

# THAILAND

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## I. Make disaster risk reduction [DRR] a priority

### Activities and results

- \* Disaster Prevention and Mitigation Act
- \* Strategic National Action Plan (SNAP) for Risk Reduction
- \* Disaster Prevention and Mitigation Plan

### Gaps and challenge identified

- \* Building understanding of the implementation under the current act
- \* The political situation in the country

### Plan

- \* Formulate National and Provincial Disaster Prevention and Mitigation Plan
- \* Master Plan of various disasters
- \* Submit SNAP to cabinet for approval

## II. Improve risk information and early warning

### Activities and results

- Database of Disaster Risk Areas and Developing GIS
- Early Warning Installation
- Mr. Disaster Warning Scheme

### Gaps and challenge identified

- Update data
- Transfer technology and develop early warning system

### Plan

- Training courses

## II. Improve risk information and early warning



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### III. Build a culture of safety and resistance

#### Activities and results

- \* Community Base Disaster Reduction Management Approach
- \* Education and Training for Disaster Management
- \* Youth Disaster Prevention and Mitigation Volunteer Camp
- \* National and ASEAN Regional Drawing Competition

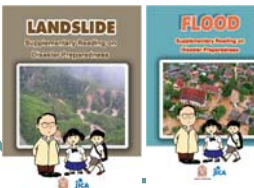
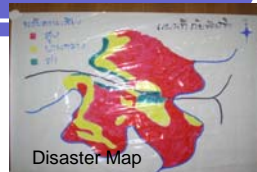
#### Gaps and challenge identified

- Selecting the risk community
- Alertness and preparedness of the inhabitant in the community
- Government policy

#### Plan

- Evaluate and follow up the Project
- Develop the village task force in the community continuously and sustainably
- Enhance the education on disaster management in the school

### III. Build a culture of safety and resistance



Teaching Material



<b>IV. Reduce the underlying risk factors</b>
<b>Activities and results</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ministry of Finance Regulation for basic reimburse to victim</li> <li>• Reduce the risk along the seashore and river bank by growing mangrove</li> <li>• Set up the National Committee on Climate Change</li> </ul>
<b>Gaps and challenge identified</b>
<b>Plan</b>

<b>V. Strengthen preparedness to respond in an emergency at all levels in order to effectively and speedily assist those who are adversely affected</b>
<b>Activities and results</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• One Tambon One Search and Rescue Team Project (OTOS)</li> <li>• Building Capacity of Civil Defence Volunteer</li> <li>• Emergency Response Team Project (ERT)</li> <li>• ASEAN Regional Simulation Exercise (ARDEX 08)</li> </ul>
<b>Gaps and challenge identified</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Budget to equip the equipment and tool</li> <li>• Expert to train ERT</li> </ul>
<b>Plan</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• To maintain the Training Standard</li> <li>• To coordinate with the local authorities for providing the equipment and tool for OTOS teams</li> </ul>

V. Strengthen preparedness to respond in an emergency at all levels in order to effectively and speedily assist those who are adversely affected



**Conclusion**

- \*To minimize the vulnerabilities for protecting people's lives and properties and building the sustainable safe societies
- \* To build capacities of local authorities, volunteer and concerned.
- \* To collaborate among the countries and international organization in effective disaster reduction implementation

Thank You

