

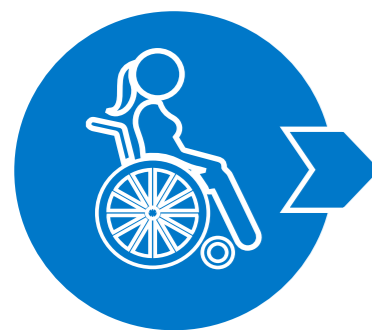
We observe some change in trends of cause of impairments for new clients of PRC with **42%** of new clients having impairments resulting from **illness/diseases** and only **5%** being survivors of **landmines** in comparison with the cause of impairments for total clients (new and existing).

% of TOTAL CLIENTS split by cause of impairment, 2020 (n= 16,412)		% of NEW CLIENTS split by cause of impairment, 2020 (n= 2,340)	
35% Mine/UXO accident	5% Mine/UXO accident		
18% Congenital	18% Congenital		
27% Illness/Disease	42% Illness/Disease		
8% Traffic accident	12% Traffic accident		
8% All other accidents	15% All other accidents		
4% Unknown	8% Unknown		

Section 4 Summary of main achievement for the period of 2016-2020

The number of clients who received services across 11 PRC **decreased by 35%** in 2020 compared to 2019. The main reason explaining this decrease is the impact of COVID-19 pandemic as services were temporarily closed in April-May 2020. Client were also hesitant to access services due to fear of contracting the virus. Service uptake increased again from June onward, following adjustment in service provision and adoption of safety measures. See Table #2 for more details.

Table #2	# of PRC	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
PWDF	5	8,398	8,584	8,663	7,392	4,784
ICRC	2	11,369	11,088	11,767	11,504	6,843
EXCEED	3	4,464	4,506	4,851	4,102	3,002
HI	1	2,259	2,065	1,983	2,280	1,783
Total	11	26,490	26,243	27,264	25,278	16,412



Women with disabilities continue to face barriers to access PRC services. These include:

- 57%** concerned for their safety
- 27%** no one to look after their children and the house
- 21%** shyness and do not dare to go to services
- 17%** difficulty to travel

Source: Baseline Study on Service Access, Quality and Uptake (SAQUS) 2019/2020 - Report-Angkor Research and ACCESS, p 37

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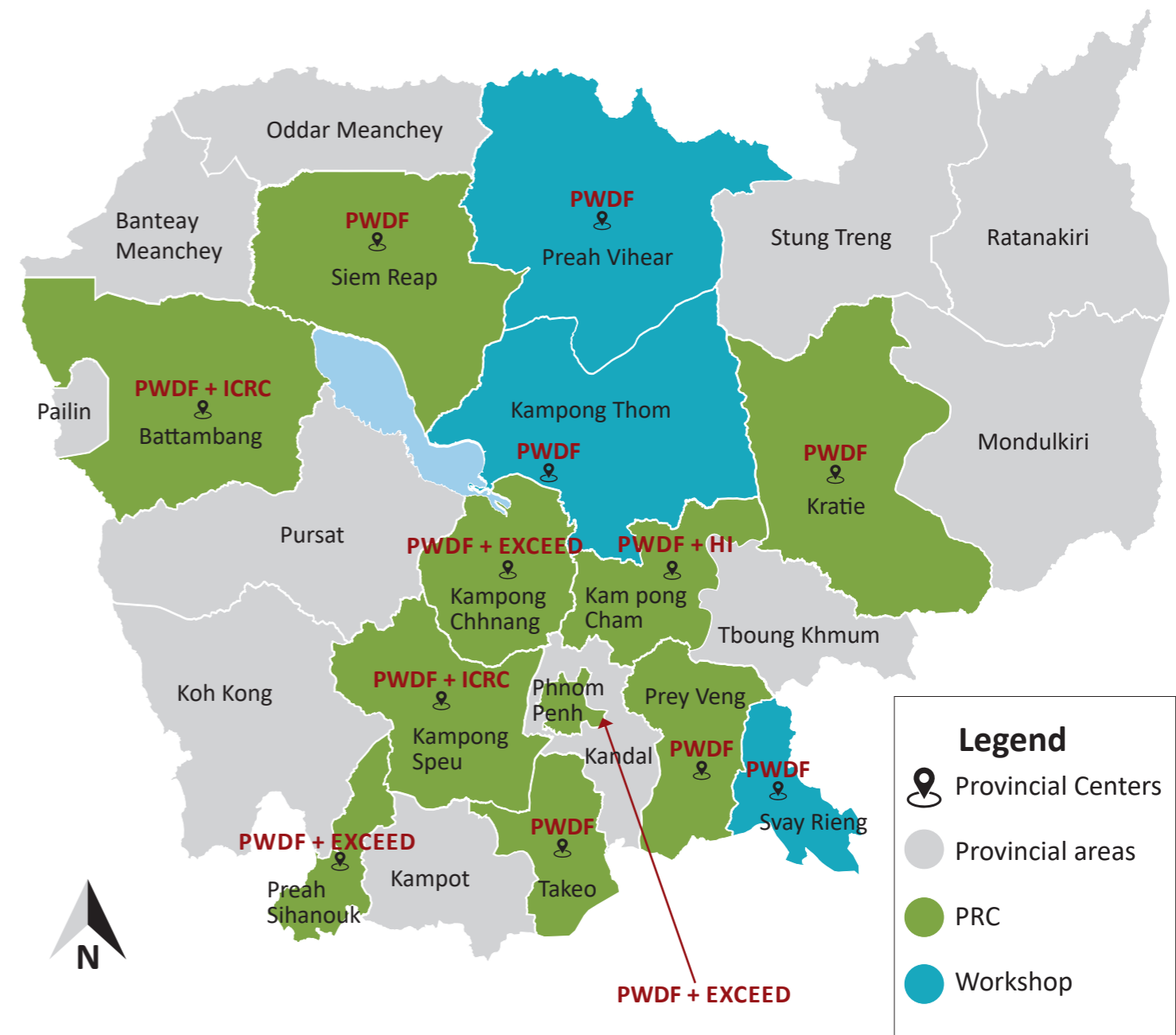


Cambodia Physical Rehabilitation Centre (PRC) Factsheet



Section 1 Background information

The Persons With Disabilities Foundation (PWDF) in close collaboration with international and non-governmental organisations (IO/NGOS) provide physical rehabilitation services through 11 physical rehabilitation centres (PRCs), nine of them located at provincial level and two located in Phnom Penh.



Section 2 Physical Rehabilitation Centre (PRC) services

PRCs provide rehabilitation services for people with physical impairments at all age. These services include:



- Physiotherapy
- Manual wheelchair
- Prosthetic device
- Walking aid
- Orthotic device
- Social services (e.g., home adaptation with ramp...)
- Other assistive product (e.g., crutches, cane, seating corner...)

Some PRCs offer extension services such as special spinal orthoses for people with scoliosis or spinal cord injury; inclusive sport programmes; speech and language therapy; home adaptations; workplace or school accessibility assessment and interventions³.

Section 3 Key statistics for 2020

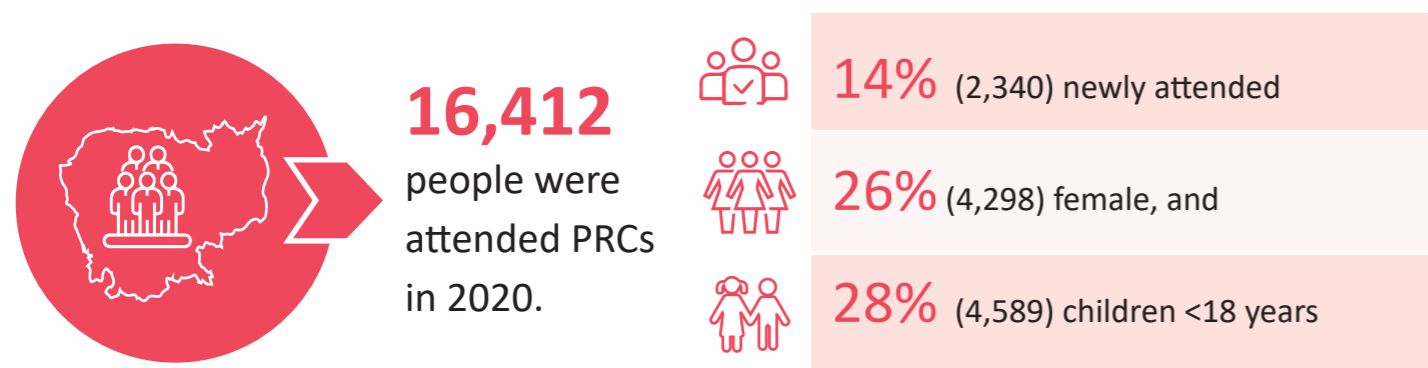
The WHO estimates that at least **0.5%** of the world population need prosthetic or orthotic devices¹ and **1%** need wheelchairs².

Source:

¹ World Health Organisation (2017) Standards for prosthetic and orthotics Part 1, p xxvi

² World Health Organisation (2008) Guidelines for the provision of manual wheelchairs in less-resourced settings, p 21

In 2020, 16,412 people were attended PRCs across all of Cambodia, with only 14% (2,340) of these being new clients, 26% (4,298) female and 28% (4,589) children <18 years. Compared to the global estimates, these numbers show that there are still many people not accessing PRCs, especially women.



See Table #1 for more details of main services provided by different agencies:

Table #1	# PRCs	Clients and registrations				Production			Provision of assistive devices and repairs			Physiotherapy	
		Agency	# PRCs	Total Registration	New clients	Female	<18 Years	Total	Prosthetics	Orthotics	Wheelchairs & Tricycles distributed	Walking Aids distributed	Repairs
PWDF	5	4,784	662	1,184	1,698	1,023	531	492	91	482	2,264	1,612	7,881
ICRC	2	6,843	904	1,563	1,139	1,813	1,029	784	494	1,033	3,678	4,515	22,625
Exceed	3	3,002	289	905	1,078	828	309	519	119	192	1,755	669	2,236
HI	1	1,783	485	646	674	426	192	234	182	300	536	1,314	6,490
TOTAL	11	16,412	2,340	4,298	4,589	4,090	2,061	2,029	886	2,007	8,233	8,110	39,232

In 2020, **47%** of the total number of clients registered in 11 PRCs across all of Cambodia were clients **with amputation**. This high prevalence of amputation is particularly predominant in the centres located in areas most affected by landmines such as Battambang and Siem Reap, with the two PRCs reporting **46%** of the total clients with amputation across 11 PRCs).

