



National Response Teams Training – Pre-course assignment

1. Reference Documents

The pre-reading documentation includes the following documents:

1. Sendai framework 2015—2030 (2015)
2. Code of conduct (1994)
3. Seville agreement and complementary measures (1997)
4. Principles and rules for red cross and red crescent humanitarian assistance (2013)
5. Strategy 2030 (2020)
6. Disaster Risk Management Policy (2020)
7. Volunteering policy (2011)
8. Gender and diversity policy (2020)
9. Minimum standards for protection, gender and inclusion in emergencies (2018)
10. Framework for community safety and resilience (2014)
11. IFRC health care framework 2030 (2021)
12. Policy on addressing mental health and psychosocial needs (2019)
13. Food security policy (2003)

Additional bibliography

- Policies and key commitments
<https://www.ifrc.org/policies-and-key-commitments>
- Principles and rules for red cross and red crescent humanitarian assistance
<https://www.ifrc.org/document/principles-rules-humanitarian-assistance>
- Humanitarian diplomacy policy
<https://www.ifrc.org/media/11944>
- Minimum standards for PGI in emergencies
<https://www.ifrc.org/document/minimum-standards-pgi-emergencies>
- First aid policy
<https://www.ifrc.org/media/11920>
- A Red Cross Red Crescent guide to community engagement and accountability
<https://www.rcce-collective.net/resource/a-red-cross-red-crescent-guide-to-community-engagement-and-accountability/>
<https://communityengagementhub.org/resource/ifrc-cea-guide/>
- NS preparedness web page
<https://www.ifrc.org/disaster-preparedness>

Context-Specific Components or Regional, national reference documents:

1. Example: Inter-American Framework for Action 2016-2020 (i.e.)
2. Example: Agreement of mutual collaboration of the National Societies of the Sub Region I of the Americas (Optional): This document will be considered when the courses are carried out in Americas Region (i.e.).



2. General Information.

The pre-course assignment consists of reading documents and completing the questionnaire attached. The pre-reading questionnaire should be delivered during the introductory lesson of the course. (This is an individual task, and it should not be solved in pairs or group teams).

3. Evaluation Criteria:

- Timeliness on the delivery before deadline.
- Total completion of the questionnaire (each question weights 1 point).
- Order and cleanliness of the document.

4. Pre-course questionnaire

Participant's Name: _____

Number of correct answers: _____

Note: This questionnaire should be solved based on the conclusions you will obtain from reading and understanding of the contents of the documents delivered. (Use additional paper for your answers).

1. Mention the seven global targets of the Sendai Framework.
2. Mention at least four standards of conduct for the International Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and non-governmental organisations in disaster response programs.
3. Indicate the National Society responsibilities in coordination of an International Relief Operation, according with the Agreement on the organisation of the international activities of the Movement's components (Seville Agreement).
4. The accountability and quality are an important aspect in the principles and rules for Red Cross and Red Crescent Humanitarian Assistance. From your point of view, mention the four most important rules related with the resource management?
5. According with Strategy 2030, seven transformations are essential for The IFRC network to be prepared to respond to the disasters and crisis, to mobilise local action to drive global change. State four transformative actions to achieve our strategic goals.
6. Mention four general operational principles that do you consider are important to reinforce IFRC's approach to disaster risk management. (Disaster Risk Management Policy).
7. Reference the specific commitments that describe our approach to disaster risk management.
8. What are the commitments that National Societies must provide following the Agree volunteer rights and responsibilities?
9. The National Societies and the IFRC commit to actively embrace different identities and individuals, to guard against all discrimination in all our actions, and to promote the value of a diverse society with gender equality. Mention five key actions to consider into Programme and operations.
10. Describe the four areas related in the minimum standards for PGI.
11. What aspects constitute the key elements of the Framework for community resilience?
12. Describe the three programming modalities on Health and WASH.



13. Mention five policy statements which guide the Movement's work in providing mental health and psychosocial support.
14. What does the Food Security policy say about "food aid"?