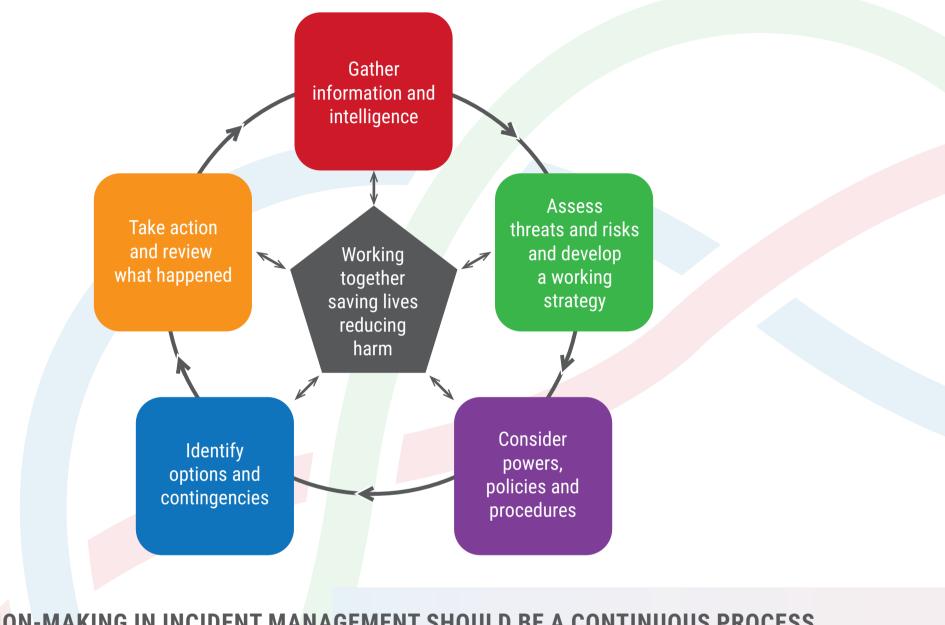


## **JOINT DECISION MODEL**

The **Joint Decision Model** (JDM) will help commanders bring together available information, reconcile objectives and then make effective decisions together.



DECISION-MAKING IN INCIDENT MANAGEMENT SHOULD BE A CONTINUOUS PROCESS THAT FOLLOWS A GENERAL PATTERN OF:

- Working out what is going on (situation)
- Establishing what your objectives are and what you need to achieve (direction)
- Deciding what to do about it (action), all informed by a statement and understanding of overarching values and purpose, including which organisations are required

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