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## Understanding the digital supply chain and its stakes for humanitarian actors

Video:

### 3.1.3 scenario1 - Unintended Impact - intro by Iona

Concepts (extracted from automatically generated subtitles):

**Cases. Digital tools. Fast-moving contexts. Dysfunction. Rapid action. Potential unintended threats. Misuse. Positive change. Organisations. Quality digital tools. Issues. Choice. Attempt. Unforeseen consequences. Harm.**



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<https://www.epfl.ch/education/educational-initiatives/cede/educational-technologies-gallery/boocs-en/>

# STAKES FOR PEOPLE IN HUMANITARIANS CRISES

## Scenario 1 Unintended impact

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# Stakes for People in Humanitarian Crisis



## Scenario 1

Unintended impact – Lack of contextual consideration and the wider potential impacts of a tool.

Organisations can create potential unintended threats just through the choice to use digital tools.

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# Stakes for People in Humanitarian Crisis



## Scenario 1

Unintended impact – Lack of contextual consideration and the wider potential impacts of a tool.

In some cases, this might be due to dysfunction or misuse but in other cases even when quality digital tools are technically working well, unexpected or unforeseen consequences can arise which could potentially cause harm.

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Often these could have potentially been mitigated or foreseen but the need for rapid action in fast-moving contexts can mean issues are unintentionally overlooked in an attempt to bring positive change quickly and decisively.

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