

# Review of: "Toward a comprehensive behavioral model of hurricane preparedness: The Protective Behavior Model"

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Dear Authors,

Thank you very much for inviting us to evaluate your article.

The work presents a relevant and current theme with contributions in several areas of knowledge.

This is an interesting theoretical proposal.

However, it is important to seek theoretical and empirical validation of the proposed model. For that, it is suggested:

a) clearly propose the framework, with the dimensions, items, various and constructs; based on current benchmarks;

a.1 a meta-analysis would be recommended;

b) there is a lack of clear justification, with references, about the variables that make up the Model;

c) The relationships between the structures that make up the Model need to be fully explained;

d) Make a methodological proposal on the empirical validation process of the Model.

Without further ado, success in continuing the research.