

**DESCRIPTION OF THE LEVEL OF KNOWLEDGE AND ATTITUDES  
OF THE COMMUNITY IN DEALING WITH LANDSLIDES  
IN SAMIRAN SELO VILLAGE**

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**ABSTRACT**

**Background:** Landslides are natural disasters that significantly impact human safety, infrastructure damage, and community livelihoods. In 2023, there were 30,704 deaths and 185 million people affected worldwide. Central Java ranked second with 233 recorded landslide incidents in 2023. Samiran Village, located in Selo District, Boyolali Regency, is a landslide-prone area with increasing incidents, yet no prior research has examined the community's knowledge and attitudes toward landslide disasters. **Objective:** To describe the level of knowledge and attitudes of the community in facing landslide disasters in Samiran Village, Selo. **Method:** This descriptive study used a cluster random sampling technique involving 90 respondents. The instruments used were knowledge and attitude questionnaires. **Result:** The result showed that 51 respondents (56.7%) had good knowledge, 28 respondents (31.1%) had moderate knowledge, and 11 respondents (12.2%) had poor knowledge. Regarding attitudes, 67 respondents (74.4%) had good attitudes, 16 respondents (17.8%) moderate, and 7 respondents (7.8%) poor. **Conclusion:** The level of knowledge and attitudes of the community in facing landslide disasters in Samiran Village, Selo is generally good.

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