

2016 Activity Report

2016/7/1 – 2017/6/30

Not-for Profit Corporation
Habitat for Humanity Japan (HFHJ)

1 Overall result of activity

Thanks to many supporters and volunteers, HFHJ was able to continue its Global Village program to provide decent houses in Asia-Pacific region as well as leadership training program mainly for our Campus Chapter students. Domestically, HFHJ continued its emergent response program for the victims of Kumamoto earthquake in April, 2015. Through Project HomeWorks (PHW), a newly embarked domestic program, HFHJ provided the elderly and the handicapped in Tokyo with house repair and cleaning service to improve their housing conditions. Through these activities, HFHJ has gained new partners who support its vision, mission and principles. HFHJ also has sent out the message of importance of participatory civil society as well as housing issues in society.

2 Implementation of projects

(1) Non-Profit projects

Project name	Project content	Date	Place	# of people engaged	# of beneficiaries	Cost (in ¥K)
Aid projects such as building houses and improving environment for those in need of decent housing within the country and abroad	Supported management of volunteer center in Nishihara, Kumamoto as part of disaster response to Kumamoto earthquake. Implemented PHW project for the elderly and the handicapped in Tokyo.	July 2016 – June 2017	Nishihara, Kumamoto Tokyo	50	1 community (6,900 people) 5 families	9,315
Leadership training projects to promote activities within the country and abroad	Provided schemes and opportunities for mainly campus chapter and high school students to better understand international cooperation and housing issues.	July 2016 – June 2017	Japan	5	2,500 students	6,507
Sending staff for alleviation of poverty and disaster relief within the country and abroad	Deployed mainly college and high school students to build/repair houses with home owners under the supervision of building engineers/experts	July 2016 – June 2017	South and Southeast Asia	1,100 mainly CC members	180 households (500 people)	52,296
Developing and providing of technology for low-cost houses within the country and abroad	Cooperated with Habitat partners and donor corporates in the countries/region in need of support	July 2016 – June 2017	Japan (Tokyo), Overseas (India, Bangladesh)	1	210K households	449
Research projects on alleviation of poverty and service-learning within the country and abroad	Cooperated with researchers and received college student interns to cope with housing issues/enhance support needs	July 2016 – June 2017	Japan (Rikkyo University, Aoyama Gakuin University)	3	600 under graduate and graduate students	748
Development of network to exchange information among governments, UN organizations and other NGOs within the country and abroad	Cooperated with other Non-governmental Organization such as Japan Platform (JPF), Japan NGO center for International Cooperation (JANIC) and Tsukuroi Tokyo Fund to tackle the poverty issues	July 2016 – June 2017	Japan	5	N/A	1,047
Promotion and publication of alleviation of poverty	Strived to promote HFHJ's mission and activities through the media such as	July 2016 – June 2017	Japan	5人	N/A	4,485

and homeless within the country and abroad	website, SNS, e-mail and paper newsletters					
(2) Other projects						
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