

### **UNESCO-IOC**

### Tsunami Ready Recognition Programme Introduction (Short)

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### **UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready and the Global Frameworks**

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# SAFE OCEAN

Not oceans and shores that do not have coastal hazards (i.e - Tsunami). ..... is coastal area and ocean that is understood, observed, can be predicted, and where the people can continue to interact with the sea and oceans for their livelihood and lifestyle without having the fear of coastal hazards (tsunamis), as they already have the awareness, knowledge, preparedness, skills, and abilities to safe themselves in case of an emergency (tsunami)







UN Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development 2021-2030

Sendai Framework for DRR 2015 - 2030



World Tsunami Awareness Day



### **IOC-UNESCO** Tsunami Ready Recognition Programme



#### SUSTAINABLE IMPROVEMENTS

Risk assessments, early warning system, public awareness, exercises, pre-planning, preparedness actions

#### SYSTEMATIC PREPAREDNESS

Aims to improve coastal community preparedness and ensures structural, systematic, and sustainable approach.



# What is community?

- A community is a group of people who live in the same area (city, town, village, neighbourhood), includes its social and economic dimensions, its infrastructure, lifelines and supporting environmental systems.
- Scale of community is important. Its size (area, population), national governance structure, as well as its vulnerability, exposure, resources and capacity required, will determine how Tsunami Ready in implemented.





Cedeño, Honduras, Tsunami Ready Recognition Ceremony, February 2017. (Credit: ITIC)





# **Tsunami Ready Indicators**

Tsunami Ready consists of 12 key indicators designed to strengthen local tsunami risk reduction capacity. The indicators are grouped into three categories:

### Assessment, Preparedness and Response

#### UNESCO IOC TSUNAMI READY INDICATORS ASSESSMENT (ASSESS) 1 ASSESS-1. Tsunami hazard zones are mapped and designated 2 ASSESS-2. The number of people at risk in the tsunami hazard zone is estimated 3 ASSESS-3. Economic, infrastructural, political, and social resources are identified PREPAREDNESS (PREP) 4 PREP-1. Easily understood tsunami evacuation maps are approved 5 PREP-2. Tsunami information including signage is publicly displayed 6 PREP-3. Outreach and public awareness and education resources are available and distributed 7 PREP-4. Outreach or educational activities are held at least three times a year 8 PREP-5: A community tsunami exercise is conducted at least every two years RESPONSE (RESP) 9 RESP-1. A community tsunami emergency response plan is approved 10 RESP-2. The capacity to manage emergency response operations during a tsunami is in place 11 RESP-3. Redundant and reliable means to timely receive 24-hour official tsunami alerts are in place 12 RESP-4. Redundant and reliable means to timely disseminate 24-hour official tsunami alerts to the public are in place





# Why do you need Tsunami Ready ?

An advanced tsunami early warning system will not save lives if the community at risk does not have the knowledge and capacity to respond to the early warning.



- There is a high risk of loss of life and property in coastal communities with weak or no community preparedness for tsunami emergencies
- For local tsunamis\*, the community needs to react and take action without official warning or guidance
- If the warning chain to the community is weak or broken, the community must be prepared to take action on its own initiative



\* When a tsunami arrives in less than 1 hour from its source. Usually within a 100 – 200km range of the epicentre



# **Benefits of Tsunami Ready Programme**

- Strengthens tsunami preparedness of coastal communities
  - Improved assessments of Hazards, Risk, Inundation, and Evacuation
  - Improved early warning systems/warning chain
  - Improved public awareness, understanding of tsunami threat and preparedness
  - Tests awareness and preparedness through regular exercises
- Strengthens the relationship between tsunami scientists and warning officials and local communities
- Strengthens preparedness for other hazards
- Improves community planning
- Encourages a **consistent and sustainable approach** to disaster risk reduction
- Contributes to the aims of the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction and Sustainable Development Goals
- International recognition from UNESCO IOC as Tsunami Ready Community
- Strengthens the relationship between tsunami scientists and warning officials and local communities



### What Tsunami Ready Recognition Mean to the Community



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1. To recognizes the effort and **achievements** of the community

4. To enhance the sustainability of

preparedness in the community

of good practices

2. To **motivate the community** to continue to improve its level of preparedness

3. To **motivate others** to follow the example

- Motivation
- Leverage



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# **Tsunami Ready Disclaimer**

A Tsunami Ready recognition does not imply approval or promise that a community can or will perform at a certain level in case of a tsunami. Tsunami Ready recognition does not mean that a community is tsunami proof; it is rather an acknowledgment and recognition of the measures adopted by the community to cope with their tsunami risk





### **UNESCO-IOC Tsunami Ready Tools**





# **UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Viewer**

Showing UNESCO/IOC Tsunami Ready Recognized Community Globally





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## **UNESCO/IOC Manuals and Guides**



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#### Manual and Guide No 82



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#### Manual and Guide No 86



Multi-annual community tsunami exercise programme: guidelines for the tsunami and other coastal hazards warning system for the Caribbean and Adjacent Regions

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# **Tsunami Ready Boardgame**

(12 + years)



To introduce the 12 Tsunami Ready Indicators to the stakeholders





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#### Cards 375 (+ 300 questions, 75 instructions)

- Assessment : 3 Indicators x 25 question cards
- Preparedness : 5 Indicators x 25 question cards
- Response : 4 Indicators x 25 question cards
- Threat Cards : 25 Cards
- Opportunity Cards: 25 Cards
- Capacity Building Cards: 25 Cards

Could be played in different levels

- 1. Beginner (<u>+</u> 1 hour)
- 2. Middle (+ 2 hours)
- 3. Advanced (> 2 hours)



# **Tsunami Ready Short Animation Video Series**



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Following the journey of Azam, Azizah, and Adam in building their Village "Nami" to be a Tsunami Ready Community based on UNESCO-IOC Tsunami Ready Indicators



Episode 7 out of 14 Public Awareness and Education Resources

Video 2: Tsunami Hazard for Tsunami Ready Community <u>+</u> 8:02 minutes
Video 3: Knowing people at risk of tsunami <u>+</u> 4:48 minutes
Video 4: Resource and capacity for Tsunami Ready Community <u>+</u> 6:57 minutes
Video 5: Public Tsunami Information in Community <u>+</u> 5:32 minutes
Video 6: Tsunami Evacuation Map for the community <u>+</u> 5:15 minutes
Video 7: Public Awareness and Education Resources <u>+</u> 5:07 minutes
Video 8: Outreach Activities in Tsunami Ready Community <u>+</u> 4:39 minutes
Video 9: Community Tsunami Exercise <u>+</u> 6:49 minutes
Video 10: Community Tsunami Emergency Operation Plan <u>+</u> 5:28 minutes
Video 11: Building Capacity in community for Emergency Response <u>+</u> 7:50 minutes
Video 12: Linking the Community to the Tsunami Warning Chain <u>+</u> 4:40 minutes
Video 13: Providing warning to the community <u>+</u> 5:27 minutes
Video 14: Getting Tsunami Ready Recognition <u>+</u> 6:50 minutes





# **Tsunami Ready Online Lecture Series Recording**



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# **Tsunami Ready Tools Link**





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