Building Strategy for Disaster Risk Reduction in India", at NDMA

29th December 2014

A central Review Committee meeting for reviewing the study on "Preparing Long Term Training and Capacity Building Strategy for Disaster Risk Reduction in India" was held at NDMA on 29th December, 2014, under component C of National Cyclone Risk Mitigation Project. The meeting was chaired by Shri R.K. Jain, Secretary, NDMA.

At the outset Prof. Santosh Kumar, ED, NIDM and Project Director, NCRMP, extended a warm welcome to all participants. This was followed by a presentation from NIDM highlighting achievement of all the 17 deliverables. Secretary, NDMA emphasized the need for proper utilization of deliverables for reducing risk due to disasters by improving the capacity of all stakeholders involved in dealing with disaster management and vulnerable communities. It was informed that all the deliverables including the modules so developed are available on the website of NIDM www.nidm.gov.in and link for providing feedback (if any) is www.nidm.gov.in/ncrmp.asp.

Publications

Forest Fire Disaster Management

Dr. Satendra & Dr. A.D. Kaushik

This book comprises seven chapters equipped with the latest information on forests, forest fire & its impacts, forest fire management strategies and related issues at national and international levels. An update and good annotated bibliography on forest fire has also been given in this book, which may be definitely useful for trainers, researchers and foresters.



NCRMP Modules

Hazard Risk Mitigation Is the Key to Sustainable Development- Conceptualized by the Government of India, the NCRMP Modules aim to minimize vulnerability to various hazards and building the resilience of people and infrastructure. The project is being implemented by the

National Disaster Management Authority (NDMA) under the aegis of the Ministry of Home Affairs and in collaboration with the National Institute for Disaster Management (NIDM) and State Governments. It is funded by the World Bank. A core part of the NCRMP programme is component 'C': 'Technical assistance for hazard risk analysis; capacity building; and damage & loss assessment'. One of the expected key outcomes of this project is the Strategic Framework for Implementation of the Training and Developing TOT Modules. Seven ToT modules developed under component 'C' include:

Strengthening PRIs for Mainstreaming DRR & CCA in Development
Integration of DR and CC Resilience in Rural Development policies and programs

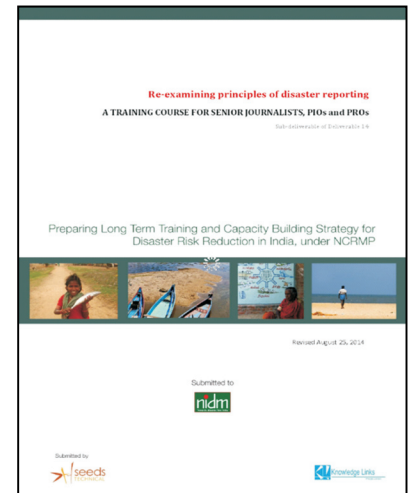
Mainstreaming DRR & CCA into city development plan

Preparation and implementation of hospital DM plan

Creation of culture of safety through knowledge and education for Teachers

TOT module for Entry level Journalists - Examining principles of disaster reporting

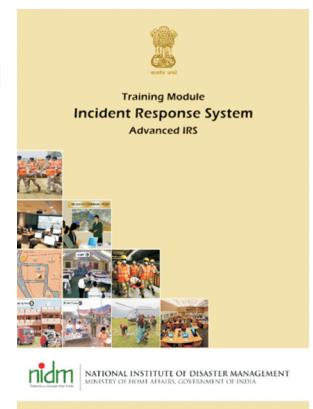
TOT module for Senior level Journalists - Re-examining principles of disaster reporting



Incidence Response System Modules

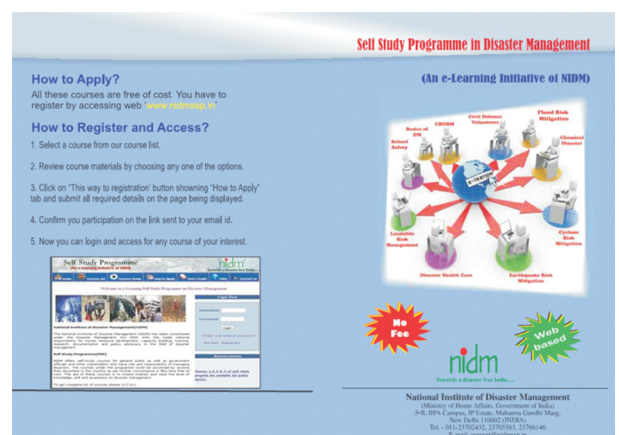
Five Sub Modules under the Incidence Response System have been developed by NIDM which are:

- Incident Response System - Advanced IRS : Training Module
- Incident Response System - Area Command : Training Module
- Incident Response System - Liaison Officer : Training Module
- Incident Response System - Integrated Planning Section Course : Training Module
- Incident Response System - Safety Officer : Training Module



Leaflet on E-learning Self Study Programme on Disaster Management

NIDM offers e-learning self study programme on disaster management for general public as well as government officials and other stakeholders who have role and responsibility in managing disasters. The aim of e-learning self study programme on disaster management is to create interest and raise the level of knowledge, skill and awareness on disaster management. These self study programmes on disaster management could be accessed by anyone from anywhere globally as per users convenience in flexi-time free of cost.



Training Program Organized (October - December 2014)

S. No	Name of Program	Venue	Dates	Faculty	No. of Participants
1.	School Safety Disaster Management Plan (ToT)	NIDM	13-15 Oct.	Ritu Raj	16
2.	Forest Fire Disaster Risk Mitigation & Response	FRI, Dehradun	13-17 Oct.	A.D. Kaushik	10
3.	City Disaster Management Plan	UPAAM, Uttar Pradesh	15-17 Oct.	C. Bandyopadhyay Shekher Chaturvedi	23
4.	Flood Disaster Risk Mitigation and Management	ATI West Bengal	27-31 Oct.	AD Kaushik C. Bandyopadhyay	24
5.	Re-examining Disaster Reporting Principles for entry level journalists (ToT) (NCRMP)	NIDM	27-31 Oct.	K J Anandha Kumar	16
6.	Community Based Disaster Risk Reduction	DDUSIRD, Uttar Pradesh	27-31 Oct.	Surya Parkash	25
7.	Disaster Management for Civil Defense Officers	NIDM	10-14 Nov.	Maj. Gen V.K. Naik	28
8.	Flood Risk Mitigation & Management	NIH, Roorkee	19-21 Nov.	A D Kaushik	23
9.	Community Based Disaster Risk Management	NIDM	1-5 Dec.	Ajinder Walia	30
10.	City Disaster Management Plan	ATI, Mizoram	2-4 Dec.	C. Bandyopadhyay Shekher Chaturvedi	30
11.	Crowd Management: IRS as a tool in collaboration with YASHADA, Pune	Nashik	3-5 Dec.	P. K. Pathak	54
12.	ToT Course on Basic Disaster Management	NIDM	8-12 Dec.	Sushma Guleria	12
13.	Legal Framework and Policies for Disaster Risk Mitigation and Management (for Officials of SDMAs and Central Ministries)	NIDM	10-12 Dec.	Sreeja Nair Anil K Gupta	20
14.	Integrating Climate Change Adaptation and Disaster Risk Management (Ref. to Integrated Coastal Zone Management), jointly with MoEF - National Course	MCRHRD Institute, Andhra Pradesh	15-17 Dec.	Anil K. Gupta	17
15.	Creation of Culture of Safety through Knowledge and Education (ToT)(NCRMP)	NIDM	15-19 Dec.	K J Anandha Kumar	16
16.	Coastal Community Resilience	ATI West Bengal	22-24 Dec.	Sushma Guleria	26
17.	Disaster Management for participants of Advanced Professional Programme in Public Administration	NIDM	26 Dec.	Ajinder Walia Sreeja Nair	20

Upcoming Training Programs (January- March, 2014)

Sl. No.	Name of Course	Venue	Date(s)	Faculty
1.	Geo-Informatics in Disaster Management	NIDM	5-9 Jan.	Sreeja Nair
2.	ToT course on IRS – Planning Sections Chief	NIDM	12-16 Jan.	Ashok Sharma
3.	Gender Issues in Disaster Risk Management	NIDM	19-23 Jan.	Ajinder Walia
4.	Industrial (Chemical) Disasters Risk Mitigation	HCM RIPA, Rajasthan	19-23 Jan.	Sreeja Nair Anil K. Gupta
5.	Crowd Management – EOC in collaboration with YASHADA	Nasik	20-22 Jan.	S. Chaturvedi P. K. Pathak
6.	Emergency Management for Dams and Reservoirs	Power Management Institute, NOIDA	21-23 Jan.	C. Ghosh
7.	ToT on School Safety Disaster Management	NIDM	28-30 Jan.	Ritu Raj Ajinder Walia
8.	Strengthening Panchayati Raj Institutions for Mainstreaming Disaster Risk Reduction into Development (NCRMP) (ToT)	BSDMA, Bihar	2-6 Feb.	K J Anandha Kumar
9.	Housing & Personal Safety and Local Emergency Preparedness (Orientation Programme for President/ Secretary of Housing Societies/ RWAs)	IIPA Local Branch, Agra	6 Feb.	Anil K. Gupta
10.	Basic Disaster Management Course (ToT)	NIDM	9-13 Feb.	Surya Parkash
11.	Forestry as livelihood in climate change adaptation (with special reference to Uttarakhand Disaster 2013)	FRI, Dehradun	9-13 Feb.	A.D. Kaushik C. Bandyopadhyay
12.	ToT course on IRS: Logistic Section Chief	NIDM	16-20 Feb.	P. K. Pathak
13.	Comprehensive Landslide Risk Management in collaboration with Geology Deptt., Delhi University	Delhi University	16-20 Feb.	Surya Parkash
14.	Preparation and Implementation of Hospital Disaster Management Plan (ToT) (NCRMP)	NIDM	16-20 Feb.	K J Anandha Kumar
15.	Formulation of DDMP	HCMRIPA, Rajasthan	18-20 Feb.	Shekher Chaturvedi Sushma Guleria
16.	Drought Risk Mitigation & Management	ATI, Karnataka	23-27 Feb	K J Anandha Kumar
17.	Industrial (Chemical) Disasters – Risk Mitigation and Emergency Response	HCMRIPA, Rajasthan	23-27 Feb.	Sreeja Nair Anil K. Gupta
18.	ToT on Urban Risk Mitigation	NIDM	23-27 Feb.	C. Bandyopadhyay
19.	Cyclone Resistant Shelter and Construction along coastal areas	AIM, Tamil Nadu	23-27 Feb	C Ghosh

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20.	Comprehensive Disaster Risk Management for Officials of African Countries	Delhi	2-13 Mar.	K J Anandha Kumar Shekher Chaturvedi Sushma Guleria
21.	Geo-Informatics Application in Disaster Management	IIPA	9-13 Mar.	Sreeja Nair
22.	Mainstreaming of Disaster Risk and Climate Change Resilience for City Development Plans and Implementation Strategies (for ULBs) (ToT) (NCRMP)	ATI West Bengal	9-13 Mar.	K. J. Anandha Kumar C. Bandyopadhyay
23.	Management of Large Congregations (Stampede) Risk Reduction	HCMRIPA, Rajasthan	16-18 Mar.	Shekher Chaturvedi P. K. Pathak
24.	Gender & Disaster Management	NIDM	16-20 Mar.	Ajinder Walia
25.	ToT on Community Based Disaster Risk Management	NIDM	16-20 Mar.	C. Bandyopadhyay
26.	Databases for Disaster Management w.r.t. climate-change and DRR	ISI, Kolkata	18-20 Mar.	Sreeja Nair Anil K Gupta
27.	Flood Risk Mitigation and Management	NIDM	23-27 Mar.	A. D. Kaushik
28.	ToT on Disaster Management	AASC, Guwahati	23-27 Mar.	Shekher Chaturvedi Sushma Guleria
	Re-examining Disaster Reporting Principles for entry level journalists (ToT) (NCRMP)	NIDM	23-27 Mar.	K J Anandha Kumar C. Bandyopadhyay
Regional Training of Trainer's Programmes on India Disaster Resource Network (IDRN)				
	ToT on IDRN	Lakshadweep	23 Jan.	Sreeja Nair & Anupama Sethi
	ToT on IDRN	ILDM Kerala	28 Jan.	Sreeja Nair & Anupama Sethi



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