



# World Conference on Disaster Reduction

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Title	Cooperation in Disaster Medicine
Organization	Hyogo Emergency Medical Center / JICA HYOGO/ Humanitarian Medical Assistance(HuMA)/ WHO Kobe Centre
Speakers	ジェロニモ・グイスト (JICA「中米地域防災対策研修」研修員) アレックス・ヴァスコネス (JICA「アンデス災害医療マネジメント研修」研修員) 廣澤仁 (JICA国際緊急援助隊 事務局) 中山伸一 (兵庫県災害医療センター 副センター長) 中野京子 (災害人道医療支援会 事務局) ヴィルフリート・クライゼル (WHO神戸センター 所長)
Report	<p>The public forum entitled “Cooperation in Disaster Medicine” was a great success with 150 audiences.</p> <p>In the 1<sup>st</sup> part, Mr. Guisto and Mr.Vasconez, both JICA Participants, explained the outline of the past disasters in Central and South America, the future risks and possible countermeasures against the risks.</p> <p>In the 2<sup>nd</sup> part, on the subject of “the present situation of Japan’s international cooperation in disaster medicine”, Mr. Hirosawa (JICA, JDR), Dr. Nakayama (Hyogo Emergency Medical Center), Ms. Nakano (HuMA) and Dr. Kreisel (WHO Kobe Centre) introduced the lessons and the problems arisen from their activities.</p> <p>In the last part, both speakers and audiences had a hot discussion on international cooperation in disaster and disaster medicine.</p> <p>The forum concluded that it is essential for various organizations especially the ones participated in this forum and the government to complement each other in order for the disaster medical management to be carried out effectively and to have sustainable measures not only for an emergent state but also for reconstruction and preparedness.</p>
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