

RECENTLY, TURKEY DISASTER MANAGEMENT

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DISASTER

- DISASTER; These are unplanned events that cause physical, economic and social losses for the whole or a certain segment of the society, stop or interrupt normal life activities and require urgent interventions
- A disaster is an unplanned event in which the needs of the affected community outweigh the available resources

- A disaster occurs somewhere in the world almost daily, but these events vary considerably in scope, size, and context
- Disasters are becoming more frequent, and the number of persons affected is also increasing
- Certain widely publicized disasters, have focused people's attention on disaster planning and preparedness.
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- In the wake of a large-scale event, public attention focuses on disaster planning and preparedness and the resources dedicated to improving response and resiliency surge
- In the Turkey, large, multiple-casualty events have been frequently
- In this year it have been Elazığ earthquake, Van snowfail, sabiha gökçen airport plane crush, Van earthquake, Bingöl earthquake, Giresun flood event and recently İzmir eartquake

- When a disaster strikes, the general population expects public service agencies, emergency response agencies, and other branches of the local and government to rapidly mobilize to help the injured and the broader community in general

Type of Disaster

- 1-Natural Disaster (floods, Earthquake, Hurricane, cyclone..)
- 2-Technological(Human-made) Disaster(War, Terrorist attacks, ...)

Natural and Technological disasters are often intertwined, as in the case of a building collapse as the result of a hurricane or earthquake

- Advanced warning systems, structural and design improvements, and disaster planning may decrease the devastation caused by many natural disasters

Classifying Disasters

Often classified by the resultant anticipated necessary response

- Level 1; Is one in which local emergency response personnel and organizations are able to contain and effectively deal with the disaster and its aftermath
- Level 2; Requires regional efforts and mutual aid from surrounding communities
- Level 3; Is of such a magnitude that local and regional assets are overwhelmed, requiring statewide assistance
- Level 4; is need for international support

- Disasters are managed locally, and, as additional assistance and resources are required, higher levels of government and non-government resources become involved
- Turkey Disaster Response Framework(TAMP) is a national disaster response plan

The aim of this plan is to define the roles and responsibilities of service groups and coordination units that will take the part in disaster and emergency response activities, to determine the basic principles of response planning before, during and after the disaster

Responsibility

- AFAD is responsible for coordination of disaster and emergency services, establishing education policies and making legislative arrangements on these issues



- The Ministry of Health is the main solution partner of the healthcare group in this plan, and the General Directorate of Emergency Health Services is responsible for the coordination of ministry of health



- AFAD determines and announces the incident level by evaluating the requests for assistance according to type and scale of the incident

Ministry of Health

- Coordination duty in disaster and emergencies;
 - First response
 - Public Health and Medical Care Needs
 - Normalization of environmental health services without disruption



Responsibilities of MoH

- Keep mobile and field hospitals ready
- Sending sufficient personnel, tools and materials to the disaster area
- Performing triage, first aid and emergency medical care in disaster area
- To evacuate and treat the sick and wounded
- To provide services within the scope of epidemic diseases and quarantine isolation services
- Coordinate water and environmental risk with other governmental organization in terms of epidemic disease
- Official number of injured and death toll

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