



REPORT ON THE PROCESSES OF EXPANDING i-BOSAI* MODEL IN ECUADOR

(*Inclusive Disaster Risk Reduction)

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Introduction to JICA

- ✓ JICA is the implementing agency of i-Bosai Knowledge Co-Creation Program (KCCP)



Position of i-BOSAI in JICA's cooperation

■ Background

Great East Japan Earthquake

Mortality rate of persons with disabilities was **double** the mortality rate of the entire population

Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction

i-BOSAI: Leave no one behind who is vulnerable in a disaster

Basic Act on Disaster Management (Cabinet Office)

Obligation efforts for making individual evacuation plans for persons with disabilities and elderly

■ JICA's cooperation

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| ✓ Disability and Development | Disability main streaming and disability specific program |
| ✓ Disaster Risk Reduction | Capacity building for development of disaster reduction strategy and implementation |
| ✓ i-BOSAI | Disability mainstreaming in the field of disaster risk reduction. |

Implementation of KCCP of i-BOSAI in Ecuador

✓ This KCCP aims to enhance capacity of implementing i-BOSAI for stakeholders, mainly government officers.

■ Challenges in Ecuador

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| High risks to natural hazards | Earthquakes, tsunamis, volcanic eruptions, etc. |
| Lack of solidarity | Government departments related to the welfare of persons with disabilities and disaster risk reduction in central and local governments have not cooperated efficiently. |
| Lack of involvement | Persons with disabilities, their families, and community members are not involved in the development of evacuation plans and management plans of evacuation centers. |
| Insufficient information | The efforts of identifying persons with disabilities who live in areas at high risk for hazards is not enough. |
| Inadequate institutional design | The institution for implementing i-BOSAI in local governments is not developed at the national level. |

■ KCCP Outline

Capability Development for Inclusive Risk Management Focused on Persons with Disability in Community

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| Duration | 2021-2023 |
| Target areas | Puerto Quito, Tena, Patate, Salinas |
| Target organizations | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ministry of Economic and Social Inclusion Secretariat for Risk Management |
| Target persons | Officers from the central and local government (Listeners: persons with disabilities and their family, NGO etc.) |





Final year (2023)

Visiting to Japan

Learn and exchange ideas on how to practice i-BOSAI

Implement and improve the Long-term Action Plan

Ecuador version of i-BOSAI has been implemented

Second year (2022)

Online

Learn about the boundary linking of disaster risk reduction and welfare

Develop and implement a long-term action plan

First year (2021)


Online

Learn the basics of inclusive disaster reduction

Develop and implement a short-term action plan

Site visit by lecturers

[エクアドルにおけるインクルーシブ防災の実践 \(480p\).mp4](#)

A woman with dark hair, wearing a black blazer and a necklace, is speaking in an office. The background shows a window with blinds, a whiteboard, and a wall with several small photographs. The lighting is bright, likely from overhead office lights.

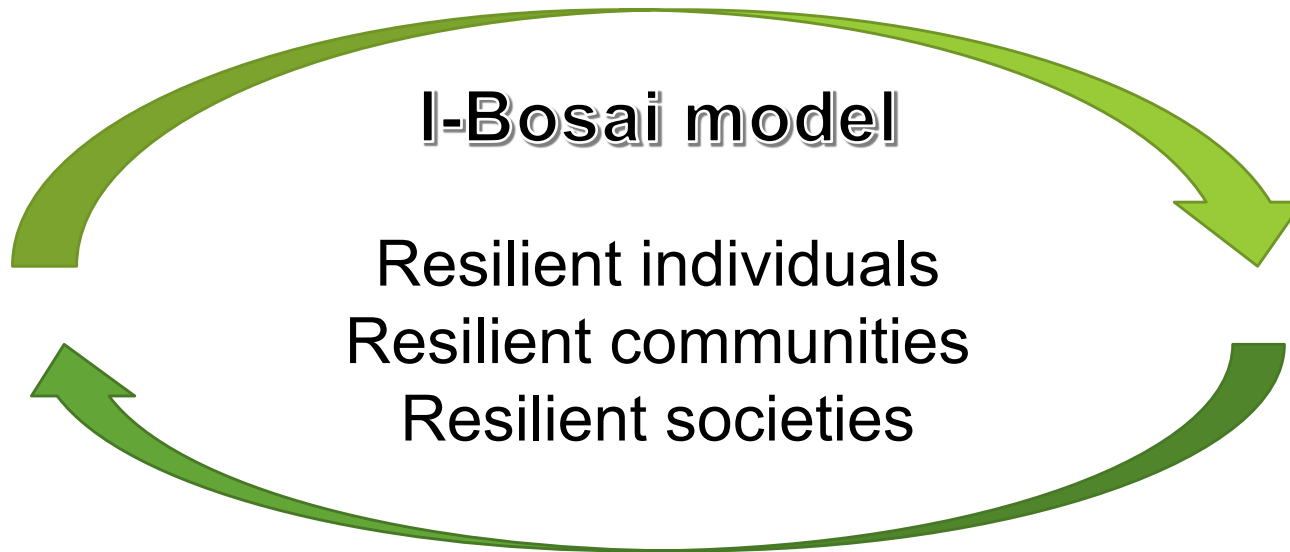
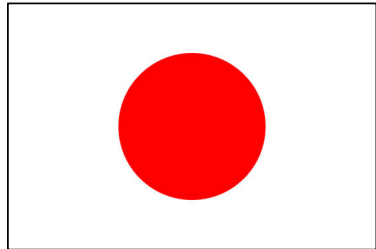
エクアドルでは、いくつかの社会的不平等が依然残っています。
Ecuador is a country affected by several social inequalities,

Ms. Cecilia Bassantes
 Ministry of Economic and Social Inclusion
 経済社会参画省

障害者は自分自身で身につけた防災知識と、コミュニティのサポートによって、障害者自身が自分の命を救い、災害時にも安全な場所にたどり着くことができます。
 in which the Persons with Disabilities, through the knowledge acquired and the commitment of the community, can save their lives and get to safe places.

Ms. Daniela Casillas
 Risk Management Secretariat
 危機管理庁

I-BOSAIの手法は、「障害者の命を救う」という同じ目標に向かって全員が働くという、(福祉と防災の) 組織間の調整作業が重要な要素であることを示してくれました。
 The I-BOSAI methodology has shown us that a key component is the coordinated inter-institutional work where everyone works towards one same goal: Saving the lives of Persons with Disabilities.



Future prospects

- The final year (2023) of the KCCP will be implemented in Japan.
Learn about i-BOSAI model each other by exchanging some challenges and good practices in their own communities.
- Expand of mainstreaming of i-BOSAI model in Latin America and Asia

