

Annex

Reference

Documents

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Available online: www.nrc.no/camp

A comprehensive field manual for camp management organisations and stakeholders involved in camp operations.

Corsellis and Vitale, Transitional Settlement: Displaced Populations, Oxfam publishing, 2005

Available online: www.shelterlibrary.org, hard copies from www.practicalactionpublishing.org

Guidelines for the strategic planning and implementation of settlement responses for displaced populations.

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Available online: www.shelterlibrary.org

Information and specifications on the selection of Non Food Items for distribution following disasters.

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A guide to the use and specification of plastic sheeting in humanitarian operations.

IFRC, The IFRC Shelter Kit, 2010

Available online: www.shelterlibrary.org

A guide to when and how to use the IFRC shelter kit as well as detailed materials specifications.

IFRC, Owner-driven Housing Reconstruction Guidelines, 2010

Guidelines and tools for implementing reconstruction programmes. Includes programme development, participatory process, technical support and financial assistance.

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Available online: www.ifrc.org

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Sets out what people affected by disasters have a right to expect from humanitarian assistance. Includes shelter and settlement planning, with standards, indicators and checklists. Revision due in 2010.

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Review of housing reconstruction experiences and approaches.

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Available online: www.shelterlibrary.org

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UNOCHA, Transitional Settlement and Reconstruction after Natural Disasters, field edition, 2008.

Available online: www.shelterlibrary.org

Guidelines aimed at strategic planners and implementers of settlement responses. Considers settlement issues for people affected by disasters as well as assistance methods to support them in their reconstruction.

Websites

www.disasterassessment.org

A place where members of the disaster management community can meet to exchange tools and case studies related to disaster risk assessment. Shelter Projects 2008 and Shelter Projects 2009 can be found online at this site.

www.humanitarianreform.org / www.oneresponse.info

The home pages of the project to establish clusters as a coordination mechanism. Includes links to the shelter cluster and the Early recovery cluster. Contains further reading and links to current documents for major responses.

www.ifrc.org/where

Where the IFRC works: archive of operations updates and reports from the International Federation of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies.

www.reliefweb.int

Up to date information on complex emergencies and natural disasters as well as an archive of information, field reports and situation reports from emergencies since 1996.

www.shelterlibrary.org

A library of free documents relating to transitional settlement and reconstruction.

www.youtube.com/user/ifrc

Video channel for the International Federation of the Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies. Includes videos of some of the projects in this book.




By the end of 2009, over 43 million people worldwide had been forcibly displaced due to conflict and persecution. In addition, during 2009, 335 reported natural disasters killed over 10,000 people and affected more than 119 million people. The corresponding scale of global shelter need has required a diversity of approaches that go beyond simple design solutions.

Spanning humanitarian responses from over 60 years, Shelter Projects 2009 is the second annual compilation of shelter programmes. The project summaries included aim to illustrate some of the project options available to organisations working in both post disaster and post conflict situations, as well as to support learning from the strengths and weaknesses of different projects. The focus of this book is on projects that maximise emergency response funds to support sustainable recovery.

This document is targeted at:

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