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People with disabilities are disproportionately affected by disaster and conflict,

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and humanitarian aid workers often lack the proper tools

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to ensure relief and recovery work is inclusive of everyone.

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For example, early warning information, emergency shelter, health services,

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and distribution of essential items like food and water may all be inaccessible.

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The Humanitarian Hands-on Tool, known as HHoT, is designed to fill this gap

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by providing aid workers in the field with clear, practical and detailed instructions.

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Not only will this make their work more accessible to people with disabilities,

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but will include other often-marginalised groups such as older people – and will exclude no one.

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HHoT can be downloaded to any mobile device and is easy to use.

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It offers simple one-page guidelines for all issues relevant to the design and implementation of emergency response.

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Topics are broken down into 'task cards', each describing common tasks or processes and how to make them inclusive.

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You can either browse these cards or search for specific keywords to get a list of suggested reading.

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You can also share, print or save your cards as favourites.

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Are you working in an area with poor internet connection? Don't worry.

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Once downloaded, all the information in the app is available offline.

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With its detailed step-by-step guides, HHoT is an essential resource for all agencies

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that realise the importance of leaving no one behind.

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And your input is welcome to ensure the app content grows in the most effective way possible.

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Download HHoT from the App Store or Google Play, or access the information on your computer.

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And share to spread the word!