



Immediate action required

A storm has hit a low lying area in Bangladesh. The region is below sea level and has a large river on one side. This river is frequently used by local inhabitants as a source of water for drinking, washing and sanitation and does not have solid banks. There are approximately 20,000 inhabitants in a small, densely-populated area containing houses built from reclaimed materials, meaning that they will not stand up to heavy weather. The nearest high land is 6km away. There are no fixed telecommunications.

We need to ensure the safety of the people in this area.

What should our immediate goals be? _____

What steps do we need to take to ensure these goals are achieved?
(Consider the resources required, the tasks to be carried out and how this fulfils the goals you have identified) _____



What steps do we need to take following this? (Consider the short, mid and long term assistance goals.) _____
