



PROJECT REPORT

IMPROVING RURAL WATER, SANITATION AND HYGIENE



Project funded by



Rotary Club of Dalkeith (Australia)

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Introduction to CFS:

CFS is a local non-governmental organization (NGO). Our mission is working to enhancing quality of life of rural border vulnerable population. We are working with local community people by moving them up from suffering of poverty and poor access to clean water and sanitation and hygiene.

Water, sanitation and hygiene project is not implemented alone. This component is a dual supported which is usually implemented with generating livelihood income including provision of material, seed, animal offspring such as raising piglets, heifers, chicken, ducks, goats and fish etc. In addition, local capacity building including raised awareness among villagers to change their harmful practices is included. Our working methodology is collaborated with local community villagers, local leaders and local potential people. We promote community/villagers participation by encouraged them to live in peace together, helping each other, sharing their resources, working together as in self-help group (SHG). CFS is moving from one village to another, conducted monitor, provided consultation and technical coaching to enable rural poor family to response their needs by themselves.

Abstract:

In May, 2018, Dr. Samnang, Cambodia Family Support (CFS) director, visited a rural village and a primary school in Samaki Village, Tasen commune, Kamrieng district. This school/village is located approximately 128 Km from central city of Battambang.

During his visits, he found that household and school water, sanitation and hygiene of this village/school needs to be improved. Poor of knowledge of accessing to clean water, sanitation and hygiene is placing children for the most vulnerable and at the health risk for not only children themselves but aggravated their parent's poverty income due to medical expenses (sickness) as an example .





Some children are at home with their sibling while their parents are working in the field

During his visits, he also found that water and sanitation of a primary school in this village need renovated as well.



The local village leader and school teachers reported that a broken water pump and a school toilet were abandoned couple years ago because of no water. Along the way back, Dr. Samnang, director of Cambodia Family Support (CFS) approached his board director at Perth, Australia, Dr. Vincent Keane and Helen Keane for a possible funding supports to improve this situation.

Fortunately, a few months later, in September 2018, Rotary Club of Dalkeith in West Australia agreed to fund this project, then project start. Since funding was pledged by Rotary Dalkeith, Dr. Samnang back to this village again to inform villager and commence project.





Rural road to project implementation site

Brief of results:

During reporting period, from September to November 2018,

- A water pump well was built
- A hand washing facility was built
- A School toilet with 2 rooms was renovated
- 3 Self help groups were established

Fund spent during project implementation (in USD):

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	A	School water sanitation and hygiene					
	A1	School pump well	1100.00	1100.00	0.00	1,100.00	0.00
	A2	School Latrines (two rooms male and female)	1400.00	0.00	1500.00	1,500.00	-100.00
	A3	School water storage and hand washing	630.00	0.00	650.00	650.00	-20.00
	A4	Management and monitoring	320.00	90.00	90.00	180.00	140.00
		Total	3450.00	1190.00	2240.00	3,430.00	20.00

Achievement pictures:

CFS contact villager and constructor for identifying a place for digging well were sufficient of water for school children usage. Due to the type of soil with heavy thick rock underground, digging by hand was very difficult, therefore, machinery for drilling for 75meters was done for sufficient water.



Finally School and Community Children are happy with their water

At the same time, School hand washing and School toilet were started to build,





We have a great honor to be visited by our support Rotary Dalkeith members from Australia

Finally, a pump well, a hand washing plot and a school toilet were completed build and using by local villagers and local schoolchildren



Established Self help group:

CFS encourage villagers of this village to establish self help group SHG. The main objective of establishment self help group was to promote rural family to live together in peace, help each other, share their local resources and especially saving monies for further needs including maintenance water pump well, school hand washing and school toilet which were already renovated.



Self-help group established

Moreover, CFS talked and educated villagers especially teach rural children about importance and how to access to clean water, sanitation and hygiene. We continue to teach and coach them through visiting them, promote keeping their achievement such as school hand washing, water pump well, toilet for good condition by making community villagers responsible.

On behalf of Cambodia Family (CFS) staff and the school children and villagers of Samaki Village I would greatly like to extend our sincere thanks for your very generous support. We acknowledge your valued supports. It would never been having a great achievement like this without your value and generous support. Please accept our best regards, from Director of CFS, Dr. Samnang.

