



TOOL

Protection Guidelines



Developed by : The Greek Ministry of Climate Crisis and Civil Protection

Website : <https://civilprotection.gov.gr/odigies-prostasias>

Description

The Greek Ministry of Climate Crisis and Civil Protection offers protection guidelines over various climatic phenomena, uploaded on its official website.

Duration

Depending on the use

Resources needed

The guidelines are easily accessed through the official website of the Ministry of Climate Crisis and Civil protection. In order to access them, a computer with internet access is needed. The guidelines are accompanied by relevant pdf documents that users may download. The material is also translated in 10 languages (EL, EN, FR, DE, ES, IT, RO, SQ, AR, RU).

Age

Suitable for all ages

Relevance to CRISEPAC Objectives

On the official website of the Ministry, citizens may find information and guidelines regarding the steps that should be taken in case of earthquakes, landslide, forest fires, floods, storms, stormy winds, snowfall-frost, heatwave, volcanos, industrial accidents and chemical-biological-radiological-nuclear incidents. Information is also provided on daily fire risk forecast, including relevant maps. Like in the case of the CRISEPAC project, this tool aims to teach citizens how to protect themselves and people around them during natural hazards.

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Management

The Civil Protection guidelines propose actionable steps and management strategies for civilians' timely responding to extreme weather events, giving emphasis to prevention, monitoring, and quick responses.

Expected outcomes

To inform and advise citizens on how to protect themselves and people around them during the occurrence of natural hazards.

Others

Weaknesses

This tool's is ultimately relying on the ability of the community to remain informed and execute directions accurately. Additionally, it tool consists of a series of general guidelines that can be accessed and used by anyone who is interested in doing so. They cannot stand alone as educational material for the purpose of our project.

Possible adaptations

The videos provided in the Greek version of the guidelines are subtitled in English. Nevertheless, there are no other national languages available. The material could potentially be also translated in other languages in order to be more widely accessible.

Strengths

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Climate change

Reassuring community preparedness and fostering awareness on climate risks, mitigates the negative impacts of climate change-related events, promotes safer environments and reduces vulnerability.

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Methodologies

On the official website of the Ministry, citizens may find information and guidelines regarding the steps that should be taken in case of extreme weather incidents. These guidelines are available to anyone interested and no specific methodology has to be followed in order for them to be applied.

Additional Resources: In the Greek version of the guidelines, users are provided with relevant informative videos, which, however, are not available in other languages.