



CARE RAPID GENDER ANALYSIS

Rapid Gender Analysis (RGA) provides information about the different needs, capacities and coping strategies of women, men, boys and girls in a crisis situation.

What is Rapid Gender Analysis?

Rapid Gender Analysis is available quickly to inform initially humanitarian response planning. Over time, more information is added to built up progressively to a complete Rapid Gender Analysis Report. Each report include practical recommendation about how to put the findings into action. Rapid Gender Analysis has been used all over the world by CARE: in countries in response to large-scale emergencies and as part of emergency preparedness.

CARE's Rapid Gender Analysis toolkit is available online with open access to the resources it contains. It includes guidance on how to do every step of a Rapid Gender Analysis. The tools can be adapted to suit each country's unique situation. In addition to the Guidance Notes, the RGA toolkit includes tools for primary data collection, secondary data review, analysing the data collected, and making recommendations. There is also a Report Template that should be used when drafting the RGA reports.



CARE Rapid Gender Analysis
[Region] – [Geographical coverage]

[Date of report] [version]
[Author's name]



*Report
template*



How does Rapid Gender Analysis work?

There are five steps to prepare a Rapid Gender Analysis:

1. Find

existing analysis and data on gender relations.



2. Collect

additional data through gender assessments.



3. Analyse

the results and compare to pre-crisis data.



4. Write

practical recommendations.



5. Share

with other actors.

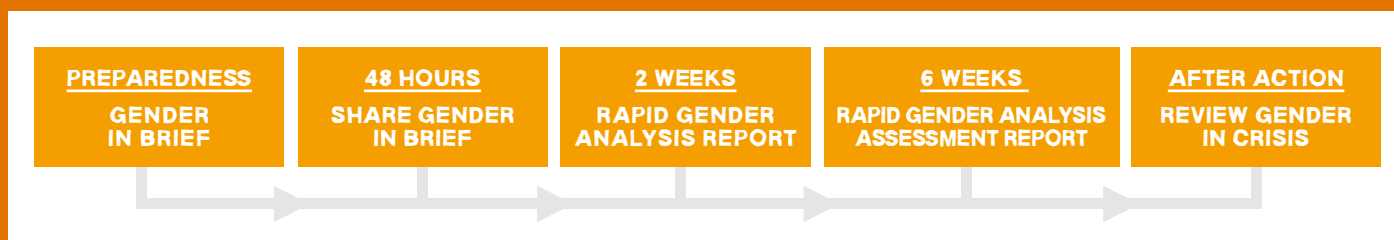


Who can use CARE's Rapid Gender Analysis?

The toolkit is primarily designed for gender specialists who want a step-by-step guide on how to prepare gender analysis during an emergency. It can also be used by generalists with an understanding of gender equality, humanitarian assessments and analysis. The toolkit is open-access and available for anyone to use who references CARE's work.

When to use RGA?

Below is an example of when to use your Rapid Gender Analysis:



Why use CARE's Rapid Gender Analysis?

- Gender analysis is the starting point for an humanitarian response that meets the different needs of women, men, boys and girls.
- CARE Rapid Gender Analysis toolkit is the first step-by-step guide to doing a gender analysis during an humanitarian crisis.
- It is designed to deliver gender analysis right from the very start of an humanitarian crisis and throughout the OCHA rapid-onset assessment phases.
- Information, data and analysis is added to the Rapid Gender Analysis as it becomes available.
- Recommendations in a Rapid Gender Analysis report are practical.
- The CARE Rapid Gender Analysis toolkit is publicly shared via the Creative Commons.

How to find out more?

<http://gender.care2share.wikispaces.net/CARE+Rapid+Gender+Analysis+Toolkit>



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