

What are the risks to people with disabilities (PwD)?	Organisational mitigation measures to prevent harm
<p>1. PwD are more likely to live in poverty and so need to engage with aid organisations. Organisations that work with people with disabilities may be targeted by perpetrators precisely because they are less likely to speak up or be understood.</p>	
<p>2. People with disabilities are seen as 'less valuable' in society and so they are marginalised and less cared for.</p>	
<p>3. It may be more difficult for PwD to speak up due to communication limitations or having different ways of communicating.</p>	
<p>4. Overcoming the resistance of people with disabilities who may be less able to defend themselves from abuse.</p>	
<p>5. Lack of access to information about safeguarding because they are not included or the information is not accessible in a format that they understand.</p>	
<p>6. PwDs are more reliant on others for personal care.</p>	