

# NEPAL . RUKUM EAST

## NDPBA SUBNATIONAL PROFILE



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Area: 2,193 km<sup>2</sup>



#### **RISK AND VULNERABILITY** COMPONENT SCORE



MULTI-HAZARD RISK (MHR) -Moderate

Score: 0.539 • Rank: 38/77



**RESILIENCE (R) - Low** Score: 0.408 • Rank: 57/77



MULTI-HAZARD EXPOSURE (MHE) - Low Score: 0.432 • Rank: 57/77



VULNERABILITY (V) - High Score:0.584 • Rank: 17/77



**COPING CAPACITY (CC) - Low** Score: 0.400 • Rank: 46/77



Population (2021 Statistical Yearbook) **57,962** 



Infant Mortality Rate (per 1,000 live births) 34.2



Population below Poverty Line 26.3%



Population with Safe Drinking Water 74.0%



Adult Literacy 50.8%



**RANK: 57 / 77 DISTRICTS** SCORE: 0.432



Raw MHE 0.346

**Relative MHE** 0.519

#### **ESTIMATED EXPOSURE TO EACH HAZARD:**



**Earthquake** 100%

\$ 59,500 \$146.76 Million

**Critical Infrastructure Exposed:** 100%



#### **Extreme Heat** 0%

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**Critical Infrastructure Exposed:** 0%







**Critical Infrastructure Exposed:** 

Landslide 100% \$ 59,500

\$146.76 Million

**Critical Infrastructure Exposed:** 100%



Wildfire 38%

22,559 \$48.89 Million **Critical Infrastructure Exposed:** 33%

**Pluvial Flood** 



6%

**3**,784 \$5.21 Million **Critical Infrastructure Exposed:** 4%

NOTE: Population exposure values for Nepal districts are estimated using PDC's AIM model. Values may differ from Census population estimates.



## VULNERABILITY (V)

#### RANK: 17 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.584

RANK: 26/77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED

Vulnerability in Rukum East is primarily driven by Clean Water Access Vulnerability and Information Access Vulnerability. The bar charts indicate the socioeconomic themes contributing to the overall Vulnerability score.



#### Information Access Vulnerability 0 1 SCORE: 0.660 RANK: 21/77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED 50.8% 3.06 93.7 30.57 Primary Student Adult Literacy Mean Years of School Net Teacher Ratio Schooling Enrollment Access to Clean Water Vulnerability 1 SCORE: 0.712 RANK: 4/77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED 74.0% 65.4% 51.5% 259.0 87.7 Water Typhoid Cholera Access to Safe Households Schemes in Incidence (per Incidence (per Drinking Water without Toilet Disrepair 10,000) 100,000) Economic Constraints Ω 1 SCORE: 0.564 RANK: 25/77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED \$782 26.3% 5.8% 91.1 Income per Poverty Poverty Gap Age Capita (PPP \$) Dependency Headcount Ratio Ratio Food Insecurity SCORE: 0.605 RANK: 17/77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED 36.4% 32.0% 76.8% Agricultural Food Poverty Low kcal Insufficiency Prevalence Intake Rate Prevalence



## Gender Inequality

0.38 0.04 Female to Male Literacy Ratio (Distance from Parity) (Distance from Parity)

0.04 93.8% Female to Male Secondary Enrollment Ratio (Distance from Parity)

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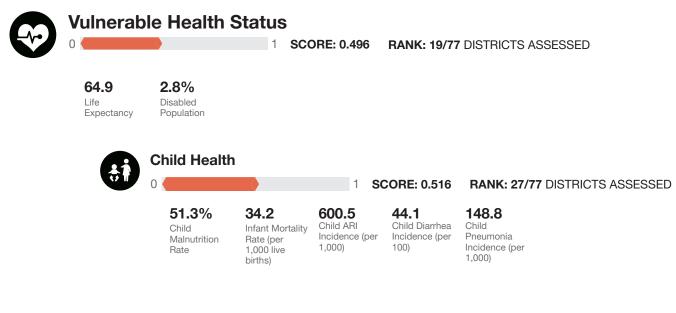
SCORE: 0.468

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RANK: 17 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.584

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#### DISTRICT PROFILE



## **COPING CAPACITY (CC)**

#### **RANK: 46 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED** SCORE: 0.400

Rukum East exhibits weaker Coping Capacity in the areas of Energy Capacity and Communications Capacity. The bar charts indicate the socioeconomic themes contributing to the overall Coping Capacity score.



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#### Governance

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Average Annual Conflict (per 10,000)	Government Management (Score out of 9)

5 Organization and Administration (Score out of 8)

Budget and Plan Management (Score out of 11)

6.25

SCORE: 0.626

7.75 Fiscal and Financial Management (Score out of 11)

9.75 Service Flow (Score out of 16)

RANK: 13/77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED

5.5 Judicial Work (Score out of 7)

7.5 Physical Infrastructure (Score out of 13)

5 Social Inclusion (Score out of 10)

4.83 2.17 Cooperation Environmental and Protection Coordination and Disaster (Score out Management of 6) (Score out



#### **Environmental Capacity**

of 9)

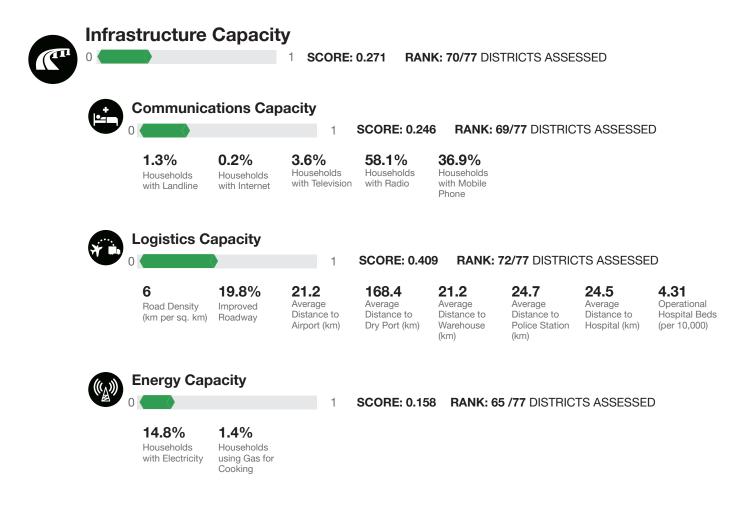
SCORE: 0.639 RANK: 17/77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED

40.5% Protected Area



RANK: 46 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.400

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## **RESILIENCE (R)**

RANK: 57 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.408

Rukum East's score and ranking are due to High Vulnerability combined with Low Coping Capacity scores.

Below are the four thematic areas with the weakest relative scores:









Clean Water Access Vulnerability

Information Access Vulnerability

Energy Capacity

Communications Capacity

#### **KEY FACTORS INFLUENCING RESILIENCE**



#### **Clean Water Access Vulnerability**

Those without easy or adequate access to water distribution and containment systems face significant demands on daily routines that effectively limit their response and recovery capacity and the ability to maintain livelihoods. Increasing access to improved water and sanitation improves health outcomes and frees up resources to decrease further susceptibility to impacts.



#### **Information Access Vulnerability**

Limitations in information access can impede a population's ability to receive, understand, and take action. Emergency messages must take into account the unique information access constraints of the district. Emergency messages presented to the population must contain clear and simple information to ensure an appropriate response to save lives and reduce losses.



## **Energy Capacity**

Homes, businesses, industry, and government all rely on access to energy resources for continuity of daily activities. Expanding, strengthening, and securing the energy network and increasing the availability and quantity of energy reserves will contribute to economic development and increase the speed of recovery processes in the aftermath of a disaster.



#### **Communications Capacity**

The density, diversity, resilience, and quality of communications infrastructure influence how subnational- and local-level populations are able to facilitate effective and coordinated communication.

HAZ	ARD-SPECIFIC	RISK (HSR)
	Earthquake	RANK: 39 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.381
	Extreme Heat	RANK: 61 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.000
	Fluvial Flood	RANK: 28 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.189
	Pluvial Flood	RANK: 46 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.144
MÈ	Landslide	RANK: 28 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.396
(A)	Wildfire	RANK: 25 / 77 DISTRICTS ASSESSED SCORE: 0.273



## **MULTI-HAZARD RISK (MHR)**

**38 / 77** RANK WITHIN DISTRICTS Score: 0.539

Rukum East's score and ranking are due to Low Multi-hazard Exposure combined with High Vulnerability and Low Coping Capacity scores.

Multi-hazard risk component scores compared to overall average country scores: Multi-Hazard Exposure 0.432 0.559 Vulnerability 0.584 0.463 Coping Capacity 0.400 0.436



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