

The Emergency Planning Function

**Climate Change Committee
Tuesday 19th March 2024**

Why we have Emergency Planning



Civil Contingencies Act 2004

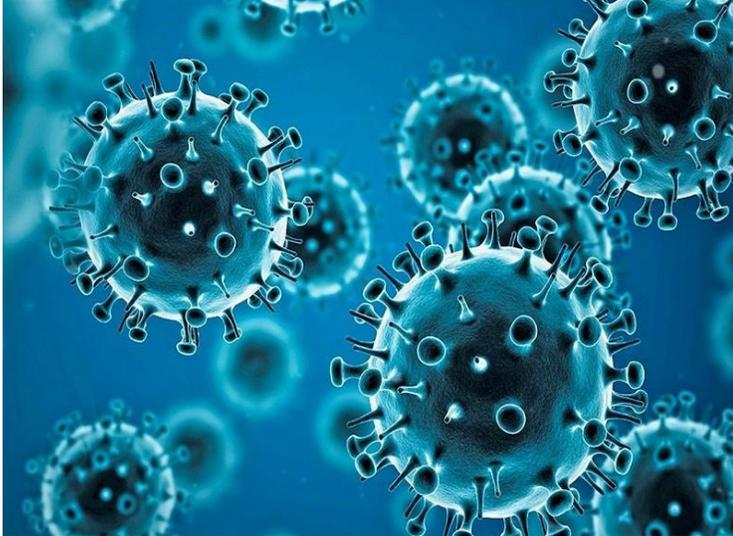
Other Legislation

- Pipeline Safety Regulations, 1996
- Control of Major Accident Hazards Regulations, 2015 (COMAH)
- Radiation (Emergency Preparedness and Public Information) Regulations, 2019 (REPPIR)
- Counter Terrorism planning → CONTEST

Emergency and Major Incident



What can cause emergencies?



What is the North Wales Councils Regional Emergency Planning Service?

- Provides Emergency Planning support for all six Local Authorities in North Wales
- Provides out of hours support for all LA's in an Emergency
- Ensure Local Authorities adhere to the seven duties under the Civil Contingencies Act 2004



Emergency Planning Structure in FCC



Recent emergencies in Flintshire



Storm Babet, October 2023



Gateway to Wales fire, November 2017

Recent emergencies in North Wales



Kronospan fire, Jan 2020



Storm Emma, March 2018



Llantysilio Mountain Fire, July 2018

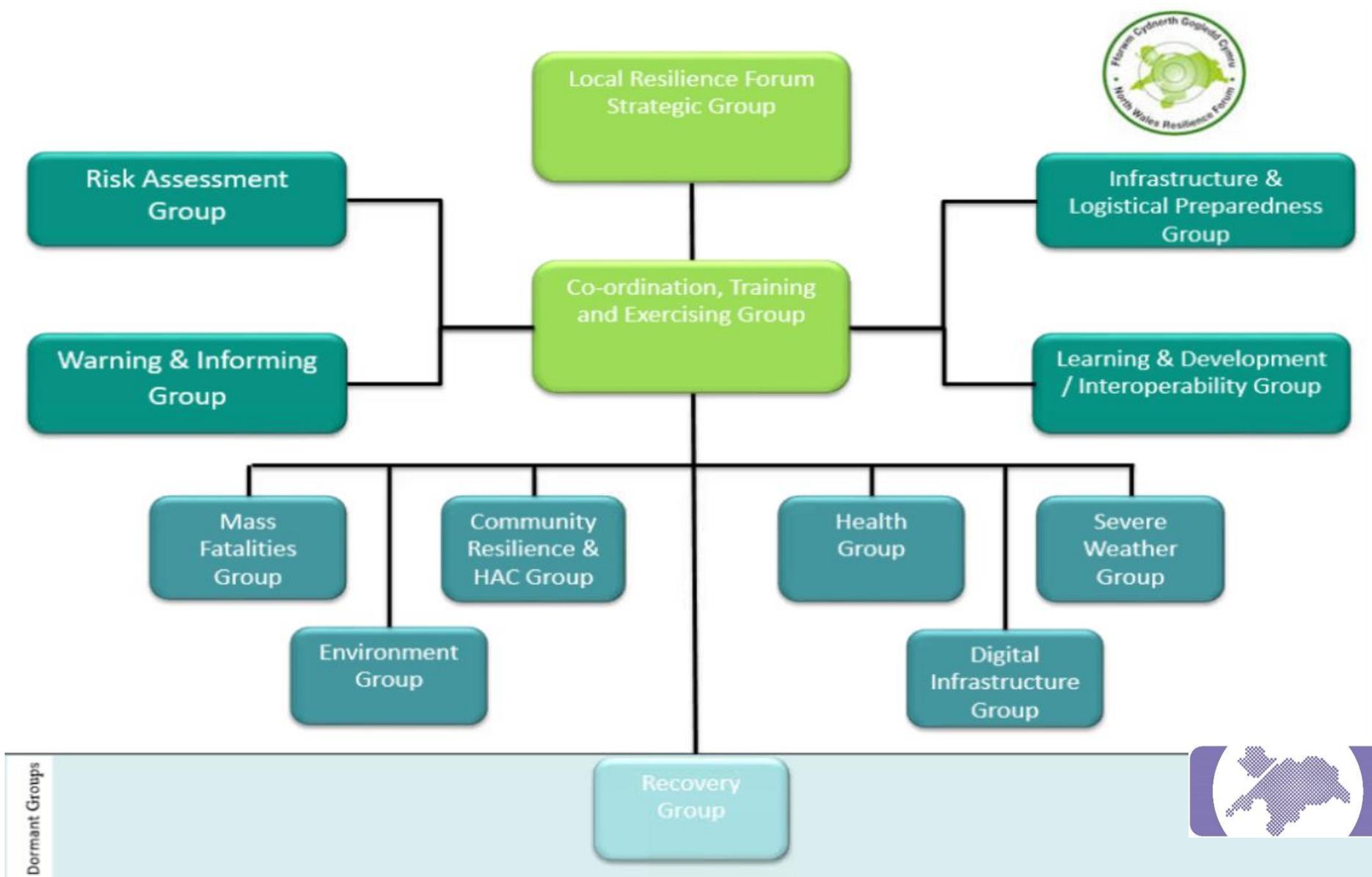


Drought, Summer 2018

Recent Regional Activity

- New Regional Major Emergency Arrangements Plan
- New Regional Rest Centre Plan
- New Business Continuity Plan under development
- All Major Accident Hazard Pipeline Plans have been reviewed and updated with comprehensive mapping
- Introduction of a new Performance Management System
- COMAH Exercises
- Training

Local Resilience Forum Structure



Covid response

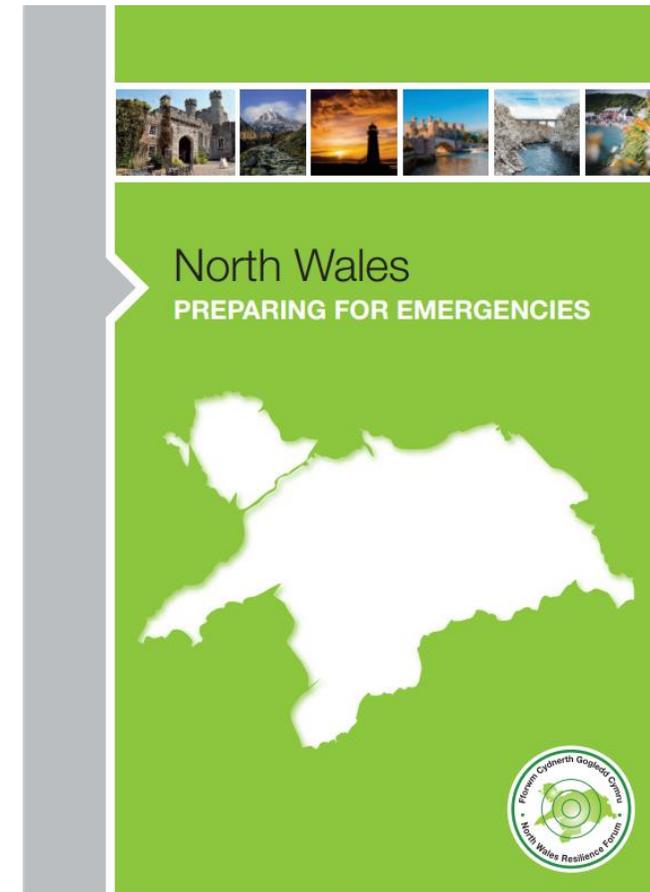


Debriefing



Main risks in North Wales

- Flooding
- Severe weather
- Pandemic
- Terrorist incidents
- Industrial incidents
- Loss of critical infrastructure
- Animal disease
- Pollution
- Transport incidents



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Elected Members E-learning



Thank you, any questions?

