

# Protection Guidelines



**Titre:** Landslide

**Developed by:**

Greek Ministry of Climate  
Crisis and Civil Protection

**Topics:**

- Landslide preparedness
- Emergency evacuation
- Risk reduction

**Website:**

<https://civilprotection.gov.gr/en/odigies-prostasias/katolisthiseis>

## Description

This subsection of the Protection Guidelines provided by the Greek Ministry of Climate Crisis and Civil Protection revolves around the phenomenon of landslides. This tool provides instructions on how to behave before, during and after the occurrence of such a phenomenon, with a focus on personal safety, property protection and community awareness.

### Resources needed

#### Duration

1h00

- Computer with internet access: these Guidelines are a part of an open-access resource which is available online. The material along with its supplementary resources is translated in 10 languages (EL, EN, FR, DE, ES, IT, RO, SQ, AR, RU).

#### Age

Suitable for all ages

- Equipment and supplies: emergency kits, safe evacuation routes, retaining walls, and proper landscaping.

### Relevance to CRISEPAC Objectives

This tool sheds light to one of the many natural phenomena, the frequency and intensity of which are worsened by climate change. This topic falls between the matters examined in the context of the CRISEPAC project, while this tool can be easily accessed and adapted by teachers, in order to integrate it in their teaching curricula and share relevant knowledge.

### Expected outcomes

Users of this tool are expected to expand their knowledge on how to manage landslide incidents. After reading and - especially - implementing those Guidelines, individuals can potentially contribute to an increased public safety, reduced risk of injuries, and the application of effective response and recovery practices from landslide incidents.



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## Management

This tool does not require any special management by the educator in order for it to be used. This readable material is available for adaptation and exploitation to anyone interested.

## Risk prevention

These Guidelines provide us with useful information on how to manage risk related to landslides. More specifically, it provides us with advice on how to monitor slopes and construct retaining walls.

## Others

### Weaknesses

What could be pointed out as a weakness, is the limited guidance given, on long-term community infrastructure improvements.

### Strengths

This tool provides us with practical advice that focus on both prevention and response.

### Possible adaptations

One possible adaptation of this tool, could be customizing the Guidelines included, for specific regional geological conditions.

### Climate change

Extreme weather events and soil erosion which are frequent consequences of climate change, increase the possibilities of a landslide occurring.



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## Methodologies

This tool is an open - access list of guidelines, that can be read by anyone. There are no special requirements in order for it to be used. It consists an informative reading material that includes practical advice, aiming to share relevant knowledge and to be implemented when needed.

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