EMERGING CRISIS SITUATIONS: USEFUL WEBSITES

The following list presents some of the key websites which will help you to keep an eye on emerging crisis situations so you are ready to respond when a disaster occurs.

**ACAPS – Assessment Capacities Initiative**
ACAPS is an independent information provider and specialist in humanitarian needs analysis and assessment. It enables crisis responders to better understand and thereby better address the world’s disasters.

**Crisis Group**
The International Crisis Group is an independent organisation working to prevent wars and shape policies that will build a more peaceful world. Crisis Group sounds the alarm to prevent deadly conflict.

**FEWS Net – Famine and Early Warning Systems Network**
FEWS Net is a leading provider of early warning and analysis on acute food insecurity. It was created by USAID to provide objective, evidence-based analysis to help government decision-makers and relief agencies plan for and respond to humanitarian crises.

**Prevention Web**
PreventionWeb is a collaborative knowledge sharing platform on disaster risk reduction (DRR), managed by the UN Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNISDR).

**Reliefweb**
Reliefweb is a specialised digital service of the UN Office for the Coordination of Humanitarian Affairs (OCHA) providing reliable and timely information on global crises and disasters.

**Think Hazard!**
ThinkHazard! is a new web-based tool enabling non-specialists to consider the impacts of disasters on new development projects.