SEWIN
(Scaling up Early Warning Systems in Nepal)
Early Warning: Saving Lives

“IF Early Warning System (EWS) were there, we would not have suffered losses in the past” – Jagadish Prasad Yadav, Himla, Banke (Kantipur National Daily, 20 August 2006)

SEWIN is a project that works with poor, marginalized, and vulnerable communities to help establish their rights and improve their living conditions by promoting indigenous knowledge and practices, rights-based advocacy, community empowerment, and promotion of sustainable livelihoods.

SEWIN’s core activities include:
1. Implementation of early warning systems in the identification of flood-prone areas and communities
2. Promotion of indigenous knowledge and practices
3. Empowerment of communities through capacity building in early warning and response

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