

## IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS FACT SHEET

### Disability Workstream



#### Project Brief

ADD International is implementing the second phase of the Inclusive Disability Enhancement in ACCESS (IDEA) Project. This initiative aims to promote a disability-inclusive response to gender-based violence (GBV) and support the agenda of disability service providers. ADD International is working in partnership with the government, donors, Organisations of Persons with Disabilities (OPDs), service providers, persons with disabilities and business networks to contribute to the implementation of two national strategies: the National Disability Strategic Plan 2019-23, and the National Action Plan to Prevent Violence Against Women 2019-23.

#### Project Outcomes

**Project outcome 1:** Women and girls with disabilities, through their self-help groups (SHGs)/ OPDs have increased institutional capacities to engage effectively and sustainably with GBV-related service providers and decision-makers to promote disability inclusion at all relevant levels; and run and sustain their organisations.

**Project outcome 2:** Enhanced basic awareness of members of district-level GBV working groups and Commune Committees for Women and Children (CCWCs) on disability inclusion to improve their GBV-related services at the commune and district levels.

**Project outcome 3:** Improved disability inclusion of GBV-related services at the national and sub-national levels, through Learning and Exchange Platforms.

#### Key Interventions

- Support members of the SHGs and OPDs at the commune, district, provincial and national levels to develop an understanding of GBV issues and women's rights, and GBV service guidelines and standards.
- Strengthen the capacity and understanding of SHGs and OPDs on stakeholder engagement and relationship building with service providers and decision-makers, organisational operations, technical knowledge on progress monitoring tools, including Three Circle Assessment Tool and Gender Inclusive Capacity Assessment (GICA) tool, safeguarding, gender equality, and soft-skills.
- Facilitate Learning and Exchange Platforms between women and girls with disabilities (WGWD), Community of Practice on disability and GBV, and CCWC to share experiences of WGWD on GBV and access to support services. The platforms will also reflect on actions required to strengthen disability-inclusive GBV support services in the commune and district-level plans and activities.
- Bring disability inclusion into GBV support service learnings and actions through national, provincial and district-level GBV working groups and CCWCs.
- Develop the capacity of the government's GBV service providers on disability inclusion.

- Observe and assess the progress made on the recommendations of the policy brief on the intersectionality approach in practice.

#### **COVID-19 Interventions**

- Provide COVID-19 emergency support (food and protective equipment) to persons with disabilities.
- Integrate community awareness-raising on COVID-19 prevention among members of SHGs.

#### **Beneficiaries**

- Direct: OPDs, Women with Disabilities Federations (WWDFs) and persons with disabilities, particularly women and girls with disabilities, Provincial GBV Response Working Groups & District Working Groups.
- Indirect: Sub-national-level, including CCWC, Provincial Disability Action Council, Provincial Department of Women's Affairs, and national-level, including Department of Welfare for Persons with Disabilities, Technical Working Group on Gender- sub-Committee for GBV and Disability Action Council Secretariat General.

#### **Geographic Location**

- Kampong Speu: Oddong, Samrong Tong, Chbar Morn Districts
- Kampong Cham: Batheay District
- Tbong Khmum: Tbong Khmum District

#### **Project Partners**

- Oddong Disability Development Federation (ODDF), Kampong Speu
- Samrong Tong Disability Development Federation (SRTF), Kampong Speu
- Kampong Speu Women with Disability Forum (KSWDF), Kampong Speu
- Women and Children with Disability Forum (WCDF), Kampong Cham
- Tbong Khmum Disabled People's Organization (TKDPO), Tbong Khmum
- Three SHGs in Peam Chileang, Thma Pech, Boeung Proul Communes, Tbong Khmum

#### **Duration**

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#### **Project Budget**

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