

Sunday, April 22, 2007

Workshop on Road Safety Current Status, challenges and Paving the way towards Safe Roads

Amman, 23 April 2007

Objective of the Workshop:

- ✓ To review the strengths, achievements, challenges of the road safety measurements and address the gaps in all issues (e.g. legislation....) concerning prevention and reduction of traffic injuries.
- ✓ To develop recommendations for the improvement of road safety and reduction of traffic injuries.

Agenda:

- Opening.
- Presentation on the Situation of Road Safety in Jordan
- Presentation on Legislation
- Presentation on Road Engineering
- Presentation on Road Traffic Fatalities
- Presentation on emergency service for traffic injuries
- Presentation on Road Safety Awareness
- Group work.
- Group presentations.
- Discussion.
- Conclusions and Recommendations
- Closing.

Category of Participants:

- Ministry of Health
- Ministry of Public Works
- Ministry of Religious Affairs
- Ministry of Education
- Civil Defense
- Traffic Awareness Project (RHAS)
- National Institute for Forensic Medicine
- Royal Medical Services
- Public Security Directorate (PSD)
- Jordan Traffic Department/ Public Security Directorate
- Jordan Traffic Institute/ Public Security Directorate
- National Council For Family Affairs (NCFA)
- Public Transport Regulatory commission (PTRC)
- Municipality
- Civil Society Organizations
- Media
- UN agencies WHO, UNICEF, UNESCO, UNDP, WFP, UNIFEM & UNFPA
- Royal Automobile Club
- Insurance Union
- Youth Higher council

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Tentative Program of the Workshop

Registration of Participants: 08:30 – 09:00

Opening Session: 09.00-09.30

- **Speech by the Organizing Committee**
- **Speech by the Deputy Director of General Security**
- **Speech by Undersecretary MOH**

Coffee Break: 09.30-10.00

Technical Session: 10.00-1700

Time	Activity	Resource Person
0930-1000	Coffee break	
1000-1020	Objectives of the Workshop	
1020-1030	Situation of Road Safety in Jordan	Jordan Traffic Institute/ PSD
1030-1140	Legislation	Jordan Traffic Department/ PSD
1140-1150	Road construction	Ministry of Works and the Municipality
1150-1200	Public Transport Strategy	Dr Hashim Al-Masaeid/ PTRC
1200-1210	Rescue of Road Traffic Injuries	Civil Defense
1210-1220	Forensic Medicine and Road Fatalities	National Institute of Forensic Medicine
12-20-1230	Road Safety and Awareness	Traffic Awareness Project (RHAS)
1230-1300	Discussion	
1300-1400	Lunch and Prayer Break	
1400-1410	Plenary Group Work	
1410-1540	Group Work	
1540-1600	Coffee Break	
1600-1630	Groups Presentations and Recommendations	
1630-1700	Closing Remarks	

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Guidelines for Presentation

Each presentation will be not more than 10 minutes and contains no more than 8 slides focusing the following issues:

- 1. Brief on Current Situation**
- 2. Role and Responsibility**
- 3. Implementation of Recommendations (4-5 July 2005)**
- 4. Strengths/achievements**
- 5. Limitations**
- 6. Challenges**
- 7. Course of action**
- 8. Expectations**

Key Messages to be incorporated in the presentation:

1. Message #1

Road traffic injuries are a global public health and developmental problem

2. Message #2

Road traffic injuries greatly impact upon young lives
-Second leading cause of death for people aged 5-25 years globally
-In Jordan 300 people between 3 to 23 died from road traffic accidents in 2006

3. Message #3

Road traffic injuries can be prevented

-Seatbelts

-In Jordan reasons:

A-Not taking the proper measures main reason

B-Tailing second reason

C-Not giving priority to others

4. Message #4

Road safety is no accident: political commitment

5. Message #5

International Cooperation is crucial to strengthening national road safety efforts: information sharing and resource mobilization:

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The last day for submission of the presentations will be Sunday 15th April 2007 and small group will revise them on Tuesday 17th April 2007 at 12:00 noon at WHO premises. The committee formed as follow

- 1) Dr Hashim Elzein Elmousaad (WHO)
- 2) Ms Hind Lara Mango (UNICEF)
- 3) Dr Sana Nafa (WHO)
- 4) Colonel Awwad Abudarwish
- 5) Ms Tatyana Elkour (WHO)

This, in addition to the 7 presenters.

Group Formation:

The participants will work under following four themes:

- A. Legislations
- B. Road engineering
- C. Road Traffic Injuries – (Rescue, management and Forensic)
- D. Road Safety Awareness

The list of Presentations for the Workshop

No	Name of the Organization	Name of the Presenter	Title of the Presentation
1.	Jordan Traffic Institute/ PSD	Colonel Emad Hajarat Director of the Jordan Traffic Institute	Current situation of Road Traffic Injuries in Jordan
2.	Jordan Traffic Department/ PSD		Legislation
3.	Ministry of Works and the Municipality		Road construction
4.	Public Transport Regulatory commission (PTRC)	Dr Hashim Al-Masaeid PTRC	Public Transport Strategy
5.	Civil Defense		Rescue of Road Traffic Injuries
6.	National Institute for Forensic Medicine	Dr Mo'men Al-Hadidi – Director National Institute for Forensic Medicine	Forensic Medicine and Road Traffic Fatalities
7.	Traffic Awareness Project (RHAS) Jordan Traffic Institute/ PSD Municipality	Ms Noor Dajani (RHAS)	Road Safety and Awareness

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Expected Number of Participants

Organization	Number of Participants	Remarks
1. Ministry of Health	4	
2. Ministry of Public Works	2	
3. Ministry of Education	2	
4. Ministry of Religious Affairs	2	
5. Public Security Directorate (PSD)	2	
6. Jordan Traffic Department/ PSD	2	
7. Civil Defense	4	
8. Forensic Medicine	4	
9. Jordan Traffic Institute/ PSD	2	
10. Royal Medical Services	1	
11. National Council for Family Affairs (NFCA)	4	
12. National Awareness for Traffic (RHAS)	3	
13. Jordanian Society for Prevention of Road Accidents	2	
14. Public Transport Regulatory commission (PTRC)	2	
15. Municipality	2	
16. Civil Society Organizations	4	
17. Media	5	
18. UN agencies UNICEF(3) UNESCO (2) WHO (3) UNDP (1) UNFPA (1) WFP (1) UNIFEM (1)	12	
19. Royal Automobile Club	1	
20. Insurance Union	2	
21. Youth Higher council	2	
22. Universities (Academia)	2	
Total	66	