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We are not
afraid of
leprosy.

Why are you?

Leprosy is curable.
Treatment is free.
Discrimination has no place.

Global Appeal 2018

To End Stigma and Discrimination Against Persons Affected by Leprosy

Disabled Peoples' International (DPI) is an organization open to persons with disabilities of any kind.

Our goal is an inclusive society in which everyone has rights and can participate in society.

Both DPI and The Nippon Foundation are committed to this goal.

"Nothing about us without us" is the guiding principle of our activities to realize an inclusive society.

DPI pledges to work together with the leprosy community to raise awareness of the disease to encourage a proper understanding of leprosy and respect for the human rights of the individuals and families it affects.

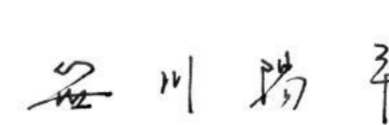
We will work together with persons affected by leprosy to speak out and advocate for greater social participation.

In working towards our common goal of an inclusive society, we will share knowledge and experience with persons affected by leprosy.

Together with persons affected by leprosy, we call on society for the protection of our rights and for equal opportunity.



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DPI Angola,
Associação Nacional De
Deficientes Angolanos (ANDA)

DPI Benin,
Federation des Associations
des Personnes Handicapées
du Benin (FAPHB)

DPI Burkina Faso,
Fédération Burkinabè des
Associations pour la Promotion
des Personnes Handicapées
(FEBAH)

DPI Bhutan,
Disabled Persons' Association
of Bhutan (DPAB)

DPI Cambodia,
Cambodian Disabled People's
Organization (CDPO)

DPI Cook Islands,
Cook Islands National Disability
Council

DPI Burundi,
Union des Personnes
Handicapées du Burundi
(UPHB)

DPI Cameroon,
Plateforme Inclusive Society for
Person with Disabilities
(PISPWD)

DPI Cape Verde,
Associação Caboverdiana de
Deficientes (ACD)

DPI Fiji,
Fiji Disabled Peoples
Federation (FDFPF)

DPI India,
National Centre for Promotion
of Employment for Disabled
People (NCPEDP)

DPI Indonesia,
Gerakan Peduli Disabilitas Dan
Lepra Indonesia (GPDLI)

DPI Chad,
Union Nationale des
Associations des Personnes
Handicapées du Tchad
(UNAPHT)

DPI Congo,
Union National des
Associations des Personnes
Handicapées du Congo
(UNHACO)

DPI Democratic
Republic of Congo,
Centre Intercommunautaire
Congolais pour les Personnes
avec Handicap (CICPH)

DPI Laos,
Lao Disabled People's
Association

DPI Malaysia,
Malaysian Confederation of the
Disabled

DPI Maldives,
Maldives Association of
Physical Disabilities (MAPD)

DPI Ethiopia,
Federation of Ethiopian
National Associations of
Persons with Disabilities
(FENAPD)

DPI Gabon,
Fédération Nationale des
Associations des et pour
Personnes Handicapées du
Gabon (FNAPHG)

DPI Gambia,
Gambia Federation of the
Disabled (GFD)

DPI FS Micronesia,
Pohnpei Consumer
Organization, Federated State
of Micronesia (FSM)

DPI Mongolia,
Disabled Peoples International
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DPI Nepal,
National Federation of the
Disabled Nepal (NFDN)

DPI Ghana,
Ghana Federation of the
Disabled (GFD)

DPI Guinea Bissau,
Federação das Associações de
Defesa e Promoção dos
Direitos das pessoas com
Deficiência da Guiné-Bissau
(FADPD)

DPI Guinea Conakry,
Fédération Guinéenne
Pour La Promotion Des
Associations De Personnes
Handicapées (FEGUIPAH)

DPI New Zealand,
Disabled Persons Assembly Inc.
(DPANZ)

DPI Pakistan,
Pakistan Disable People's
International (PDPI)/ Estanara
Group

DPI Papua New Guinea,
PNG National Assembly of
Disabled People (PNG ADP)

DPI Ivory Coast,
Confédération des
Organisations des Personnes
Handicapées de Côte d'Ivoire
(COPHCI)

DPI Kenya,
United Disabled Persons of
Kenya (UDPK)

DPI Lesotho,
Lesotho National Federation Of
Organizations Of The Disabled
(LNFOD)

DPI Palau,
OMEKESANG Association

DPI Philippines,
National Federation of Persons
with disabilities in the
Philippines

DPI Samoa,
National Council of People with
Disabilities in Samoa/Nuanua o
le Alofa (N.O.L.A)

DPI Liberia,
National Union of Disabled
(NUOD)

DPI Madagascar,
Plateforme des Federations des
Personnes Handicapées de
Madagascar (PFPH)

DPI Malawi,
Federation of Disability
Organizations of Malawi
(FEDOMA)

DPI Singapore,
Disabled People's Association
(DPA)

DPI Solomon Islands,
People with Disabilities
Solomon Islands (PWDSI)

DPI Sri Lanka,
Disability Organizations Joint
Front (DOJF)

DPI Mali,
Federation Malienne des
Associations de Handicapes

DPI Mauritius,
Voice of DPI

DPI Niger,
Fédération Nigerienne des
Personnes Handicapées (FNPH)

DPI Vanuatu,
Disability Promotion &
Advocacy (DPA)

DPI Vietnam,
Hanoi Association of People
with Disabilities

DPI Azerbaijan,
Society "For International
Cooperation of Disabled
People" (FICDP)

DPI Nigeria,
National President, Joint
National Association Of
Persons With Disabilities
(JONAPWD)

DPI Senegal,
Sénégalaise des Associations
de Personnes Handicapées

DPI Sierra Leone,
Disability Awareness Action
Group (DAAG)

DPI Turkmenistan,
Central Athletic Sports Club for
the Disabled of Turkmenistan

DPI Uzbekistan,
Consultative Council of DPOs in
Uzbekistan

DPI Costa Rica,
Federación Costarricense de
Organizaciones de Personas
con Discapacidad

DPI South Sudan,
South Sudan Union of Persons
with Disabilities

DPI Tanzania,
Tanzania Federation of
Disabled People's
Organizations (SHIVYAWATA)

DPI Togo,
Fédération des Associations de
Personnes Togolaise
Handicapées (FETAPH)

DPI El Salvador,
Asociación Cooperativa de
Grupo Independiente Pro
Rehabilitación Integral
(ACOGIPRI)

DPI Guatemala,
Coordinadora de
Organizaciones de Personas
con Discapacidad de
Guatemala (COPDIGUA)

DPI Honduras,
Fundación Hondureña de
Rehabilitación e integración del
limitado (FUHRIL)

DPI Zambia,
Zambia Federation of the
Disabled (ZAFOD)

DPI Egypt,
Seven Million Disabled (FAPH)

DPI Iraq,
People Association in Baghdad

DPI Mexico,
Confederación Mexicana de
Limitados Físicos y
Representantes de Deficientes
Mentales a.c.

DPI Nicaragua,
Organización de
Revolucionarios Discapacitados
(ORD)

DPI Panama,
Asociación Nacional De
Personas Impedidas (ANPI)

DPI Jordan,
Disability Equality Society

DPI Lebanon,
Lebanese Physical
Handicapped Union

DPI Libya,
Libyan Organization
for the Rights of People
with Disabilities

DPI Antigua & Barbuda,
Antigua & Barbuda Association
of Persons with Disabilities
(ABAPD)

DPI Bahamas,
Disabled Persons' Organization
(DPO)

DPI Barbados,
Barbados National
Organization of the Disabled
Inc. (BARNOD Inc.)

DPI Mauritania,
The Mauritanian Association
for the coalition of women
with disabilities

DPI Morocco,
Morocco Forum
"Disabilities and Rights"

DPI Palestine,
Great Palestinian Union
for People with Disabilities

DPI Belize,
Belize Assembly for Persons
with Diverse Abilities (BAPDA)

DPI Dominica,
Dominica Association of
Persons with Disabilities Inc.
(DAPD Inc.)

DPI Guyana,
Guyana Council of
Organisation for Persons with
Disabilities (GCOPD)

DPI Sudan,
Edraak Organization for
Persons with Disabilities

DPI Syria,
Cultural Forum for people with
special needs in Syria

DPI Tunisia,
Tunisienne de Défense des
Droits de Personnes
Handicapées

DPI Haiti,
Network Association for the
Integration of Disabled Persons
(RANIPH)

DPI Jamaica,
Combined Disabilities
Association (CDA)

DPI Montserrat,
Montserrat Association for
Persons with Disabilities Inc.
(MAPD Inc.)

DPI Yemen,
Al Saeeda Society for
the Care and
Rehabilitation of
Deaf Girls in Yemen

DPI Afghanistan,
Afghan Landmine
Survivors
Organization (ALSO)

DPI Bangladesh,
Protibondhi Nagorik
Shangathaner
Parishad (PNSP)

DPI St. Lucia,
National Council of/for Persons
with Disabilities (NCPD)

DPI Trinidad and Tobago,
Trinidad and Tobago Chapter
of Disabled People's
International (TTDPI)

DPI United States,
United States International
Council on Disabilities (USICD)