

# AIDR Strategy 2018-2021

## Our purpose

The Australian Institute for Disaster Resilience (AIDR) develops, maintains and shares knowledge and learning to support a disaster resilient Australia.

Building on extensive knowledge and experience in Australia and internationally, we work with government, communities, NGOs, not-for-profits, research organisations, education partners and the private sector to enhance disaster resilience through innovative thinking, professional development and knowledge sharing.

AIDR is supported by its partners: the Australian Government Department of Home Affairs, AFAC, the Australian Red Cross and the Bushfire and Natural Hazards Cooperative Research Centre.

## Our goals

### KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT

- National Handbook Collection
- Knowledge Hub
- Australian Journal of Emergency Management and Monograph
- National Recovery Monitoring and Evaluation Framework and Database
- Research utilisation
- Emergency Management Library
- NERAG online; other online training for handbooks
- Weekly news summary

### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- Professional development events
- Community (Volunteer) Leadership Program
- Education for Young People Program (disaster resilience education in schools)
- Emergency Management Volunteer Scholarships
- Centre of Excellence for Prescribed Burning
- Australian Disaster Resilience Conference
- Resilient Australia Awards
- Resilience Forums

### THE FUTURE

AIDR is exploring future services, including the management of applied research and developing a national voice for disaster resilient advocacy and leadership.

## Stakeholders

Emergency service agencies

Commonwealth, state/territory & local government

Non-government organisations

Education and training providers

Schools

Universities and researchers

Community groups

Volunteering peak bodies and associations

