

# PREPAREDNESS OF THE COMMUNITY TO FACE THE ERUPTION OF MERAPI THROUGH THE POSTER MEDIA

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## SUMMARY

**Background;** *Indonesia has a record of high disaster incidence. Disaster events in Indonesia are caused by the geographical location of Indonesia which lies between the active plates of the ocean which causes various parts of Indonesia to be prone to volcanic eruptions. Volcano which is known as an active volcano in Indonesia is a volcano located in the Special Region of Yogyakarta and Central Java. Volcanic eruptions always show lava flows and produce pyroclastic materials, hot clouds, followed by cold lava. The impact of the erupting volcano is a mental psychological impact, loss of property and casualties. One way to minimize the impact of the eruption of Mount Merapi is to do preparedness before the eruption of Mount Merapi. Preparedness efforts are given to the community by using education through poster media. **Destination;** Helping the community to increase their knowledge to know how to prepare themselves before the eruption of Mount Merapi. **Method;** Make use of the Adobe Illustrator application to create an image design layout on the poster. **Result;** This final project is a media poster "tricks to deal with the eruption of Merapi". **Conclusion;** Poster media is useful for the public and the general public to increase knowledge of preparedness before the eruption of Mount Merapi so that it can minimize the loss of property and casualties.*

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