

Form B

Kagoshima City, Japan



Name of the Community: Kagoshima City

Country: Japan

Number of inhabitants in the community: 595,049 people (as of January 1, 2020)

Safe Community Programme started year: 2013

◆ International Safe Communities Network Membership :

Designation year: 2016, 2021

Name of the Certifying Centre: Center for Community Safety Promotion (Korea)

Info address on www for the Programme : No (See URL below)

<https://www.city.kagoshima.lg.jp/anshin/bosai/torikumi/index.html>

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Presentation of the Safe Community Programmes

For the age group

Children 0-14 years

Home :

- Use of Safety (including Perception of Safety) Guidebook
- Childcare support home visit project
- Safe home stock support project
- Transmission of information on accidents and injuries sustained at home (Seminars) (A)
- Safety education for children
- Safety inspections of classrooms and school grounds by staff (Kindergartens, nursery schools)
- Activities to develop physical strength & athletic ability



Traffic :

- Traffic Safety Class, Crime Prevention Class
- Setting of School Route Guards
- Maintenance of Zone 30
- Hold participation and experience type traffic safety classes, for children and parents
- Preparation of traffic safety map

School :

- Maintenance of School Safety Organization by entire community (Watching over school commutes, professional direction on operating safety patrols, evaluation of all-school safety maintenance)
- School Counseling (on bullying, etc.)
- School patrols, preparation of hazard map, Indication of Hazards, Preparation of injury-prevention posters, Educational Reminders at School Assemblies, Thorough warm-up exercises (B) , Captains' meeting

Sports :

- Youth Sports Group Instructor Seminar

Leisure :

- Safety inspections of playground equipment, etc., in parks and other locations



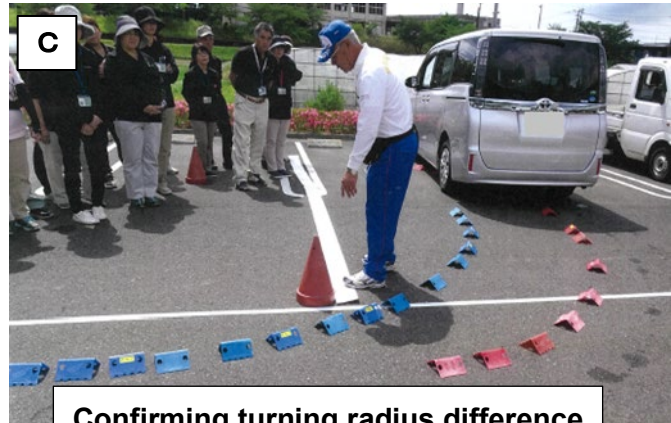
Youth 15-24 years

Home :

- Use of Safety (including Perception of Safety) Guidebook
- Safe home stock support project
- Dementia safety seminar

Traffic :

- Traffic Safety Class, Crime Prevention Class
- Maintenance of Zone 30
- Seat-belt awareness activities
- Traffic safety seminars for companies, etc. (C)
- Preparation of traffic safety map



Occupational :

- Work Consultations
- Promotion of Risk Assessments
- Supervision and instruction, group instruction, patrols with disaster prevention groups, etc.

School :

- Maintenance of School Safety Organization by entire community (Watching over school commutes, professional direction on operating safety patrols, evaluation of all-school safety maintenance)
- School Counseling (on bullying, etc.)
- School patrols, preparation of hazard map, Indication of Hazards, Preparation of injury-prevention posters, Educational Reminders at School Assemblies, Thorough warm-up exercises, Captains' meeting

Sports :

- Training of Community Sports Instructors

Leisure :

- Safety inspections of playground equipment, etc., in parks and other locations

Adults 25-64 years

Home :

- Safety (including Perception of Safety) Guidebook
- Safe home stock support project
- Dementia safety seminars

Traffic :

- Traffic Safety Class, Crime Prevention Class
- Maintenance of Zone 30
- Seat-belt awareness activities
- Traffic safety seminars for companies, etc.
- Preparation of traffic safety map

Occupational :

- Work Consultations
- Promotion of Risk Assessments
- Supervision and instruction, group instruction, patrols with disaster prevention groups, etc.

Sports :

- Training of Community Sports Instructors

Leisure :

- Safety inspections of playground equipment, etc., in parks and other locations

Elderly 65+ years

Home :

- Use of Safety (including Perception of Safety) Guidebook
- Safe home stock support project
- Dementia safety seminar
- Holding of cooking classes and seminars for tumbling prevention
- Holding of the tumbling prevention class (D)
- Improvement of living environment
- Awareness raising about dementia
- Watch-over activity for elderly households



Traffic :

- Traffic Safety Class, Crime Prevention Class
- Maintenance of Zone 30
- Seat-belt awareness activities
- Traffic safety seminars for companies, etc.
- Hold participation and experience type traffic safety classes, etc.
- Traffic safety education during visits to homes of senior citizens
- Promotion of wearing reflective materials at night
- Preparation of traffic safety map

Occupational :

- Work Consultations
- Promotion of Risk Assessments
- Supervision and instruction, group instruction, patrols with disaster prevention groups, etc.

Sports :

- Training of Community Sports Instructors

Leisure :

- Safety inspections of playground equipment, etc., in parks and other locations

Natural disasters

- Training of Independent Disaster Response Groups
- General Emergency Drills for Sakurajima Volcano Eruption (E)
- Refinement of evacuation shelter guide signs
- Understanding of resident's evacuation state
- Establishment of evacuation system for people requiring assistance for evacuation
- Strengthening of evacuation drills



Safety in public

- Project to create bicycle travel network
- Support of Community Safety and Security Network Council Activities
- Seminar on Public Hospital Safety and Security for all employees
- Seismic retrofitting of public facilities
- Water safety training

Violence prevention (intentional injuries)

- Gender Equality Center management project (consultation program)
- Senior Citizen Abuse Prevention Network promotion program
- Provision of consultation services for parents concerned about childcare, and provision of information on childcare experiences
- Seminars on preventing child abuse
- Provision and education of information for DV prevention
- Increase quality of counselors (Hold seminars on supporting DV victims, etc.)
- Youth-led activities for preventing violence against youth (F)



Suicide prevention (self-inflicted injuries)

- Consultations Regarding Suicide
- Promotion and education on suicide prevention
- Support to people aged between 50 and 69
(Holding of Gatekeeper Training Seminars)
- Setting of place for easy consultations (G)
- Promotion of consultation services



Programs aiming at "High risk-groups"

People in 50s and 60s at high-risk of suicide

- Promotion and education on suicide prevention
- Support to people aged between 50 and 69
(Holding of Gatekeeper Training Seminars)
- Setting of place for easy consultations
- Promotion of consultation services

Children being abused

- Provision of consultation services for parents concerned about childcare, and provision of information on childcare experiences
- Seminars on preventing child abuse

Senior citizens susceptible to injury from falling

- Holding of cooking class for preventing falls, lectures, fall prevention classes, etc.
- Improvement of living environment

Women subject to abuse (DV: Domestic Violence)

- Hold educational lectures and seminars, etc. on preventing DV
- Increase quality of counselors (Hold seminars on supporting DV victims, etc.)

Elderly drivers

- Hold participation and experience type traffic safety classes, etc.

Persons living in high-risk environments

- Understanding of resident's evacuation state (Preparation of resident directory)
- Establishment of evacuation system for people requiring assistance for evacuation
- Strengthening of evacuation drills

Surveillance of injuries

Kagoshima City gathers and utilizes preexisting vital demographic statistics and emergency transport data provided by various agencies to determine trends in the occurrence of external injuries.

Questionnaires are also given to the citizens in order to gain a better understanding of close-call incidents, and awareness in terms of safety and security, information which cannot be covered by preexisting data.

【 Main recorded data and frequency of collection 】

	Degree of injury				Recorded data	Recorded detail	Frequency of collection	Sector						
	Death	Injury	Close call	Other				Traffic	School	Child	Senior Citizen	DV	Suicide	Disaster Prevention
①	○				Demographic statistics (Kagoshima City Health and Welfare)	Situation of deaths from accidents or suicide, etc.	Yearly	○		○	○		○	○
②	○	○			Emergency transport (Fire Defense annual report)	Situation of transports by type of accident (traffic accidents, etc.)	Yearly	○		○	○		○	○
③		○			Medical data (3 hospitals in Kagoshima City)	Situation of hospitalization by injury/disease category	Yearly			○	○			
④	○				Special tabulation of suicide statistics Document data	Situation of deaths from suicide	Yearly						○	
⑤	○	○			Police statistics (traffic accident statistics analysis table)	Situation of deaths and injuries from traffic accidents	Yearly	○						
⑥		○			Situation of accidents, etc. during school management (Japan Sports Council Disaster Relief Funds data)	Situation of accidents, etc. covered by student disaster relief fund payments	Yearly		○					
⑦			○		Survey on accidents and injuries	Survey regarding accidents and injuries such as experiences of Hiyari Hatto close calls	Periodic	○		○	○	○	○	○
⑧				○	Survey of program status (for students)	Survey of elementary and junior high school students at model schools on programs level of awareness and implementation of injury prevention programs	Yearly		○					
⑨				○	Number of consultations on child abuse	Situation of consultations on child abuse	Yearly			○				
⑩				○	Situation of long-term care insurance certification	Situation of long-term care insurance certification	Yearly				○			
⑪				○	Number of consultations on senior citizen abuse	Situation of consultations on senior citizen abuse	Yearly				○			
⑫				○	Number of consultations on Domestic violence (DV)	Situation of consultations on DV	Yearly					○		
⑬				○	Resident's awareness survey on gender equality	Resident's awareness and situation on gender equality	As needed					○		
⑭				○	Number of Sakurajima eruptions/explosions	Situation of Sakurajima eruptions and explosions	Yearly							○



Publications

- Pamphlet

We have created and distributed a pamphlet with information about the Safe Community Program.

- Handbook

We have created and distributed a handbook for elementary and junior high school students with easy-to-understand explanations of key points for preventing accidents and injuries

- Others

The “Resident’s Plaza” is a monthly publication for Kagoshima’s citizens which publicizes organizations’ Safe Community activities.

Staff

Number : 7 people

Professions : Kagoshima City Staff

part-time or full-time : 7 in full time (Full time post 4, Concurrent post 3)

Permanent : 5 people

Temporary : 2 people

Organization

- Specific cross-sectoral leadership group for safety promotion :

Kagoshima City Safe Community Steering Committee

Kagoshima City Injury Surveillance Committee

Kagoshima City Cross Sector Task Forces

(7 areas: Traffic Safety, School Safety, Child Safety, Senior Citizen Safety, DV (Domestic Violence) Prevention, Suicide Prevention, Disaster Prevention, Disaster Measures)

- General public health/health promotion group :

Kagoshima City Health and Welfare Bureau, Kagoshima City Child Support Bureau, Kagoshima City Public Health Center, Health Center

International commitments (After the previous designation in 2016)

December. 2016 Held exchange meeting with citizens of Jinhua, Tainan City, Taiwan, etc.

November. 2018 Plenary Speech and poster presentation at 9th Asian Regional Conference on Safe Communities in Atsugi

National commitments (After the previous designation in 2016)

January 2016	Participated in 4th Japan Safe Community annual meeting (hosted by JISC) (in Kagoshima City)
February 2016	Participated in Koka City, Shiga Prefecture Designation Ceremony
August 2016	Participated in on-site evaluation of Izumiotsu City, Osaka Participated in Safe Community Workshop hosted by JISC (in Izumiotsu City, Osaka)
October 2016	Participated in Izumiotsu City, Osaka Designation Ceremony
February 2017	Participated in Minowa Town, Nagano Prefecture on-site evaluation for Re-designation Participated in 5th Japan Safe Community annual meeting (hosted by JISC) (in Minowa Town, Nagano Prefecture)
July 2017	Participated in Safe Community Workshop hosted by JISC (in Atsugi City, Kanagawa Prefecture)
October 2017	Participated in Kurume City, Fukuoka Prefecture pre-on-site evaluation for Re-designation
February 2018	Participated in Toshima City, Tokyo Re-designation Ceremony Participated in Koriyama City, Fukushima Prefecture Designation Ceremony Participated in 6th Japan Safe Community annual meeting (hosted by JISC) (in Koriyama City, Fukushima Prefecture)
July 2018	Participated in Kameoka City, Kyoto Prefecture on-site evaluation for second Re-designation Participated in Kurume City, Fukuoka Prefecture on-site evaluation for Re-designation
August 2018	Participated in Matsubara City, Osaka on-site evaluation for Re-designation Participated in Safe Community Workshop hosted by JISC (in Osaka City)
October 2018	Participated in Sakae Ward, Yokohama City, Kanagawa Prefecture Re-designation Ceremony
November 2018	Participated in Kameoka City, Kyoto Prefecture second Re-designation Ceremony Participated in Matsubara City, Osaka Re-designation Ceremony
December 2018	Participated in Kurume City, Fukuoka Prefecture Re-designation Ceremony Participated in 7th Japan Safe Community annual meeting (hosted by JISC) (in Kurume City, Fukuoka Prefecture)
July 2019	Participated in Saitama City, Saitama Prefecture on-site evaluation
October 2019	Participated in Chichibu City, Saitama Prefecture pre-on-site evaluation for Re-designation Participated in Towada City, Aomori Prefecture on-site evaluation for second Re-designation



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October 2019 Participated in Atsugi City, Kanagawa Prefecture pre-on-site evaluation for second Re-designation

November 2019 Participated in Saitama City, Saitama Prefecture Designation Ceremony

* JISC: Japan Institute of Safe Communities