# Project Brief

The project known as Strengthening Organisation of Persons with Disabilities/Women with Disabilities Forums (OPDs/WDFs) Network on Inclusive Social Protection and Local Governance will contribute to the promotion of disability-inclusive and gender-responsive Commune Investment Program (CIP) and engage in existing social accountability mechanisms. CDPO is working in partnership with government counterparts at the national and sub-national levels, OPDs, private companies, civil society organisations and other service providers to contribute to the implementation of the National Disability Strategic Plan (NDSP 2019-2023).

## Project Outcomes

1. Strengthened networking of the 75 OPDs/WDFs to support their access to information, participation in activities, program and policies discussion
2. Persons with disabilities have increased access to social protection support
3. The inclusive Commune Investment Plans (CIP) are reinforced for the benefit of persons with disabilities

## Key Interventions

- Support OPDs/WDFs’ quarterly and annual networking workshops
- Capacity building of OPDs/WDFs in the areas of disability identification, social protection, advocacy, inclusive CIP, financial management, and digital skills
- Support the engagement of OPDs/WDFs with Commune Councils to promote disability inclusion in CIP, the access of persons with disabilities to ID-Poor and disability identification cards, and other social protection interventions
- Provide training and refresher training to targeted commune and district authorities on Inclusive CIP
- Support the engagement of targeted OPDs/WDFs in the CIP implementation process
- Support the engagement of OPDs/WDFs in provincial Disability Action Council (DAC) meetings

## COVID-19 Interventions

- Support the access of persons with disabilities to information on COVID-19 prevention, including a radio spot on COVID-19
- Support the access of persons with disabilities to Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) and COVID-19 vaccination

## Beneficiaries
1. **Direct**: 75 OPDs/WDFs; 350 persons with disabilities who access to ID-Poor and disability identification cards; 150 members of commune authorities

2. **Indirect**: Over 30,000 persons with disabilities who are members of 75 OPDs/WDFs

### Geographic Location

- **Battambong**: Districts/Sangkats: Thma Koul District, Krong Battambang (Sangkat Sla Kaet, Sangkat Chamkar Samraong, Sangkat Kdol Daun Teav), Sangkae District
- **Siem Reap**: Districts/Sangkats: Krong Siem Reap (Sangkat Kouk Chak, Chong Knies, Nokor Thum, Sla Kram, Chreav, Sala Kamraeuk, Svay Dankum, Krabei Riel, Siem Reap, Sambuor, Tuek Vil, Srengae), Angkor Thom
- **Kampong Cham**: Districts/Sangkats: Cheung Prey District, Bateay District
- **Kampong Speu**: Districts /Sangkats: Sangkat Samaong Tong, Krong Chbar Mon, (Sangkat Kandaol Dom, Svay Kravan, Sopooar Tep, Rokar Thum, and Sangkat Chbar Mon)
- **Kratie**: Districts /Sangkats: Krong Kratie (Sangkat Ou Ruessei, Kratie, Kaoh Trong, Krakor, and Sangkat Roka Kandal), Chitr Borei District
- **Tbong Khmoum**: Districts /Sangkats: Tbong Khmoum District
- **Prey Veng**: Districts /Sangkats: Por Reang District

### Project Partners

- Battambang Disabled People's Organization
- Representative Solidarity Disabled Organization, Bateay District
- Kratie Disabled People’s Organization
- Disabled People's Organization Representative, Kompong Speu Province
- Persons with Disabilities Organization, Siem Reap
- Women with Disabilities Forum, Prey Veng
- Tboung Khmoum Disable People's Organisation
- Advocacy and Policy Institute (API)

### Duration

October 2021 to June 2023

### Project Budget

Total ACCESS’ Budget: AUD 275,000.00

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