

Hazard assessment questionnaire

Question	Hazard 1	Hazard 2
Type: What hazards/disasters commonly affect your community?		
History/Timing: What was the last significant disaster event to affect this community, and when was it?		
Frequency: How often does this hazard occur?		
Severity: How do you measure the severity of the hazard (e.g., depth of water, wind speed, lack of rain, damage)? What would you observe in a good year and a bad year?		
Duration: Period of time the impact is being felt. How long does the hazard persist (hours, days, weeks)?		
Location/area: Which parts of the community area worst affected?		
Warning signs: Any early warnings, traditional or from government? How quickly (or slowly) does the hazard appear?		
Forewarning: Period in between warning and actual occurrence of hazard event		
Trends: What changes are happening to the frequency, duration, or severity of the hazard? Any new hazards?		