ASEAN Road to Asian Ministerial Conference on Disaster Risk Reduction 2018:

ASEAN Safe Schools Initiative: Achievement

Jakarta, 30-31 May 2018

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Regional Frameworks for ASSI

ASEAN WORK PLAN ON EDUCATION 2016-2020
Principal objective:
Children in ASEAN are more resilient to disasters and have a safe and secure learning environment

Objective 1:
Strengthen advocacy to increase resources and funding, tools, local expertise and guidance for school safety initiatives in the ASEAN region

Objective 2:
Improve capacities at the national level through inter-agency collaboration and the use of a comprehensive school safety framework
The ASEAN Common Framework for CSS

• Elaborates the operationalisation of the CSS Framework into workable plans and programmes for the ASEAN context in concurrence with global efforts for integrating DRR in the education sector

• Strategically guide DRR integration in the education sector through comprehensive interventions, unified actions and synergy at different levels (school, sub-national, national, regional)
PROGRAMME STRATEGY 2017-2020
ASEAN SAFE SCHOOLS INITIATIVE

1. Increased leadership through inter-sectoral coordination mechanism
2. School safety national capacity enhancement
3. Country and regional monitoring report on CSS progress
4. School safety knowledge management in ASEAN
5. Establishment of community of practice
Stakeholder engagements and policy advocacy
Engagement and policy advocacy

- ASSI is a sub-regional initiative to the APCSS in Southeast Asia
- ASSI engages with IFRC through lessons learnt workshop, technical inputs, joint regional event
- ASSI engages with UN agencies (UNESCO, UNICEF, and UNISDR) for promotion of school safety in SEA
- Exchange of resources with other relevant projects in ASEAN
National implementation on school safety

- Establishment of national coordinating mechanism on school safety in Thailand, Indonesia, Philippines, Cambodia
- Working Group on DRR in Myanmar includes school safety as the component for coordination
- Integration of school safety strategies in Myanmar Action Plan for Disaster Risk Reduction
- Dissemination of tools/framework/manual across countries in ASEAN
- Self-assessment suit/digital application for school risk assessment tried out and owned by MOES in Lao PDR
Possible engagements: ASEAN Road to AMCDRR 2018

- Working Children and Youth stakeholder groups
  - Submit youth and children statement separately: 5 of 10 AMSs
- Submitted proposals for the side event and thematic events
- Market place
- Opportunity on bilateral meetings
- Support the engagements of the Education Sector
At a glance

Programmatic umbrella: AADMER Work Programme 2010-2015 & 2016-2020

ASEAN Work Plan on Education 2016-2020, Goal 5.2 Education for Sustainable Development

Global & regional frameworks: SFDRR, WISS

**2013**
- ASSI Project Implementation: Regional & Country

**2014**
- Development and endorsement of ACFCSS

**2015-2016**
- Development of ASSI Programme Strategy 2017-2020
- Inclusion of ASSI in ASEAN Work Plan on Education 2016-2020

**2016**
- CSS Mapping in ASEAN region
- 2nd ASEAN Reg. Conf on School Safety
- Implementation of ASSI Programme Strategy

**2017**
- Inter-sectoral coordination mechanism
- Technical capacity building
- Regional reporting mechanism

**2018**
- Knowledge management
“What I admire about children is their spirit to always learn and be open to new knowledge ... after a series of training, children can pass on the knowledge on hazards to their parents. They know what to do when earthquake happens and they are not afraid anymore”

Marian Pardede, ASEAN School Safety Champion 2017