Judging Criteria EMPA Awards for Excellence in Emergency Communications Readiness and Resilience



Readiness and Resilience

Situation analysis,	Background for the campaign or program:
background and research	
(10 marks)	 Any research undertaken to inform the strategy
	Any other relevant context-related information
Objectives	What were you trying to achieve with the campaign or program?
(5 marks)	O What did you want people to think, feel, or do as a result?
	 How did your goals align to the strategic objectives of your organisation?
Stakeholders and target audience(s)	Demonstrate a depth of understanding of your stakeholders and target audience(s) for this campaign.
(15 marks)	 How diverse were they? Did you have any segments with special needs and/or vulnerable groups?
	 What did you know about their behaviour, level of knowledge and awareness, and preferred methods of receiving information?
Strategies	What strategies did you use to achieve your objectives and why?
(10 marks)	What were the central creative ideas that guided the strategies?
Channels and messaging	Outline what channels were used and why?
(30 marks)	Explain the messaging and the rationale for its development
	In what ways, if any, did your choice of channels and messaging
	evolve throughout your campaign?
Evaluation and results	Outline the evaluation methods used.
(10 marks)	What were your results against your objectives?
	If any objectives weren't met, explain why you think that happened.
EMPA Principles (20 marks)	The work of EMPA is guided by seven key principles which are outlined below. Choose as many as are relevant to your entry and write a short paragraph for each which explains how your entry upholds that principle. A comprehensive downloadable guide to the EMPA Principles can be found at https://www.empa.org.au/our-objectives