


Fund for Gender Equality

GENERAL PROGRAMME INFORMATION				
Programme Information				Cambodia
Programme Name	"Strengthening Economic Livelihood Opportunities for Poor Women and 1300 HIV Positive Women"			Programme Type: Implementation
Lead Org	Cambodia Health Education Media Services (CHEMS)			Grant ID: 2454
Co-lead Org	Cambodian HIV/AIDS Education and Care (CHEC)			
Thematic Area(s)	Economic Empowerment			
Thematic Sub Area(s)	Decrease insecure employment, increase access to livelihood opportunities,			
Grant Amount	\$1,171,745	Grant Start Date	December 1, 2010	
Additional Gov't Funding		Grant End Date	December 31, 2012	
Total Budget	\$1,171,745			

Partner Agencies	
Government	Ministry of Women's Affairs, Provincial authorities (Governors' Office, Departments of Health, Social Affairs, Education and Training, Labor and others)
Civil Society	Nine local CBOs providing the links to local groups and authorities

Programme Summary
The SECLo project will reach 1300 HIV positive women and 310 low-income women in 12 provinces including Kampot, Svay Rieng, Pursat, Kampong Thom, Siem Reap, Battambang, Takeo, Kandal, Prey Veng, Kampong Chhnang, Kampong Cham and Bantey Meanchhey in Cambodia. SECLo will provide economic opportunities through practical livelihood skills training, community credit, develop women's leadership skills and enhance women's social standing in their communities through media, outreach and community forums.

DETAILED PROGRAMME INFORMATION				
Contribution to Law(s)				
Name of Law	Law Type	Year Implemented	Type of Contribution	Level of Contribution (High or Low)
5-year strategy of the Ministry of Women's Affairs	Strategy	2006, 2009	Implementation	High
Neary Rattanak 3 (2009-2013)	Strategy and Plan	2009	Implementation	High
2006-2010 National Strategic Plan on HIV/AIDS	Plan	2006	Implementation	High

Target Population
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General Programme Goal
To inform the implementation of the five-year strategy of the Ministry of Women's Affairs, Neary Rattanak 3 (2009-14), by contributing to a comprehensive multisectoral response to HIV/AIDS and gender empowerment for low-income women and women with HIV positive status in 12 Cambodian provinces, through training, collaboration and microenterprise support.

Expected Programme Outcomes
Outcome 1: 1460 women (1300 HIV positive women and Livelihood Development HIV Trainees, 160 low-income women from Women's Vocational Training) gain increased access to livelihood opportunities.

Outcome 2: Increased access to health care services for 1775 HIV positive people living within 12 target provinces.

Outcome 3: 150 low-income women take leadership roles within community and lead project activities in Community Forums.