

COMMUNITY BASED REHABILITATION PROGRAMME – REGION # 2

Date established	1986
Date and type of registration	Specially Authorized society under the Friendly and Burial society's Act on 16 th Aug. '95 E/bo. Regional CBR'98
Primary contact person	Linda Duncan
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Secondary contact person	Vestu Jeffrey
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Number of active members	75
Number of paid staff	NIL
Number of regular volunteers	40
Estimated annual budget	\$450,000.00
Main sources of funding	AIFO and local efforts
Geographic scope of activity	Pomeroon – Supernaam / Region #2

Mission or primary goal of your organization:

To promote community involvement and the participation of persons with disabilities and their families in meeting their needs with local communities.

Main subject areas of activity or programmes

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| x Economic/income generation | x Health |
| x Social services/welfare | x HIV/AIDS |
| x Sports | x Education/training |
| x Counselling | x Disabled |
| x Women's issues | x Employment |
| x Poverty reduction | |

Other: Annual Camps Meeting at Annual Camps to share their skills and exposed DPO's to different environment

Major projects in last two years, including current projects

Project #1 Name/Goal	<u>Craft Work and Fabric Painting Goal: To enable DPO's to be self economically independent</u>
Start date	June 1, 2002
End date	July 2, 2002
<u>Main activities</u>	
1. Identify colour of fabric	
2. Choosing appropriate fabric	
3. Making designs on templates	
Main source(s) of funding	AIFO

Project theme or sector CBR Co-ordinators Trained personnel from Region #2
Project partners IDCE, Craft Teachers
Geographic scope Region #2 Pomeroun - Supernaam
Results of Project (1) Graduation (2) Exhibition (3) Sale of work

Project #2 Name/Goal **Literacy Training – English and Mathematics**. To acquire skills in form completion, reaching, doing simple mathematical problems and making change.
Start date March 3, 2003
End date May 30, 2003

Main activities

1. Writing letters of the alphabet lower and upper cases.
2. Reading passages and pointing out key words
3. Completing forms
4. Writing signatures
5. Identifying numerals and signs
6. Working simple problems
7. Using shop system to purchase items and make correct change

Main source(s) of funding AIFO

Project theme or sector

Project partners IDCE

Geographic scope Region #2 Pomeroun – Supernaam

Results of Project

Project #3 Name/Goal: **Sensitisation Programme**
Goal: Sensitising members of the public about the function of the CBR Programme
Start date November 29, 2003
End date December 3, 2003

Main activities

1. Awareness talks on TV station
2. Meeting person in different areas – discussing CBR programme
3. Awareness walk from Queenstown to Anna Regina – Using banners, placards
4. Using disabled persons in wheel chairs and those that are aided to be on the walk.

Main source(s) of funding Local Effort

Project theme or sector Key members of the E/bo CBR Regional Administration

Project partners

1. Manager TV Station
2. Volunteers
3. Region Administrative Officer

Geographic scope Region #2 Pomeroun – Supernaam

Results of Project

Major projects planned for at least next two years

Project #1 Name/Goal

Building of CBR Resource Centre

Goal: To have a building where DPO's can meet on a daily basis to improve their skills.

April 2004

Start date

End date

Main activities

1. Repair fence
2. Dig drains
3. Fill land site with sand
4. Make main gate

Main source(s) of funding

SIMAP, CIDA

Project theme or sector

Members of Regional CBR Member of the Democratic Council

Project partners

1. Regional Administration
2. National CBR

Geographic scope

Queenstown, Essequibo Region #2

Results of Project

DPO will have a meeting place where they can go daily to improve their skills

Project #2 Name/Goal

Training of New Volunteers

Goal – To train volunteers to identify and work with persons with disabilities in the Region

March 6, 2004

August 28, 2004

Start date

End date

Main activities

1. Training of members (volunteers)
2. Identify person with disabilities
3. Working with family members to improve the way of life of the disabled one
4. Meet regularly to relate their findings.

Main source(s) of funding

National CBR - Georgetown

Project theme or sector

Key members of the National CBR Key members of Regional C'tte

Project partners

Ministry of Education, Ministry of Health Officials

Geographic scope

Region #2 Pomeroun – Supernaam

Results of Project

1. Have more members 2. Family members will be able to cope more easily with persons with disabilities 3. Parents will get involved in programme.

Project #3 Name/Goal**Health**

To Focus attention on improving the health status of persons with disabilities

Start date

July 31, 2004

End date**Main activities**

1. Select team
2. Visit to areas
3. Health talks
4. Distribution of medical supplies

Main source(s) of funding

Guyana Nat. Community Based Rehabilitation Prog.

Project theme or sector

Co-ordinator, Key members of CBR/DPO

Project partners

Ministry of Health

1. Lab technicians
2. Rehab Asst. etc.

Geographic scope

Region #2 Pomeroun – Supernaam, Amerindian villages

Results of Project**Networking**

What other NGOs would you like to share information with or collaborate with in your activities?

1. Food for the Poor
2. Lions
3. Local TV Station
4. Alfro's Group of Company