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Submission to the Independent Review of Commonwealth Disaster Funding

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Q1. What experience have you had with Commonwealth disaster funding support?

I have worked in the sector for almost 2 years providing counselling to disaster impacted communities

Q2. How could Commonwealth funding support communities to reduce their disaster risk?

Have positions longer term for workers in disaster recovery

My contract was only for one year which is ridiculous- it takes a long time to build networks, to get communities to know the workers on the ground. The current funding models are too short term they are not trauma informed.

Q3. Please describe your understanding of Commonwealth disaster funding processes.

Nil response provided.

Q4. Are the funding roles of the Commonwealth, states and territories, and local government, during disaster events clear?

Nil response provided.

Q5. Is there any further information you would like to provide?

No response provided.

