

March 2025 - Rotary Support for Health Centres in Cambodia

Health Centres in Cambodia provide medical support for families. Women give birth there and will stay overnight there. For some other medical things, various family members may also stay overnight.

Today, some Health Centres in Cambodia have wells but when the hydro quits, they no longer have access to clean water.

Some Health Centres do not even

have a well. In these cases, they revert to pond water, which is contaminated by fertilizer, cattle, and humans.



**Dombokkhuos
Health Centre**



With financial support from Rotary District 7070 and 5 Rotary Clubs in District 7070 (Rotary Club of Toronto West, Rotary Club of Whitby Sunrise, Rotary Club of Toronto, Whitby Rotary Club, and Rotary Toronto Eglinton), seven (7) Health Centres now have clean water.

Five (5) of the Health Centres had wells, but when the Hydro goes out, they were forced to use pond water. Hydro is not stable in Cambodia. Most wires are above ground. To fix this problem, a water tower (capacity of 5,000 litres of water) was installed and pipes connected it to the well and to the Health Centre. Now, when the hydro goes out, there is still clean water in the water tower for the Health Centre.

Th other two (2) Health Centres needed the water tower but also to have a well dug. And this was done at those two Health Centres – a well dug and a water tower installed.

These seven (7) Health Centres provide medical care for over 80,000 people, from 64 small villages and the surrounding countryside. These Health Centres are all located in the Province of Kampot, in southern Cambodia.

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