

## Empower Public Private Partnership to Reach Elderly and People with Disability through Volunteer-based Humanitarian Agency, University and Social Network in Central Java and South Sulawesi, Indonesia: A Pilot Intervention Lesson Learned

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### Background

- Older people and people with disability are two main participants to be reached.
- People with disability (PwD) is not specific listed in national COVID-19 vaccination data dashboard.<sup>1</sup>
- AIHSP tried to reach elderly and people with disability more effectively through public private partnership and compare the output from 3 different intervention.

### Methods

- Central Java Red Cross empowered their volunteer to reach elderly and PwD in the village level of 9 districts.
- IKM IKK conducted structured rapid community assessment, developed social behavior-based counseling cards, trained volunteers, and deployed educators, social mobilizers, and medical staff to support primary health care reaching the elderly and PwD in Maros district, South Sulawesi.
- AIHSP advocate inclusive vaccination through disability rights awareness discussion, collaborative network, and high-level discussion with local government in 5 districts, in South Sulawesi. Then supported the government agency and People with Disability organizations at the district level and actuated an inclusive vaccine event.

### Conclusions

Advocating disability rights, creating an enabling environment, and involving community-based organizations are potential approaches to reach more people with disability.

Delivering outreach through a local grounded humanitarian agency (i.e Indonesian Red Cross) can be a potential approach to reach the older people, especially at village level at a **lower cost**.

Government can utilize private partnership to improve vaccination coverage with cost ranging from **AUD 4.57 to AUD 170/person** with systematic outreach intervention

### Specific Aims & Objectives

Reaching older people and People with Disability through humanitarian agency (Central Java Red Cross) and Family Health Science Department Hasanuddin University (IKM IKK) South Sulawesi and Social network advocacy (AIHSP).

### Results

- **AIHSP-supported Central Java Red Cross team** worked in 9 districts of Central Java from April to August 2022. They delivered **168,800 doses**. They reached 49.6% men and 50% women in total, of which are **21,142 older people** and **229 people with disability**.
- **AIHSP-supported IKM IKK team** reached **13,810 people; 1,386 older people** and **45 people with disability** from June to August 2022.
- The 5 AIHSP inclusive vaccination events in South Sulawesi have successfully administered COVID-19 vaccines to **760 people**: 371 women (48%) and 389 men (52%). There were **32 older people** (13 women and 19 men) and **186 people with disability** (80 women and 106 men).
- The **cost per person** of reaching the total target population works out at **AUD 4.57 for PMI, AUD 148 for IKM-IKK** and **AUD 170 for IDCOMM**.

IKM IKK Vaccinator and Social Educator Training (Photo: AIHSP)



Central Java Red Cross Vaccination outreach (Photo: AIHSP)



AIHSP inclusive vaccination – social network (Photo: AIHSP)

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#### Reference:

<sup>1</sup>Ministry of Health Government of Indonesia vaccine dashboard <https://vaksin.kemkes.go.id/#/vaccines>