

## Discussion on the functioning of “Humanitarian Principles” and their importance for people in need of help

<b>Short description</b>	The participants together look at selected film material on specific humanitarian contexts. They then discuss two questions: What effect do the applied humanitarian principles have in the actions? What is their importance for the people in need of assistance?
<b>Topics</b>	Humanitarian Principles, Humanitarian contexts, Humanitarian actions
<b>Learning objectives</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Recognition of the function of the humanitarian principles applied</li> <li>• Recognition of the importance for those affected by disasters/crises</li> </ul>
<b>Setting</b>	Unlimited, whole group
<b>Time frame</b>	45 - 60 min.
<b>Materials</b>	Selection of short films on humanitarian contexts (see annex), PC, projector, internet access, flip chart paper and marker (various colours), pinboard, adhesive tape, personal project diary
<b>Instructions</b>	<p>Learning with real object: With the help of visual material about existing humanitarian contexts and on the basis of earlier developed prior knowledge (in the framework of the preparatory work on the project and Module 1), the group discusses the two questions on the function and importance of applied humanitarian principles. In the course of this discussion the interpretations of the principles developed working with Module 1 should be re-examined. For this purpose, in the second stage of this exercise the participants will again form the same small groups in which they developed an interpretation of a principle in Module 1. The interpretations which were then developed on a provisional basis and presented to the class are critically discussed and possibly even entirely reformulated. The new interpretations will be briefly presented in the plenum, focusing in particular on the reasons for any changes made. At this stage critical questions may be put by other participants or the teacher. Note is then be taken of the results presented for further thoughtful work in the form of posters.</p> <p><i>Outlook:</i></p> <p>This learning step is also designed as a preparatory element for the next activity (exchange with an expert in humanitarian assistance).</p>

**English**

Integrated Disaster Risk Management (04:15)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JjuZgCme6EU&index=7&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4Gs>  
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Schools for Syrian Refugee Children in Jordan (08:00)

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pX\\_r\\_r0p6NY&index=2&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4Gs](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=pX_r_r0p6NY&index=2&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4Gs)  
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Increase access to safe water in Southern Sudan (05:00)

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x\\_2q6899af8&index=23&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4Gs](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=x_2q6899af8&index=23&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4Gs)  
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Humanitarian Aid (01:00)

<https://www.eda.admin.ch/deza/en/home/sdc/portrait/video-portrait.html/content/publikationen/en/deza/videos/die-humanitaere-hilfe>

**French**

Népal: le corps suisse d'aide humanitaire se déploie pour faire redémarrer l'hôpital (02 :00)

<http://www.rts.ch/play/tv/12h45/video/nepal-le-corps-suisse-daide-humanitaire-se-deploie-pour-faire-redemarrer-lhopital?id=6757073>

Le Maroc: pionnier dans la protection civile (12:00)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=26q1DEz7D2o&index=6&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4Gs>  
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La Suisse envoie des secours au Kurdistan irakien pour venir en aide aux réfugiés (04 :00)

<http://www.rts.ch/play/tv/19h30/video/la-suisse-envoie-des-secours-au-kurdistan-irakien-pour-venir-en-aide-aux-refugies?id=6198382#t=0>

Engagement suisse en République centrafricaine (03:00)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6jPPhADWE78&index=3&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4Gs>  
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Haiti 2010: L'aide humanitaire après le séisme (16:00)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YwcNjyLDGMY&index=15&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4Gs>  
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**German**

Westlicher Hilfskonvoi erreicht Donezk (01:44)

<http://www.zdf.de/ZDFmediathek/beitrag/video/2405970/Westlicher-Hilfskonvoi-erreicht-Donezk#/beitrag/video/2405970/Westlicher-Hilfskonvoi-erreicht-Donezk>

Die Schweiz hilft in Nepal (03:00)

<http://www.srf.ch/play/tv/tagesschau/video/die-schweiz-hilft-in-nepal?id=9b79779f-e624-4147-aa75-561dd4db4ff8>

Wasser und Holz besser nutzen dank Satellitendaten (06:36)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QReShDWKV7E&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4GsO&index=1>

Sri Lanka - zehn Jahre nach dem Tsunami (11:00)

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=069Pf1J4t1E>

Humanitäre Hilfe: Risiken weltweit mindern

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0TTaKoPNQO0&index=4&list=PLRDYxm6rWd6vrh455xoM3pZJH0Kfx4GsO>