



A guide to Tearfund's resources

Welcome to Tearfund's resources designed to help prevent, mitigate and respond to potential outbreaks of Covid-19.

Tearfund has produced these resources to assist:

- national and local civil society organisations
- churches and other religious communities
- movements and community groups
- local individuals

These resources are intended to complement existing resources from official sources such as the World Health Organization (WHO), national governments and departments/ministries of health, and other reputable civil society and non-governmental organisations.

Tearfund's resources have been created for preventing and/or responding to both:

- **direct impacts of Covid-19:** for example, sickness and loss of life, introduction of physical distancing measures, and
- **indirect impacts of Covid-19:** for example, reduction in health care and other critical community services, loss of livelihoods, and increased risk of harm and violence.

Available resources and how to use them

<p>Graphics and short information content:</p> <p>These resources are for sharing information via social media, WhatsApp groups, SMS messaging and other forms of mass communication.</p> <p>Tearfund also recommends using the WHO graphics available here.</p>	<p>Posters:</p> <p>Example posters can be taken and used directly (or adapted for your context) for display in public buildings and spaces.</p> <p>The posters enable vital information to be shared with communities.</p>
---	---

- 📍 tearfund.org/covid19
- ✉ covid19-response-team@tearfund.org

<p>Bible studies for church leaders, church members and communities</p>	<p>Essential guidance for the local church</p>
<p>Guidance documents and learning videos for civil society, staff and community leaders</p> <p>Guidance documents have been created to inform and guide programming and activities. These contain information for users to consider when designing, planning and implementing projects and activities.</p> <p>They also offer practical advice and ideas for actions to be taken by communities, households and individuals.</p> <p>Some documents contain simple day-to-day advice, while others have more detailed technical advice.</p> <p>Available thematic areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - water, sanitation and hygiene - gender and protection - cash programming, livelihoods and self-help groups - urban settlements - inclusion, addressing stigma and countering misinformation 	<p>Live and recorded webinars with some of Tearfund’s technical advisers</p> <p>Semi-interactive video sessions to help staff and individuals gain a deeper understanding of the principles and content provided in the guidance documents.</p> <p>Available thematic areas:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - water, sanitation and hygiene - cash programming - gender and protection

This information is available for you to use in a way that is appropriate to your own context, such as using it to develop your own Covid-19 messaging, posters, flyers and guidance for your communities and churches.

However, any adaptations for local contexts should be adapted from the content in these resources only, and from verifiable sources such as the World Health Organization. If you have any concerns about how to use these resources or how to develop your own material based on them, please contact your national Tearfund office.