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CDD Cox's Bazar Operation

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Background:

CDD in Partnership with CBM started its health and rehabilitation services for both Rohingyas and Host communities in Cox's Bazar, Bangladesh. The project has two-pronged approach by prioritizing rehabilitation service provision and disability mainstreaming.

The focus here is on psychosocial services and the provision of rehabilitation services that includes physiotherapy, occupational therapy, speech & language therapy, eye screening, hearing screening and provision of assistive devices including manufacture/adaptation of prostheses, etc. as well as the strengthening referral services.

The mainstreaming activities are to promote the inclusion of people with disabilities along with strengthening the Age and Disability Working Group and the rights of persons with disabilities through formation and capacity building of Self-help groups (SHGs) and Disability Committees.

Project Target Beneficiaries:

Total: First Phase: 30,000;
Extension Phase: 10,000

Project Duration:

First Phase: May 2019 - May 2020;
Extension Phase: June 2020 - December 2021



Figure: MoFA extension project supported staff received 2 days (2 batch) orientation training on MoFA extension project implementation plan, communication flow, qualitative reporting aspects, inclusion activities, COVID related safety precautions and introduction with CBM team members.

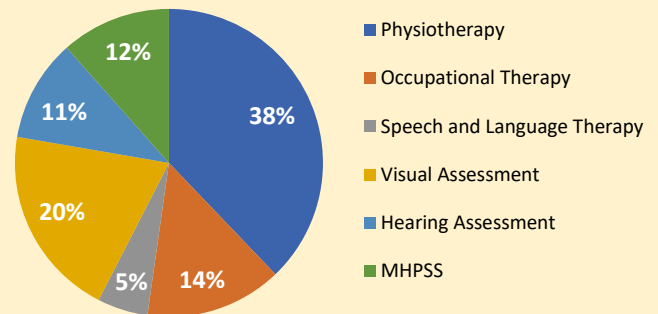
Activities in September 2020

Rehabilitation services

During the month of September, three Home Based Rehabilitation (HBR) teams, all of our main camp staffs (Physiotherapist, Psychosocial counselors, Refractionist, Audiometrician, Occupational therapist) & bus camp staffs (Physiotherapist, Refractionist & Audiometrician) were on board.

Two HBR team worked in the Rohingya community & one HBR team worked in the host community for rehabilitation of persons with disabilities. All these activities were conducted under the 2nd Phase of MoFA supported Project.

Service provision at Host community



Service provision at Rohingya Community

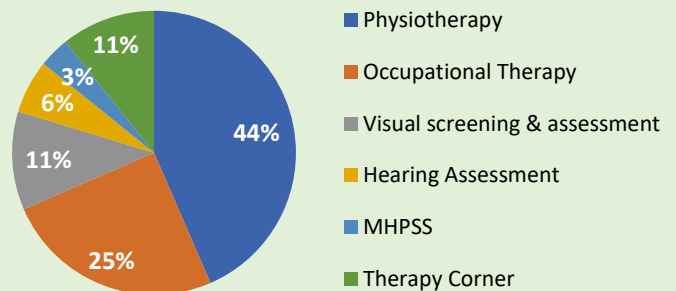


Figure: Rehabilitation officer assessing speech related impairment in a beneficiaries at her home

Service session provided in the community

Nationality	Age Distribution	Female	Male	Total
Bangladeshi	Adult	313	173	486
	Child	87	74	161
	Old	92	146	238
Myanmarese	Adult	243	309	552
	Child	121	191	312
	Old	185	212	397
Total		1,041	1,105	2,146

Figure: Outreach Hearing & Visual camp which was organized by Caritas Bangladesh and CDD provided technical support to assess 32 children with different hearing and speech difficulties.



Outreach Camp Details

Community	Number of Camp	Male	Female	Total	Person with Disability
Rohingya	5	36	35	71	71
Host	4	36	58	94	24



Figure: Beneficiaries from Disability committee receiving training on rights of person with disabilities, barriers of accessibility, ways to address those issues etc. which was facilitated by DPO consultant

Mainstreaming activities

1. Training on "Orientation on Disability Inclusive Communication" was held on 8th of September for staff members of UNICEF & Implementing Partners of C4D Team.
2. Training on "Inclusive Disaster Risk Reduction and Multi-Hazard Preparedness" was held on 17th September 2020. It was organized by ARC (American Red Cross) & BDRCS while facilitated by CDD-CB.
3. Training on "Disability support Committee Basic and Purposes" was conducted on 22th September 2020 for the disability committee members in the Rohingya camp.



Figure: Facilitation of the training "Orientation on Disability inclusive communication" at Cox's Bazar.

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