

**Action Plan
for
Non-Structural Mitigation
Measures in Schools**

Bhutan

Hazards

- **Earthquake**
- **Windstorm**
- **Fire (Structural & Forest)**
- **Floods**
- **Glacial Lake Outburst Flood (GLOF)**
- **Landslide**

Key Institutions Requiring NSM

- **Schools**
- **Hospitals**
- **Key institutions involved in disaster management
(RBA, RBP & DDM for instance)**

Key Institutions Involved in Disaster Management (for School)

- **District Administration**
- **Ministry of Education**
- **Department of Disaster Management, MoHCA**
- **RBP, RBA, Dessung (Guardians of Peace and Harmony) & Bhutan Red Cross Society**
- **Ministry of Finance**

Funding

- **RGoB** (*Disaster Management Unit, Department of School Education, MoE*)
- **UNICEF**
- **Save the Children**

Strategy

- Awareness at school-level
- Drills in schools
- School Disaster Management and Contingency Plan

Issues

- Coordination issues
- Inadequate fund

Way Forward

- Improve coordination mechanism
- Increase fund allocation
- Expand coverage of awareness programme
- Reinforce capacity building

SAARC's Role

- **Capacity building**
- **Research**
- **Provide necessary technical assistance**

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