Title: Information Management in Cuba for Disaster Reduction in the Health Sector.

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CLAMED
Highest Vulnerability Indexes: Hurricanes, Floodings, Torrential rains, Drought, Earthquakes, Landslides
Cuba is aware of the situation and there is a governmental political will

- Comprehensive health care.
- Technical Assistance.
- Training of human resources.
- Development of health programs.
- Medicine Programs Management.
The Latin American Center for Disaster Medicine (CLAMED) is the institution of the Ministry of Public Health aimed at coordinating actions and knowledge concerning:

- Knowledge and information management.
- Development of human resources.
- Research.
- Development of Early Warning and Prevention Systems to ensure a comprehensive health care not only for the Cuban population but for the Latin American and Caribbean regions.

not only in Cuba but in other countries of the Caribbean Region and Latin America.
To encourage the prevention and mitigation of the effects originated by natural and anthropological disasters on the health and life quality of the Cuban population and on the national economy by improving preventive, efficient and opportune actions in the health sector. These actions are implemented with a multidisciplinary and intersectorial approach and with a component of social involvement in each stage of the disaster cycle, not only in Cuba but in other countries of the Caribbean Region and Latin America.
CLAMED'S Information Center

- Training human resources.
- The promotion of investigations.
- Designs and develops information products and services related to risks of identified disasters.
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✓ Institute of Meteorology.
✓ Seismologic research.
✓ Health units from Revolutionary Armed Forces and the Ministry of Interior.
✓ Scientific Research Centers.
✓ Higher Education Centers.
✓ (OPS/OMS, UNICEF, UN Disaster Relief Coordinator Office).
✓ International agencies and bodies: International Committee of the Red Cross, Caribbean Medical Association.
✓ Nongovernmental organizations.
The integration of experts

Development of thematic areas with an integrating an updated approach which has enabled us to explore and

Acquire new knowledge so as to face the new challenges of our national health system for the protection of the population.
El estudio y la colaboración aplicada a las diferentes disciplinas de la salud para prevenir, proteger, preparar, rehabilitar y dar respuestas inmediatas a los problemas de salud que resultan de un desastre, en coordinación con otras disciplinas relacionadas con el manejo global de desastres.

¿Otra temporada de insomnio?
Temorapadas Anteriores

Considera usted que la ciencia psicológica puede aportar algo a la temática de desastres? Dr. Alexis Lorenzo Ruiz

Preguntas al experto

- OMS confirma nuevas muertes por gripe aviarra en Indonesia.
- Informan en Japón sobre casos sospechosos de gripe aviarra.
- Confirmaron muerte de vigésimo quinta persona por gripe aviarra.
- Detectan gripe aviarra en una mujer, decimotercer caso en Egipto.
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**Desastres sanitarios**

- **Epidemias:**
  - Gripe Aviar
  - Dengue
  - Cólera
  - Virus del Nilo
  - Virus de Marburgo

- **Pandemias:**
  - Sida
  - Violencia

**Desastres de Origen Natural**

- Conferencia Mundial sobre Reducción de Desastres.
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Intranet de Clamed

La intranet constituye el espacio de trabajo de nuestra organización y el registro es un requisito para poder acceder a la información de la clamed. Participar en el proceso de desarrollo de nuestra organización y su acceso efectivo a la red constituyen las bases sobre las que se desarrolla la intranet.

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OBJECTIVES HVL/HEALTH AND DISASTERS:

- To strengthen and to extend the information flow related to the management of the scientific activity in health and disasters in Latin American and the Caribbean countries.
- To support the users of the different national thematic HVL.
- To promote a culture of prevention and preparedness in the community.
- To compile and disseminate the Cuban scientific information in health and disasters related topics.
- To prepare qualified human resources to carry out preventive actions in risk reduction.
Health Thematic Virtual Libraries in Cuba

Health Thematic Virtual Libraries

HVL/Health and Disasters (47 Multisectorial and Multidisciplinary Centers).
CONTENTS HVL/Health and Disasters

- Literature on management of the scientific activity in Health and disasters

- Thematic areas: This component allows to retrieve documents and materials according to thematic areas related to the management of the scientific activity.

- Supercourses: Papers presented on workshops on Learned lessons, and international and national Seminars.
Scientific activities and compilation of learned lessons
• Bulletin CLAMED REPORTS: Develop actions directed to decision making during the hurricane season, according to the phase of the cycle that the user is facing.

• INFOCLAMED

• Daily News Service: For Heads of Mission of CHP

• Thematic Serials: It is published in periods in which a the hazard is predicted to occur (floods, drought, earthquakes, etc)

• Questions to the expert: Section for the exchange with Cuban experts who answer different questions, doubts to national, regional or international colleagues.

• Information ALERTS

• Bulletín INFODES

• CLAMED INFORMA

• 5 CD (compilation papers presented in workshops )

• Yearbook “Gerencia en Desastres en Cuba” (30 cuban articles unpublished)
Our Information Center also offers the following services:

- Customers support in the Reading room
- Location of web sites
- CD recording
- Promotion of scientific events
- Technical support to other local and international information centers
- Bibliographical search
- Reference services
- Education to users
Integration to regional disaster networks

☑ Technical advice to the Health Documentation Center "Dr Rogelio Lamarche Soto", Faculty of Medical Sciences of Universidad Autonoma de Santo Domingo (UASD).

☑ Caribbean Disaster Information Network (CARDIN): It published a compilation of articles provided by CLAMED titled "Disaster Management in Cuba".

☑ Preparation of vulnerable groups in multisectorial work: Communitarian work with children, adolescents, pregnant women, the elderly, workers, where different techniques and methodologies are applied.

☑ Regional Center of Disaster Information (CRID): Validation in Cuba of the Toolkit Methodology for Disaster Information Management. 3-7 of July 2006.

TO DEVELOP, TO PROMOTE, EXCHANGE OF GOOD PRACTICES AND LEARNED LESSONS IN OUR REGION

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Toolkit Methodology for Disaster Information Management

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