

2020 Activity Report

2020/7/1 – 2021/6/30

Specified non-profit organization
Habitat for Humanity Japan (Habitat Japan)

1 Overall result of activity

The COVID-19 pandemic had a large financial impact on Habitat Japan, and many activities including volunteer engagement were also restricted throughout FY2021. However, thanks to its donors, supporters and volunteers, Habitat Japan enabled to help those vulnerable populations in Tokyo such as the elderly and the disabled by finding a new place to live and also by improving their living environments. Habitat Japan also provided online leadership programs for the youth volunteer members. In addition, Habitat Japan focused on some shelter / orphanage repairs so that those vulnerable children and single-parent families can live in a safer environment during the pandemic. Habitat Japan continued not only to expand its networking with the partners to realize its vision and mission but also to advocate housing issues and involve more stakeholders to its initiatives.

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 the environment for those in need of decent housing within the country and abroad	Provided housing assistance for those vulnerable populations such as the elderly and the disabled by cleaning homes and by finding a new place to live. Also helped repair some orphanages and shelters to upgrade the facility.	7/16, 7/28, 8/6 8/11, 8/20, 8/26 8/29, 9/3, 9/9 9/17, 9/25, 10/2 10/8, 10/14, 10/18 10/20, 10/21, 10/25 10/29, 11/5, 11/9 11/10 11/16, 11/17 11/18, 11/20, 11/21 12/4, 12/11, 12/15 12/19, 12/22, 1/14 1/17, 1/28, 1/29 2/4, 2/9, 2/10 2/16, 2/19, 2/25 3/2, 3/4, 3/9, 3/12 3/16, 3/17, 3/25 3/26, 3/27, 4/2, 4/6, 4/9, 4/10 4/15, 4/27, 4/28 5/20, 5/27, 5/28 6/2, 6/7, 6/8, 6/9 6/16, 6/23, 6/25 6/28, 6/29	Within 23 wards of Tokyo, centering on Shinjuku-ku Machida city, Tokyo Yokohama City, Kanagawa	161 (52 volunteers, 109 staff)	79 households and 4 organizations (Social Welfare Corporation)	18,430
Leadership training projects to promote activities within the country and abroad	Provided schemes and opportunities for Habitat Japan campus chapter students to better understand international cooperation and housing issues.	7/10, 8/1, 8/21	On-line Seminars	3	176 people	3,969
		10/17 – 10/18	On-line Camp	47	277 people	
		6/6,6/20,6/27	On-line and National Olympics Memorial Youth Center, Shibuya, Tokyo	2	135 people	
Development of network to exchange information among governments, UN organizations and other NGOs within the country and abroad	Cooperated with other non-governmental organizations such as Japan Platform (JPF), Japan NGO center for International Cooperation (JANIC), Housing First Tokyo Project to tackle the poverty issues	Year-round	Japan	5	N/A	1,326

Promotion and publication of alleviation of poverty and homeless within the country and abroad	Strived to promote Habitat Japan's mission and activities through the media such as website, SNSs, e-mail magazines and paper newsletters	Year-round	Japan	5	N/A	2,653
Aid projects such as building houses and improving the environment for those in need of decent housing within the country and abroad; Leadership training projects to promote activities within the country and abroad; Sending staff for alleviation of poverty and disaster relief within the country and abroad; Developing and providing of technology for low-cost houses within the country and abroad; Research projects on alleviation of poverty and service-learning within the country and abroad; Development of network to exchange information among governments, UN organizations and other NGOs within the country and abroad; and Promotion and publication of alleviation of poverty and homeless within the country and abroad	Common activities related to the above projects (planning, preparation, coordination and reporting)	Year-round	Home and abroad	5	N/A	3,762

(2) Other projects

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