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Disaster

THE PROGRESSION OF VULNERABILITY



ROOT CAUSES

- Limited access to
 - Power
 - Structures
 - Resources
- Ideologies
 - Political systems
 - Economic systems

DYNAMIC PRESSURES

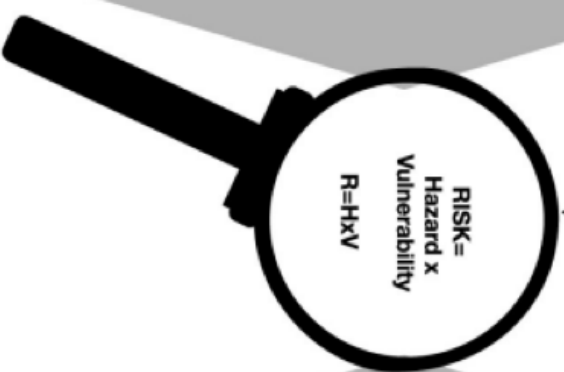
- Lack of
 - Local institutions
 - Training
 - Appropriate skills
 - Local investments
 - Local markets
 - Press freedom
 - Ethical standards in public life
- Macro-forces
 - Rapid population change
 - Rapid urbanisation
 - Arms expenditure
 - Debt repayment schedules
 - Deforestation
 - Decline in soil productivity

UNSAFE CONDITIONS

- Physical environment
 - Dangerous locations
 - Unprotected buildings and infrastructure
- Local economy
 - Livelihoods at risk
 - Low income levels
- Social relations at risk
 - Special groups at risk
 - Lack of local institutions
- Public actions and institutions
 - Lack of disaster preparedness
 - Prevalence of endemic disease

DISASTER

This area magnified is the Focus of the Access Model in Ch.3



HAZARDS

- Earthquake
- Highwinds (cyclone/ hurricane/ typhoon)
- Flooding
- Volcanic eruption
- Landslide
- Drought
- Virus and pests