COUNTRY REPORT: RAISING AWARENESS OF ASBESTOS DANGEROUS

Indonesian Ban Asbestos Network

One year ago

Declaration of INA-BAN: 17 October 2010

What we did

- Raising awareness
  - Exhibition
  - Campaigning
  - Poster
  - Asbestos Media Competition
- Monitoring Asbestos Factory
- Asbestos contain Product mapping
- Expanding the network

Rising Aweraness

- Exhibition
  - In commemorating the earth day, Ina-Ban engaged by WALHI to involve the exhibition about the threat to the environment in Indonesia, utilized in this activity for the socialization of the use of asbestos hazards to human health. In addition to the exhibition of photos and posters, we also do division leaflets and flyers.

Photos and Posters Exhibition

Flyer

- "Apa itu Asbes?" Kenapa Asbes Berbahaya?
- "Wasapada Rumah Asbes!" Bahaya Sarat Asbes
- "Pencegahan dan Penanganan Material"
- "Pencegahan dan Mengatasi Asbes di Sekitar Kita!"

Flyer: Apa itu Asbes? Kenapa Asbes Berbahaya?
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Selamatkan Generasi Dari Ancaman Bahaya Asbes

| Participant | Senior high school Asbestos Posters Competition | Junior high school Asbestos Posters Competition |

**STICERS**

Hati-Hati Bahaya Asbes

Asbestos Media Competition

- **Goal**
  - Raising the awareness to the youth people
- **Target**
  - The students and volunteer of public health
- **Activities**
  - Poster competition
We cooperate with Indonesian red cross in the two cities
The purpose: public awareness
The target: know the dangerous of asbestos and prevent using asbestos product
The participant: red-cross network and volunteer
Asbestos Workshop: In Bandung District

Monitoring asbestos factory: PT Siam Indo (Indonesia-Thailand)

Expanding network

- West Java environmental protection agency
  - asbestos workshop for city/district environmental protection agency
  - make a film on how to remove asbestos
- Red Cross
  - Building the task force for removal asbestos in the community
  - Creating the guideline on how to remove asbestos when disaster
  - Workshop and socialization into community
- Research div Ministry of Health
  - Lung cancer surveillance (Bogor & Bekasi district)

The Impact

- Public awareness
- PT. Djabesman stop dumping rejected product
- Purwakarta local Govt not permitted new asbestos factory

Evaluating

- Lack of coordination
- Internal problem of member organisation
- Not enough resource (human, fund)
Current Situation

- Asbestos still used in Indonesia, no ban for white asbestos (more than 80,000 tons/yr), the biggest use is for roof.
- Some producers change the asbestos material (brake shoe, brake pad, eternit) and the product labeled asbestos free.
- The real number of victims still mystery.

Next Work

- Raising Public Awareness
  - Producing information related with asbestos
    - Blog.com
    - Flyers
    - Posters
- Extend the Network
  - Workshop
  - Facilitating to build risk teams for how to remove asbestos in the house of community.
  - Visiting the organization who involved in asbestos issue.
  - Annual National environmental meeting exhibition.
- Monitoring Factory's Asbestos
  - Identification.
- Victim Organizing
  - trigraha factory (2 suspects)
  - Djabesman (3)
- Involving of Expert
  - Environmental engineering dept, National Institute of Technology
  - Research div, Ministry of Health
  - Occupational health, Faculty of Medicine University of Indonesia

Thank You