



Coalition for the Urban Poor (CUP)

Progress report of Green Graduation Programme Month: September 2023

In this month several activities are performed. The major activities are given below-

1. 4.6.1 Reviewed five years strategic plan of CUP & include extreme urban poor as priority

Under this activities CUP organized a Workshop with CUP General Members and Collaboration Partners for CUP Strategic Plan Review- 2023 under Green Graduation Programme. On 11 September 2023 at 11am CDIP conference room, Adabor Dhaka total 53 participants (CUP EC & General members 17, others NGO & INGO representative 15, CBO leaders 7, Media person CUP secretariat and others 14) were actively participant in the workshop.







Objectives of the workshop:

- 1. Identify and reviewing the CUP and their Constituencies
- 2. Review the strategic priorities
- 3. Analysis the CUP theory of Change
- 4. CUP geographic priority
- 5. Identify the working strategies of CUP

Outcome of the workshop:

1. CUP and Constituencies

Urban Poor living in:

- Slums
- Squatters
- Low-cost Houses
- Pavements

Organizations/
Forums/
Associations of
Urban Poor
People

CUP Members NGOs/ CSOs

2. Priority Sectors

- 1. Safe & Secured Habitat
- 2. Social Security (Identity)
 - 3. Climate Change Resilience



- 4. Safe & Secured Habitat
- 5. Social Security (Identity)
- 6. Climate Change Resilience

3. CUP THEORY OF CHANGE

Urban Poor living in:

- Slums,
- Squatters
- Low-cost Houses
- Pavements
- Strategic Choice:
- Advocacy,
- Capacity Exchange,
- Partnership,
- Knowledge Management.
- Changes in Life
- Safe & Secured Habitat
- Social Security (Identity)
- Climate Change Resilience
- Access to Services
- (Safety Nets)

4. CUP GEOGRAPHIC PRIORITY

Dhaka North City Corporation Dhaka South City Corporation Chattogram City Corporation Khulna City Corporation Rajshahi City Corporation Narayongonj City Corporation Gazipur City Corporation Mymensingh Paurashava

5. WORK STRATEGIES

1. Advocacy

Policy change System change

2. Capacity Exchange

Members CBOs

3. Partnership

For lobbying



Technical support

4. Knowledge Management

Learning/Evidence building Information/Data for advocacy

Functional Strategies
[Institutional Governance & Management]

- **Executive Committee roles**
- II. Secretariat roles
- III. Members engagement
- IV. **CBOs** engagement
- Organizational Strengthening V.























The workshop strategies were presentation, group work, opinion through VIP card. Total four groups were work for 8 issues and finally a small group formed with active participants (Group members were representative from VERC, Habitat for humanity, BLAST, YPSA, Ghashful and CWW) of the workshop and they work for finding of the group work.

The workshop facilated by CUP Technical Adviser Dr. M. Ehsanur Rahman and Documentation and supportive by CUP consultant team Mr. Aminur Rasul and Monir Hossain Chowdhury.

On 20 September 2023 the small group members work on the findings of the workshop at CUP office. Total 5 group members from VERC, Habitat for humanity, BLAST, YPSA and Ghashful and consultant team were present in the working team.

2. 4.2.3 Meeting with local level urban primary health care providers (PA Management UPHCSDP)

On 24 September 2023 at 11am CUP organized a coordination meeting with Local Level Urban Primary Health Care Providers (PA-3 Management, UPHCSDP) at Nagar MatriSadan, DSCC, Hazaribagh Park, Dhaka.

Total 21 participants were present in the meeting (among them implementation partner and local working NGO representative were 3, 1 manager of DAM destitute child rehabilitation Centre, UPHCSDP PA-3 management & staff 5,CBO leaders and Change maker greater Hajaribag area 9 and CUP management and staff 3).

The ED of CUP Khondker Rebaka Sun-yat started the session and sharing the objectives of the meeting. She also introduced about the CUP and project activities of green graduation project including role of CUP, then after she also request to introduce all participants and working NGOs under the DSCC PA-3. After introducing each other's the representative of Nari Moitree Md. Shah Alam sharing their detals activities under green graduation programme supported by CWW he also shared the demand of the health services for extreme urban poor. After that the project manager Mahfida Dina Rubiya welcome to all members and shared their project activitices under DSCC- PA-3, UPHSDP and the clinic manager Esrat Sharmin shared the details services of CRHCC including delivery.

Under the PA-3 they have 6 PHCC word no.- 22,23, 24,27, 29 except these they provide satellite services in the word no. 55,56,57 (provide weekly services). Their maternity also under the word no. 22 and 24 hours open for women and children. Additional they provide cervical cancer test for monthly 1 day (24th of every month).



Objectives of the meeting:

- 1. Build up relation among service providers, implementation partners and CBOs for ensuring referral linkage for health care services.
- 2. Know about the services of urban primary health care centre (PHCC) and CRHCC (comprehensive reproductive health care centre) under the PA-3 UPSHDP DNCC
- 3. Discussion about red card (free health service Card) and access to red card for extreme urban poor







Outcome:

- 1. Build up good relation among PA management, service providing authority, working NGOs, implementation partners and local CBO/change makers
- 2. The PA management agreed for provide all services to extreme urban poor including their opportunities for poor people
- 3. The Manager advice to local NGOs and project partners for issues a slip with referral person for documentation and recognition of referral activities
- 4. They already complete their survey and distribution red card also they will try to include the project extreme poor and survey for red card
- 5. They request to CBO leaders and NGOs person will communicate with them for any problems or services
- 6. They request to contact their relevant word level PHCC (static clinic) for collection more information and satellite health service point in the different slum areas.

3. 4.2.2 Policy Support Meeting with Health Service Delivery Authorizes of DNCC and DSCC

Meeting with Chief Health Officer, DNCC

On 27.09.2023 CUP organized a meeting with Chief health Officer and partners of green graduation programme at 3pm at 10th floor meeting room of DNCC, Gulshan-2, Dhaka. Total 22 participants were present in the meeting from DNCC health Departments 5 person (Chief Health officer, Health officer, Deputy Health officer, Assistant Health officer zone-4,

Representative of implementation partner SEEP 2, CWW-1, CUP management and staff 5 and CBO & SHG leaders -9.

On Behalf of CUP management Vice chairperson of EC board Md. Mahbubul Haque were present as session chair and Mr. Brg. General A K M Shafiqur Rahman Chief Health officer of DNCC were present as chief guest in the meeting.

Discussion points:

The authority of health service provider of DNCC Chief Health officer agreed that birth registration is the rights of every people of Bangladesh. He shared that they already identify the problem of birth registration for urban poor and discussed already birth and Death Registrar authority. He also said that



the law of birth registration is not easy to change but they find out a way for easily solved the problem.

After that the change makers shared their experience and two cases about health and red card services and they demand new red card.









Objectives of the meeting:

- 1. Introducing about the project and partners of green graduation programme
- 2. Sharing the identified problems/limitations about birth registration of urban extreme poor and discussion and recommendations for regarding the issues
- 3. Discussion about the Health care services of urban extreme poor especially red card issues.

Outcome:

- 1. Build up a good relation with NGO partners, CBO leaders and health service providing authorities(central & local) of DNCC
- 2. CBOs are raised their problems and actively participant in the discussion meeting
- 3. The chief health officer agreed that the birth registration is the citizens' rights of urban poor and safety for identity and Find out a recommendation for policy influencing issues for birth registration for urban extreme poor (they will find out a special way for easy solution for birth registration without policy change).
- 4. CWW and DNCC will jointly publish a leaflet about the services of City Corporation including primary health care and location. CUP will be help for publicity and orientation to CBO leaders for ensures Health services for urban poor people.

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6. The chief health officer and other relevant authorities agreed for provide necessary support for project beneficiaries (extreme urban poor) and implementation partners

Other activities:

1. Staff capacity building training

In this month CUP staff received two training organized by CWW on 18.09.2023 monitoring and documentation and 20.09.2023 training on Advocacy. On behalf of CUP programme person in absence and for hospitalized of Mollika Sarkar, Md. Shafiqul Islam attend both the training.

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