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Session Title	Session D5: Localising anticipation – Early action at "the last mile"
Date & Time	November 14th 2019, 11:00-12:30
Summary	<p>Significant progress has been made in building coherence and strengthening coordination at the global, national and regional level. However, if we really truly want to embed anticipatory action in the humanitarian system we need to ensure it reaches, and eventually is driven by, those at the so called "last mile"- disaster affected communities and the local actors who serve them. A recent study commissioned by Start Network found that there is still some way for early actors to go on this- particularly in terms of bringing the benefits of the advances in science and evidence to the ground level. Nonetheless, we have more and more examples of innovative and effective community based EWEA. So - what does what we've learned so far tell us about what we need to do next? Are we right in our assumptions about what the challenges and opportunities to localise anticipation? How do we make the last mile the first mile? Let's get our national colleagues together to tell us where they think we should be going and how!</p>
Objectives	<p>We need to do more to ensure that localisation and anticipation are inextricably and meaningfully linked. We will workshop the challenges and opportunities for this</p> <p>Actors on the ground are taking risks and steps, innovating and succeeding in driving community led EWEA- let's hear from them about how</p> <p>We will make commitments/agree to actions to ensure this in 2020 in our various organizations and initiatives such as the FTF</p>
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