Innovative Approaches to Social Inclusion of People with Disabilities

World Bank Project Examples

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Social Inclusion

• The process of improving the **terms** for **individuals and groups** to take part in society

• The process of improving the **ability, opportunity and dignity** of **people disadvantaged on the basis of their identity** to take part in society
Inclusion in what?
How we measured Social Inclusion in Bank’s projects (FY10-13)

- **Criterion I:** Identify groups excluded based on their identity and their disadvantage

- **Criterion II:** Actions addressing exclusion or monitoring the results of capturing positive effects on the excluded

- **Criterion III:** Beyond a do-no-harm approach

We are evaluating only the project design – not the implementation
Addressing Disability Based Exclusion

- From 138 Projects that address Social Inclusion issues, 15 projects (11%) pertain to PWD

- Out of these 15 projects, 3 were identified as good practice case studies

How?
- The majority of the projects identify PWD as part of marginalized or vulnerable groups
- Some projects use the approach of mobilization of PWD into Self-Help Groups
- A few have M&E with specific targets to reach the differently abled.
Projects by Region

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Distribution of projects addressing social inclusion of PWD by sector, FY10-FY13

- ARD: 14%
- SP: 14%
- ED: 14%
- SDV: 6%
- HE: 7%
- EP: 33%
- UD: 0%
- TR: 0%
Health and Social Protection Project (Kyrgyz Republic)

Primary target:
Households with special needs/disabilities

Identified disadvantaged:
• no opportunities for meaningful rehabilitation or social integration,
• No systems to support individuals’ social integration

Key Features:
• Revised Disability Certification according to modern approaches. Focus on *abilities* and opportunities for rehabilitation
• Address multiple causes and dimensions of vulnerability
• Design community-based infrastructure and services to enable PWD to function in society.
• Community-based integrated social services & day care centers using one-stop-shops
The Samburu Handicapped Ed. and Rehabilitation Program

• Pastoralists of Samburu are nomadic
• Children with disabilities and HIV/AIDS are abandoned

key features:

❖ Train health workers on disability issues
❖ Provide nutrition, health and home care services to 150 disabled children living with HIV/AIDS
❖ 45 children have been fully rehabilitated and reintegrated to their families.
Methodology Assessing Social Inclusion in Projects (FY10-13)

1. Define the Universe
2. Obtain Data
3. Identify Keywords & Search Content
4. Verify Keyword Use Is Meaningful
5. Identified Projects

138 of projects

1,314
1,307
1,214
658
11%