



JICA's Activity on “Disability and Development”

- DSD/JICA's Journey from South African Community to Southern African Region -



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JICA's strategy on “Disability and Development”

Inclusive Development



Disability-
Targeted
Programme
(Empowerment)



Disability
Mainstreaming

JICA's Scheme

Bilateral Cooperation:

- Technical cooperation
(including dispatch of expert)
- ODA Loans
- Grant Aid
- Dispatch of Volunteers

Objective:

To contribute to the socio-economic development or reconstruction of partner countries (and regions)

Duration of Service:

- Short-term: 1 – 10 months
- Long-term: 2 years



JICA office in each country is looking for partner organizations to dispatch volunteers.

JICA's Technical Cooperation Around the World



Thailand:

Asia-Pacific Development Center on Disability (APCD) Project (2002 - 2012)



Outcomes:

- Promotion of empowerment and social participation of persons with disabilities in the Asia-Pacific region
- **Development of regional networks in the Asia-Pacific**

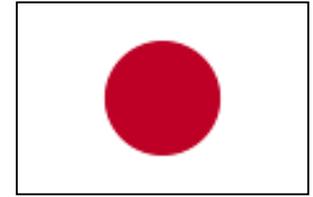
Rwanda:

- The Skills Training and Job Obtainment Support for Social Participation of Ex-Combatants and Other People with Disabilities (2011 - 2014)
- Advisor for Promotion of Advocacy and Coordination in Disability Affairs (2015 Feb. – 2017 Feb.)



Outcomes:

- Promotion of inclusion of persons with disabilities in vocational training and employment
- Development of **regional networks** in the Eastern Africa



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“Project for the Promotion of **EMPOWERMENT** of Persons with Disabilities and Disability **MAINSTREAMING**”

9th May 2016 ~ 8th May 2020 (4 years)

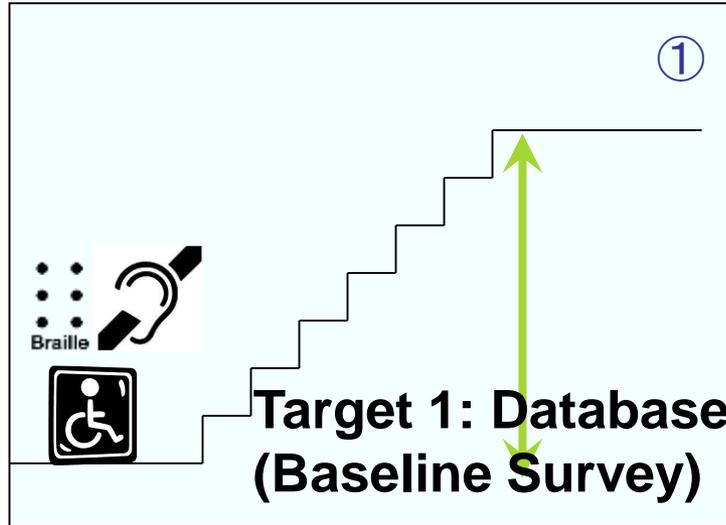


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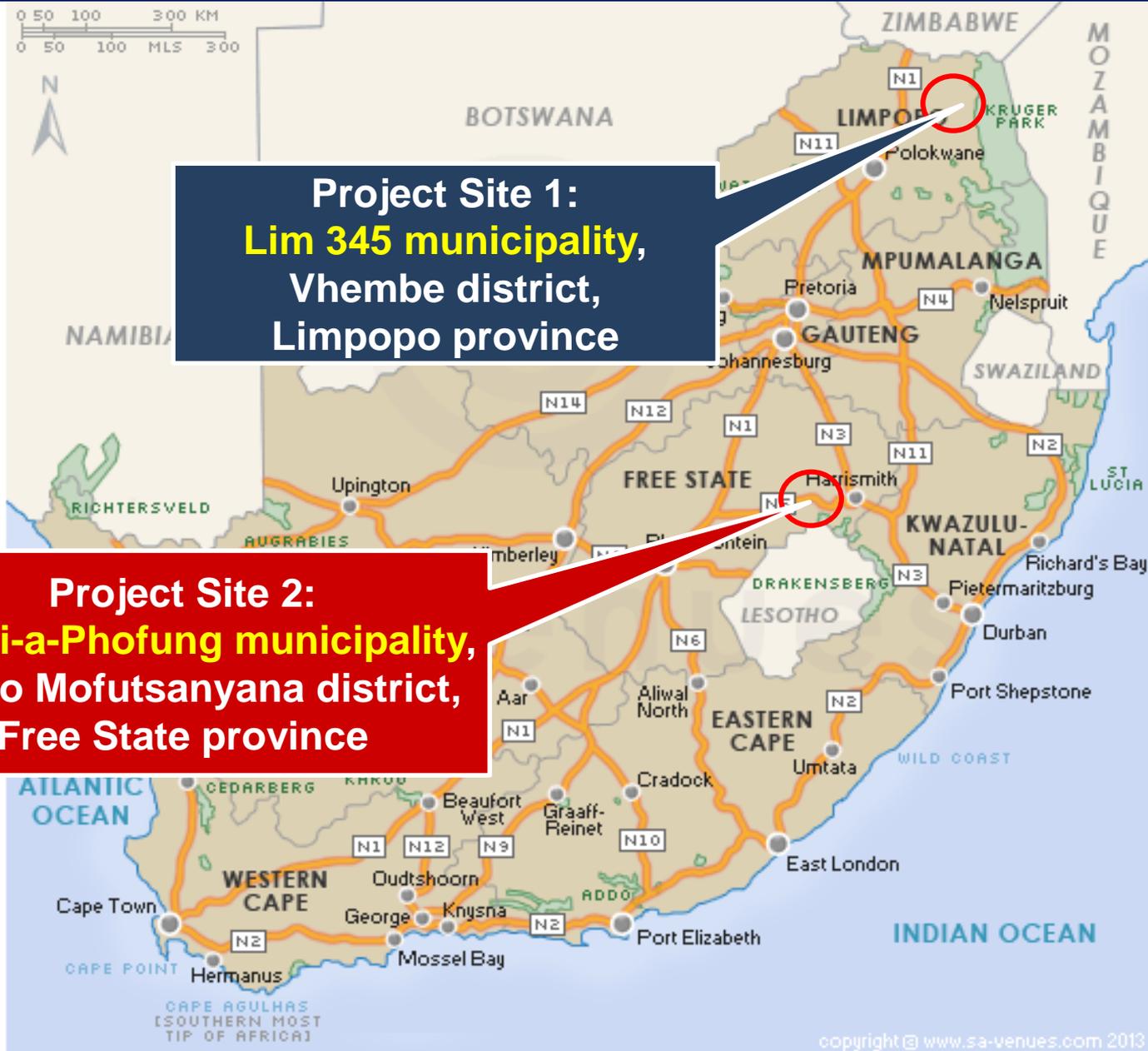


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Project Target and Activity



2 Project Sites in Rural Community in SA



Project Site 1:
Lim 345 municipality,
Vhembe district,
Limpopo province

Project Site 2:
Maluti-a-Phofung municipality,
Thabo Mofutsanyana district,
Free State province

Baseline Survey in Project Site 1

(Questionnaire, Focus Group Discussion, Key Informant Interview)



Questionnaire



Visiting houses of persons with disabilities



Key Informant Interview



Group Discussion

Actual Activity and Activity Plan (2016-2020)

2016

2017

2018

2019

2020

Activity in Site 1 (Lim345 in Limpopo)

Activity in Site 2 (Maluti-a-Phofung in Free State)

Development of Approaches and Resources

Peer Counseling

Establishment / Strengthening of SHG

Disability Equality Training (DET)

Access Workshop

Advocacy / Awareness Raising

Other Activities

Approach

Method

Activity

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Human
Resource /
Stakeholder
Method

Draft, Develop and Update **Guideline**

Activity in Site 3 & 4 (TBC)

Networking in Africa: - Sharing of progress through project website & newsletter
- Training inviting representatives from other countries

Peer Counselling in Community



Introduction of Peer Counselling



One on one session



Review of Peer Counselling



Peer Counselling under the tree

Promotion of Empowerment & Mainstreaming in SA and Africa

Sharing Guideline with UN, WB, AU, ADF, ADA, SADC, **SAFOD**, DSD, National Governments, National Councils, Federations, DPOs, etc.



Sample **Guideline**

Accessibility Approach

Method: How to promote (physical) accessibility

Establishment of Accessibility Monitoring Group

Orientation on accessibility law

Profiling of building on accessibility

Advocacy on accessibility in all levels

Monitoring on accessibility

Empowerment of

Method
Activity

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Human Resource / Stakeholder Method

Approach

Accessibility Monitoring Group (AMG)

with disabilities

strict focal persons in ministries (e.g., development, public transportation, etc.)

local person from government

NGOs / People's Organizations

Engineers & Architect

Academics

Method: How to sustain AMG

Method: How to apply / replicate approaches

Proposed Policy / Strategy / Tool

Implementation in Africa



Implementation in South Africa (Nationwide)



Policy / Strategy / Tool in South Africa

* Guideline and approach should be simple, practical and feasible but logical and universal for replication to other areas.



Thank you very much

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