



Safe community Steering committee District 12 TEHRAN MUNICIPALITY



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Name of the Community:

Safe community Steering committee District 12

Country:

Iran

Number of inhabitants in the community:

365,000 peoples

Safe Community Program started year:

2011

International Safe Communities Network Membership

Designation year :

2013

Name of the Certifying Centre:

European Safe Community Certifying Centre

Info address on www for the Program:

www.safertehran12.com

The program covers the following safety promotion activities



For the age group

Children 0-14 years:

Since the highest number of accidents in this age groups include traffic incidents, fall and burn and most plans in relations with this age group is to prevent those incidents and most often, this age group, due to age requirements face accidents at home, school, game environments and the trip paths between the three previous environments; therefore, following actions are in priority as substructure:

- √ Publication and distribution of safe education brochures on children literature
- √ Dispatch of a play group to present plays in kindergartens and elementary schools in the region
- √ To teach kindergartens instructors and elementary schools teaches to convey safety education to children
- √ To use students in school police and school discipline workers
- √ Arrangement of cultural-education competitions for students and children on accidents prevention
- √ To teach traffic rules to pre-school and kindergarten students practically
- √ To familiarize students with their rights through pamphlets, paintings and classrooms.

√ To familiarize parents on providing safe life for children through distribution of Safe Life Book for children in some blocks and teaching to school teachers and principals as work priorities for this age group.

√ To teach first aids to school students

√ To supply and distribute safety education brochures for Chaharshanbehsuri (Last Wednesday Night of the year Fireworks Ceremony).

√ To teach earthquake control through maneuvers

√ To fix safety devices sport saloon.

√ To keep first aids boxes in gymnasiums

√ To safe water sprinkles in school yards

√ To arrange Children World Day in presence of hundreds of children and students in the district.(2011-2012)



15 - 24 years old

Due to the Grand Bazaar of Tehran, there are numerous motorcycles trips in this region that lead to many traffic risks.

Based on following diagram, there is some policymaking in this field include:

- √ Establishment of bicycle terminal in bazaar area
- √ Ruling prohibited areas for the sedan cars in the bazaar site
- √ Establishment of long passenger vans terminals to take people from Imam square to the bazaar free of charge
- √ Establishment of Carts trips paths from Imam Square to Bazaar
- √ Geometric correction of pedestrians' paths and streets leading to bazaar
- √ Implementing safe roads structure and specialty barriers to prevent motorcycles to the sidewalks
- √ Omission of vehicles trips paths and allocating half of streets to pedestrians' paths in bazaar area
- √ Identification of accident risk points in the region by traffic accidents work team
- √ Fixing sufficient traffic signs and lamps in the area and bazaar
- √ Zebra lining for pedestrians and passenger paths
- √ Recoating the asphalt
- √ Fixing expertise speed control in the region
- √ Establishment of Safe Island in high scored trip paths
- √ The area of grand bazaar from Imam Khomeini square, once considered as the highest accident risk paths of the region is geometrically corrected 100 percent and therefore, the accidents have been significantly decreased.
- √ Mounting overpass for pedestrians' trips
- √ Building special ramps for the passage of the disabled
- √ Extension and establishment of zebras and new alarm signs for pedestrians
- √ To advertise and propagate safety culture from the viewpoints of safe community indexes
- √ To prepare statistics data, classifying and priority list of various damages as per the type, gender, frequency and...

- √ Safe leisure time for the above-mentioned age group in form of cultural, scientific, sports, and religious...plans within safe community approach
- √ Expansion of production and distribution of educational products to familiarize students of these age groups with high risk relations
- √ Execution of education plans for school teachers and families to familiarize them with the requirements of those ages and preventing damages
- √ Developing culture and making driving and bicycle and motorcycles riding safe
- √ Permanent and on call ambulance in SHAHR Water World to transfer victims of unprecedented accidents to medical centers fast
- √ To make important recreation centers such as Park SHAHR safe.

25 - 64 years

Traffic incidents are the most important factors in the accidents. The vulnerabilities in this age group are mostly accidents in urban and passage environments. By taking the safe community approach, the following policymaking has been already done and following actions have already been initiated:

- √ Cooperation between sections of safe community strategic committee with all relevant organizations such as police, fire department...
- √ Identification of traffic, social and safety accident risk places as per block
- √ Execution of volunteer fire fighters and giving them necessary practical trainings in this respect
- √ To produce safety education and cultural products for housewives
- √ Taking education measures to prevent silent death, suffocation caused by carbon monoxide gas
- √ To perform prevention plans for traffic accidents through distributing necessary brochures in this respect
- √ To teach female fire fighters with respect to the religious conditions of the country
- √ Establishment of substructure of traffic cultural contests by safety principles in motorcycle riding scope
- √ Execution of volunteers' education plans in safety and crisis affairs.



+ 64 years Old

The most frequent risk of accidents in this age group is for reasons such as fall (particularly from leveled height) and traffic accidents (as passenger), hitting car and motorcycle.

- √ Making sidewalks safe for the ease and safety of trips of old aged particularly in Bazaar area
- √ Establishment of suitable ramps alongside stairs in public places
- √ Special electrical overpass for pedestrians
- √ Removal of physical barriers in 32 parks of the region
- √ Presentation of health and safety consultation services in the stands of exhibitions held in the District.
- √ Design of suitable passages for safety and comfortable trips by the old aged individuals
- √ Promotion of safety of houses to prevent incidents such as fall through education (through developing by-laws and its careful execution by organizations such as municipality, fire department and engineering system)
- √ Provision of suitable spaces and safe equipment in recreational spots for the old aged
- √ Execution of leveling sidewalks of the region
- √ To teach families on the safety of the old aged in health houses in form of workshops and educational brochures.

Natural Disaster:

- teaching about safety in disaster natural in schools and organize in district 12.
- Holding monthly meetings with the authorities of the disaster relief institutions and offices
- Establishment of the crisis management headquarter
- Various earthquake and natural disasters preparedness maneuvers
- Training the Families and the students for natural disasters preparedness
- Designing and distribution of Leaflets and brochures among the families

Violence prevention:

- Developing life skills in children and adults
- Preventing violence by reducing the availability and harmful use of illegal drugs .
- Reducing violence through victim identification, care and support programs
- Developing communication in women in order to prevent social hazards against them
- Preventing violence through the development of safe, stable and nurturing relationships between children and their parents
- Changing cultural and social norms that support violence

Programs aiming a “High risk-groups”

The most important plans in the region for the safety of the vulnerable risk groups are traffic work teams, women and children’s safety against hostility and physical-social damages and the safety work team of bazaar.

Identification of factors that create such incidents and damages is in the first priority of strategy committee of the region in order to develop and execute the five year long-term plan for preventing such accidents. Of course, there are other risks in the region, the substructures of establishing their work teams have already been prepared.

Elderly:

- teaching about safety for Elderly at home , street , park & etc...
- Holding ceremony and celebration for elderly citizens
- Leveling the sidewalks to prevent elderly citizens fall-off
- Training families who have an old member with regard to treatment, safety, and diseases of this age group
- Designing and installing mobile ramps in buses of the city to facilitate elderly citizens transportation .

Publications:

- Safe Chaharshanbeh Suri brochures for students and children.
- Safe Seasonal House Cleaning brochure for families for New Year .
- Influenza type A prevention brochure.
- Safe community and driving brochures.
- Prevention of last Wednesday fire games brochure.
- CO2 gas silent deaths prevention brochures.
- Pamphlet of how to drive to stay healthy.
- Pamphlets of Safety Message Notes for Children.
- Several other brochures in various safety areas.

Staff:



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Mayor and chairman of the safe community steering committee at District 12.



Farhad Naderzad :

Secretary of the Safe community Steering Committee of District 12.



Mostafa foroutan :

Delegation and expert of policymaking council of Safe community at district 12

Professions: full-time

Organization:

- All deputies of municipality of the district
- Council of blocks of the district
- Head of Education Department
- Manager of Engineering Unit of Traffic Organization
- Head of Crisis Management Quarter of the district
- Head of Fire Departments of the district
- Police commander of the district
- Traffic police dept.
- Head of Electrical Power Department.
- Head of Gas Department
- Head of Abfa Department and...(water organization)

International commitments:

- Participation in 5th International Neurosurgical Symposium October 4-7, 2012, Tehran, Iran
- Participation in conferences held in the municipality, safe societies of the region and other organizations
- Participation in the education workshops for preventing intentional incidents such as suicide
- Participation in the workshop for familiarizing with the principles of safe community in other regions.
- Holding the large conference on Children's International Day with participation of more than one thousand children in the community
- Participation in seminars for preventing silent deaths caused by carbon monoxides
- Participation in the scientific workshops of work environment safety
- Participation in the congress for justified safety promotion of students.
- Participation in 16th International safe community conference .Sweden(2011)
