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Course Content

Impact of disaster on socio-economic aspects of a place; disaster and development; role of governance in disaster management; five year plans and disaster management; direct and indirect costs, output and welfare losses, benefits of disaster risk reduction, challenges of making economic assessments, Gender and disaster; Community-hazard profiles in India; Different phases of Disaster Management; Relief mechanism.; Roles of NDMA, SDMA; Objectives, provisions and recommendations of DM Act 2005 and NPDM 2009.

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