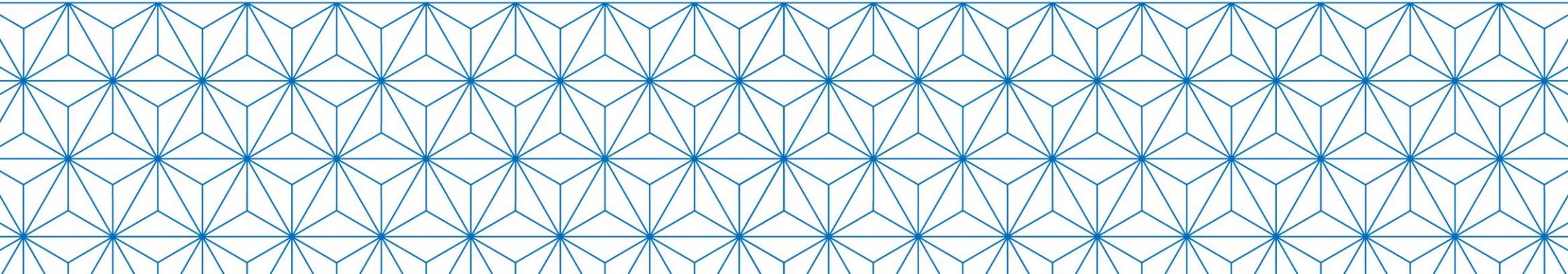


Overview of JICA's Work for Healthy and Active Ageing



Who We Are

The Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) is an organization responsible for implementing Japan's ODA in a unified manner and engages in international cooperation for developing countries.

Mission

JICA, in accordance with the Development Cooperation Charter, works on *human security** and *quality growth*.

Vision

Leading the world with trust

JICA, with its partners, takes the lead in forging bonds of trust across the world, aspiring for a free, peaceful and prosperous world where people can hope for a better future and explore their diverse potentials.

* A concept that focuses on each and every individual through protection of individuals from serious and wide-ranging threats to their survival, daily lives, and dignity, and empowerment of people for sustainable self-reliance and community building, so that all people can reach their full potential.

Types of JICA's Cooperation

Technical Cooperation

People-to-people cooperation

Finance and Investment Cooperation

Lending or investing of funds under concessional terms to developing countries for their development

Grants

Core infrastructure development and equipment provision

Citizen Participation

A broader base of international cooperation

Emergency Disaster Relief

Response to natural and other disasters

Research

Co-creating practical knowledge for peace and development

Public-Private Partnerships

Supporting social and economic development through private sector business activities

JICA Global Agenda

The JICA Global Agenda is a set of cooperation strategies for global issues that identifies the development goals and actions undertaken from a global perspective in terms of contributing toward the SDGs.

Prosperity

01

Urban and Regional Development



02

Transportation



03

Energy and Mining



04

Private Sector Development



05

Agriculture and Rural Development (Sustainable Food Systems)



People

06

Health



07

Improving Nutrition



08

Education



09

Social Security, Disability, and Development



10

Sport and Development



Peace

11

Peacebuilding



12

Governance



13

Public Finance and Financial Systems



14

Gender Equality and Women's Empowerment



15

Digital for Development



Planet

16

Climate Change



17

Natural Environment Conservation



18

Environmental Management



19

Sustainable Water Resources Management and Water Supply



20

Disaster Risk Reduction through Pre-disaster Investment and Build Back Better



To Achieve **Universal Health Coverage (UHC)**

even in times of public health emergency,

which ensures that all people receive the health services they need without suffering financial hardship

4 Cluster Strategies as priority areas

Strengthening Health Service Delivery toward Resilient, Equitable and Sustainable UHC

- Human Resources Development
- Upgrading facilities and equipment / Health facility management (incl. 5S-KAIZEN)



- Upgrading core research institutions
- Testing / Diagnosis
- Quarantine / Border control



Strengthening Institutions for Infectious Disease Control and Testing

Strengthening Quality Continuum Care for Mothers and Children, including the Use of Maternal and Child Health Handbooks

- Home-based records (MCH handbook)
- Continuous access to services
- Awareness by mothers



- System for sharing burden of health expenditure
- Advice on Policies and systems
- Financial support



Strengthening the Health Financing System

Ongoing Projects in Health and Social Security Sector

- Technical Cooperation Project
- Advisor
- Training
- Loan
- Science and Technology Research Partnership for Sustainable Development (SATREPS)

- ASEAN**
- The Phase 2 Project for Strengthening the ASEAN Regional Capacity on Disaster Health Management (ARCH2) (2022-2026)
 - Public Health Emergencies and Emerging Disease Capacity Development Programme for Human Resource Complement Support (2025-2028)

- Thailand**
- Project for Human Resource Development on Social Work in ASEAN Region (2025-2028)
 - Advisor on Healthy Ageing (2024-2026)
 - The Partnership Project for Global Health and Universal Health Coverage Phase3 (2025-2028)
 - The Project for Capacity Building for Health Workforce on Dermatology (2022-2025)
 - Regulatory Systems Strengthening Program (2023-2025)
 - The Project for Social Implementation of Infectious Disease Control Utilizing Genomic Information and Innovative Technology (2023-2026)
 - The Project for Development of Domestic Cell-based Vaccine/Biologics Production Capacity in Thailand (2024-2026)

- Vietnam**
- Project for Strengthening Capacity Development System for Health Professional through Tele-Health (2023-2028)
 - Improving the Prevention and Control Viral Hepatitis in Vietnam (2024-2028)
 - Cho Ray Vietnam-Japan Hospital Development Project (2015-)

- Cambodia**
- Health Policy Advisor (2024-2027)
 - The Project for Strengthening In-service Training System in Cambodia (2021-2026)
 - Regional Hospital Development Project (2024-2030)
 - The Project for NCD Control (2024-2027)

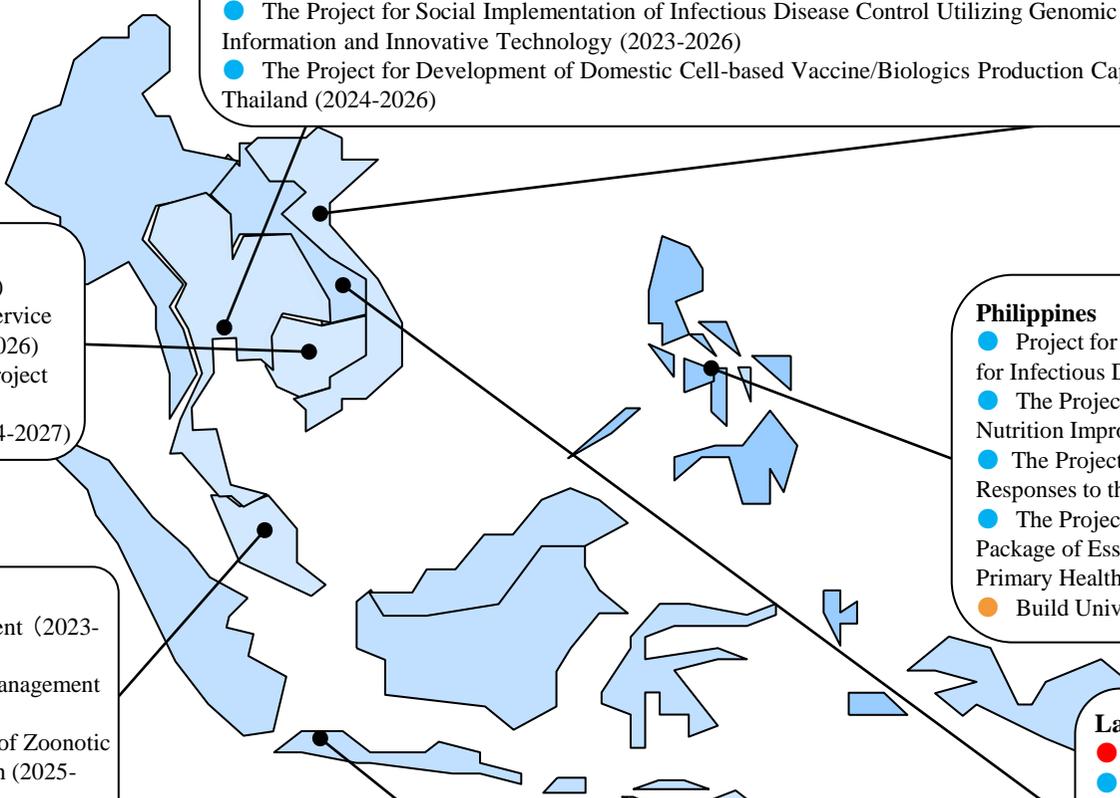
- Philippines**
- Project for Strengthening the Philippine National Health Laboratory Network for Infectious Diseases (2022-2026)
 - The Project for Strengthening Services in Maternal and Child Health and Nutrition Improvement in the BARMM (2025-2028)
 - The Project for Implementation of Rapid Rabies Diagnosis and Rapid Responses to the Entire Philippines (Under Preparation)
 - The Project for Strengthening the Implementation of the Updated Philippine Package of Essential Non-Communicable Disease Interventions (PhilPEN) for Primary Health Care Protocol (Under Preparation)
 - Build Universal Health Care Program (Subprogram 2) (2025)

- Malaysia**
- School Meal Guideline Development (2023-2025)
 - Occupational Safety and Health Management (2024-2026)
 - Project for the Sustainable Control of Zoonotic Malaria through an Integrated Approach (2025-2030)

- Indonesia / Malaysia**
- The Trilateral Collaboration Project for Anti-Infectious Disease Drug Development: from Lead Optimization to Preclinical Testing (2021-2026)

- Indonesia**
- Advisor for Enhancing Pharmaceuticals and Medical Devices Safety (2023-2026)
 - Advisor on Labor Policy (2022-2026)
 - Technical Cooperation Project of Enhancement of Caregiver Competency (2025-2028)
 - Promoting Healthy Growth through Shokuiku (2024-2026)
 - Policy Advisor for Nutritious Meal and Education (2025-2027)

- Laos**
- Health Policy Adviser (2022-2024)
 - Project for Developing Continuing Professional Development System for Nurses and Midwives (2024-2027)
 - Project for Malaria and Neglected Parasitic Diseases Control and Elimination Using Advanced Research Technique, Communication Tools and Eco-health Education (2023-2028)



What JICA aims for

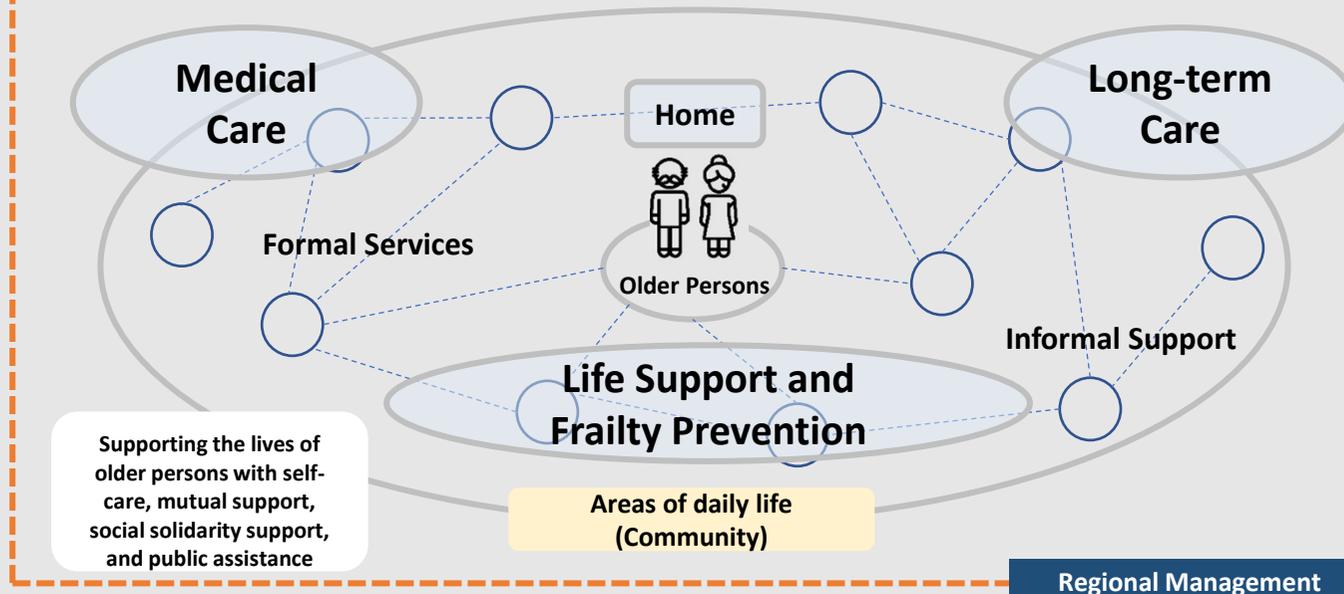
- ◆ Leave No One Behind
- ◆ Human Security

- ◆ Healthy Ageing
- ◆ Ageing as an Opportunity

Priority Cooperation Topics

- Building a system that allows people to live in a familiar community until the end of their lives (community-based integrated care)
- Ensuring the quality of and access to medical care, long-term care, and welfare services (including human resources development)
- Appropriate coordination among medical care, long-term care, and welfare services
- Frailty prevention and extension of healthy life expectancy
- Promotion of social participation and elimination of social isolation (including response to the impact of COVID-19)

Community-based, Person-centered Integrated Care



Strategies and approaches that JICA focuses on

Collective Impact

Collaboration with International Organizations and NGOs etc.

Empowerment

Bring out the full potential of the residents and community

Innovative Initiatives

Digital Transformation (DX), innovation, ICT

Creation and operation of a system to support older persons through institutional improvement and community development

Person-Centered

Emphasis on a perspective working alongside the person concerned and the family

Mutual Learning

Utilizing Japan's experience and lessons learned
Dissemination of good practices
Repatriation of long-term care workers

Multi-Sector

Cross-sectoral collaboration
(ageing x community development, ageing x nutrition etc.)

Multi-Stakeholder

Collaboration between multiple professions and other organizations

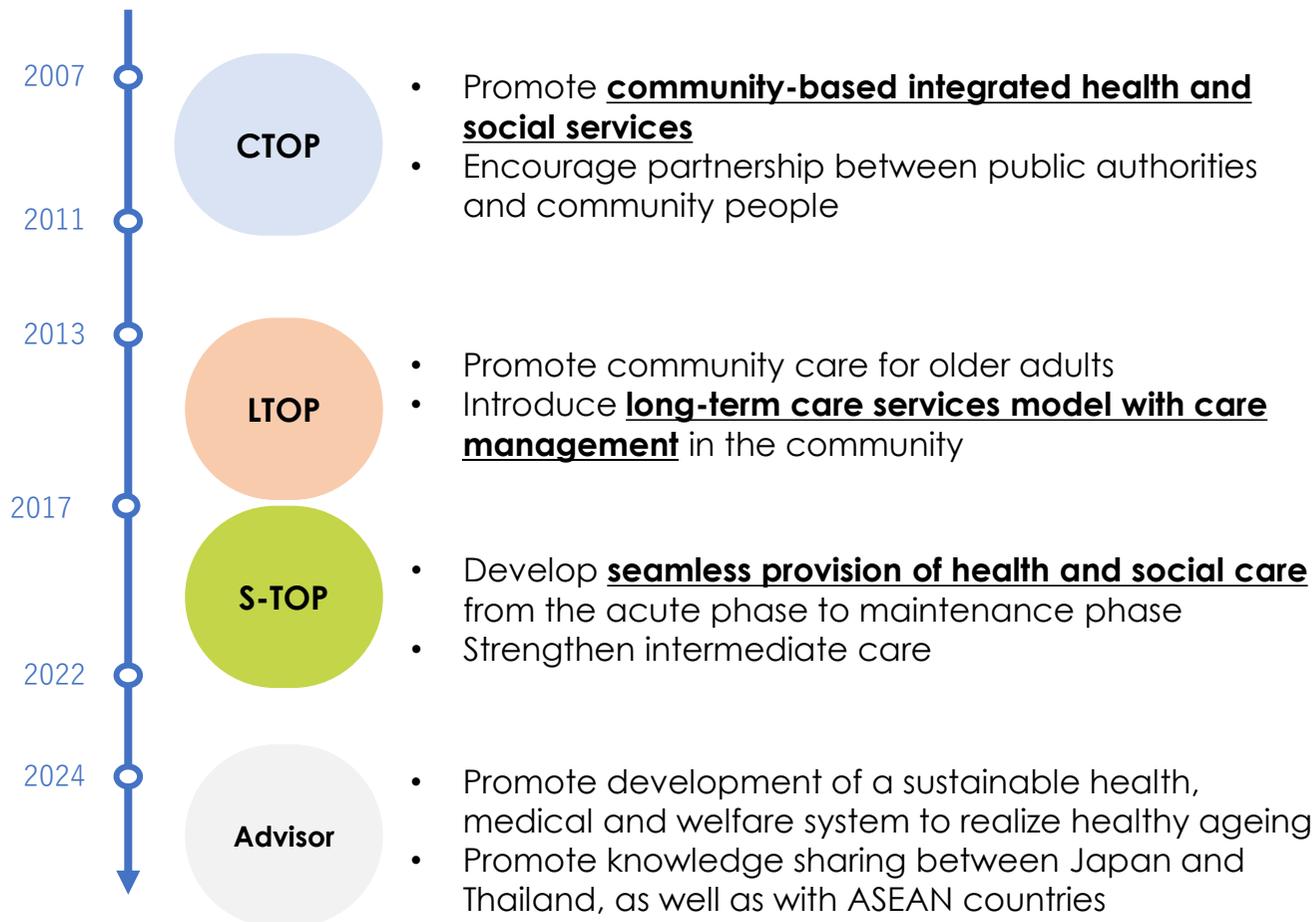


[Background]

- Rapidly ageing population
- Decrease in household size
- Increase in the number of older persons living alone



Supporting older persons in communities!



Advisor on Healthy Ageing January 2024 to January 2026

Expected Outcome

- Sustainable health, welfare, and other social systems will be established to cope with an ageing population, and efforts to realize Healthy Ageing will be promoted.
- Partnership between Thailand and Japan in Healthy Ageing at various levels of industry, government, and academia will be strengthened, and knowledge co-creation will be promoted.
- The experience and knowledge of Japan and Thailand will be shared with other countries, particularly ASEAN member states, to contribute to the realization of Healthy Ageing and preparedness for an ageing society.

