

Review of: "An approach to the background, methods and challenges of research in disasters"

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Thank you for inviting me to review this article, which I enjoyed reading. The article is an interesting approach to exploring the epidemiological methods in disasters. The authors have correctly identified that disasters are multifaceted and dynamic. Conducting a robust inquiry of the conceptual landscape of disasters and how they are studied is a valid contribution to the developing knowledge base of this phenomena. More detail about the methods that was used for this article would be welcomed; namely, the rationales for the selective (purposeful) review of literature. The findings presented in Table 1 strengthen the clarity of the findings. Overall, a thought-provoking article that is worthy of publication.