

IMPLEMENTING HFA: THE BANGLADESH EXPERIENCE THROUGH THE COMPREHENSIVE DISASTER MANAGEMENT PROGRAMME

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GoB Vision on Disaster Management:

- to reduce the vulnerability of people, especially the poor, to the effects of natural, environmental and human induced hazards to a manageable and acceptable humanitarian level

MoFDM Mission:

- to bring a paradigm shift in disaster management from conventional response and relief to a more comprehensive risk reduction culture and to promote food security as an important factor in ensuring the resilience of the communities to hazards

Overall Objective:

- to strengthen the capacity of the Bangladesh Disaster Management System to reduce unacceptable risk and improve response and recovery management at all levels and to effectively integrate and manage Bangladesh's food security system

CDMP Structure

Strategic Focus Areas	Corresponding components	Implementing agency
Professionalizing the DM system	C1a - PPPDU C1b - Professionalizing the DM System	PPPDU PPPDU
Partnership Development	C2a - Advocacy C2b - Capacity Building	DMB DMB
Community Empowerment	C3a - Programme Gap Analysis C3b - Risk Reduction Planning C3c - LDRRF C3d - Livelihood Security (EC)	PPPDU DRR PPPDU
Expanding Preparedness programmes across a broader range of hazards	C4a - Earthquake and Tsunami Preparedness (EC) C4b - Climate Change & Research C4b(1) - LACC	DMB BCD&FS DoE FAO/DAE
Strengthening emergency response capabilities	C5a - DMIC & Emergency Procedures C5b - Expansion of DMIC (EC)	PPPDU

1. CDMP Programme Monitoring and Evaluation Mechanism

2. Partnership and Networking 3. Gap Analysis

CDMP Programme Monitoring and Evaluation Mechanism

Workplans



- Strategic workshops with stakeholders in December 2004
- Developed 5 year action plans with the key milestones and broad strategies
- Annual plan for 2005 and 2006
- Quarterly workplans

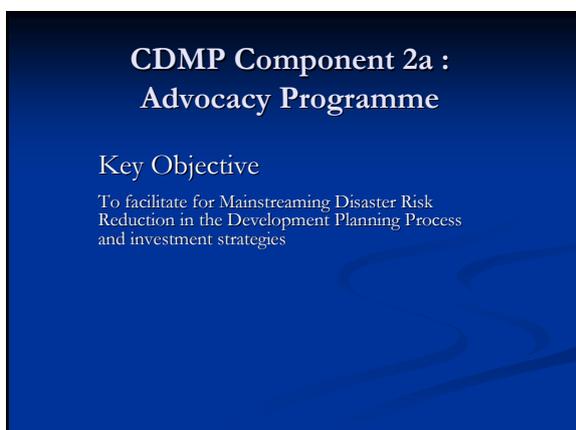
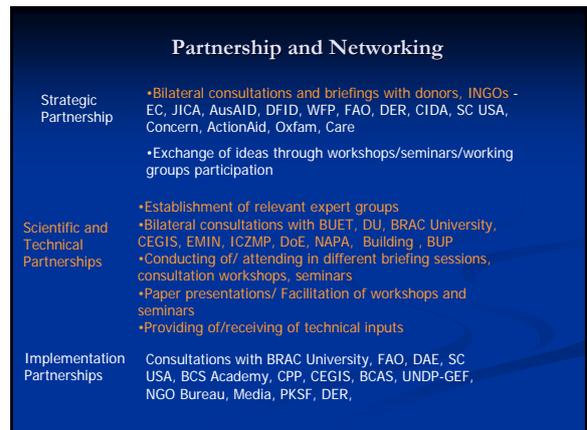
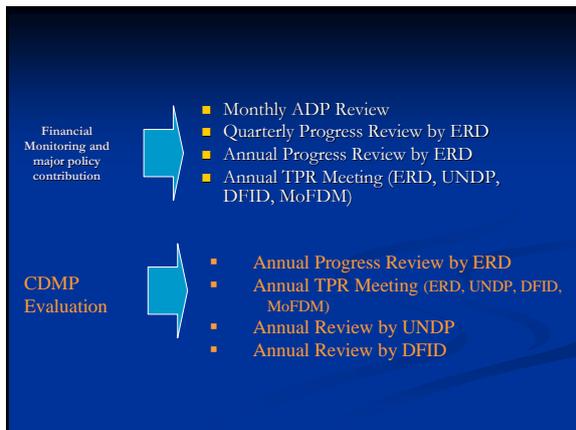
CDMP Overall Monitoring



- Steering Committee - 6 monthly
- Coordination Committee - bi-monthly
- Strategic Group - monthly

Mechanisms to guide specific component tasks

Advocacy		Advocacy Advisory Group Mainstreaming working group
Training		Training Advisory Group
CRA		CRA Guideline Development. Group
Climate Change		Technical Advisory Group
LDRRF		Technical Review Committee LDRRF Approval Committee



Milestone 2 : Disaster Risk Reduction mainstreamed within National Planning Process

Mainstreaming Disaster Risk Reduction Framework

Key Stakeholders	GOB			NGOs		Sectors	
	Policy	Stakeholders	Activities	Stakeholders	Activities	Stakeholders	Activities
National	PRSP Sectoral Policy (Education, Housing, Agriculture, Fisheries etc.)	Planning Commission ERD, Working Cell of different Ministries/Divisions	Inclusion of Disaster Risk Reduction Mechanisms in Development Project Proposal (DPP, TAPP and PCP)	NGO Affairs Bureau	Inclusion of Disaster Risk Reduction Mechanism in FD-R Form	Different national departments, business, NGOs, professional groups	Inclusion of Disaster Risk Reduction in the core business plan
Local		Local Government	Capacity building, Training, Practice of Community Risk Assessment Mechanism (CRA), Development and implementation of risk reduction action plans	NGOs, CSOs	Capacity building, Training, Practice of Community Risk Assessment Mechanism (CRA), Development and implementation of risk reduction action plans	Local Govt. departments	Practice of Community Risk Assessment Mechanism (CRA)

Milestone 3 : Inclusion of Risk Reduction in Urban Planning Management

- Formation of City Corporation Disaster Management Committee
- Facilitating Earthquake Response Plan for City Corporations
- Consultation with City Corporation Executives and elected representatives

Milestone 4 : Mainstreaming of Risk Reduction in NGO Project Planning

- Formation of working committee for mainstreaming Risk Reduction in NGO Project Planning
- Consultation with NGO Affairs Bureau
- Consultation with NGO Executives
- Revision of NGO Bureau Format and establishment of Institutional Accountability for addressing risk reduction issues

Milestone 5 : Disaster Risk Reduction Promoted in Print and Electronic Media

- Production of Documentary
- Training courses for journalists
- Introducing new programmes on risk reduction issues
- Feature Services for Print Media
- Inclusion of Risk Reduction issues in National Television Debate Competition
- Media Award for best reporting in the media

Milestone 6 : Strengthening Information Service

- Observation of International Day for Disaster Reduction (IDDR)
- Essay Competition for School, College and University Students
- Press Briefings
- Publication of a Dictionary on Disaster Management

Milestones Planned to implement the strategies

- Roles and Responsibilities of DMCs reviewed and revised.
- Training curriculum reviewed and revised.
- Disaster Management Training Policy formulated.
- Disaster Management Training Plan developed and implemented.

STRATEGIC PRIORITIES of Directorate of Relief and Rehabilitation (DRR) in relation to "community empowerment"

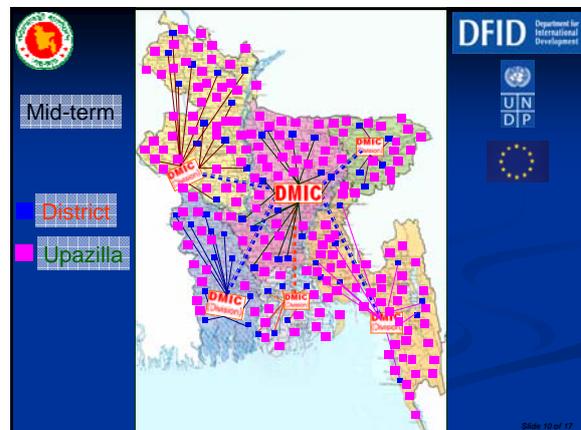
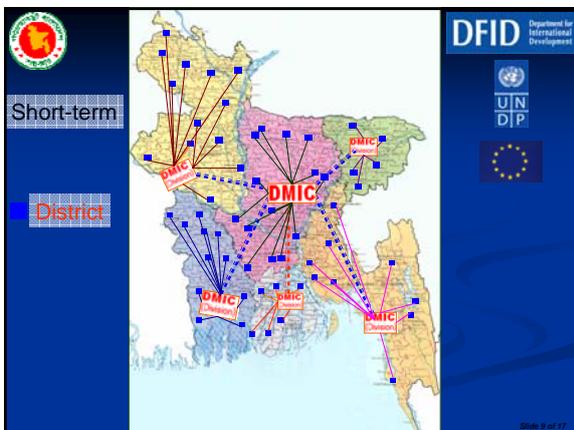
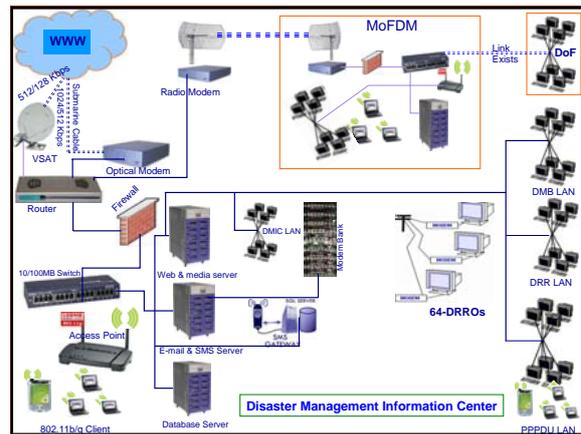
- Develop and Implement Community Risk Assessment Guidelines
- Develop, approve and introduce methodologies for integrating disaster management planning at a local level within development planning guidelines
- Introduce Gender and Social Exclusion Analysis Framework

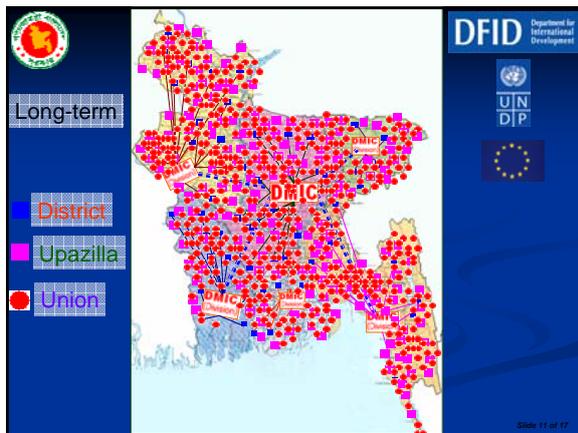
Expected Outputs-- LDRRF

- Better integration of risk reduction mechanism into the local plans
- Improved coordination between GOB, NGOs, and Civil Society through greater ownership and partnership
- Better focus on addressing identified risks at the local and community levels; and needs of women and other vulnerable groups in particular are better understood

Climate Change Cell - mandate

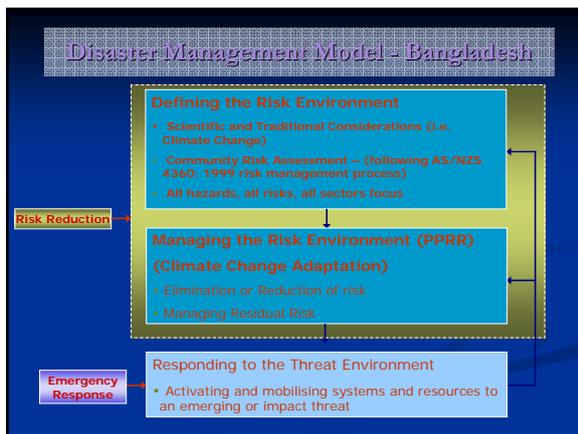
- Building the capacity of MoEF/DoE to coordinate & mainstream CC issues in development activities
- Strengthen existing knowledge & information accessibility on impact prediction & adaptation to CC
- Awareness-raising, advocacy & coordination to promote CC adaptation & risk reduction in development activities
- Improved adaptive capacity for sustainable livelihoods in the agricultural sector





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2005



- ### CDMP Focus Areas 2005
- MoFDM – Policy and planning reforms including learning and development strategies
 - Institutional Reforms- particularly in relation to roles and responsibilities of DMCs
 - Awareness Raising – Media, Academic institutions, policy and political masters
 - Donor awareness and networking

- ### CDMP Focus Areas 2005
- Tsunami Action Plan and training for CPP
 - Capacity building MoFDM Field staff
 - Developing programming tools such as guidelines, assessment criteria and training modules
 - Creating the CRA framework including RRAPs
 - Strengthening the CCC and establishing TAG, Library and Database

- ### CDMP Focus Areas 2005
- MoFDM E-Governance and IT support
 - Establishment of DMIC and MoFDM EOC and Media Room
 - Maintaining CDMP Governance Frameworks – committees, reporting, etc.
 - Streamlining processes – Imprest Account
 - General support to the MoFDM – reviews, reports, papers (PRSP, SAARC, WCDR/HFA, RCC, etc.)
 - Preparing for the TPR

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Refocusing CDMP Support

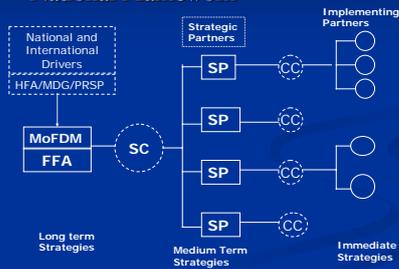
Team Approach - Early 2006

Continued integration within MoFDM and away from components with emphasis on creating:

- Enhanced capacity to support the implementation of an expanded WoG/NGO programme
- Enhanced capacity to support EC Components
- Enhanced capacity to undertake financial, contractual and procurement management and reporting functions
- Enhanced capacity to undertake CDMP planning, monitoring, liaison and general support to MoFDM functions

WoG/NGO Integration of DM Strategies

National Framework



National Risk Reduction Framework



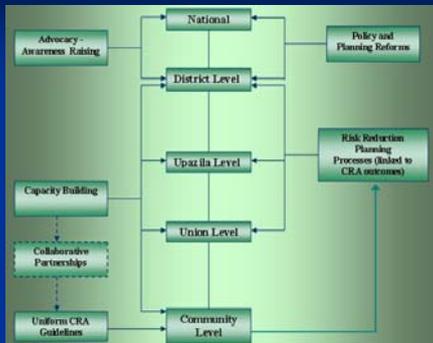
Implementation Focus - 2006

- Consolidation of CDMP effort toward a more team focused approach
- Integration and implementation of EC funded components
- Creation of holistic FFA and transition to WoG programme
- Awareness raising – Political, Policy and Donor focus
- Regional Cooperation – SAARC, RCC, ISDR
- Establishing sub contracting partners – MoU/LoA
- Expansion of capacity building training programs

Focus 2006

- Roll out of post graduate learning and development strategy – April 06
- Full implementation of CRA and RRAP processes
- Climate change impacts integrated within CRA processes and establishment of climate change library and database
- Full implementation of LDRRF
- Establishment and expansion of DMIC system
- Strengthening of response management systems including early warning
- Greater emphasis toward mainstreaming

Mainstreaming Framework



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Challenges for 2006 and beyond

- Timely staffing of programme
- Securing services of experienced short term consultants when needed
- Establishing sufficient formal partnership agreements to enhance service delivery
- Establishing and managing contractual systems
- Establishing programme monitoring and evaluation mechanisms and capability
- Getting multi-lateral buy-in
- Changing the mindset of key stakeholders
- Sustained political commitment

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