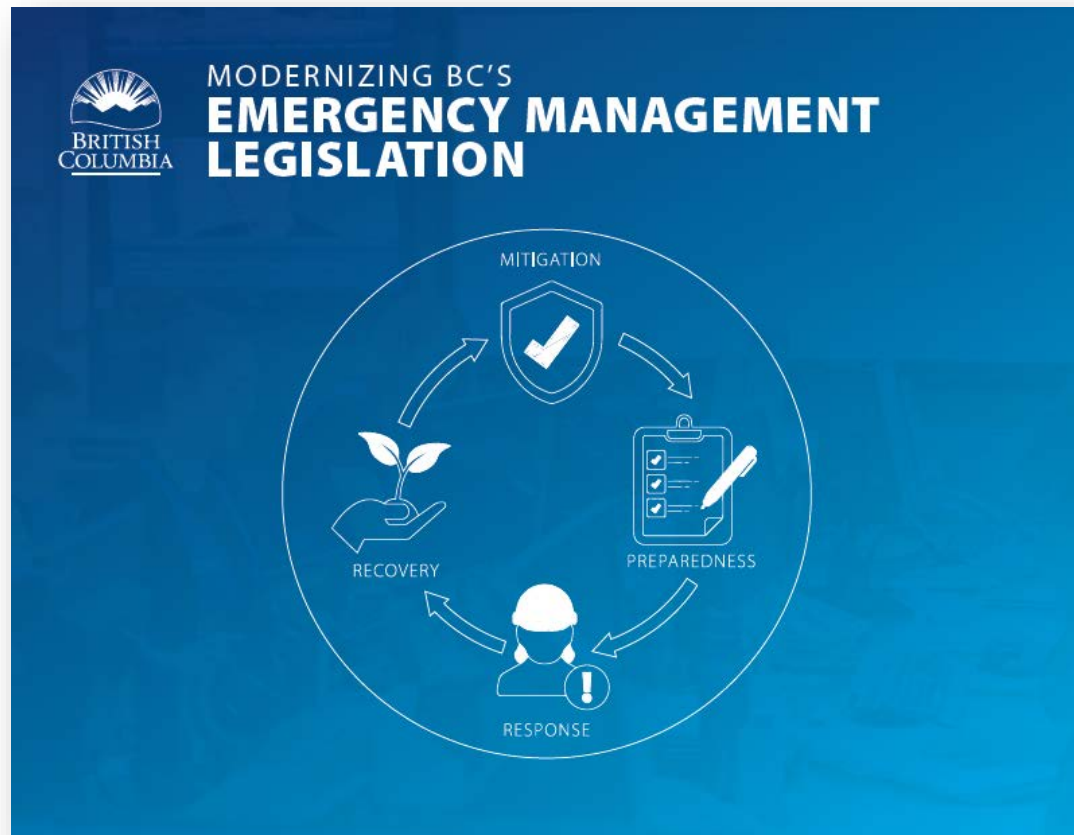


# Sendai Framework and Modernizing Emergency Management Legislation – CVEP Technical Summary



# Implementing Sendai Begins with Legislation



- Current
  - *Emergency Program Management (EPA)*  
Dates from 1993
  - Focuses on preparing and implementing plans, States of Emergency & response only

Potential changes to also:

- Local Authority Emergency Management
- Compensation & Disaster Financial Assistance

# Next Steps

- ✓ **October 28, 2019**  
Discussion paper released
- ✓ Engage with all levels of government, Indigenous Nations, industry and the public

**January 31, 2020**

Comment period ends

**Spring 2020**

“What We Heard” report released

**\*Additional input for local Governments\***

**Fall 2020**

Legislation introduced

**Spring 2021**

Regulations, policy, guidelines, templates, tools and education

**Spring 2021**

Act in force. Phased implementation

# CVEP Technical Submission - Concerns

- beyond the typical function of the current emergency management services
- specific requirements/legislation not clearly defined to determine any operational & financial impacts to local governments
- emergencies and disasters have no boundary, important we work regionally
- 4 pillars – more focus on mitigation will \$ come?
- build back better– will there be \$ & ministry collaboration to achieve?
- addressing economic, psycho-social impacts

# Questions

Recommendation to submit a letter outlining process concerns and lack of clarity

Share technical summary with UBCM & Mid-Island Emergency Coordinators & Managers

