Poor water provision drives Taliban recruitment in Afghanistan

Contextual Model

- **Climate Change**
  - More Frequent / Intense Extreme Weather Events

- **Social and Economic Drivers**
  - Dysfunctional Resource Management
  - Inadequate Infrastructure
  - Low Level of Economic Development
  - Weak Institutions

- **Environmental Change**
  - Increased Water Scarcity

- **Intermediary Mechanisms**
  - Change in Access / Availability of Natural Resources
  - Crime / Violence / Extremism
  - Livelihood Insecurity

- **Fragility and Conflict Risks**
  - Weakened State
  - Reduced State Capacity and/or Legitimacy

- **Context Factors**
  - Water
  - History of Conflict
  - Lack of Alternative Livelihoods
  - Weak Institutions