

Benefits of Social Assistance System

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Speaking with a sad face, she did not seem to have much energy. She described her daily life to an interviewer that she had previously worked as a farm laborer in her community to earn some money to support her daily life. Now she is older and has no dependent children, she lives with her granddaughter in the same village. She said that today the economic income situation in the community as well as the family of her granddaughter with is very low, but with high expenditure, and the farming does not provide enough yields. Now she cannot help her granddaughter to do any more work besides looking after her grandchildren whenever she feels a bit healthy.



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Equity Card

● Understanding of Social Protection.

From her own point of view for social protection, it useful, especially pregnant women as it can provide prenatal and postnatal health check-ups. There is also a vaccine for babies. Older people like him, when they have a disease that needs to be treated one at a time and do not have to worry about the cost at all. She is an old woman, every time she has a chronic illness, her granddaughter always takes her to the health center for treatment. If she is very sick, she is taken to the 16th of January Provincial Referral Hospital like other typical patients.

She realized that social protection had eased her burden on indigenous people in her community, especially women, who provided health check-ups during their pregnancies and at the time of delivery and promote vaccine for the children and other adjuvants. On the other hand, parents who receive a poor card or this equity card with a child of school age can take this card to apply for a scholarship from the school to support their child's education. In case of minor illness, they go to the health center for treatment without any payment. And getting medical treatment from a health center is easy because it is close to her house and does not have to spend money on travel, which does not take long to wait.

Speaking for herself, she stated that she really wants the Royal Government to help renew this equity card forever because she is old and has many members in the family. Depending on the granddaughter, they also have a family with small children to take care of their family, and especially the grandmother in the family with very poor living conditions.



Public Profile

Ms. Rem Phuy

Sitting under the house with a sad face, Rem Phuy is 70 years old and she is Kui ethnic group.

She is single mother and living in a remote community in Preah Vihear province. Her son has been separated from her for many years.