






6.Social Security


Occupational and Environmental Health Management for Sustainable Development 持続可能な発展のための職業環境保健マネジメント		GROUP  0880005
		Social Security—Labour and Employment
		7 participants / English
OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP	
<p>This program is designed to provide participants with the basic concepts and fundamental knowledge of occupational health, to enable them to organize and conduct research planning, management and administration in order to prevent occupational diseases and promote the health conditions of workers in their respective countries.</p> <p>To reach this objective, participants are expected to achieve the following:</p> <p>(1) To obtain knowledge of the principles and core techniques of occupational and environmental health related to medical sciences, public health and other related disciplines</p> <p>(2) To recognize the environment, from the occupational to global level in the same vector and to obtain the skill and knowledge required to create a comfortable environment on each level</p> <p>(3) To develop the ability to evaluate and propose interaction between corporations' general activities and occupational health from the viewpoint of management, labor and services</p> <p>(4) To obtain knowledge on issues regarding corporations' social responsibilities and improve the abilities to cooperate with other actors of each social stratum in dealing with such issues</p>	<p>The program targets those engaged in occupational and environmental health as members of the following groups:</p> <p>(1) Occupational health physicians, occupational health nurses, industrial hygienists/environment management experts, industrial counsellors, academicians/researchers in related fields</p> <p>(2) Administrative officials at national or regional levels (including inspectors)</p> <p>(3) Personnel in charge of occupational health, staff engaged in occupational health at labor unions (their representative bodies), employers associations (their representative bodies), and NGOs</p>	
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Aug.4.2008~Dec.6.2008
<p>The training program consists of the following five main components:</p> <p>(1) Lectures and exercises on occupational health (2) Field trips (3) Elective programs (4) Program on data management and computer skills (5) Presentation of country reports and formulation of an Action Plan (AP). Further, depending on the situation each year, real-time video-conferencing with overseas colleagues will be scheduled.</p> <p>Lecturers and exercises will cover the following major subjects:</p> <p>(1) General principles of occupational and environmental health (2) Epidemiology (3) Occupational safety and health administration (4) Occupational cancer (5) Occupational disorders and their prevention (6) Mental health (7) Occupational physiological sciences (8) Occupational health services (9) Management of workers' health (10) Occupational toxicology (11) Work conditions and ergonomics (12) Evaluation and control of hazardous materials in work environments (13) Industrial ecology and global environment (14) Data management/analysis with computers</p>	IMPLEMENTING PARTNER	University of Occupational and Environmental Health (UOEH)
	JICA CENTER	JICA Kyushu
	COOPERATION PERIOD	2005~2009
	REMARKS	

Prosthetic and Orthotic Technique 補装具製作技術		GROUP  0880321
		Social Security—Support for Persons with Disabilities Health—Health System
		4 participants / English
OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP	
<p>The purpose of the program is to provide opportunities for healthcare professionals, including prosthetic and orthotic technicians, to acquire knowledge and techniques in manufacturing prostheses and/or orthoses through lectures, practicum, and field tours.</p> <p>The applicants will learn about the high level manufacturing of prosthetics and orthotics and will become leaders in their home country, contributing to the expansion of technologies and knowledge related to prosthetics and orthotics.</p>	<p>(1) Individuals with 10 to 20 years experience in the field of lower extremity prostheses,</p> <p>(2) Individuals going to be involved in the manufacture and education of prostheses and orthoses in applicant's respective countries upon completion of the course,</p> <p>(3) Individuals with a command of spoken and written English to understand the medical and biomechanical aspects of prosthetics and orthotics,</p> <p>(4) Individuals under forty-five (45) years of age,</p>	
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Sep. 2. 2008~Dec. 5. 2008
<p><Preparatory phase:></p> <p>Participants in this program are required to read certain assigned books or materials related to prostheses and orthoses before coming to Japan. The assignment will be informed in July 2007.</p> <p><Program in Japan></p> <p>(1) Lectures on (a) Anatomy, amputation and rehabilitation of lower extremities, (b) Outline of lower extremity prosthesis, (c) The clinical use of lower extremity prosthesis, and</p> <p>(2) Practicum on lower extremity prosthesis such as (a) Below knee prosthesis (BK): From casting to temporary fitting of PTB and TSB and fabricate one of them to finishing, (b) Above knee prosthesis (AK): Fabrication of IRC (Ischial-Ramal-Containment Socket).</p> <p><Post-program activities:></p> <p>To disseminate the knowledge and techniques to the people concerned, for whom support is requested, and then send a report to JICA after 6months and 1 year.</p>	IMPLEMENTING PARTNER	National Rehabilitation Center for Persons with Disabilities
	JICA CENTER	JICA Tokyo
	COOPERATION PERIOD	2006~2010
	REMARKS	Including Japanese Language Course (50 hours)

Study Programme for the Senior Social Welfare Administrators 高級事務レベル社会福祉行政研修		GROUP 	0880907
		Social Security—Social Insurance/Social Welfare Health—Health System 5 participants / English	
OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP		
<p>Through introduction to the current situation and the experiences of Japan's social welfare administration, this program seeks to enhance the capabilities of senior administrative officers in charge of social welfare administration in ASEAN and other countries and thereby improve the social welfare standard, and deepen the mutual understanding and friendly relations between Japan, ASEAN and other countries.</p> <p>The overall goal of this program is to encourage human resources development in the field of social welfare administration and improvement of social welfare services in their respective countries.</p> <p>To reach this objective, participants will:</p> <p>(1) Specify issues and challenges by acquiring knowledge and information from Japan's experiences of social welfare policies and experiences of participating countries in the country reports presentation</p> <p>(2) Make a draft to improve the social welfare system and also to enhance the social welfare services in their respective countries</p>	<p>Senior administrative officers (Directors or Deputy Directors) who are engaged in the planning or administration of social welfare services and with adequate knowledge on the overall aspects in the social welfare services.</p> <p>Targeted persons are:</p> <p>(1) Governmental administrators in charge of the planning and management of social welfare services,</p> <p>(2) Individuals not less than 30 and no more than 50 years of age</p>		
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Jul.6.2008～Aug.2.2008	
<p>(1) Introduction of the Japanese social welfare system</p> <p>(2) Overview of the laws or related services of social welfare in Japan</p> <p>(3) Observation of the related organizations</p> <p>(4) Measures taken by local governments</p> <p>(5) Presentation and discussion of the Country Report</p> <p>(6) Formulation of an Improvement Plan</p>	IMPLEMENTING PARTNER	Japan International Corporation of Welfare Services (JICWELS)	
	JICA CENTER	JICA Tokyo	
	COOPERATION PERIOD	2007～2009	
	REMARKS		

Study Programme for the Senior Social Insurance Administrators 高級事務レベル社会保険行政研修		GROUP 	0880912
		Social Security—Social Insurance/Social Welfare 8 participants / English	
OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP		
<p>This programme will introduce the information and experiences attained in Japanese social insurance services, and encourage the active exchange of information, based on the experiences of each of the participants as well.</p> <p>To reach this objective, participants will:</p> <p>(1) Specify issues and challenges by acquiring knowledge and information from Japan's experiences of social security policies and experiences of the participating countries in the country reports presentation;</p> <p>(2) Make a draft to improve or enhance social security in their respective countries</p>	<p>Senior administrative officers (Directors or Deputy Directors) who are engaged in the planning or administration of social insurance services and who have adequate knowledge of the overall aspects in the social insurance services. The targeted persons are:</p> <p>(1) Governmental administrators in charge of the planning and management of social security systems,</p> <p>(2) Individuals not less than 30 and no more than 50 years of age</p>		
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Oct.13.2008～Nov.1.2008	
<p>The programme consists of two different courses; a Medical Insurance Course and Pension Course.</p> <p>(1) Introduction of a social security system, aging society, the structural reform of social security and the long-term care insurance system (common curriculum)</p> <p>(2) <For the Medical Insurance course></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Outline of the Medical Care Delivery and the Medical Insurance System - Reimbursement System of Medical Fees - Study Visit to Social Insurance Medical Fee Payment Fund - Trends in Medical Care Expenditure <p>(3) <For the Pension course></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Structure and management of the Pension System in Japan - Actuarial Affairs of the Pension System - Clerical Operation of the Pension Schemes - Corporate Pension / National Pension Fund <p>(4) Formulation of an Improvement Plan</p>	IMPLEMENTING PARTNER	Japan International Corporation of Welfare Services (JICWELS)	
	JICA CENTER	JICA Tokyo	
	COOPERATION PERIOD	2007～2009	
	REMARKS		

Promotion of Social Participation of Persons with Disabilities through Sports 障害者スポーツを通じた社会参加		GROUP  0880958
Social Security—Support for Persons with Disabilities		11 participants / English
OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP	
<p>The social participation of persons with disabilities (PWDs) is promoted in respective participating countries by stimulating sports activities in own organization. To reach the objective, participants are expected to achieve the following results:</p> <p>(1) To understand roles of sports to increase the opportunities for social participation of PWDs</p> <p>(2) Through comparing the present situation of the participant's own country and Japan, clarify problems, issues and objectives in promotion of sports of PWDs in respective countries</p> <p>(3) Make a realistic action plan for expanding opportunities for social participation of PWDs through sports.</p>	<p>Organizations in the sector of sports of persons with disabilities (PWDs) or organizations in the sector of sports which is working to contribute to promoting the social participation of PWDs (1) Managers or officers in the management sector with a past career of more than five years of a spot organization for PWDs, or (2) Managers or officers in the management sector with a past career of more than five years of an organization to promote sport activities in the community, (3) To add to meeting either one of the above mentioned requirements, and should be expected to contribute to the promotion of social participation of PWDs. (4) The applicants should be aged under 50 and have a good command of spoken and written English.</p>	
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Sep.15.2008～Nov.01.2008
<p><Preparatory Phase> Development of an Inception Report, describing the general situation of sports of persons with disabilities (PWDs) in the country, presenting jobs in own organization, analysis of the problems in the field of sports of PWDs and expected outputs through the program in Japan.</p> <p><Program in Japan></p> <p>Development of an action plan, describing the realistic way of applying the acquired knowledge and experience through training in Japan to promote the social participation of PWDs through sports in own country.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Lecture and Discussion: Current surroundings of Persons with Disabilities (PWDs) in Japan and participating countries, Social Participation of PWDs, Sports of PWDs etc. •Practice: Teaching methodology and Instructing Points of Sports Designed for PWDs •Observation: Organization and Management of Sports Meetings (International, National and local levels) 	IMPLEMENTING PARTNER	Tokyo Sports Association for the Disabled
	JICA CENTER	JICA Tokyo
	COOPERATION PERIOD	2005～2009
	REMARKS	<p>Applicants with disabilities should be able to participate in all the practice session of sports activities.</p> <p>*Applicants should be capable of self-care of their physical and mental condition. *Trainers and instructors will be prioritized lower than other applicants.</p>

Mainstreaming and Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities in Africa アフリカ地域障害者の地位向上		R/F  0884050
Social Security—Support for Persons with Disabilities		6 participants / English
Target Countries : Africa		
OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP	
<p>1. To build the capacity of the DPOs in the Southern Africa Federation of the Disabled (SAFOD) countries and other parts of Africa in order to promote the African Decade of Disabled Persons, and</p> <p>2. To increase and strengthen the disability movement network in the overall African Region.</p>	<p>【Target Organizations】 Disabled Persons' Organizations</p> <p>【Target Group】 Leaders of national DPOs actively involved in the mainstreaming and empowerment of people with disabilities. Non-Disabled Persons and Government Officers are considered ineligible. Individuals under the age of fifty (50).</p>	
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Aug.17.2008～Sep.12.2008
<p>1. Global situation of PWDs</p> <p>2. Disability policies and movement in Japan</p> <p>3. UN mechanism and conventions</p> <p>4. Community living and IL movement</p> <p>5. Peer counseling</p> <p>6. Cross-disability concept</p> <p>7. Inception report presentation</p> <p>8. Leadership workshop</p> <p>9. Preparation of an action plan</p> <p>10. Field study (including accessibility check in town)</p> <p>11. Submission of the final Action Plan to JICA</p> <p>12. Others</p>	IMPLEMENTING PARTNER	Japan National Assembly of Disabled Peoples' International (DPI-Japan)
	JICA CENTER	JICA Tokyo
	COOPERATION PERIOD	2007～2009
	REMARKS	<p>The course consists of a 3-week program in Japan and a 1-week program in Thailand.</p>

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<p>The participants are expected to achieve the following outputs to contribute to the empowerment activities of deaf persons, such as increase in self-support and promotion of the social participation of the deaf persons as leaders of deaf organizations/community.</p> <p>Outcome: Action plan to improve issues of deaf persons or deaf organizations will be approved in participating organization.</p> <p>Output 1: Participants will acquire communication skill by International Sign Language.</p> <p>Output 2: Participants will be able to explain about sign language interpretation system in Japan</p> <p>Output 3: Participants will be able to analyze present situation and issues of deaf people and deaf organizations in their own countries</p> <p>Output 4: Draft of action plan to improve issues of deaf persons or deaf organizations will be formulated</p> <p>Output 5: Action plan to improve issues of deaf persons or deaf organizations will be considered by participating organization</p>	<p>(1) Deaf persons who use sign language to communicate, (2) Individuals with past experience or future prospects of leadership in the deaf community, (3) Individuals proficient in the sign language of their country and with a reasonable reading knowledge of English, (4) Individuals between twenty-five (25) and forty-five (45) years of age</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">CONTENTS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PROGRAM PERIOD</p>	<p>Oct.8.2008～Nov.23.2008</p>
<p>(1) Communication basics: Confirming communication (International sign), Japanese sign language (2) Organizations for deaf persons: Organization of the Japanese, Federation of the Deaf, National Congress of Deaf Youth, Standardization of sign language, U.N. Convention on the Promotion and Protection of the Rights and Dignity of Persons with Disabilities, Editing and activities by official publications, Activities of the World Federation of the Deaf Regional Secretariat in Asia/Pacific (WFD RSA/P), Working to establish standardized sign language, Board meeting of the city's Association for the Deaf, Issues in participants' countries and efforts to resolve them (3) Status of education, employment and welfare of deaf persons: A. Welfare facilities, Current status of welfare for the hearing-impaired in Japan, B. Welfare services for persons with multiple handicaps, C. Daily living by deaf persons (independent living), D. Deaf persons and employment, E. Deaf persons and education (4) Other: Observations, Sign language circle activities, How to Use PowerPoint</p>	<p>IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p>	<p>JAPANESE FEDERATION OF THE DEAF</p>
	<p>JICA CENTER</p>	<p>JICA Osaka</p>
	<p>COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	<p>2005～2009</p>
	<p>REMARKS</p>	<p>If two or more candidates from the same country who satisfy the above prerequisites, giving priority to those belonging to WFD (World Federation of the Deaf) member organizations.</p>

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<p>Outcome: Capacity of working environment control of the participants' organizations will be improved through dissemination program which will be implemented by participants after their going back.</p> <p>Output After the completion of the training in Japan participants will be able to (1)explain measures for chemical and physical hazard control in working place used in Japan (2)clarify Issues in participants' organizations (3)make a plan of dissemination program to improve capacity of chemical and physical hazard control in their organization International Office, Industrial Safety and Health Department, Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare</p>	<p>1) University graduates of a science or engineering faculty or with an equivalent qualification (preferably in chemistry or a related subject.) 2) Officials or technicians employed at health and safety and government related institutions involved in: 1. Occupational disease prevention 2. Toxic substance measurement 3. Promotion and guidance for an improved work environment</p>	
<p>CONTENTS</p>	<p>PROGRAM PERIOD</p>	<p>May.26.2008~Aug.2.2008</p>
<p>The following major subjects will be covered in the program: (1) Japan's Occupational Health & Safety System/Laws and Regulations, Labour Standards Inspection System, Worker's Compensation (2) Occupational Health Overview: History of Occupational Disease & Countermeasures Therefore in Japan (3) Working Environment Measurement/Control of Toxic Substance Exposure/Biological Monitoring (4) On-site Improvement of Work Environments (including Stepped participatory approach to low-cost improvement) (5) Practice On-site at Plants (6) Comprehensive Risk Management (7) Training Evaluation & Measurement of Effects Participants should be kindly required to bring country reports contained on CD-ROM, and are also required to bring photographs and statistics of workplaces supposed to have serious problems in your country (to facilitate brainstorming among the participants to further improvement the environment in the workplace.)</p>	<p>IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p>	<p>JAPAN INDUSTRIAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ASSOCIATION</p>
	<p>JICA CENTER</p>	<p>JICA Osaka</p>
	<p>COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	<p>2006~2010</p>
	<p>REMARKS</p>	<p>As you will be aware in the section [Essential Facts] in the General Information section, we are trying to introduce a follow-up system for ex-participants to be able to monitor their achievements. In detail, we have a session to discuss during the first week of the technical training (programme).</p>

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<p>【Objectives】 The government staff in developing countries will be able to draft technical standards on occupational safety and health in construction industry, and enforce these standards.</p> <p>【Outputs】 I. By the end of the course in Japan: (1)① To be able to explain current situation and issues on occupational safety and health of construction industry in participant's own country. (2)② To be able to explain a summary of laws, regulations, technical standards and guidelines on occupational safety and health applicable to construction industry. (3)③ To be able to explain voluntary activity on occupational safety and health at construction site (4)④ To be able to advise employers and workers on safe work and emergency preparedness. (5) Interim report(Action Plan), which is aimed at disseminating the process and approach of occupational safety and health, is supposed to be presented by participants. Additionally, each Action Plan is evaluated by the checksheet which would confirm the quality of Action Plan</p> <p>II. After returning to their home country: After the Core Phase in Japan, Participants are expected to hold a seminar which aims to disseminate the process and approach of occupational safety and health based on the Action Plan .</p>	<p>【Target Organizations】 The government authority in charge of occupational safety and health in developing countries 【Target Group】</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">CONTENTS</p>	<p>PROGRAM PERIOD</p>	<p>Aug.12.2008～Sep.20.2008</p>
<p>(In Japan) (1) •Preparation and presentation of country report •Lecture on occupational safety and health administration •Lecture on workers' accident compensation scheme •Lecture on zero accident strategy of construction industry in Japan (2) •Lecture on overall management for intermingled workers •Lecture on safety of scaffolding, machinery and equipment •Lecture on training and license system •Lecture on asbestos safety at demolition work •Lecture on system of plans notification to the authority (3) •Lecture and practice on Hazard Prediction Training(KYT) •Lecture on Safety Construction Cycle •Lecture and exercise on risk assessment •Lecture on occupational safety and health management system(OSHMS) (4) •Lecture and practice on personal protective equipment(PPE) •Practice on first aid •Practice on emergency preparedness at tunnel construction •Construction site visit •Case study of occupational accident (5) •Preparation and presentation of action plan</p> <p><Post-program activities (After participants' return)> Within 6 months of the end of the course in Japan, participants are expected to implement the plan proposed in the Action Plan and report the progress as a final report.</p>	<p>IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p>	<p>Japan Construction Safety and Health Association</p>
	<p>JICA CENTER</p>	<p>JICA Tokyo</p>
	<p>COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	<p>2008～2010</p>
	<p>REMARKS</p>	

Target Countries: Middle Eastern Countries

5 participants / Arabic


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<p>【PURPOSE】 Based on the philosophy of CBR, the participants would conduct pilot activities and disseminate the lessons learned to the other organizations so that the children and adults with disability would receive necessary care, equal opportunities and be fully included in the society.</p> <p>【OUTPUT】 (1) Basic ideas on CBR and roles of persons involved in CBR are shared with the participants. (2) The participants would recognize and know how to utilize the social resources surrounding the persons with disability. (3) The participants make a plan of actions through which CBR activities are properly realized. (4) The participants conduct the plan of actions in their home towns.</p>	<p>Basically, two persons as below participate from one country.</p> <p>(1) Person from an organization which (is willing to) exercises CBR. (2) Administrator in charge of CBR</p> <p>*A participant should understand deeply about the life and problems of persons with disability. *Persons with disability are acceptable.</p>	
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Jun.11.2008~Jul.20.2008
<p>【PREPARATORY PHASE】 (before coming to Japan) The participants are required to have discussions with colleagues, JICA volunteers or experts to summarize a report on the practice of CBR and critical issues concerning the care for persons with disability.</p> <p>【CORE PHASE】 (conducted in Japan) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Workshop for better understanding about the issue and course purpose - Idea on CBR and community welfare in Japan - Through-life support to the persons with disability - Inclusive education in the community - Social resources available and utilization - Sports and recreation for the persons with disability - Individual support plan - Early child care and daily support by family members - Visit to houses of persons with disability - Drafting a plan of actions </p> <p>【FINAL PHASE】 (after returning to home countries) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Holding report meetings - Revision, authorization and implementation of the plan - Writing a progress report - The monitoring study(questionnaire execution from JICA Hokuriku) for a certain period </p>	<p>IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p> <p>JICA CENTER</p>	<p>International Community of the Rehabilitation Sector (NPO)</p> <p>JICA Hokuriku</p>
	<p>COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	2007~2009
	<p>REMARKS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Training language would be Arabic. - The participants should preferably have some relationship with other JICA activities or people.

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<p>An action plan, which is made during the training course, will be developed and systematized to comprehensively assist victims in the respective participating countries.</p>	<p>【Target Organizations】 Central or local government to plan and implement policies for assisting victims</p> <p>【Target Group】 Central or local government officials, aged between 25 and 45 years old, in charge of planning and implementing policies to assist victims</p>	
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Oct.16.2008～Nov.29.2008
<p>(Before arrival in Japan) Job report making</p> <p>(In Japan) Job report presentation Lectures & discussions on: Introduction & basics of assistance for victims Present situation regarding various victims & countermeasures for the same in Japan & abroad, etc. PCM training for making an action plan Presentation of an action plan for participating countries. Field trips</p> <p>(After returning to respective countries) Develop and systematize the action plans, based on what is acquired during training in Japan, to assist victims in participating countries.</p>	<p>IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p> <p>JICA CENTER</p>	<p>International Victimology Institute, Tokiwa University</p> <p>JICA Tsukuba</p>
	<p>COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	2007～2009
	<p>REMARKS</p>	


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<p>Overall Goal: Towards the "Society for All", the equal participation of persons with disabilities is promoted and welfare services and systems for individuals with disabilities in each country are developed.</p> <p>In order to empower individuals with disabilities as leaders and consequently their organizations, participants are expected to achieve the following objectives: (1) To acquire and enhance wide-ranging knowledge and skills, encompassing both national and international disability related issues. (2) To be able to analyze disability related issues in their home countries and find practical solutions to the same. (3) To build leadership capacity and be able to empower others with disabilities in their organizations, society and country. (4) To know how to write a project proposal and how to make an effective presentation. (5) To exchange ideas and experience with other participants in the program and promote mutual understanding. (6) To implement the project proposal written during the program.</p>	<p>(1) Leaders of governmental and non-governmental organizations / groups of persons with disabilities who have disabilities. (2) More than 3 years of working experience in relevant fields is preferable. (3) Age: 25-40 years old</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">CONTENTS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PROGRAM PERIOD</p>	<p>Oct.21.2008~Dec.12.2008</p>
<p><Preliminary phase> Inception Report Presentation (Personal data and/or general country and organizational information)</p> <p><Program in Japan> (1) Lectures and discussions: governmental policies/welfare system, support systems, education and employment issues, disability movements, transportation and accessibility, human rights and advocacy. (2) Visits: national rehabilitation centers, (sheltered) workshops, independent living centers, organizations specific for each type of disabilities and centers run by persons with disabilities. (3) Regional visits: regional welfare services for persons with disabilities (4) Individual training: according to participants' individual interests and expertise. (5) Workshops: facilitator skills, proposal writing, organization management and peer-counseling. (6) Project Plan Presentation (7) Evaluation</p> <p><Program in home country> (1) Submission of a Progress Report (result of the project implementation) (2) Finalization</p>	<p>IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p> <p>JICA CENTER</p>	<p>JAPAN. SOC. FOR REHAB. OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES</p> <p>JICA Tokyo</p>
	<p>COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	<p>2006~2010</p>
	<p>REMARKS</p>	<p>* Information about previous training programs can be obtained on the "Training" pages at the "jicafriends" web site, which was created to promote exchanges among ex-participants of two training programs, "Leaders of Persons with Disabilities" and "Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment Promotion of Persons with Disabilities." URL: http://www.jicafriends.jp/</p>

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<p>【Course Objectives】 Participants will acquire necessary knowledge and skills to improve their countries' policy for industrial safety and health by learning Japanese cases.</p> <p>【Outputs】 1)to understand the outline of Industrial Safety and Health policy in Japan and its measures (KYT, etc), 2)to understand how industrial safety and health policy is being carried out in the workplaces, i.e. factories and construction sites, and 3)to examine improvement of industrial safety and health measures in their own countries, comparing each relevant country's case and Japan's based on 1) and 2), and formulate action plan.</p> <p>Participants are expected to actually implement their action plans after their return home and requested to report the progress to JICA</p> <p>After the Core Phase in Japan, Participants are expected to submit implementaion/progress report to JICA.At the same time, JICA may monitor how the progress of their Action Plan is.</p>	<p>【Target Organizations】 Governmental organizations mandated to formulate and promote measures and administrate industrial safety and health.</p> <p>【Target Group】 Individuals under 45 years of age, with more than 3 years of occupational experience in this field.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">CONTENTS</p>	<p>PROGRAM PERIOD</p>	<p>Oct.8.2008～Nov.8.2008</p>
<p>This course consists of lectures, workshops and observation tours. The main subjects are as follows:</p> <p>Program in Japan (1) Japan's administrative system and legal framework of occupational safety and health, (2) History of Japan's occupational safety and health, (3) Role of industrial accident prevention organizations, (4) Occupational safety and health support programs for SMEs (Small and medium-sized enterprises), (5) Method of occupational safety and health education, (6) OSHMS (occupational safety and health management system) in Japan, (7) Zero-accident Campaign and KYT (hazard prediction training), (8) Health promotion with THP (Total Health Promotion Plan) in Japan, (9) Mental health in the workplace, (10) Private sector's occupational safety and health activities, and (11) Formulation of an action plan.</p> <p>Program in home countries (12)After the Core Phase in Japan, Participants are expected to submit implementaion/progress report to JICA. (At the same time, JICA may monitor how the progress of their Action Plan is.)</p>	<p>IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p>	<p>JAPAN INDUSTRIAL SAFETY AND HEALTH ASSOCIATION</p>
	<p>JICA CENTER</p>	<p>JICA Tokyo</p>
	<p>COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	<p>2007～2009</p>
	<p>REMARKS</p>	<p>Possible target countries: Countries striving to improve the industrial safety and health situation.</p>

OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP	
<p>The objective of this seminar is to introduce the socio-economic and historical background of the IR, especially the cases of SME (Small and Medium sized Enterprises). Also, we are going to introduce the historical process of the Labour administration focused on post-war IR administration.</p> <p>By making the participants understand the present condition as well as the function of our country's IR, and at the same time, conducting comparative research of the IR among the participants' countries, we aim to encourage trainees to comprehend their own countries' present conditions objectively and gain the ability to improve the situation.</p>	<p>(1) Mid-ranking officers in charge of labour-management relations administration in government organizations and trade union leaders, etc. (2) Individuals with more than three years of occupational experience.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">CONTENTS</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">PROGRAM PERIOD</p>	<p>Jun.3.2008~July.9.2008</p>
<p>This Seminar consists of the following lectures from specialists:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (1) Japanese Post-war Labour Law (2) Labour Economic Condition of Today (3) Industrial Relations Administration and Labour Policy (4) Industrial Relations Law (5) System to solve group and individual disputes <p>Also through a visiting tour to the Local Labour Office and the Offices of Workers and Employers, participants are expected to comprehend the IR, especially the situation of the workers of SME (Small and Medium sized Enterprises) and government and municipal officers.</p> <p>Participants are to submit the report as a follow-up within 3 to 6 months after the seminar.</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p>	<p>THE ILO ASSOCIATION OF JAPAN, INC.</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">JICA CENTER</p>	<p>JICA Yokohama</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	<p>2007~2009</p>
	<p style="text-align: center;">REMARKS</p>	<p>Countries where labour issues are important are encouraged to participate in this program.</p>

Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment Promotion of Persons with Disabilities -Workshop Management 職業リハビリテーションと障害者の就労		GROUP 	0880872
Target Countries : Asia and Pacific Region		7 participants /	English
OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP		
<p>The overall goal of this program is to improve and expand the employment status of persons with disabilities.</p> <p>To improve the employment status of persons with disabilities in participants' organization: Participants are expected to take the following actions in order to achieve the above written goal:</p> <p>(1) Analyze the employment status of persons with disabilities, vocational rehabilitation and vocational support systems of home countries and understand the major issues and problems regarding the management of vocational rehabilitation centers, workshops/work centers.</p> <p>(2) Improve the knowledge and skills of problem-solving, management of workshop/work centers, facilitation and proposal writing.</p> <p>(3) Formulate a Project Plan which intends to promote the employment of persons with disabilities and to improve disability-related activities of their organizations.</p> <p>(4) Implement their project plans in their home countries and submit a Progress Report after 6 months of completion of the program in Japan.</p>	<p>Directors, managers and instructors at workshops/workcenters or vocational rehabilitation centers who resume duties at grassroots levels (such as NGOs), concerning employment and vocational rehabilitation for persons with disabilities on their return. Those who work at grassroots levels are prioritized above governmental officers. The participation of people with disabilities is also appreciated.</p>		
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Jun.17.2008~Aug.02.2008	
<p><Preliminary Program in home country>Job Report: report on the overall situation of PWDs in respective countries</p> <p><Program in Japan></p> <p>(1) A series of lectures, dialogues, case studies and field studies</p> <p>(2) Presentation of a Job Report</p> <p>(3) Management skills</p> <p>(4) Facilitation skills</p> <p>(5) Individual Training</p> <p>(6) Regional visits</p> <p>(7) Submission of Project Plan</p> <p>(8) Evaluation</p> <p><Post-program Activities in the home country> Pursue their own project plans. reporting the progress report to JICA.</p>	IMPLEMENTING PARTNER	JAPAN. SOC. FOR REHAB. OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES	
	JICA CENTER	JICA Tokyo	
	COOPERATION PERIOD	2004~2008	
	REMARKS	<p>Applicants should not be medical doctors or nurses. The program consists of visits, practices and discussions using participatory methods. The fruits of this program are the ability for participants to learn about PWDs' employment promotion in Japanese organizations at all different levels, from policy level to grassroots activities. Information about previous training programs can be obtained on the "Training" pages at the "jicafriends" web site, which was created to promote exchanges among ex-participants of two training programs, "Leaders of Persons with Disabilities" and "Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment Promotion of Persons with Disabilities." URL: http://www.jicafriends.jp/</p>	

OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP	
<p>This program aims at institutional capacity building through participants of this program to gradually improve the Quality of Life of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities (PWID) in a community.</p> <p>【Objective】 To improve the Quality of Life (QOL) of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities (PWID) through the realization of each participants' action plan, using a community approach. The human rights of PWID are to be recognized. To reach the objective, Participants are expected to achieve the following: (1) To understand the Support system for PWID in Japan (2) To analyze the Situation of PWID in the respective countries (areas) (3) To formulate an Action Plan to improve the situation of PWID in the countries (4) To complete and submit a progress report of their action plan within 5 months of completion of the program in Japan.</p>	<p>Executive managers/officials/coordinators responsible for the administration, planning and implementation of field programs from either local/national NGOs for community development, social welfare, community health, or a Community Based Rehabilitation (CBR) center for persons with disabilities. Participation from countries where there are active NGOs in the communities is highly recommended.</p>	
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	May. 20. 2008～July. 21. 2008
<p><Preliminary Program in the home country> (1) Submission of the Inception Report</p> <p><Program in Japan> (1) A series of lectures, dialogues, case studies and field studies (2) Presentation of the Inception Report (3) Management skills (4) Individual Training</p> <p><Program in Bangladesh> (1) Discussion and field studies (2) Submission of the Interim Report (Action Plan) (3) Evaluation</p> <p><Program in the home country> (1) Submission of the Final Report (2) Certification and Finalization</p>	<p>IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p> <p>JICA CENTER</p> <p>COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	<p>Japan League on Developmental Disabilities</p> <p>JICA Tokyo</p> <p>2005～2009</p> <p>REMARKS</p> <p>This program incorporates a field study trip to Bangladesh (until August 2). Because the objective of this program is to build Institutional Capacity, it requires the materialization of each participant's action plan upon completion of the program. Organizations which are interested in those activities are highly recommended to participate.</p> <p>More program information is provided on the Website.: http://www.gtid.net/ All the participants can join to become members of the group Web site to create a network among participants, JICA and JLDD.</p>

Independent Living Activity of Persons with Disabilities in Central American and Caribbean Countries 中米・カリブ地域 障害者自立生活		R/F 	0884067
Target Countries: Central American and Caribbean Countries (Hispanic Countries)		7 participants /	Spanish
OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP		
<p>【Objectives】 Rational and Realistic action plan about Independent Living Activity or Self-help Movement of Persons with Disabilities in participants respective countries will be formulated and shared among related personnels.</p> <p>【Outputs】 (1) Participants will be able to explain the present situation and issues of persons with disabilities in their countries (2) Participants will be able to explain the value and management method of Self organizations (3) Participants will be able to explain concept and practical method of Independent Living (4) Participants will be able to formuoaate action plans for issues of persons with disabilities in their countires</p>	<p>【Target Organizations】 Self-organization of Persons with Disabilities 【Target Group】 Member of Self-organization of persons with disabilities To have more than three years experience of activities in self-organization To be persons with disabilities</p>		
CONTENTS	PROGRAM PERIOD	Nov.16.2008~Dec.05.2008	
<p>(1) Presentation: Country Report Discussion: Issue analysis (2) Lecture: Histry and the present situation of self-help movement Observation: Self organizations in urban area and rural area (3) Lecture: Independent Living Activity, Peer counseling, Relationship with government Observation: Independent Living in urban area and rural area Practice: Experience of Independent Living (4) Discussion: Issues and idea of improvement Presentation: Action Plan (Tentative)</p>	IMPLEMENTING PARTNER	Independent Living Center Mainstream Association	
	JICA CENTER	JICA Osaka	
	COOPERATION PERIOD	2008~2010	
	REMARKS		

Target Countries: Oceanian Countries

4 participants / English

OBJECTIVE	TARGET ORGANIZATION / GROUP	
<p>Outcome: The action plan to improve or solve issues regarding social welfare and education for Persons with Disabilities will be approved in participating organizations.</p> <p>Output1: Participants will be able to explain following matters regarding social welfare and education for Persons with Disabilities (PWDs) in Japan.</p> <p>(1) Social Welfare Administration for PWDs (2) Educational Administration for PWDs (3) Activities to improve quality of education (4) Promotion of employment for PWDs (5) Life in community of PWDs</p> <p>Output 2: Participants will be able to analyse issues of their own organizations.</p> <p>Output 3: The action plan to improve or solve issues in participating organizations will be formulated.</p>	<p>【Target Organizations/Target Group】 Government officials, teachers of filed workers, in the field of welfare, education, employment and community life of PWDs.</p>	
<p style="text-align: center;">CONTENTS</p>	<p>PROGRAM PERIOD</p>	<p>Jan.19.2009~Feb.26.2009</p>
<p>[Self-study/Lecture]: Japan's history, efforts and challenges of education, welfare and employment for PWD.</p>	<p>IMPLEMENTING PARTNER</p>	<p>Osaka Kyoiku University</p>
<p>[Presentation] Current circumstances, efforts and challenges of participants' countries.</p>	<p>JICA CENTER</p>	<p>JICA Osaka</p>
<p>[Observation] Practical Examples of Japan's support to PWD</p>	<p>COOPERATION PERIOD</p>	<p>2006~2008</p>
<p>[Discussion/Presentation] Action plan applicable to participants' countries.</p>	<p>REMARKS</p>	