

**IMPLEMENTING PARTNERS FACT SHEET**  
**Gender-Based Violence Workstream**



**Project Brief**

The project will contribute to build knowledge and skills on mental health among service providers to deliver first hand psychosocial counselling to affected women and to respond to the unmet needs for psychosocial, legal and health support services for affected women in the rural areas.

**Project Outcomes**

- Quality of psychosocial services provided by local service providers to women with and without disabilities affected by gender-based violence (GBV), is strengthened through training, coaching and mentoring.
- Women affected by GBV received or have been referred to other coordinated social services, including crisis information, safe shelter, legal and psychological support.

**Key Interventions**

- Provide training and coaching on Minimum Standards of Basic Counselling (MSBC)/First aid to local authorities and Village Health Support Groups (VHSG)
- Provide psychological counselling to GBV victims
- Raising awareness on GBV services through Women’s Support Groups
- Establish the GBV working group in partnership with UN Women and UNFPA

**COVID-19 Interventions**

- Train, coach and mentor local service providers on-line to ensure quality of psychosocial services are provided to women with and without disabilities affected by gender-based violence (GBV).
- Provide hotline numbers for phone counselling to women and girls that are experiencing distress. The 3 hotline numbers: 017 222 372, 089 666 325, and 097 9111 918. Operating hours from 8.00am-10.00pm.

**Beneficiaries**

- Direct: Local service providers (District Consultative Committees for Women and Children (DCCWC), Commune Council for Women and Children (CCWCs) and CCWC members and VHSGs
- Indirect: Women with and without disabilities affected by GBV

**Geographic Location**

Siem Reap and Kampong Cham. (Three districts: Pouk, Krolanh and Chamkar Leu)

**Project Partners**

Ministry of Women’s Affairs (MOWA) and its provincial Departments (PDOWA), UNFPA, UNWOMEN and Louvain cooperation

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