

Preventive strengthening in house reconstruction, Viet Nam

Post Typhoon Xangsane (2006) & Ketsana (2009) reconstruction in central Viet Nam



"Now my house resists storms"

Families build safer houses against typhoon and flood damage



Each house individually designed around family needs and resources



Key principles of safe construction integrate local customs and materials



Support from trained 'safe construction' builders



'Avoid Typhoon Damage' awareness reduces vulnerability



Local government backing



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