

40706 Outline the response phase within CDEM

Kaupae Level	3
Whiwhinga Credit	1
Whāinga Purpose	<p>This skill standard is designed for people involved in, or preparing to support, Civil Defence Emergency Management (CDEM) at the community, local, or national level.</p> <p>People credited with this skill standard are able to: outline the structures and roles within a CDEM response and describe basic emergency response operations.</p> <p>This skill standard can be used for assessment within programmes across the Emergency Management sector.</p>

Hua o te ako me Paearu aromatawai | Learning outcomes and assessment criteria

Hua o te ako Learning outcomes	Paearu aromatawai Assessment criteria
1. Outline structures and roles within a CDEM response.	a. Outline key roles and responsibilities in an emergency response.
	b. Identify the purpose of New Zealand's Coordinated Incident Management System (CIMS).
	c. Outline CIMS structure and functions.
	d. Describe how CIMS supports response.
2. Describe basic emergency response operations.	a. Explain the role of key facilities used to manage and coordinate a response.
	b. Identify the basic steps involved in mobilising resources during an emergency response.
	c. Identify the different communication systems used during an emergency response.
	d. Explain how information flows between the response and the community.
	e. Explain the transition from emergency response to recovery and the intended outcomes for affected communities.

Pārongo aromatawai me te taumata paearu | Assessment information and grade criteria

None.

Ngā momo whiwhinga | Grades available

Achieved.

Ihirangi waitohu | Indicative content

Response structures and roles within CDEM response

- Introduction to response, basic roles, and structure.
- Key CDEM response roles and responsibilities (lead agency vs support agencies).
- CIMS purpose – groups/organisations who use it, when it is used.

Communication systems that support effective emergency response

- Importance of communication systems, and flow of information in coordinating emergency response activities.
- Overview of communication systems, including physical systems (radios, satellite phones), inter-agency communication systems, and public-facing systems like PIMS (Public Information Management Systems).

Emergency response operations

- Basic actions and facilities in emergency response.
- Introduction to the facilities used in emergency response operations.
- Explanation of how these facilities manage resources and coordinate activities across different levels of response.
- Basic steps for mobilising resources during a response, including coordination with local, regional, and national entities.

Transition from emergency response to recovery

- Definition and role of recovery in emergency management.
- Understanding how the response phase transitions into recovery, and how this process supports community resilience and recovery efforts.

Rauemi | Resources

Where the resources have been updated, please refer to the latest version.

- Civil Defence Emergency Management Act 2002. Parliamentary Counsel Office, Te Tari Tohutohu Pāremata. Retrieved November 28, 2024, from <https://www.legislation.govt.nz/act/public/2002/0033/51.0/DLM149789.html>.
- Coordinated Incident Management System (CIMS) third edition. National Emergency Management Agency, Te Rākau Whakamarumarū. Retrieved November 28, 2024, from <https://www.civildefence.govt.nz/resources/coordinated-incident-management-system-cims-third-edition>.
- National Civil Defence Emergency Management Plan 2015 and Guide to the Plan. National Emergency Management Agency, Te Rākau Whakamarumarū. Retrieved November 28, 2024, from <https://www.civildefence.govt.nz/cdem-sector/plans-and-strategies/national-civil-defence-emergency-management-plan-and-guide>.
- National Disaster Resilience Strategy. National Emergency Management Agency, Te Rākau Whakamarumarū. Retrieved November 28, 2024, from <https://www.civildefence.govt.nz/cdem-sector/plans-and-strategies/national-disaster-resilience-strategy>.

Pārongo Whakaū Kouna | Quality assurance information

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