

### Report

# Annual Review inclusive training on Child Protection, Disability and Gender in Eye Care Services of CTEH

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#### **Participants**

- 1. 50 staffs
- 2. 9 ophthalmic nurse students
- 3. 50 children

#### Honorable guest

- 1. Dr. Nut Sinat, Deputy of Takeo Provincial Health Department (PHD)
- 2. Mr. Suos Dara, Chief of child's rights of Provincial of Social, Veteran and Youth Rehabilitation (PoSVY)

#### **Objective of Review inclusive Training**

The annual review inclusive refresher training on child protection, disability and gender is conducted regularly to remind and build staff s 'capacity knowledge who are working in the Caritas Takeo Eye Hospital (CTEH) to implement this policy in eye health and to advocate relevant departments in the province or whole country to promote rights of children through UN Convention on the Rights of the Child 1989 and national constitution on rights of people with disabilities and gender balance in Cambodia. Thus, these cross cuttings have been inclusively projected in eye health services in CTEH since project started to promote children, people with disabilities and gender to access eye care services at CTEH.

#### Session

#### 1. Presentation



The presentation focused on main issues such as definition of child abuse, form abuses, rights of children, inclusive child protection, disability and gender in eye health program and strategy to promote these issues in the whole province. Form abuse is referred to physical and/or emotional ill-treatment, sexual abuse, neglect or negligent treatment or commercial or other exploitation including sexual

harassment during which children, people with disabilities or gender is under the raised by parents or other individuals who excused child care or discriminated on people with disabilities and gender.

Inclusive child protection, disability and gender in eye health is dedicatedly objective to make staff to understand and sign on these policies, giving priority to children, people with disabilities or mother who has baby to have an eye check up firstly and improve general existing accessibilities in the hospital such as available children room, medical equipment, accessible road and assigned staff to be responsible for child's rights, people with disabilities and gender on counseling and taking picture with informed consent. To make sure that mother with baby or people with disabilities and children to get eye care services firstly it needs to be explained with reasonable to all waiting patients who come early why we want child, people with disabilities or mother with baby get this service firstly if needed.

#### 2. Discussion

The discussion with technical group and delegations from Takeo Provincial Health Department (PHD) and Provincial of Social Veteran and Youth Rehabilitation (POSVY) discussed on improving children protection, disability and gender in Takeo Province. In implementation aspect of child protection, disability and gender issues are the main role of PoSVY to collaborate with Women Affaire to implement and advocate all relevant departments to promote rights of children, disability and gender to be widely recognized in society; nevertheless, most of relevant departments seem not understand these policies because its department has insufficient resources to implement these policies accordingly. Therefore, after got positive feedbacks and recommendations from discussion seriously, PoSVY is willing to initially start to conduct meeting with relevant departments to promote rights of children, disability and gender widely in society under collaboration with technical departments. All main issues will be annually planned to implement strictly to improve these issues in eye health program of CTEH.

#### 3. Playing Group



In the last session, staff, parents and children have to be understood on rights of children people with disabilities and gender through demonstrated actions and questions on their rights with drawing and coloring pictures to stimulate their mind to be well understood what they have rights to do and involve in community development in the future. With variously demonstrated on pictures and relevant important activities, staff, children and families were really happy to participate and share ideas on the

needs of children, people with disabilities and gender regarding future participations and getting public services to strengthen their knowledge and skill to improve their life and develop the country.

#### Summary

The purpose of annual refresher training on child protection, disability and gender is to promote staff and partner to be well understood on cross cutting issues to prevent them any form abuse, discrimination and promote families and community to take care children, and encourage people with disabilities and gender to access public services accordingly. Many holistic feedbacks from participants to improve child, disability and gender in eye care service of CTEH by setting up clear structure for them to access eye care services at CTEH. Public awareness is held by PoSVY to coordinate relevant departments to have meeting to discuss on child protection, disability and gender and public intervention.

## Thank You!

