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80% of hungry people live in disaster-prone and degraded areas.

**Immediate Effects**
- Loss of lives and livelihoods.
- Destruction of homes, land, livestock, crops and essential food supplies.

**Desperate Measures**
- Children are taken out of school, people eat less and productive assets, such as tools and cattle, are sold.

**Long-term Impacts**
- Reduced dietary diversity and overall food consumption.
- Increased stunting and wasting rates in children.

**Another Disaster Strikes**
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**WFP Disaster Risk Reduction**
- Emergency preparedness, response and recovery
- Building resilience and protecting the most vulnerable
- Support to safety nets and social protection
- Food security analysis and monitoring, and early warning
- Capacity development and South-South Cooperation

**In 2014, WFP assisted...**
- 11.5 million people affected by storms
- 27.7 million people affected by floods
- 24.7 million people affected by drought
- 5.8 million people affected by earthquakes