

#### Let's eradicate poverty, reduce inequalities and ensure no one is left behind





### Ageing

Recognizing the potential of older persons as a powerful basis for future development



# **Civil Society**

Engaging people for their voice to be heard and included in decision making



#### Cooperatives

Cooperatives empower their members and strengthen communities



#### **Disability**

Realizing inclusive and accessible societies for all



### **Family**

Advancing family-oriented policies for sustainable development



#### **Indigenous Peoples**

Empowering indigenous peoples to strengthen their identity and determine their lives



# **Sport for Peace and Development**

Using sport to foster peace and sustainable development



#### Youth

Investing in youth being the leaders of the present and future



# **Inclusive Social Development**





The Division for Inclusive Social Development (DISD) is part of the Department of Economic and Social Affairs (DESA) of the United Nations Secretariat.

#### What we do?

DISD has unique global mandates on groups of people that have traditionally been left behind (indigenous peoples, persons with disabilities, older persons and youth), as well as issues (families, cooperatives and sports for peace and development) and themes (eradicating poverty, promoting employment and decent jobs, fostering inclusion and participation, and reducing inequalities).

DISD promotes socially inclusive development by translating relevant international norms into policy and practice at regional, national and sub-national levels through technical cooperation, capacity development and partnerships.

DISD is also contributing to acceleration of the implementation of the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, with a focus on the social dimension of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).





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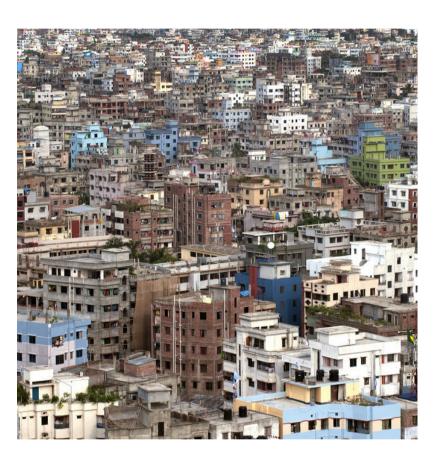


#### **Core Themes**



**Poverty Eradication** 

End poverty in all its forms everywhere



**Reducing Inequalities** 

Promote equality and equity



**Social Inclusion** 

Promote inclusive societies for all people of all ages and abilities



**Employment Generation** 

Promote full and productive employment and decent work for all

### **Capacity Development and Partnerships**



UN DESA's Division for Inclusive Social Development (DISD) provides technical cooperation to Member States, at their request, to promote socially inclusive development by:

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Building national capacities and developing partnerships to promote inclusion of social groups, such as persons with disabilities, older persons, family, youth, and indigenous peoples, and to advance issues, such as social protection, social cooperatives and sport/physical activities.



Providing platforms for the full participation of social groups in national development through an inclusive approach.



Developing and disseminating knowledge and expertise through advisory services, training workshops, guidelines and toolkits.



Engaging with the Resident Coordinator system and the UN Country Teams to translate relevant international norms into national policy and practice.

### **Thought Leadership**

DISD continues to be a thought leader on critical social development topics through its cutting-edge research, analysis and policy guidance.





# Intergovernmental Mechanisms and Processes

DISD supports key intergovernmental processes and mechanisms relating to social development, including the 2nd and 3rd Committees of the General Assembly, the Commission for Social Development, the Conference of States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of Persons with Disabilities, the United Nations Permanent Forum on Indigenous Issues and the Open-Ended Working Group on Ageing.



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