

THE REGIONAL DISABILITY ROUNDTABLE FORUM
21st to 23rd November 2022

Holiday Inn Boksburg, Johannesburg, South Africa

Day 1:
21 November 2022

TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
Session 1: Opening Ceremony		Master of Ceremony Ms. Musola Kaseketi
08:30 – 09:00	Registration/All Delegates Seated	Secretariat
09:00 – 09:15	Welcoming remarks	Chairperson – SAFOD (Mr. Wabothe Chimidza)
09:20 – 09:50	Remarks on the background, themes, & objectives of the 2022 Regional Disability Roundtable Forum	Director General - SAFOD (Mr. Mussa Chiwaula)
09:50 – 10:20	Speech – Strengthening collaboration towards creating sustainable Organisations of People with Disabilities in Southern Africa – The case of FFO & other Norwegian partners.	Funksjonshemmedes Fellesorganisasjon (FFO) (Ms. Hanne Witso)
10:20 – 10:50	Keynote – Celebrating the work of both the Inclusion Africa and other strategic actors in elevating the global voice of people with disabilities and their families in places where decisions on important issues are made.	Mr. Auberon Jeleel Odoom
10:50 – 11:10	Tea Break & Group Photo	Secretariat
11:10 – 11:20	Remarks – Formally welcoming delegates and introducing the Guest of Honour.	Board member, Disabled People South Africa (DPSA)
11:20 – 12:00	Keynote Address & official opening of the forum <i>Integrating disability inclusive development into operations of the World Bank & in other international development work within Southern Africa.</i>	Guest of honour Global Disability Advisor – the World Bank Group (Charlotte McClain-Nhlapo)
12:00 – 13:00	Questions and Comments	Master of Ceremonies
13:00	End of the Opening Ceremony	Master of Ceremonies
13:00 – 14:00	Lunch	Secretariat

Session 2: <i>Learning from regional, national, and community-based good practices to enhance preparedness for risks amongst persons with disabilities</i>		Chairperson: Mr. Shuiab Chalklan <i>Executive Director</i> African Disability Forum
14:00 – 14:45	Strengthening risk-informed development among the community, national-level decision-makers, and the regional initiatives within the ¹ Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction (SFDRR) framework – The Case of ² GIDRM III and the SADC DRR program.	Alex Banda, Head of SADC DRR Unit & David Meissner, GIZ
14:45 – 15:15	Enhancing accessibility and inclusion of persons with disabilities in DRR programs in Zimbabwe & beyond – The Case of CBM’s ³ Humanitarian Hands-On Tool (HHoT)	Allen Chaitezvi, CBM, Zimbabwe
15:15 – 15:45	Questions & Comments	Session Chair
15:45 – 16:00	Tea Break	SAFOD Secretariat
Session 3: <i>Tracking the national and community-focused work of the OPDs in ⁴DiDRR programming in Southern Africa</i>		Chairperson: Mr. Shuiab Chalklan <i>Executive Director</i> African Disability Forum
16:00 – 16:15	Zimbabwe Case study	Mercy Maunganidze
16:15 – 16:30	Mauritius Case study	Ali Jookhun
16:30 – 17:00	Questions & Comments	Session Chair
17:00	End of Day 1	SAFOD Secretariat

¹ <https://drmims.sadc.int/en/sendai-framework/sendai-framework-for-drr>

² <https://www.gidrm.net/en/gidrm>

³ <https://www.cbm.org/news/news/news-2019/cbm-launches-new-disability-inclusive-disaster-risk-reduction-idrr-application/>

⁴ Include examples of any good practices related to assistive technology in DiDRR, if available.

**Day 2:
22 November 2022**

TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
0800 – 0830	Registration	Secretariat
Session 4: <i>Accelerating regional and national policy and legislative frameworks for Inclusive and holistic Early Childhood Development and Education (ECDE).</i>		Chairperson: <i>Mr Karabo Langa</i>
08:30 – 09:00	RECAP From Yesterday	Rapporteur
09:00 – 09:30	Assessing the Extent to which the ⁵ SADC Policy Framework on Care and Support for Teaching and Learning (CSTL) supports inclusive and holistic ECDE in Southern Africa.	Yvonne and Maureen, MIET Africa
09:30 – 10:00	Strengthening inclusive ECDE policies and practices in Southern Africa – Unpacking the draft regional ECDE Strategy Development Process.	Juliana Seleti SAFOD/AfECN Consultant
10:00 – 10:30	Questions and Comments	Session Chair
10:30 – 11:00	Tea Break	Secretariat
11:00 – 12:00	Breakout Sessions	Mr. George Kayange SAFOD
12:00 – 13:00	Plenary Session:	Mr. George Kayange SAFOD
1300 - 1400	Lunch	Secretariat
Session 5: <i>Learning from national and community-based ⁶good practices in Inclusive and holistic Early Childhood Development and Education (ECDE).</i>		Chairperson: <i>Hon. Ms. Alexia Manomba–Ncube, (Deputy minister: Disability Affairs in Namibia)</i>
14:00 – 14:30	Key lessons from the SAFOD’s ECDE project in promoting inclusion in ECDE within CBR Programs Project Lesotho, Mozambique, and Zambia.	Refilwe Monnagosi SAFOD Secretariat
14:30 – 15:00	Key lessons in promoting inclusion in ECDE – e.g. The case of FODSWA and Ministry of Education (Special Needs Dept) in Eswatini.	Nondumiso Shongwe
15:00 – 15:30	Key lessons in promoting inclusion in ECDE – e.g. The case of ZAFOD in Zambia.	Musola Kaseketi

⁵ http://www.cstlsadc.com/wp-content/uploads/2016/10/SADC-CSTL-Policy-Framework_English.pdf

⁶Include examples of any good practices related to assistive technology in ECDE, if available.

15:30 – 16:00	Key lessons in promoting inclusion in ECDE – e.g. The case of NFPDN in Namibia.	Charroh Matheus Hashoongo
16:00 – 16:15	Tea Break	Secretariat
16:15 – 17:00	Questions and Comments	
17:00	End of Day 2	Secretariat

**Day 3:
23 November 2022**

TIME	ACTIVITY	RESPONSIBLE
08:00 – 08:30	Registration	Secretariat
Session 6: Addressing gaps in disability mainstreaming within relevant SADC Documents and programs through the SADC Disability Protocol		Chairperson:
08:30 – 09:00	RECAP From Yesterday	Rapporteur
09:00 – 09:30	An overview of exemplary national ECDE policies in Southern Africa that enhance inclusive and holistic good practices at the community level.	Naison Bhunhu TRANAC
09:30 – 09:45	Outlining high-level background & objectives for the campaign on to adopt the SADC Disability protocol	George Kayange SAFOD Secretariat
09:45 – 10:45	Presentation of the Draft SADC Disability Protocol	Wamundila Waliuya, SAFOD Consultant
10:45– 11:00	Questions & Comments	Session Chair
11:00 – 11:30	Tea Break	Secretariat
11:30 – 12:30	A Panel Debate on the Benefits of Having a Disability Regional Blueprint (The SADC Protocol)	Mr. Kudakwashe 'AK' Dube CEO, Africa Disability Alliance (ADA)-MODERATOR Panellists: (a) Govt representative (policy makers) (b) SAFOD affiliate (Disability mainstreaming) (c) TRANAC (Inclusive ECDE)-Mr. Naison Bhunhu (d) UN/Donor rep (DRR-focused) (e) Private Sector (Inclusive employment) (f) Academia representative-Prof Mji (Inclusive R&D)
12:30 – 13:00	Questions & Comments	Session Chair
13:00 – 13:15	Closing ceremony <i>(Closing remarks, next steps, vote of thanks, announcements, etc)</i>	- SAFOD Chairperson - Distinguished Guests
13:15	Lunch	Secretariat