

State Emergency Management Committee Strategic Framework: 2017-2022

Our Vision: 'A safe and strong South Australia through a shared commitment to resilience'



Strategic Anchors
Effective resilience through:



Understanding risks and how they may affect the South Australian community



Sustained behavioural change across the entire community



A focus on reducing the consequences of emergencies

Strategic Themes

All Hazards Approach	Shared Responsibility	Consequence Management	Whole of Government	Emerging Risks
A consistent and comprehensive approach to emergency management.	Cultivate an approach that brings together individuals, communities, all levels of government, business and the non-profit sector to collectively address resilience.	Applying a consistent approach through consideration of all consequences.	Recognise and foster a culture that emergency management is core business for all levels of government.	Consider and adapt to emerging risks.
<p>Comprehensive Approach Apply a consistent and collaborative approach to the development of emergency and disaster arrangements to embrace the aspects of prevention, preparedness, response and recovery.</p> <p>All Hazards Apply the all hazards approach to dealing with all types of emergencies or disasters using the same set of management arrangements.</p> <p>Strengthening Proficiency Recognise and strengthen the State's proficiency in preventing, preparing for, responding to and recovering from hazards.</p> <p>Communication Oversee implementation of a consistent, defined communication strategy for managing hazards tailored to audiences.</p>	<p>Mutual Responsibilities Recognise that all sectors, agencies and South Australians have some level of responsibility for working together to develop a resilient South Australia.</p> <p>Accountability Provide rigorous oversight that clearly defines accountabilities and shared responsibilities across emergency management.</p> <p>Engaging/Co-creation/Connection Engage and involve communities in ways that suit them to co-create an approach to emergency management and building stronger, resilient communities</p> <p>Critical Infrastructure Strengthen engagement around critical infrastructure resilience in particular where private sector operators are key players.</p> <p>Business Continuity Improve business continuity planning and business continuity measures for government and non-government entities.</p>	<p>Consistent Doctrine Ensure that emergency management policy reflects consideration of strategic risks and consequences of actions taken in the all hazards approach.</p> <p>Demographics/Future World Anticipate the risks arising from changing demographics and the needs of communities to actively adapt services locally.</p> <p>Risks Focus efforts on the consequence of emergencies across prevention, preparedness, response and recovery.</p> <p>Public Value Place public value at the centre of emergency management policy and planning.</p>	<p>Knowledge Sharing Foster strong links between policy, research and planning to effectively capture, share and utilise knowledge and data from across government.</p> <p>Coordinated Governance Employ a coordinated and networked approach across all levels of government and non-government organisations.</p> <p>Prioritisation Ensure investment for emergency management is risk-based and strategic.</p> <p>Strategic Leadership Strengthen the engagement of the SEMC in providing sound governance and clear lines of accountability for a whole of government approach to emergencies.</p> <p>Strategic Links Contribute to and reflect national and international strategies, policies and research.</p> <p>Partnerships Establish partnerships that promote innovation and knowledge transfer across the sector.</p>	<p>Research Consider how relevant research, analysis and information can be used to shape policy and planning.</p> <p>Integration of Emerging Risks Foster understanding, consideration and preparedness for emerging risks and areas of vulnerability.</p> <p>Societal Impacts Educate South Australians around the impact of emerging risks and vulnerabilities and about developing resilience.</p>

Assurance – Lessons Management – Continuous Improvement – Capability Development

State Strategic Risk Profile based on the National Emergency Risk Assessment Guidelines