

DISASTER READY TOGETHER



RESILIENT
LISMORE

PROJECT CHECK-IN WORKSHOP + LUNCH

9am-2pm | 24 June 2024 | Invercauld House, Goonellabah 2480



What we did

Events

Needs assessment workshop (6 Nov 2023)

ATTENDANCE = 50

DRT Summit (7-8 March 2024)

ATTENDANCE = 248

DIEP Forum (6 March 2024)

ATTENDANCE = 41

DRT Project Check-In (June 2024)

ATTENDANCE = 30

Networking/Advocacy

Local/regional interagencies

e.g. indigenous, disability, early childhood

NCOSS project teams, NCOSS

Mid Coast P-CEP Connect

Emergency services



Resources

3 x LGA database, approx
150 community services

LCSA training package:
Introduction to Disaster
Management - Reference Group



2021 ABS census analysis of vulnerable
populations x 44 locations in 3 x LGAs

DRT web pages. 2,052 views this year



5 monthly newsletters
555 Subscriptions



Summit recordings
143 views (to date)

Reports



Lesson Learned Survey (6 Nov 2023)

NCOSS Reports: Lessons Learned so Far Report (Nov 2023);
Risks & Vulnerabilities/Assets & Strengths Report (Nov 2023);
Progress Reports x 6

Representation at DRT activities



Service type

Needs Assessment workshop (Nov 2023)



Lessons Learned Survey (Oct/Nov 2023)



Summit (March 2024)



DIEP (March 2024)



LGA

Needs Assessment workshop x 3 LGAs



Survey



Summit x 7 LGAs NR/open



DIEP x 7 LGAs NR



Have you felt included?



Of the 18 Summit survey respondents from the target LGAs:

17

(94%) agreed that the project **"helped to identify our needs and priorities in relation to reducing disaster risk for people in Lismore, Kyogle and Richmond Valley LGAs"** (+ 1 neutral)

16

(94%) agreed that they were **"satisfied with the processes for – and the contribution I was able to make to – the identification and prioritisation of disaster-related risks and needs"** (+ 2 neutral)

15

(83%) agreed that they were confident their **"needs and priorities are going to be prioritised and acted upon"** (+ 3 neutral)

The Summit



16/22



sessions informed by needs analysis at DRT Community Services Sector Workshop (Nov 2023)

46/60

(76.7%) presenters were from the Northern Rivers.

62.5 %

very satisfied

33.8%

satisfied



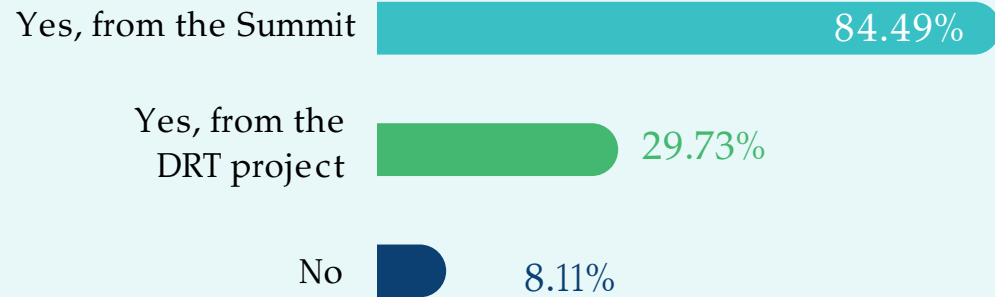
Attendees worked in **115** organisations, mainly in the Northern Rivers region + NSW + interstate

Service type	Attendees	Percentage
Community Services	175	70.7%
Local Councils x 7	13	5.2%
Government	41	16.5%
Universities	19	7.6%
Resilient Lismore Staff/volunteers	22	
Total attendees	248	

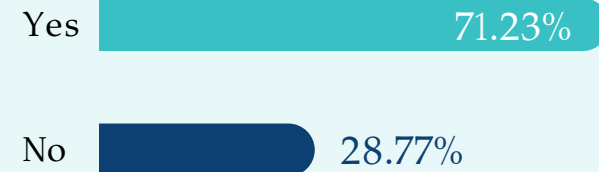
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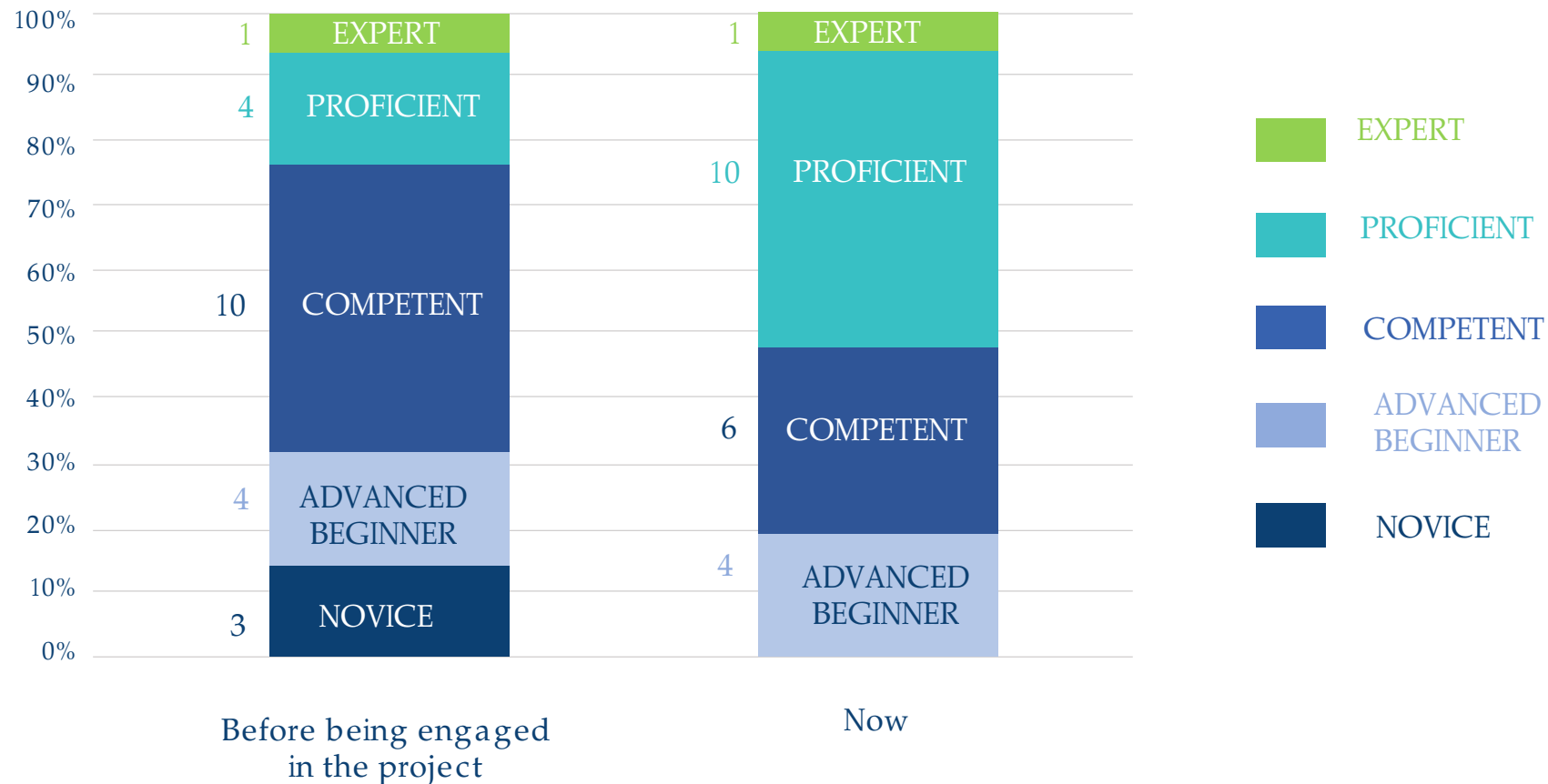
Have you developed new connections for future action on disaster risk reduction?



Are there new or different actions you might take to reduce disaster risk for yourself or for others?



How respondents rate their level of expertise in disaster risk management, before and now.



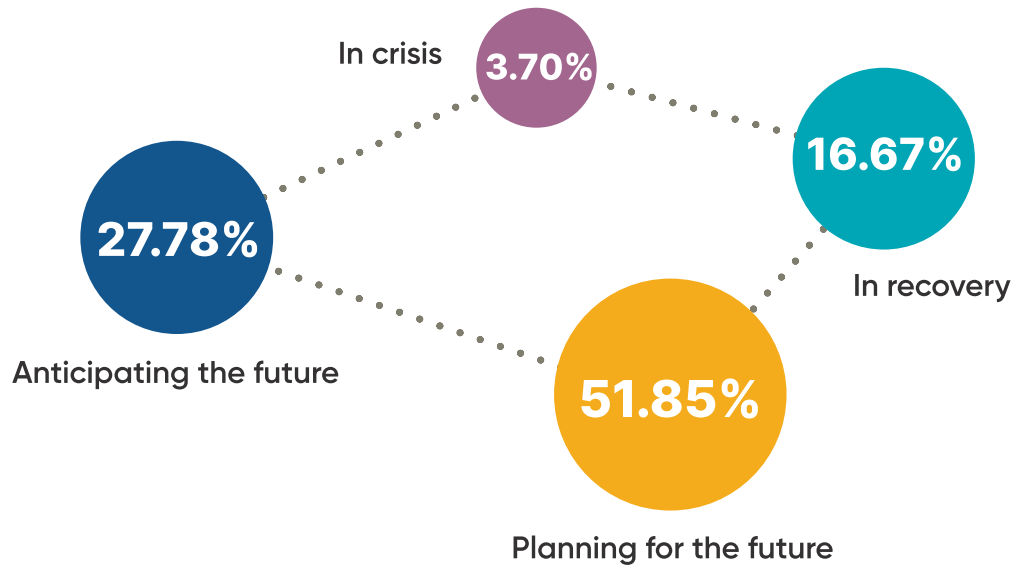
Lessons Learned Survey Report

(October/November 2023)

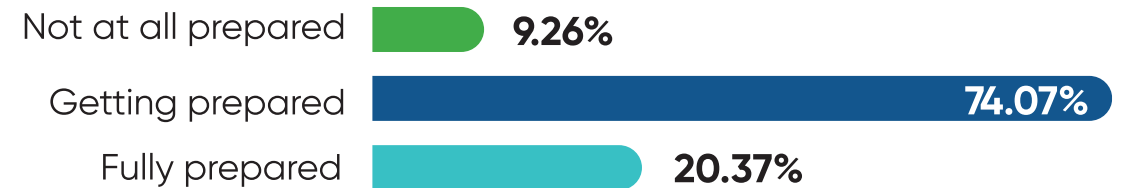


Where are you now?

Where is your organisation at this point in time?



How prepared is your organisation?



Client/community preparedness continuum



Risk/degree of support needs



1:1 Full P-CEP: Case management model with high risk clients

Group preparedness workshops: Community group/peer support model a la Monaro model (3 hr workshop focus on P-CEP steps 1 and 2; follow up on steps 3 and 4), with less vulnerable clients in either existing community groups or specific workshops.

Checklists and go-bags: Red Cross app RediPlan, SES. Self reliant community members with high level literacies.

Public education

The future



Awaiting funding news...



Preparedness at all levels –
clients, community, organisations



Lismore Floodplain NGO
Evacuation Project



'A finding from interviews and especially from the focus group with NGO social services sector representatives was that agencies want to do more collective and internal organisational work on embedding disaster preparedness. They sought further project leadership on disaster **preparedness.**'

(Insight Consulting Australia, 2024)



THANK YOU