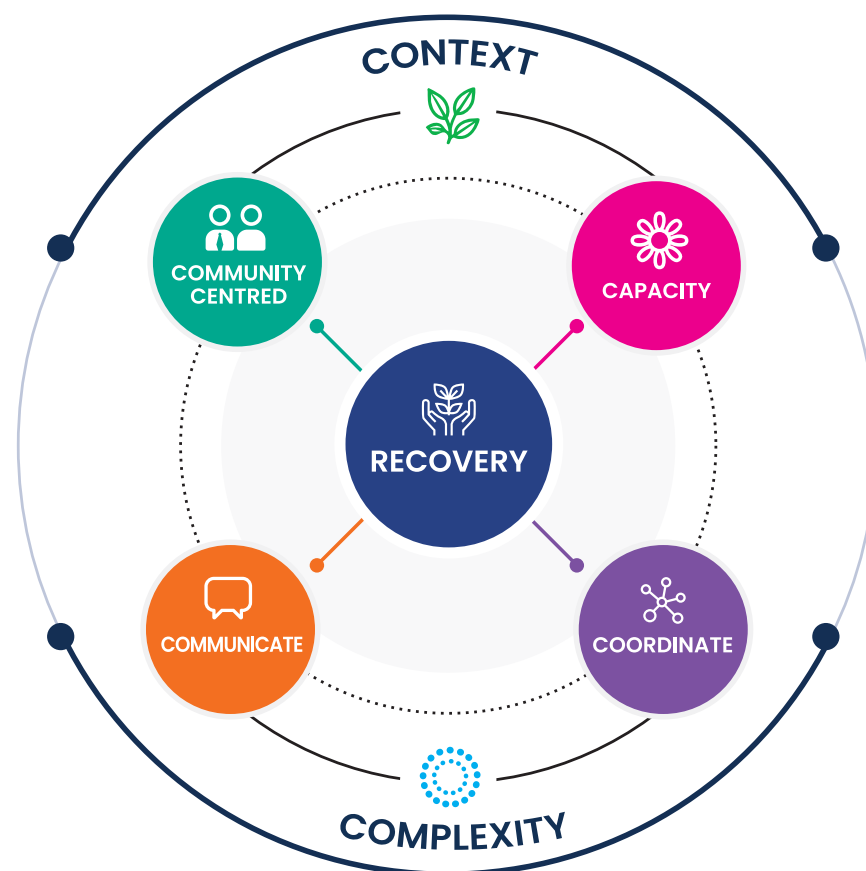


NATIONAL PRINCIPLES FOR

Disaster Recovery

Recovery is part of emergency management, alongside prevention, preparedness and response. Planning for recovery is integral to preparedness and creates opportunities to reduce future risk.

Recovery spans built, environmental, economic, social and wellbeing dimensions. Effective recovery supports communities to adapt and move forward on their own terms.

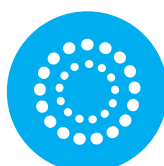


SUCCESSFUL RECOVERY



Understand the **CONTEXT**

Successful recovery is based on an understanding of the community context, with each community having its own history, values and dynamics.



Recognise **COMPLEXITY**

Successful recovery is responsive to the complex and evolving nature of disasters and their impacts on communities, including compounding, cascading and concurrent events.



Use **COMMUNITY-CENTRED** approaches

Successful recovery is community-centred, responsive and flexible, engaging with community and supporting them to move forward, with shared responsibilities.



COORDINATE all activities

Successful recovery requires a planned, coordinated and adaptive approach, between community and partner agencies, based on continuing assessment of impacts and needs.



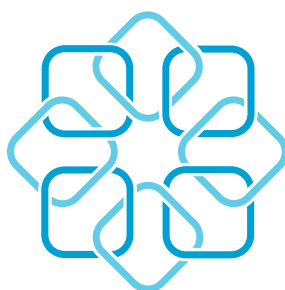
COMMUNICATE effectively

Successful recovery is built on effective communication between the affected community and other partners.



Recognise and build **CAPACITY**

Successful recovery recognises, supports and builds on individual, community and organisational capacity and resilience.



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