# CANADA AND THE CANADIAN RED CROSS ADDRESS DISASTER RISK IN THE CARIBBEAN

The Caribbean Region is highly vulnerable to disasters.

**Events** 

**71** 

Affected **1,103,951** 

51

Total Damages (in billion \$) 1,073,744

\*Source: The International Disaster Database www.emdat.be/

2010

🔆 Figures do not include data from the 2010 Haiti Earthquake

2013

The Government of Canada has committed to contribute **\$65 million** to the Region to reduce these risks.

PREPARED COMMUNITIES THROUGH THE

CARIBBEAN COMMUNITY RESILIENCE TO DISASTER RISK (CCRDR) PROJECT

# **CCRDR Project: \$3.7 million**

from the Government of Canada and Public Donations

#### **Communities:**

Jamaica 20

Guyana 20

Dominica

**Participants:** 

**Community Disaster Responder Teams (CDRTs):** 



14,370 Community Members

Women 69% Men 31%

830 CDRTs Members

## **CCRDR ACHIEVEMENTS**

### Goal:

Enhanced Community Resilience to Disaster Risk in the Caribbean

Regional Coordination

Knowledge Sharing National Preparedness

For more information, please visit Canadian Red Cross

www.redcross.ca

and the Department of Foreign Affairs, Trade and Development Canada

www.international.gc.ca





