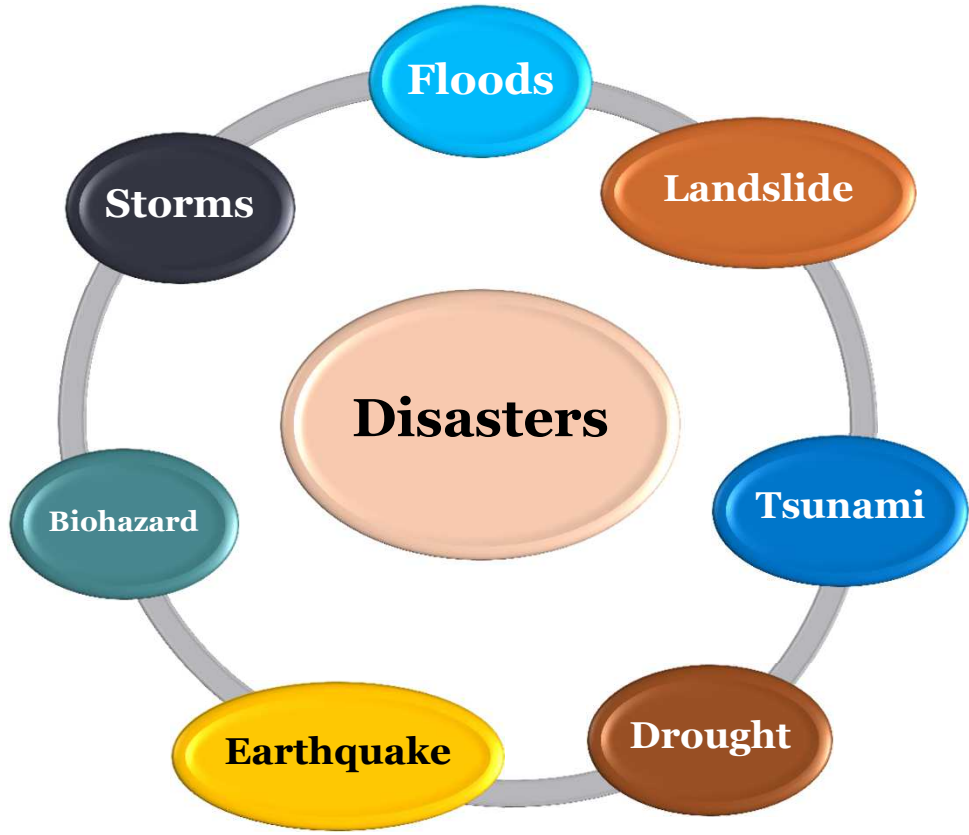


The 13th ASEAN & Japan High Level Officials Meeting on Caring Societies



Country Presentation by Thailand
Jirot Sindhvananda, M.D
23 October 2015

Recent Disasters in Thailand



❖ 2004 Thailand Tsunami

- ❖ 8,000 deaths;
- ❖ 400 villages destroyed;
- ❖ 100,000 people displaced;
- ❖ estimated 2.1 billion USD of damage to Thai economy.

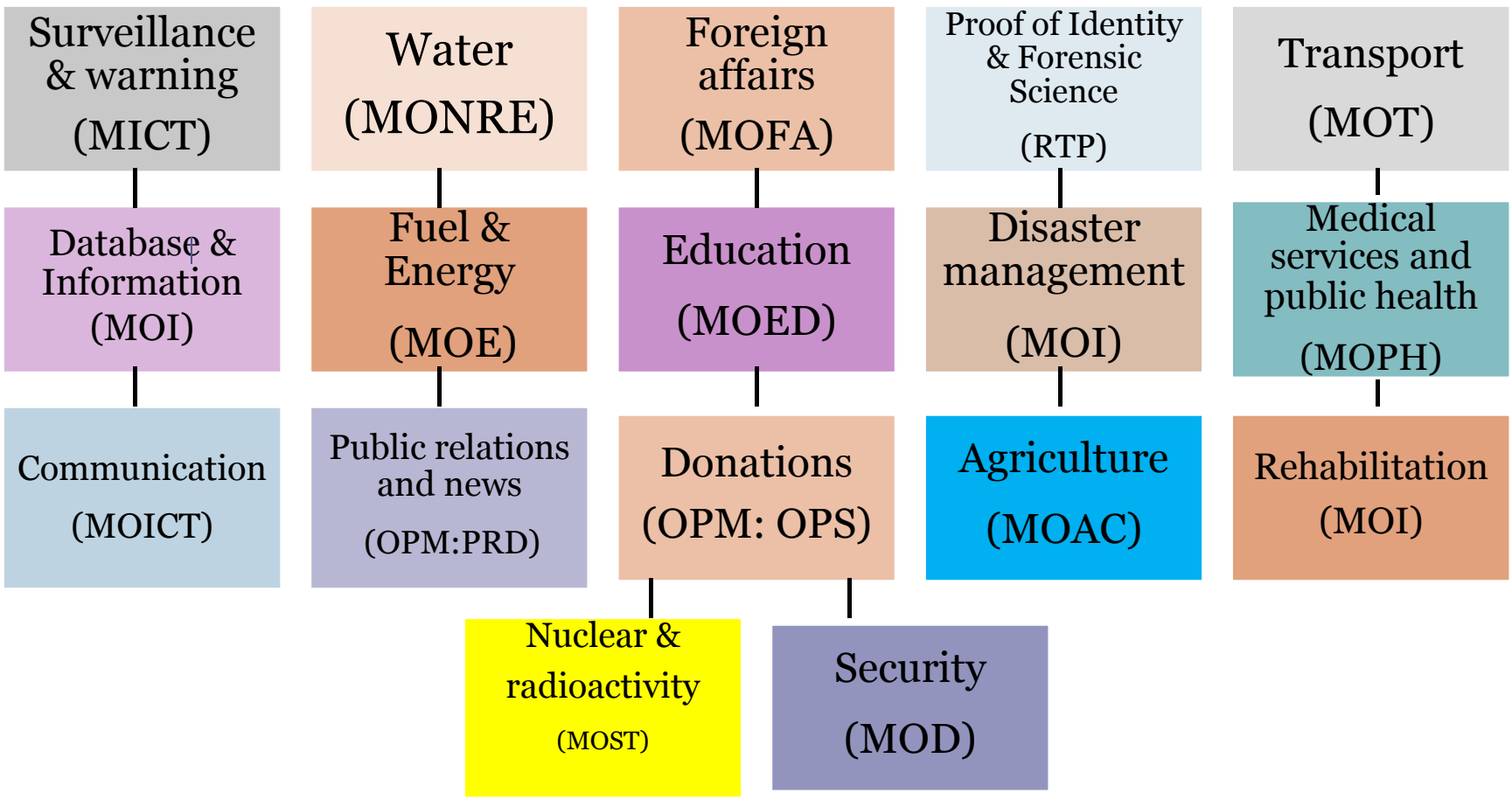
❖ 2011 Thailand Big Flood

- ❖ 4,039,459 households and 13,425,869 people displaced;
- ❖ 2,329 houses destroyed;
- ❖ 96,833 houses damaged;
- ❖ 657 people dead and 3 missing.

SOURCES : <http://www.thaiwater.net/web/index.php/ourworks2554/379-2011flood-summary.html>

Integrated Action Plan on Disaster Prevention and Mitigation

Prime Minister



Management of People affected by disasters

Source: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA)



General public:

- People living in areas affected by disasters or areas at risk.

Vulnerable groups:

- Children & youth
- Women & families
- Persons with disabilities
- Older persons

Industrial sector:

- Enterprises
- Manufacturers
- Service providers
- Employees
- Workers
- Laborers

Disaster Risk Management & Disaster Management Systems

Disaster Risk Management

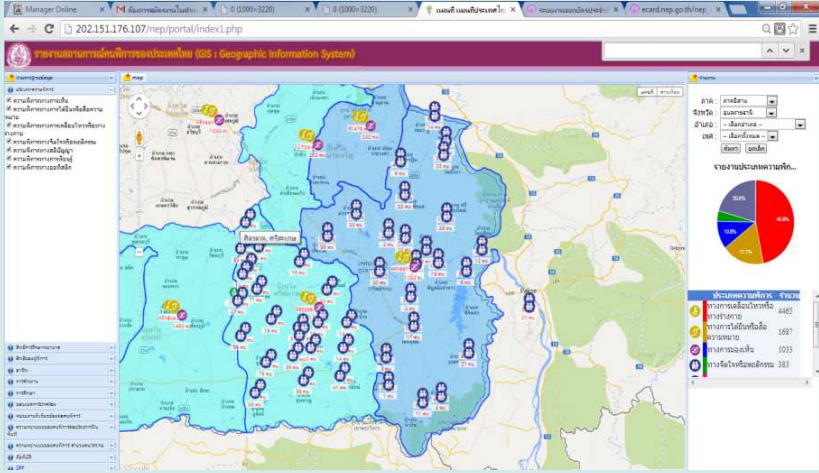
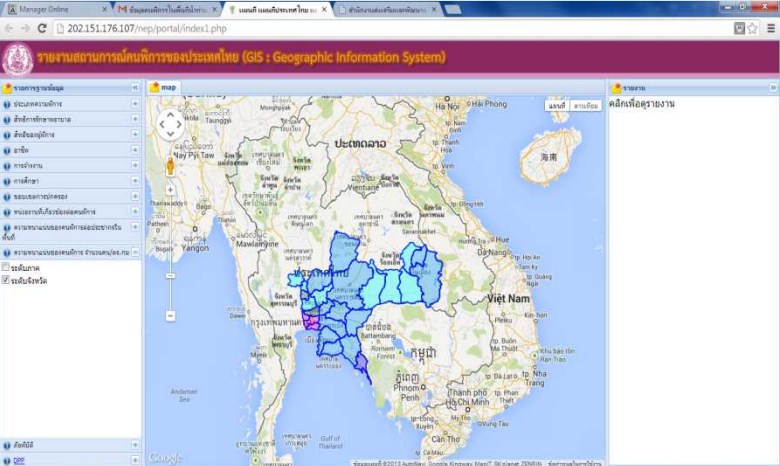
- **Before disaster occurrence**
- **During disaster occurrence**
- **After disaster occurrence**

Disaster Management Systems

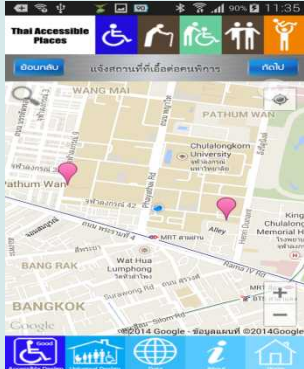
- **Social Assistance System (SAS)**
- **Basic Infrastructure System for Crisis/Disaster Management (BISCDM)**
- **Assistance, Rehabilitation and Recovery for Affected Workers/ Laborers**

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Disability Inclusive Disaster Management Geographic Information System : GIS



Thai Accessible Places App.



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Management System for Helping Victims

Preparedness	Response	Recovery
Establishment of Natural Disaster Victims Helping Centre in every province since B.E. 2546 (2003) (Information & Assistance Centre)	<u>Economic Assistance System</u>	
	1. Labour Protection Act B.E. 2541 (1998)	
	- Latest amendment (No. 4) B.E. 2553 (2010)	
	- Provisions Under Chapter 11 and 13	
	2. Social Security Act B.E. 2533 (1990)	
	- Latest amendment (No. 4) B.E. 2558 (2015)	
	- Provision under section 33 only	

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Helping Mechanisms during 2011 Big Flood

Government Initiated Projects

Remedies for employers to prevent and resolve layoff problems

Remedies for employees to prevent and resolve layoff problems

Projects of MoL

Projects of MoL

Projects of MoL

Smart Job Centers

Job Fairs

Urgent Employment Project

Thailand Best Practices; Health

The National Food Safety Emergency Response Plan

A response plans to emergency situations including disaster management in relation to food safety

National INFOSAN Emergency Contact Point and Food Alert System of Thailand (FAST), responsible by the Bureau of Food Safety Extension and Support, under The Office of Permanent Secretary, Ministry of Public Health.

The National Institute for Emergency Medicine;

Hotline: 1669



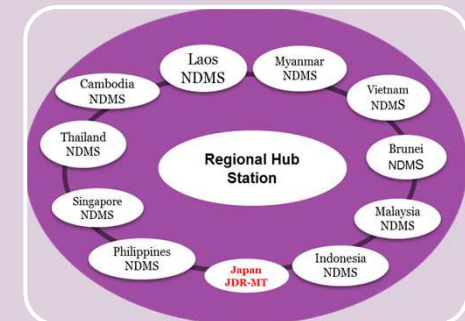
The Project for Strengthening the ASEAN Regional Capacity on Disaster Health Management (ASEAN ARCH Project 2016-2019)

Thailand: NIEM

- Regional Integrated Action Plan
- Capacity Building
- Intervention: 2 P 2R

Japan: JICA

- Bilateral Cooperation Framework: Project Working Group
- Information Sharing
- Emergency Response Mechanisms



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IMPLEMENTING ARRANGEMENTS

ASEAN side

SOMHD and other
sectors
Reporting

JICA side

SOMHD –
Thailand/NIEM
SOMHD - Vietnam
ASEAN Secretariat

Steering
Committee
(SC)

JICA

Official Focal Point of
Disaster Medicine in
each AMS
ASEAN Secretariat

Coordina
tion
Meeting

JICA
Japanese
experts

Project Working Group 1

Regional
Collabora
tion Drill

SOP/
Minimum
requirement

Data
Base

Framework
of Health
needs
assessment

Project Working
Group 2

Trainings

Engagement
of other
ASEAN
Stakeholders
if needed



Thailand Best Practices; Health ASEAN ARCH Project

Project Description

- The project aims at strengthening the regional coordination and cooperation on disaster health management during the acute stage of disasters in the ASEAN region. It is designed in line with and to contribute to the regional strategies of Disaster Health Management which is the one of the health priorities in ASEAN Post-2015 Health Development Agenda.
- Project duration: 3 years (2016-2019)

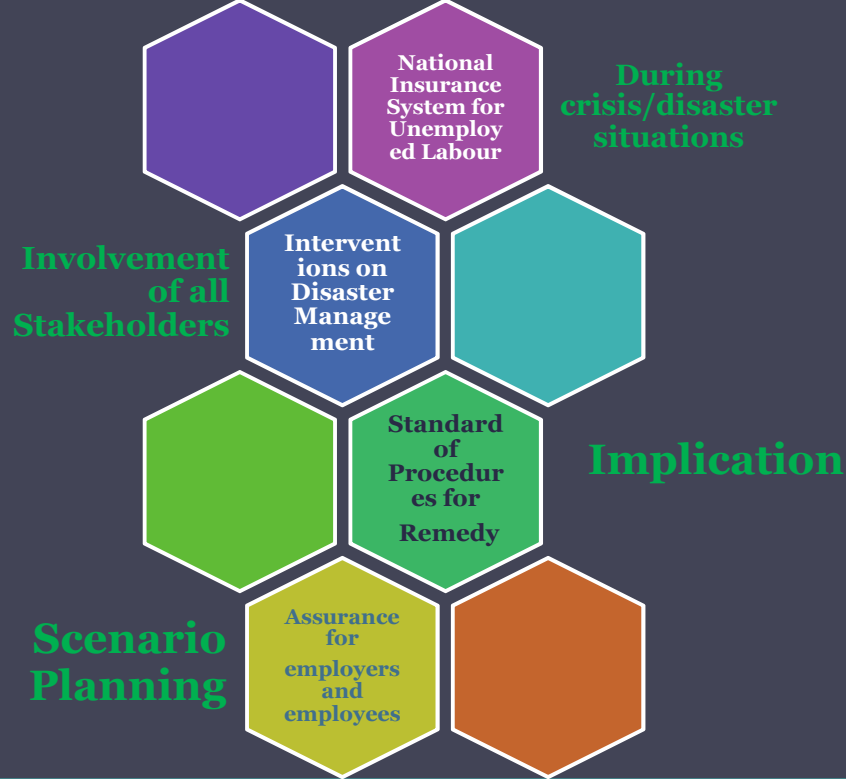
Activities 2016-2019

- Annual regional meeting.
- Conduct of annual joint regional drill in AMS.
- Development of a draft regional SOP and minimum requirements for disaster health management
- Preparation of databases concerning medical assistance teams in AMS.
- Draft framework of health needs assessment in emergencies
- Presentation of outcomes of the Project activities at academic conferences such as JADM, APCDM and WADEM
- Conduct of trainings on disaster medicine / EMS for AMS.

Output

- Establishment of coordination platform on disaster health management .
- Development of framework of regional collaboration practices.
- Development of tools for effective regional collaboration on disaster health management
- Enhancement of academic network on Disaster Health Management in AMS.
- Implementation of capacity development activities for each AMS.

Lesson Learned



MOPH



MOFA



MOI



MOE



MOL



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Thai Armed Forces



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