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





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Introduction

With the overall goal of contributing towards the poverty reduction of persons with disabilities in ASEAN, the Asia-Pacific Development Center on Disability (APCD) / Japan-ASEAN Integration Fund (JAIF) Project aims to create non-handicapping environments in selected target rural communities in the Greater Mekong Subregion (GMS), namely Cambodia, Lao PDR, Myanmar and Vietnam. In line with the principle of Community-based Inclusive Development (CBID), the creation of non-handicapping environments in these target areas is deemed to promote increased capacity and opportunities for persons with disabilities to participate actively in the social and economic life of their communities.

The project has specifically focused on rural market accessibility as a model in creating non-handicapping environments. Rural markets are the center of trade and the backbone of local economy in these target communities where producers sell their products or services and consumers buy their daily necessities. However, majority if not all of these rural markets are hardly accessible not only to persons with disabilities but also to the elderly, pregnant women, and other people with limited mobility. By ensuring that rural markets are made accessible to everyone, it is hoped that not only persons with disabilities, but all people in the community will not only have access to products and services in the market but also have the opportunity to provide their own products and services as a means to combat poverty.



Objectives of the Directory

The accessibility directory aims to provide valuable information to the local community on accessible places or services including rural markets, public establishments, and other areas which can benefit persons with disabilities and other persons in the community. This information includes but is not limited to accessible facilities in the establishments as well as photos that show the changes made to make them accessible for everyone.

The directory is also meant to raise awareness on the importance and benefits of making public places and services accessible to everyone. In the case of rural markets, making them accessible can result to an increase in the number of people buying or selling products in the market which can demonstrate positive correlations between accessibility and profitability in business.

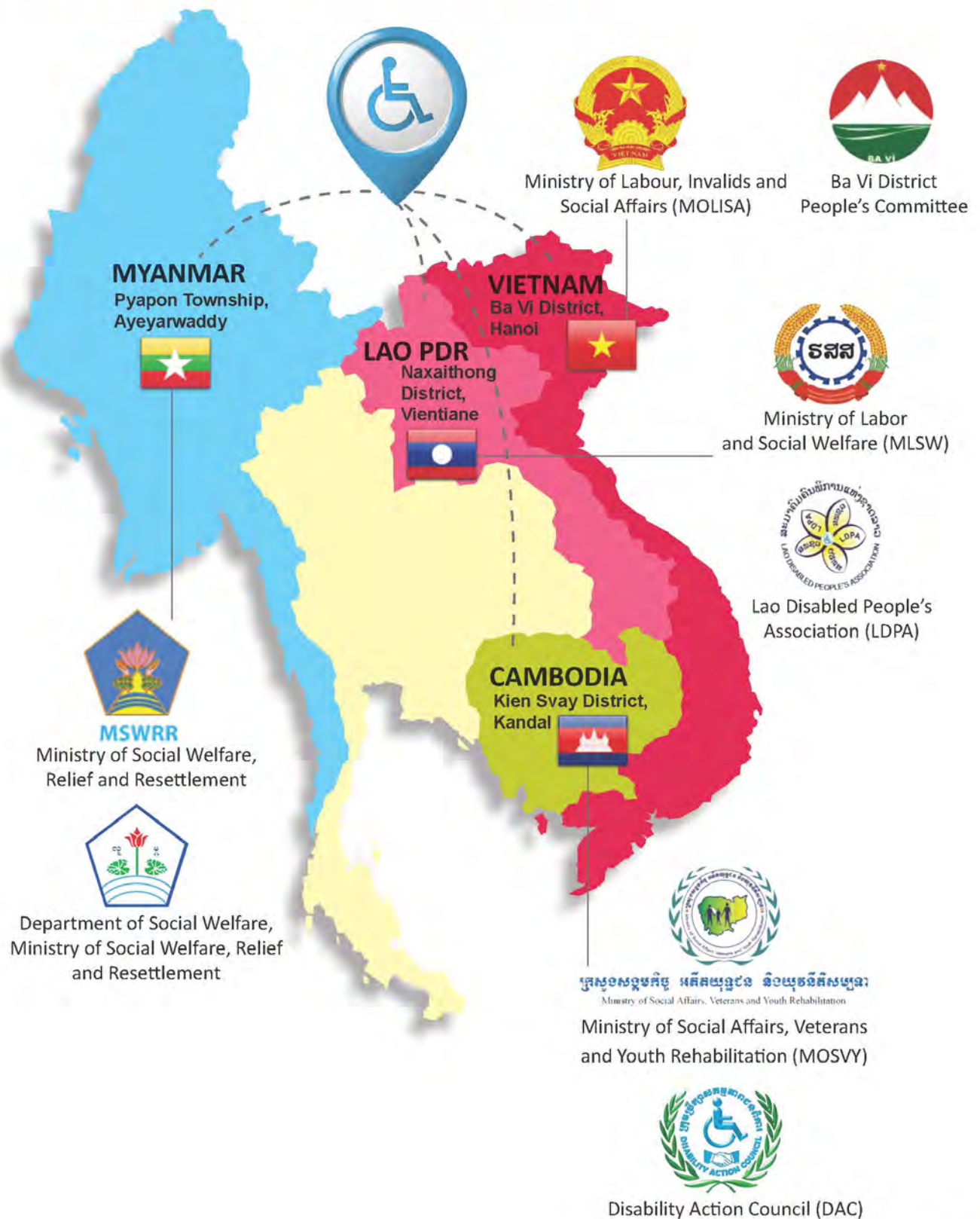
Finally, this directory is meant to encourage owners of other rural markets as well as public and private establishments to make their facilities accessible to everyone including persons with disabilities. While there is a law on accessibility in many countries which has to be complied with but is often difficult to implement, a small but sincere gesture of making facilities accessible to everyone goes a long way in making our societies inclusive for all.

Summary of Rural Market Modifications:

Target Community	Markets Modified	Accessible Facilities
Kien Svay District, Kandal, Cambodia 	1. Phlou Thmey Market	3 ramps at the entrance, 3 pathways, 1 toilet, 1 parking space for persons with disabilities
	2. Wat Krao Market	1 ramp to the market, 1 pathway to the toilet, 1 toilet
	3. Sdao Kanleng Market	1 modified entrance, 4 pathways in the market, 1 ramp pathway to toilet, 1 toilet
Naxaithong District, Vientiane, Lao PDR 	1. New Naxaithong Market	1 ramp with grab bars at market entrance, 1 pathway to toilet with grab bars, 1 toilet, 1 park- ing space for persons with disabilities
	2. Chong Pheay Market	6 ramps at market entrance, 9 ramps inside market, 3 ramps going to toilet, 1 toilet, 1 parking space for persons with disabilities
	3. Nong Sa Market	1 modified market entrance from road, 3 ramps at market entrance, 4 ramps inside market, 1 ramp at back of market, 1 pathway going to toilet, 1 toilet
	4. Nakhounnoy Market	1 ramp from main road to market, 1 ramp to toilet with grab bars, 1 toilet
	5. Houa Khoua Market	1 modified market entrance, 2 ramps inside market, 1 pathway to toilet, 1 toilet

Target Community	Markets Modified	Accessible Facilities
Pyapon Township, Ayeyarwaddy, Myanmar 	1. Myo Ma Zay Gyi Market	5 ramps at front entrance, 3 ramps at side entrance, 1 ramp at back entrance, 5 mini-ramps inside the market
	2. Myauk Pine Market	2 ramps from road to market entrance, 4 ramps at market entrance, 1 pathway from entrance to market interior, 16 mini-ramps inside the market, 1 pathway to toilet, 1 toilet
	3. Sadanar Mon Market	2 modified market entrance, 3 pathways inside the market
Ba Vi District, Hanoi, Vietnam 	1. Tay Dang Market	7 ramps inside the market, 1 pathway to the toilet, 1 toilet
	2. Nhung Market	2 ramps inside the market, 1 pathway to the toilet, 1 toilet
	3. Mo (Dream) Market	4 ramps inside the market, 1 pathway to the toilet, 1 toilet
	4. Doc Tan Hong Market	3 ramps in the market, 1 toilet platform, 1 toilet
	5. Thuan My Market	6 ramps in the market, 1 toilet

RURAL MARKET MODIFICATION: APCD/JAIF PROJECT AREAS



CAMBODIA



PhlouThmey Market

Kien Svay District,
Kandal Province



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3

Pathways

3

Ramps

1

Toilet

1

Parking
space

1

Free market
space



Old road in front of market



Paved road in front of the market



Interior market pathways then and now



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Old and new accessible toilet



Person with disabilities and his family selling fruits in Phlou Thmey Market

CAMBODIA



Sdao Kanleng Market

Sdao Kanleng Village,
Dey It Commune,
Kien Svay District,
Kandal Province



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- 4** Pathways
- 1** Ramp
- 1** Toilet
- 1** Modified entrance



Old and new market pathways

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Accessible toilet



Vegetable seller with disabilities and his family

CAMBODIA

Wat Krao Market

Wat Krao Commune,
Kien Svay District,
Kandal Province



ប្រកួតសង្គមកិច្ច អភិវឌ្ឍន៍ និងយុវជនកម្ពុជា
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1

Ramp

1

Pathway
to the toilet

1

Toilet



Market entrance



Pathways in the market



Regular and accessible toilets



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CAMBODIA



ព្រះបរមរាជវាំង អគ្គនាយកដ្ឋាន ការងារសង្គម និងការបណ្តុះបណ្តាល
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ROYAL GOVERNMENT



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Kien Svay District Office

National Road No. 1,
Koki Village,
Koki Commune,
Kien Svay District,
Kandal Province



Workers during construction of District Office building



Accessible entrance at the District Office



Kien Svay District Office Training Hall



Ramp at the entrance of the Training Hall



Toilet in the District Office Training Hall



Ramp going to the stage inside the Training Hall



Central
Naxaithong Village,
Naxaithong District,
Vientiane



1

Ramp

1

Parking
space

1

Free market
space

1

Pathway

1

Toilet



Old market entrance



Accessible market entrance with grab bars



Old and new public toilet



Accessible toilet



Parking space for persons with disabilities



Person with disabilities selling fruits in the market



1
Toilet

3
Ramps
to toilet

6
Ramps
at market
entrance

9
Ramps
inside
the market

1
Parking
space

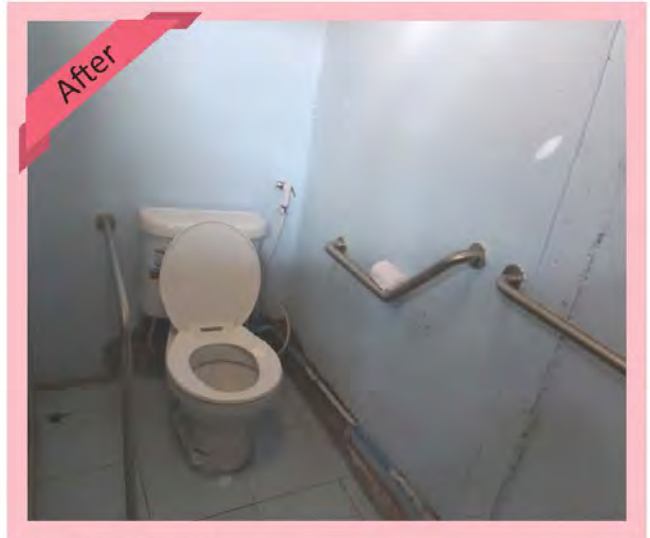


Market entrance before and after



Market entrance with steps

Accessible pathway in the market



Old and new accessible toilet



Accessible market entrance



1

Toilet

1

Pathway to toilet

3

Ramps at market entrance

4

Ramps inside the market

1

Free market space

1

Modified market entrance

1

Ramp at back of market



Market entrance



Old market entrance with steps



Accessible market entrance



Pathway to the toilet



Accessible toilet with signage



Old public toilet



Accessible toilet in the market



Accessible entrance and pathway in the market



Person with disabilities selling vegetables in the market



Nakhounnoy Village,
Naxaithong District,
Vientiane



1
Toilet

1
Ramp
to toilet

1
Ramp from main
road

1
Free
market space



Old and paved market entrance



Old market entrance

Modified market entrance



Old public toilet



Ramp leading to the accessible toilet



Interior pathway in the market



Accessible toilet



Person with disabilities selling fish in the market



1

Toilet

1

Pathway
to toilet

1

Modified
market
entrance

2

Ramps inside
market



Old market pathway



Accessible market pathway



Old public toilet



Accessible toilet



Accessible market pathway



Accessible toilet in the market



This newly built health center provides medical services to all people in the community including persons with disabilities. The office has accessible entrance with ramps.



MYANMAR

Myo Ma Zay Gyi Market

Pyapon Township,
Ayeyarwaddy Region



3

Side entrance ramps

1

Back entrance ramp

5

Market entrance ramps

5

Mini-ramps inside market



Old and new market entrance



Old and new accessible pathways in the market

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Market pathways then and now



Accessible market entrances

MYANMAR

Myauk Pine Market



Pyapon Township,
Ayeyarwaddy Region



1

Toilet

1

Pathway
to toilet

2

Ramps
from road
to market
entrance

4

Market
Entrance
ramps

1

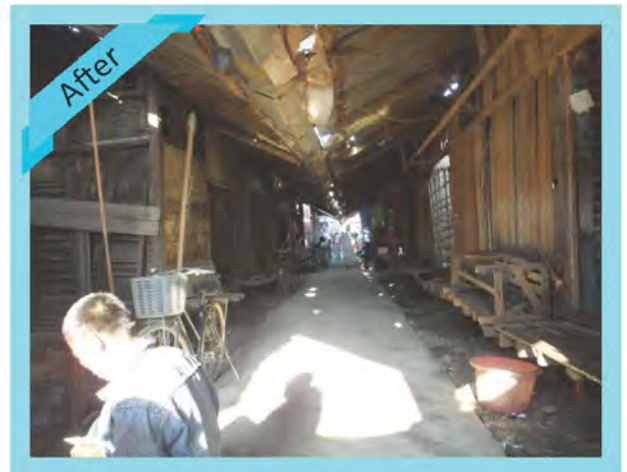
Pathway
from entrance
to market
interior

16

Mini
ramps



Market entrances old and new



Market pathways then and now

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Old and new market pathways



Public toilet area

Accessible toilet



Interior of accessible toilet



2

Modified
market
entrances

3

Pathways
inside market



Old pathways

Accessible pathways



7

Ramps
in the market

1

Pathway
to toilet

1

Toilet



Market pathways

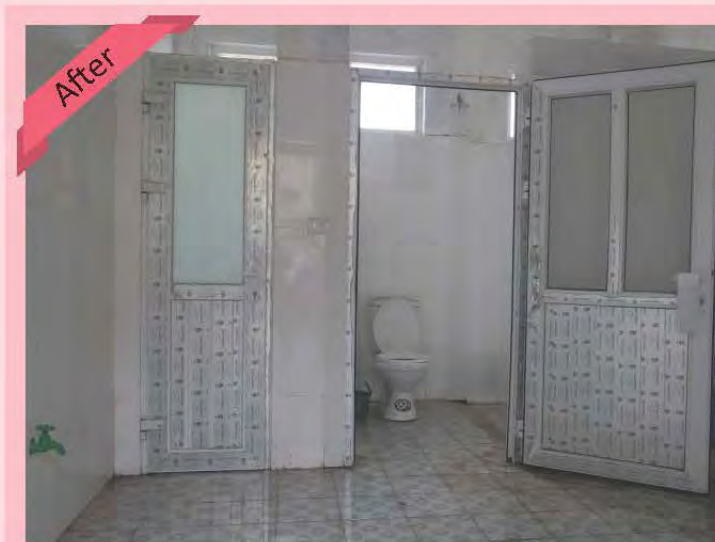


Old pathway to the toilet

New pathway to accessible toilet



Public toilet then and now



Accessible toilet

VIETNAM

Nhong Market

Phu Son Commune,
Ba Vi District, Hanoi



2

Ramps
in the market

1

Pathway
to toilet

1

Toilet

1

Garbage
disposal area

2

Free market
spaces



Interior of the market



Pathways with signage



Market pathways old and new



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Old public toilet



Accessible pathway to the toilet



Persons with disabilities providing services/products in the market



VIETNAM

Mo (Dream) Market

Van Thang Commune,
Ba Vi District, Hanoi



4

Ramps
inside market

1

Pathway
to toilet

1

Toilet



Before



After



Before



After

Old market interior

New market ramps

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Site of new accessible toilet



Accessible toilet in the market



Entrance and pathways in the market



Accessible toilet in the market



3

Ramps
in the market

1

Toilet
platform

1

Toilet



Market interior during modification



New market ramp



Old toilet in the market



Accessible toilet in the market



Market interior during modification



Market interior after modification



Old and new toilet

VIETNAM

Thuan My Market

Thuan My Commune,
Ba Vi District, Hanoi



6

Ramps
in the market

1

Toilet



Old market area



New market ramp

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Accessible toilet site



New accessible toilet



Newly built accessible toilet



2

Ramps
at entrance



Ba Vi District Office front entrance



Ba Vi District conference room entrance, with two ramps
at the entrance on the left and right side of the building



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