



The 3rd International Training Course on Comprehensive Rehabilitation for Workers with Disabilities

27 August - 9 September 2017



**The Industrial Rehabilitation Centre Region 1
Social Security Office Ministry of Labour
Kingdom of Thailand**



PREFACE



The Industrial Rehabilitation Centre Region 1 (IRC) was established in cooperation between the Japanese Government and the Thai Government through the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) as grant aid for the construction of the buildings and installation of the equipment including the technical cooperation. The IRC started providing rehabilitation services for the disabled workers whose disabilities derived from work accident on May 1st, 1985.

An IRC objective is to help the disabled workers who suffer from work-related injuries or sickness and the insured persons with disablement under the Social Security Act & Workmen's Compensation Fund of Thailand in order to enable them to re-enter to work in the establishment or to be self-employed. To achieve the objective, the IRC provides comprehensive rehabilitation services: medical, vocational, psychological, and social rehabilitation through a multidisciplinary approach by team working. It takes care of all rehabilitants with the same standard and offers treatment as a whole person or a holistic approach.

Over the past 31 years, it is found that the best system for helping persons with disabilities should be the comprehensive rehabilitation system which has been properly implemented in the IRC. So far the rehabilitation system has successfully helped the rehabilitants over 10,000 persons, about half of them each year returned to their previous employment places, about 40 percent became self-employed, and the remaining 10 percent found new jobs.

With reference to Recommendations 9 (Rehabilitation) Target 9.5 of the Agenda for Action for the Asian and Pacific Decade of Disabled Persons (Revised in November 1999), it states: "Include prevention and rehabilitation issues in the training curricula for personnel in the health, education, and social development sectors, and initiate the integration of disability-related issues in the training of other professionals concerned with the improvement of the quality of life of persons with disabilities." The IRC plans to implement a training program for rehabilitation personnel in the Southeast Asian Countries region in order to support for Decade target fulfillment and to contribute to the development of human resources who will promote the advancement of developing countries and to enhance the potential of becoming Training Center of this region on the comprehensive rehabilitation as well. Therefore, it is necessary to share and exchange experiences for supporting self-help efforts that will lead to a better life for persons with disabilities of those countries.



ESSENTIAL FACTS

COURSE TITLE	Comprehensive Rehabilitation for Workers with Physical Disabilities.
DURATION	27 August - 9 September 2017.
DEADLINE	June 30, 2017.
INVITED COUNTRIES	Brunei, Cambodia, Indonesia, Lao PDR, Malaysia, Myanmar, Philippines, Singapore, Thailand and Vietnam.
NUMBER OF PARTICIPANTS	8 persons
LANGUAGE	English
TARGET GROUP	Practical levels of rehabilitation personnel such as medical staff, vocational instructors, counselors, psychologists, social workers, etc.
COURSE OBJECTIVES	<p>1) To provide the participants with comprehensive theoretical training, field trips, and practical studies on various aspects of comprehensive rehabilitation.</p> <p>2) To share and exchange experiences concerning various problems in relation to rehabilitation of persons with physical disabilities among participants.</p> <p>3) To create the better coordination and cooperation as well as to strengthen the networking of comprehensive rehabilitation among participating countries in the region.</p>
TRAINING INSTITUTION	The Industrial Rehabilitation Centre Region 1 (IRC) 97 Moo 3, Bangpoon, Muang District, Pathumthani 12000, Thailand.
ACCOMMODATION	The Industrial Rehabilitation Centre Region 1 (IRC) dormitory
ALLOWANCES & EXPENSES	<p>The following expenses for each selected participant will be borne by the Industrial Rehabilitation Centre (IRC):</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Training expenses. (e.g., lecture fee, field visit charge) 2. Accommodation during the training period. 3. Meals (e.g., Breakfast, lunch, dinner & coffee break) during the training period. <p>*** Any expenses spent in his/her country before/after the training should be borne by each participant.</p>

Remark:



The application form must be submitted to the Royal Thai Embassy/Consulate in each invited country or directly to the Industrial Rehabilitation Centre **Deadline on June 30, 2017.**

Course Contents:

- 1) Introduction and principles.
- 2) Concepts of comprehensive rehabilitation and holistic approach.
- 3) Rehabilitation techniques and process focusing on practical training.
- 4) Observation and study trips.

Subjects	Contents
Introduction	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Overview of Thailand ● Courtesy call: Secretary-General of SSO ● Social Security Fund & Workmen's Compensation Fund, SSO ● Rehabilitation Services in Thailand
Psychosocial Rehabilitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Psychosocial Rehabilitation ● Persons with Disabilities and Empowerment ● Vocational Guidance ● Counseling clients with disabilities ● Case Management & Job Placement ● Promoting independent living for PWPD
Medical Rehabilitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Experience in Comprehensive Rehabilitation ● Overview of Medical Rehabilitation ● Rehabilitation Nursing ● Physical Therapy ● Occupational Therapy ● Prosthetics and Orthotics
Vocational Rehabilitation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Principle of Vocational Rehabilitation ● Vocational Evaluation ● Vocational Rehabilitation Planning ● Vocational Rehabilitation Process ● Employment Promotion ● Practical Guideline in Vocational Training
Field-Trip	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Visit to Sirindhorn National Medical Rehabilitation Centre ● Visit to Department of Empowerment of persons with Disabilities ● Observation activities at Redemptorist Vocational School for the Disabled ● Visit to Chokchai Engineering Co., Ltd.
Wrap-up	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Evaluation ● Discussion

Programme Overview 2017

TIME	August 28, 2017	August 29, 2017	August 30, 2017	August 31, 2017	September 1, 2017	
8.00	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration	
9.00	Program Orientation	Courtesy Call: Executive of Social Security Office	Comprehensive Rehabilitation Service	The Employment of people with disabilities	Visit to Sirindhorn National Medical Rehabilitation Centre	
10.00		Social Security Fund & Workmen's Compensation Fund				
11.00		Opening Ceremony				
12.00	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	
13.00	General Information (Geographical Featured), Exchange Culture and Tradition and Custom	Thailand Policies and Plans for Persons with Disabilities	Experience in Rehabilitation	Role of Physical Therapy	Medical Rehabilitation	
14.00			Medical Rehabilitation			Role of Occupational Therapy
15.00						
16.00						
17.00	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	
18.00						
TIME	September 4, 2017	September 5, 2017	September 6, 2017	September 7, 2017	September 8, 2017	
8.00	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration	Registration	
9.00	Work Preparation & Vocational Training	Visit to Chokchai Engineering Co., LTD	Psychosocial Rehabilitation	Observation activities at Redemptorist Vocational School for People with Disabilities	Course Evaluation & Recommendation & Sum-up	
10.00						
11.00						
12.00	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	LUNCH	
13.00	Vocational Rehabilitation	Visit to Bang Sai Arts and Crafts Centre	Supporting Activities	Observation activities at Redemptorist Vocational School for People with Disabilities (Cont.)	Closing Ceremony & Awarding the Certificate	
14.00			Occupational Health and Safety			
15.00	Skill Contest for Persons with Disabilities					
16.00						
17.00	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	DINNER	Farewell Party	
18.00						

Note:

- Breaking time: 10.30 a.m. - 10.45 a.m. and 2.30 p.m. - 2.45 p.m.
- Formal Dress in Opening Ceremony.
- Schedule is subject to change as appropriate.
- Language in English with translated into Thai throughout the training.

REQUIREMENT FOR APPLICATION

- 1) To be nominated by their respective governments.
- 2) To have practical experience in the field of rehabilitation of persons with disabilities.
- 3) To have a good command of spoken and written in English.
- 4) To be in good health, both physically and mentally. (pregnancy is regarded as a disqualifying condition for participation in the course)
- 5) To have a health certificate issued by the authorized physician.

Important Notice:

- Applicants with upper and / or lower limbs disabilities are acceptable if they are independent of daily activities.
- Applicants must not have auditory and visual impairments because text books in Braille or sign language cannot be arranged.

PROCEDURE FOR APPLICATION

1. The applicant needs to fill out two sets of Application Form with 2 photos attached.
2. The applicant also needs to mail one copy of the completed Application Form with a photo attached advance directly to



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***Please note that the copy sent directly to the IRC is advanced informal information only. As a selection process, it will be considered all documents which have come through the official channel (from the Royal Thai Embassy to the IRC).**

3. A Government desiring to nominate applicants for the course should forward 2 sets of the completed Application Form with 2 photos attached for each applicant to the Royal Thai Embassy or Consulate in their respective countries by June 30, 2017.
4. The IRC will inform the applying government whether or not the nominee's application has been accepted no later than July 14, 2017.

OTHER MATTERS

1) TRAVEL DOCUMENTATION

Prior to arrival in Thailand, all participants MUST first obtain a NON-IMMIGRANT VISA from the Royal Thai Embassy or Consulate in their respective countries. If there is no the Royal Thai Embassy or Consulate available, the participants can apply for VISA ON ARRIVAL at the Bangkok International Airport upon their arrival.

2) AIRPORT RECEPTION AND TRANSFERAL

Upon arrival, the IRC will provide airport reception and transferal to the accommodation for all participants.

SPECIAL ATTENTION

- Each participant:
 - should assume responsibility for other expenses not provided for which are incurred during the trip between his/her home country and Thailand.
 - shall make his/her own arrangements for any financial matters of a private nature that are not covered under this training course.
 - is required to fulfill the course requirements.
 - is not required to bring any members of his/her family.
 - is required to refrain from engaging in political activities or any form of employment for profit or gain.
 - is required to observe the rules and regulation of their places of accommodations and not to change accommodations designated by the IRC.
 - is requested to confirm his/her flight information and date of arrival in Bangkok to the IRC by e-mail (ircptmsso@gmail.com) at least e week before the commencement of the course.
- The Royal Thai Government and/or the IRC shall have no liability whatsoever for the participant or his/her personal representatives for injury, illness or death suffered or contracted by the participant arising out of or in the course of his/her participation in the program/course; nor shall the Royal Thai Government and /or have any liability whatsoever towards third parties for compensation for any loss of property, injury, illness, or death of such third parties caused by the nominee during the course of his/her participation in the program/course.

For more information please contact us:

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