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Cambodia National Action Plan for improving Child Care

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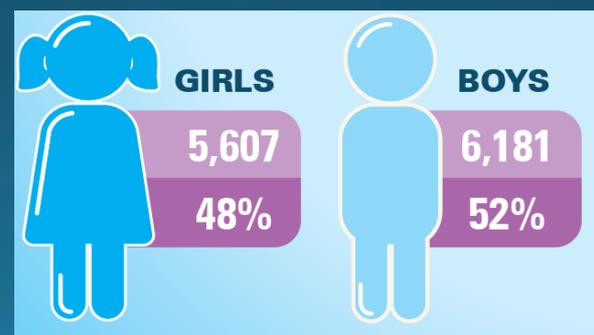
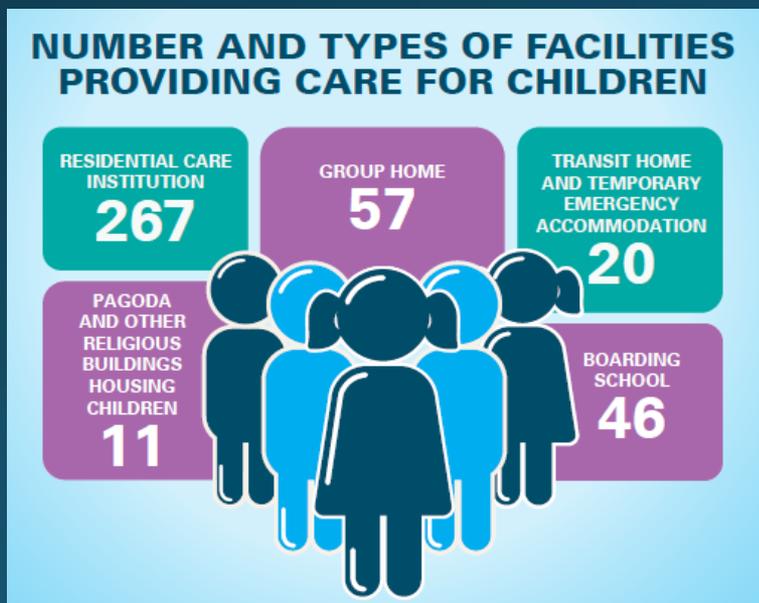


Partners



Purpose of the Action Plan

- Promote family preservation and reintegration
- Focus on five priority provinces



Guiding Principles and Approach

- Best interest of the child
- Do No Harm
- A phased approach based on learning from action
- Equity
- Better gatekeeping
- Prevention and family preservation
- Deinstitutionalization and reintegration



Key expected results

1- 3500 children safely reintegrated from residential care, good quality case management and programme support

- SOP for closure and transition of institutions to community-based care and reintegration of children
- Collaboration of government and NGOs social workers for effective case management, family-preservation and broader child protection interventions
- Harmonized inter-agency case management system

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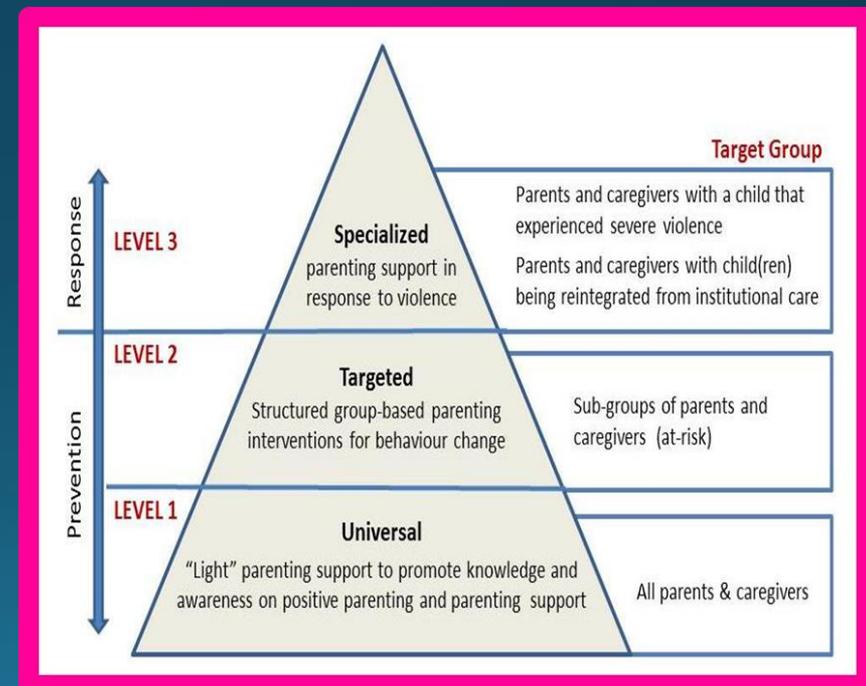
2- No new residential care institutions authorized to operate & No children under 3 years

- Regular inspections of residential care institutions using innovative mobile technology
- Guidelines for family support, foster care and adoption
- Gatekeeping by local authorities

Key expected results

3- Prevention and family preservation

- Government led behavioural change campaigns
- Positive parenting programme



A Story of Love beyond Disability



Sorya was born with cerebral palsy and he was abandoned in a hospital when he was around nine months old... He has been placed in temporary foster care while the biological parents are supported to be able to receive him back...