

CoronaSys

ADDRESSING THE CORONA PANDEMIC IN ARMENIA THROUGH SYSTEMIC RISK MANAGEMENT

Why this project?

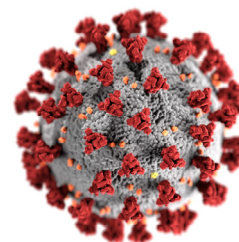
The current SARS-CoV-2 pandemic poses multi-dimensional and highly dynamic challenges to all sectors of society, including health systems, economies, education, and policy-making, down to our very daily routines. The project CoronaSys aims at conducting a real time analysis of the events, contexts, needs, and innovations surrounding the global pandemic with specific scrutiny on actions taken in Armenia and Germany.

Methods

The project intends to promote an inter- and transdisciplinary platform for knowledge exchange and innovation between partners in Armenia and Germany in the fields of public health, systemic disaster risk management research, and the sociology of disasters in light of the ongoing SARS-CoV-2 pandemic. For this purpose, the ADRU research team prepares supportive reports and assessments based on secondary research and expert consultations.

Innovation

The project aims to build the basis for a long-term Armenian-German collaboration on research in and avenues for systemic risk management. In the ongoing pandemic, it offers direct contributions to improving the knowledge and decision-making base for society's handling of the infectious disease course via expert discussions, stakeholder mappings, vulnerability profiles, a gap and capacity analysis, innovation monitoring, a comparison of approaches to integrated pandemic management, and a synopsis of socio-political debates on bridging civil liberties and the right to health in democratic disaster risk and pandemic management.



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Region: Germany, Armenia, global

Coordination: Academy of the Disaster Research Unit (ADRU), Berlin

Main Associated Partners:

- Charité Universitätsmedizin
- Crisis Management State Academy of the Ministry of Emergency Situations of the Republic of Armenia (CMSAA)
- Dräger Safety AG & Co. KGaA
- Disaster Risk Reduction National Platform of the Republic of Armenia (ARNAP)
- Federal Agency of Technical Relief (THW)
- International Search and Rescue (I.S.A.R.) Germany
- United Nations Development Programme Armenia (UNDP)

Capacity Analysis in Cooperation with:

- Prepared International (PPI)

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