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### National Centre of Disabled Persons Community Based Rehabilitation Program Case Study of Pov Chamrong

Program	CBR	Date: 30 <sup>th</sup> November 2014
Name	Pov Chamrong (Mr.)	
Group's Name	N/A	
Family Information	<p>My name's Pov Chamrong, 27 year-old with a serious moving difficulty. I married and have 1 son 2 year-old named Chamrong Chantha. My wife named Soeun Da, 33 year-old. My family was living in an urban area of Phnom Penh and moved to live with my parents, brother and sister in Kampong Svay village, Kampong Svay commune, Kien Svay district, Kandal province. My living is depends on my wife selling cookies in the village with small incomes and my parents making rice field and feeding chicken.</p>	
What was your life like before being involved with the project?	<p>Before involved with CBR program, I lived with hopelessness since I became a PwDs who can not move to anywhere. The cause of my disability is falling down from tree and broken the back bone since I was 20 year-old. That time I've got treatment by Krou Khmer (Traditional Treatment) for 2 months and I can walk with pain in my back, so I don't want walk or to move just lie down in place and move to toilet when needed. As I still felt pain on my back I went to Samdach Ov hospital and stayed there for 15 days and nothing change as they just give me the killing pain tablets only. I returned back home and stay in a place with painful when I moving my body. Few years ago, my back became bent and my both leg became numb and doesn't feel anything and I could not walk at all. Early 2014, my parents took me and my family to live with them as they said me that in his commune has a committee provided services to PwDs. I was living with stressful just lie down in bed; can not do anything till I met up with the program staff and CDC-PwD member who came to visit me after my father reported.</p>	
How are you involved with the project? (details of any IGAs, group projects, training undertaken etc...)	<p>I becoming NCDP-CBR's client by January 2014, I was often visited by CBR staff and CDC-PwD member of Kampong Svay committee. They checked about my problem and arranged for referral to Cambodia Trust in Phnom Penh (CT-PP). CT-PP staff gave me counselling in order to encourage me and test by making physio-therapy exercise and told me that my problem could be cured if I follow what they ask for to do at home. They provided me a wheel chair and a pair of plastic brace and advised me how to use it for a while during treatment not always use if I want to walk. I tried very hard to follow his advice because I really want to walk not just lay down in one place.</p>	

<p>How has your life changed with the project?</p>	<p>Since that, my life has changed a lot. After for a month, I felt I could walk with my hunchbacked and moved around my house and able to help some works of my wife and I live with hope.</p>
<p>How do these changes and the project make you feel and why?</p>	<p>Because of CBR program set up a CDC-PwD in my commune especially CDC-PwD members and program staff often visited me and conducting awareness on Right of Persons with Disabilities, gave me and my family counseling and good advice included knowledge related to the Right of Persons with Disabilities, especially gave me a lot of opportunities. So now I am so happy with my living.</p>
<p>Comments</p>	<p>I would like to thank to all staff of NCDP-CBR program, all CDCs' members, especially my parents who brought me to live with and report on time to the committee and thankful to NCDP-CBR staff, who provided services to help PwDs to me and made my life hopeful.</p>
<p>What else would you like to see changed in your community? Or, what do you want for your (and your children's) future?</p>	<p>I want to see all people living in my community not to look down the Persons with disability and suggest to authority to take care of PwDs and give them an equal opportunities with persons without disability.</p>
<p>Comments observations from interviewer</p>	<p>Through our interview with him, he looks happy and fresh. His family now living with hope and now he is able to give help to his wife for making cookies. I hope he will get cure soon and able to help his wife to earn money and save for his son schooling in the near future. s</p>

