

Abstract

Title: Psychological reactions to different types of emergencies and disasters

Objectives: Develop a general overview of human behavior patterns of individuals and groups in unexpected situations.

Methods: In this work were used the methods of analysis and comparison. The analysis was applied to the analysing of different types of emergencies and disasters. By comparison were then compared patterns of different types of personalities among themselves, but also depending on the type of threat.

Results: It was found that the response to external stimuli are internal conditions, individual abilities, attitudes and temperament. A major role but also plays a readiness on the situation. If one knows the formula by which should the situation solve, increase the chance that threat or disaster can handle.

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