

# Disaster Risk Management

Name of Initiative:	Science-Based Decision-Making in Disaster Risk Reduction
Duration:	2021 to 2024
Current participating Countries:	The Bahamas
Objective:	To develop familiarity and reliance on scientific data for disaster risk assessment and management, including planning. Data includes GIS-based data, meteorological data, updated hazards/storms, historical events, socio-economic analyses, disaster management analyses, lessons learned, and more.
Activities:	Trainings and workshops, data collection, data evaluation.
Cost and Funding:	USD \$100,000 seed funding Grant from the OAS Development Cooperation Fund (DCF) secured.
Request from Partners:	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>- Additional funding</li><li>- Knowledge transfer and good experiences on disaster risk assessment and management, including planning</li></ul>

## Sub-themes:

- Disaster Risk Reduction
- Science-based Decision-Making
- Disaster Risk Assessment And Management

## Beneficiaries:

Approx. 160-175 people from FIAs, DCC members, National EOC representatives, National Emergency Management Agency

## Expected Results

- Improved disaster response within The Bahamas.
- More complete and scientifically accurate plans. Improved mitigation and early warning through the use of RVA.
- Decision makers able to make more effective and better-informed decisions.

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