



# Guatemala

Comprehensive School Safety **Policy Overview 2017** 



Not Yet a Worldwide Initiative for **School Safety Champion Country** 



# **Policies and Integration**

- ✓ Yes

- No
- ? Unknown



Disaster management policies



Refers to education sector



Education sector policies



Has disaster management policy



Has education in emergencies policy



Includes disaster risk reduction



Includes disaster response



# **Ed Sector Policy Topics**

- Yes

- No
- ? Unknown



Risk assessment



Safer school facilities





School disaster management



reduction education



Risk reduction



operating procedures



Regular fire drills



Response preparedness



Educational continuity planning



Youth volunteers

### **Ed Sector Data**



- Systematic collection
- Ad hoc collection
- No collection ? Unknown
- Deaths in schools
- Injuries in schools
- Infrastructure damage
- Long-term educational outcomes
- School closure days
- Attendance pre/post disaster

# **School Planning**



- Yes
- - ⊗ No
- ? Unknown



Risk data from education sector used



Risk data from other government agencies or research institutes used

# **Budget Allocation**



- Regular None
- Inconsistent
- ? Unknown

Risk reduction and resilience

- Education in emergencies







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# P1 Safer School **Facilities Policies**



#### Construction

Yes







Safe school site selection



Safe design



Safe construction



Construction monitoring



#### Retrofit

- Funds allocated
- O Unfunded policy ? Unknown
- No policy or funding



Multi-hazard assessment



Unsafe school retrofit/ replacement



#### Maintenance

Yes



? Unknown



Routine maintenance



Non-structural mitigation

Annual maintenance



#### Temporary Shelters

Yes



? Unknown



School-year use limitations



Appropriate school selection



Guidance for use of schools as shelter

Temporary shelter costs reimbursement

# P2 School Disaster **Management Policies**



#### **Plan Elements**



Yes ⊗ No ? Unknown or other National Sub-national Risk assessment Risk reduction Response preparedness Educational continuity Child participation Publically available

# Training and Drills



- Yes
- Limited drills/trainings
- ⊗ No
- ? Unknown or other







Staff inservice training in SDM

# P3 Risk Reduction & Resilience Education Policies

Limited





Yes

Public Awareness Campaigns



No

National Student DRR Curriculum



? Unknown

National Teacher DRR Curriculum