## The Regional Approach to Coordination of Multi-Hazards in 2020

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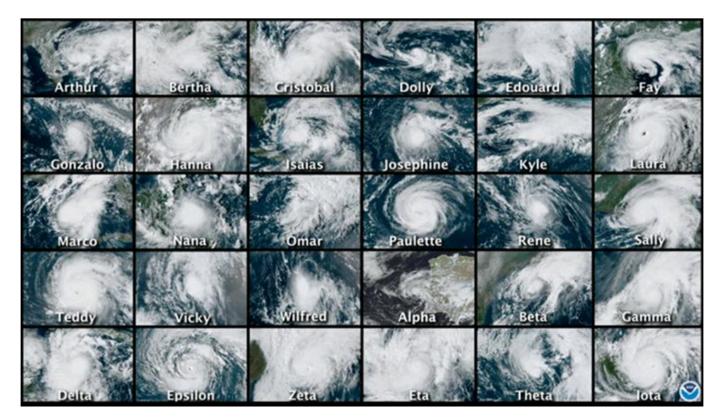


















## **Multi-Hazard Context**











The FSO Nabarima

#### The Effusive Eruption of the La Soufrière Volcano

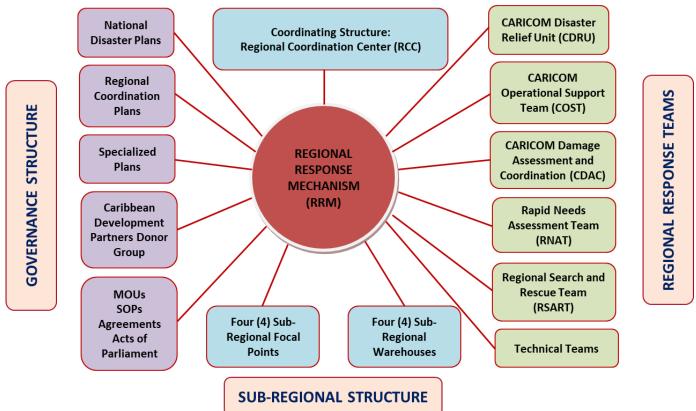








## Leverage Existing Mechanisms: Regional Response Mechanism (RRM)



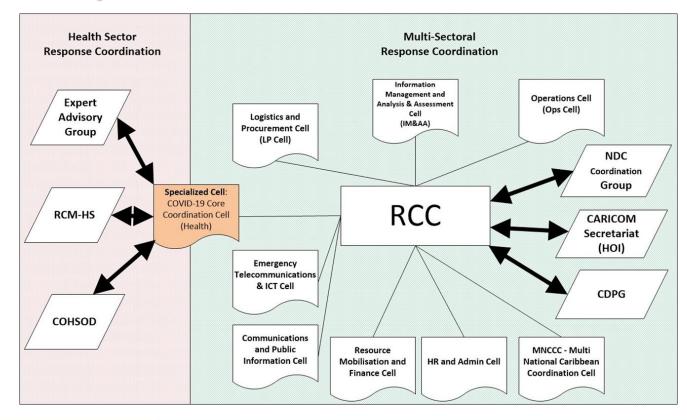








### Appropriate Governance Arrangements: Regional Response Mechanism Multi Sectoral Response Coordination for COVID-19









## Partnerships are essential ...







Resilient States · Safer Lives





Organization of

FCS





PAHO Pan American Health Organization World Health Organization







### Maximize Opportunities The Integrated Regional Logistics Hub















## It's about the people



- "COVID-19 has radically altered the socio-economic profile of our region, pushing thousands across the threshold of the marginal into the space of the vulnerable and increasing the demands on our already stretched social protection systems following hazard impacts"
- Factor in human behaviour







# Resilience



The Caribbean Resilience Framework (2018)

Pillar 1: Social Protection for the Marginal and Most Vulnerable

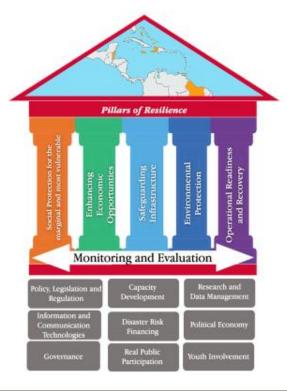
Pillar 2: Enhancing Economic Opportunity

Pillar 3: Safeguarding Infrastructure

Pillar 4: Environmental Protection

Pillar 5: Operational Readiness and Recovery

Nine (9) areas which cover the enabling environment











## **Moving Forward**

# Stronger partnerships & coordination

# Further update plans – multi-hazard context

Joint simulations, testing and exercises









### Questions







