

# **Intellectual Disability in Community Activities (JFY 2007)**

## **Questionnaire**

All the applicants are required to fill in this form and detach it, and submit together with the Nomination form to the JICA local office or the embassy of Japan .

1. Name : MOHAMMAD AHMAD MOHAMMAD AL SALEH

2. Country : JORDAN

3. Organization/Position : Ministry of Health

4. Experience in fields and project/s

Please describe the project/s you were engaged in, in the fields mentioned below .

1) Community Development

2) Community Health : Health education and training

3) Community Based Program for PWD

4) Social Welfare : Family counseling and follow up of cases .

5. Please describe if you have any knowledge on Intellectual Disability such as :

1) Characteristics of PWID developmental delay in tasks of daily living .

2) Law for PWID To give the rights for education and Health Process and integration equally of opportunity .

3) Service for PWID such as welfare, education and so on Special center for education and training

4) Situation of PWID in your country/area is accepted

5) Others .

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## General Information

- (1) Name of Country : Jordan
- (2) Area (sq, km) : 96,000 km.
- (3) Population (population in rural and urban area) : 5,500,000 million
- (4) Life expectancy : 65 years
- (5) Infant mortality rate : 28/10,000
- (6) Maternal mortality rate : 5/10,000
- (7) Literacy rate : < 5%
- (8) Education (compulsory) : up to 10 years
- (9) Unemployment rate : 10%
- (10) Laws concerned with persons with Intellectual Disabilities : Law No.12 – 1993
- (11) Financial assistance for persons with Intellectual Disabilities : only to severe mental retardation .

## 2- Outline of your organization

- (1) Background, vision, strategy, activity : Comprehensive health services, for persons, families and society .
- (2) Major programs, covered areas, and target population of your organization
- (3) Target group, number of beneficiaries to know the Incidence screening for all 1 D in Jordan .
- (4) Your position and duty : Assessment of I.Q .

3 Community development program which include intellectual

disability issue as one of the activities . if you know any

Please pick up acase projects or programs in your country with which  
yor or your organization has been associated and describe its outline  
and analyze its performance referring to items listed below

Now Ministry of health. Association with Ministry of  
social developmental .

are doing :

Screening for all areas of H K of Jordan .

To know the . Incidence of intellectual disability and degree  
of disability .

So as to create a special center for them .

Up till now we screened most of areas and we know some of  
problems .

But it cost more money and time need about 4 years .

#### 4. Intellectual disabilities in your country

12.) the present services for I.D offered by both government/ NGOs.

Screening early . with diagnosis and primary health care, and special education center for them.

And family counseling .

Medical insurance .

13 ) The respective roles of government, NGO, and residents(people in the community

Low No. 12 – 1993

Education

Training

Rehabilitation

Finical

Special; day and night center

5. situation of persons with Intellectual disabilities

describe as much as you know

1) finding ..diagnosis of I.D.,early Intervention

By family history.

Then clinical diagnosis (symptoms and signs)

And Lab analysis

And IQ assessment

By Dr. and health workers and social workers  
After diagnosis depend upon the degree of IQ .  
for mild (MR): special education center or  
ordinary school  
For moderate (MR). Special education center  
For severe (MR) special education center  
Or inside residency .

If very severe to give financial help .

Prevalence rate is 2/1000 profound

## 2. *Education*

Percentage of children with ID attending  
About 30% .

Special education  
And integrated education

## 3. *vocational training*

Yes those with mild MR. Receive vocational  
training

## 4. *support organizations*

Ministry of health  
Ministry of Social Development  
Ministry of education  
And High education center

Non governmental organization about 30 .

6- Special School or center

For specific diagnosis  
( like down's special center)

Special training center for Specific diagnosis