

IMPLEMENTING SOCIAL PRESCRIBING IN CAMBODIA

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Process of translation Social Prescribing toolkit

- Mental health expert team reviewed and modified the 47 pages translated of Social Prescribing toolkit from English to Khmer on 26-31 January 2022.



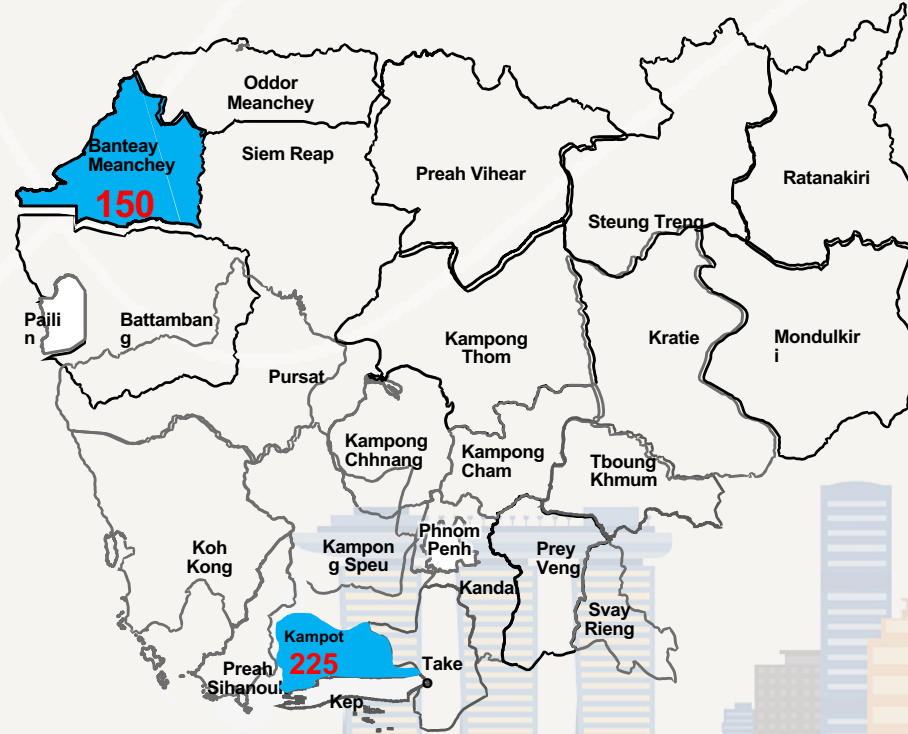
Discussion meetings and workshop

- DP, RUPP with technical support from WHO
 1. Conducted the discussion meetings among mental health expert team to finalize Khmer translation
 2. Workshop with **30 (16 female)** Village Health Support Groups (VHSGs) to discuss about Social Prescribing Toolkit in Khmer to use the word fit to Cambodia local context.



Field testing and adapted of Khmer SP toolkit

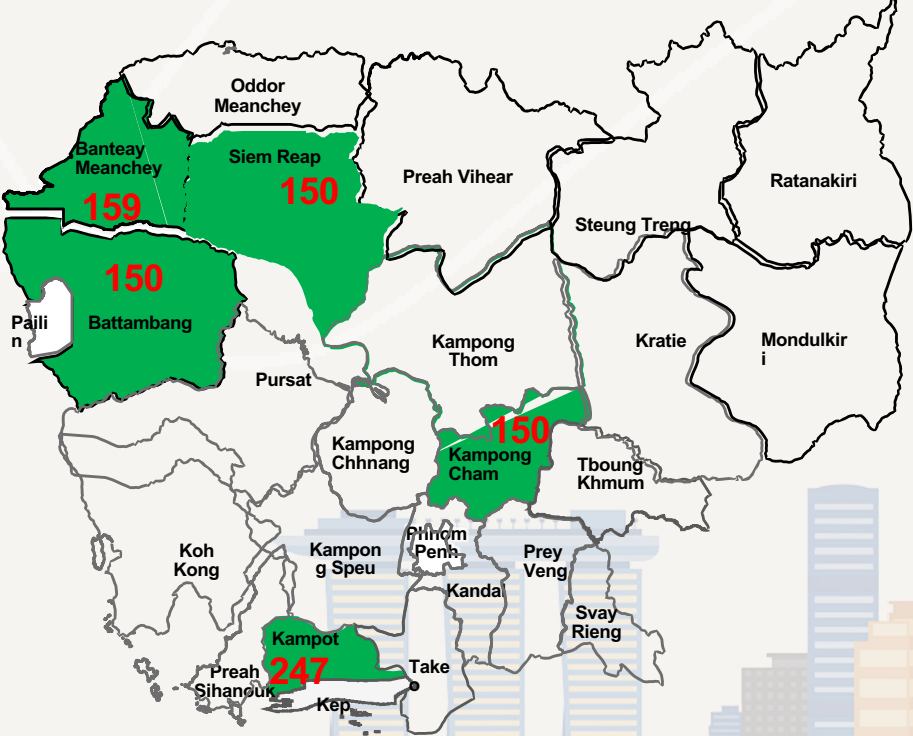
Field testing with **375 (165 females) VHSGs** in 2 provinces completed in February - March 2022



Capacity building training of the adapted SP toolkit



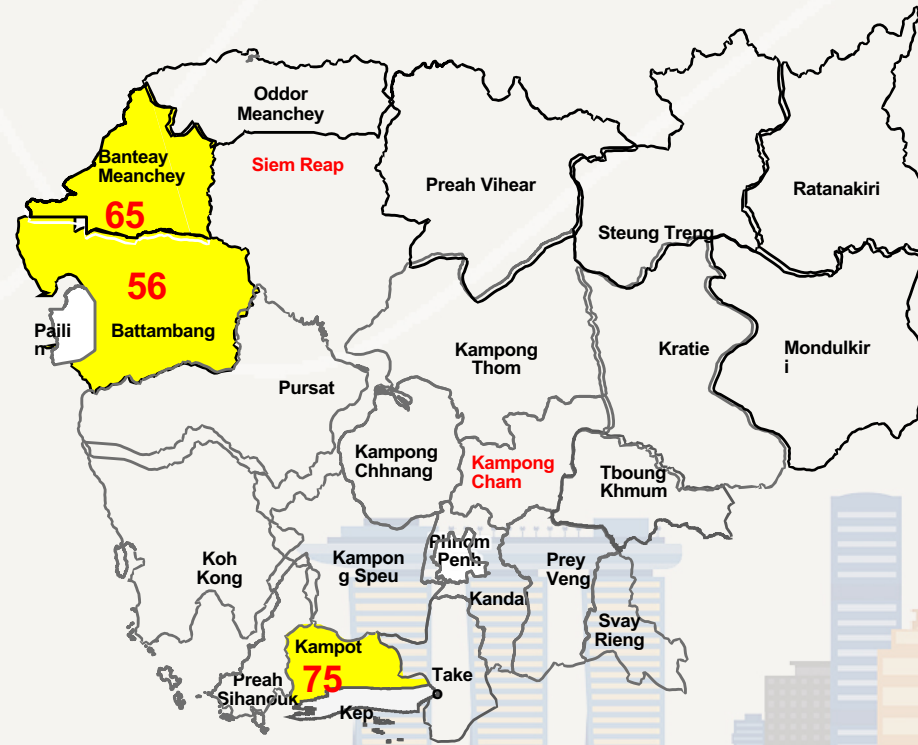
Capacity building trainings for **856 (391 females)** VHSGs in 5 provinces completed in April-August 2022



Future plan: DP-RUPP plan to provide capacity building Trainings for VHSGs in other 20 provinces

Monitoring & Evaluation of the Social Prescribing toolkit

196 VHSGs in 3 provinces completed M&E in Sep-Oct 2022



Future plan: DP-RUPP plan to conduct the M&E in other 2 provinces

Preliminary result of the monitor and evaluation

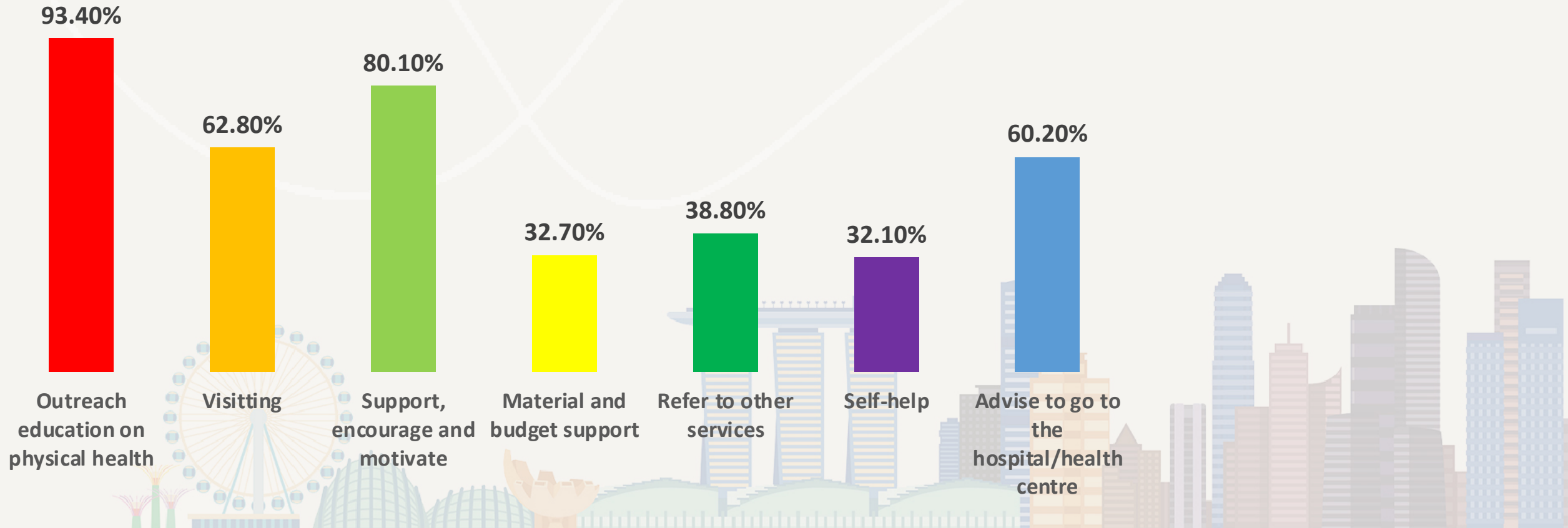
The monitoring was conducted by collecting data

- Face to face interview
 - Link workers (VHSGs)
 - Villagers (Patient)
 - 4 districts
 - 3 provinces
- The results of the M&E are show in the following (next slides):

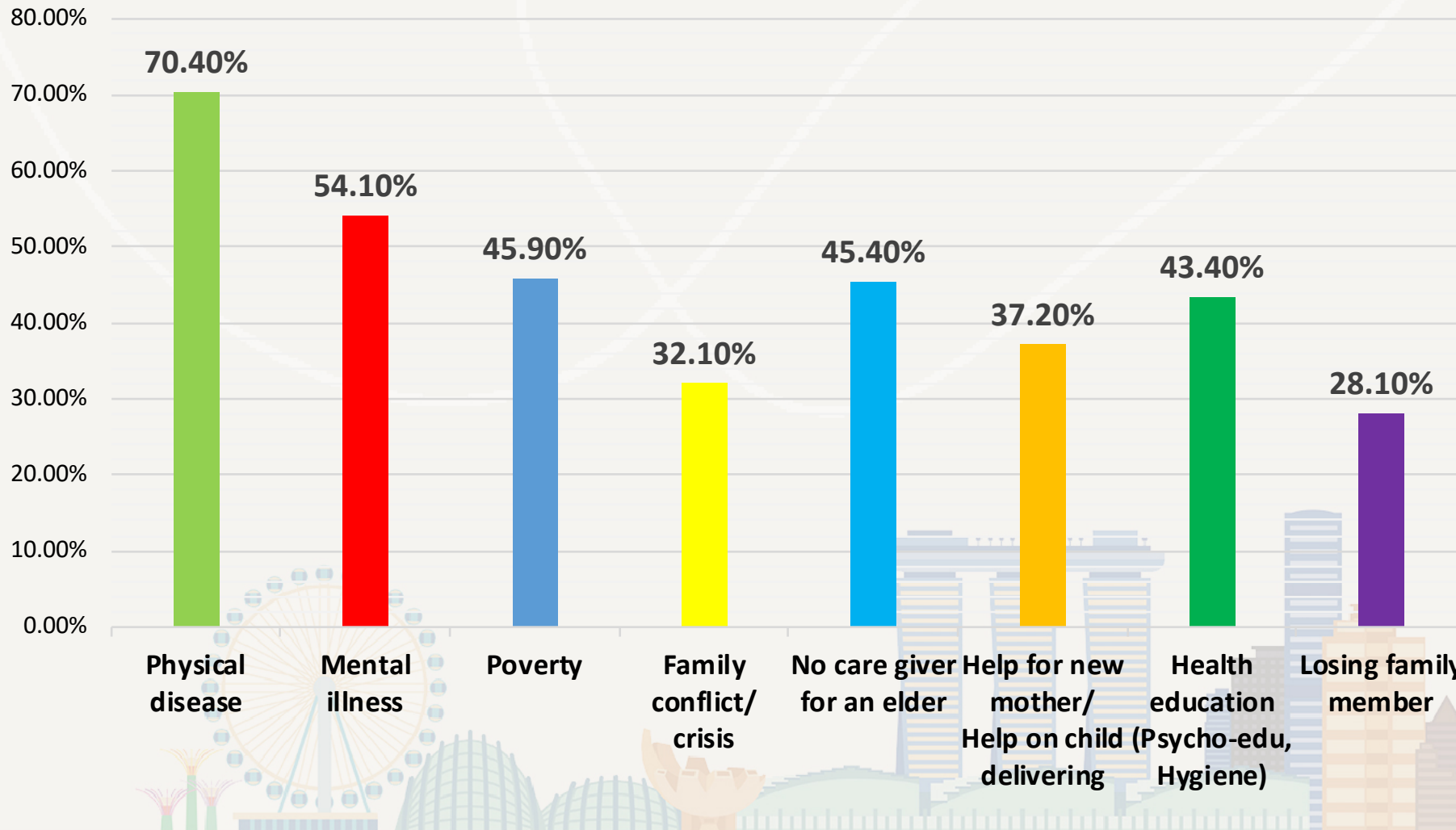
General information of link worker (VHSGs) N=196

Sex	
Female	52%
Male	48%
Age	
20-30	5.1%
31-40	14.3%
41-50	18.9%
51-60	26.5%
61 and older	35.2%

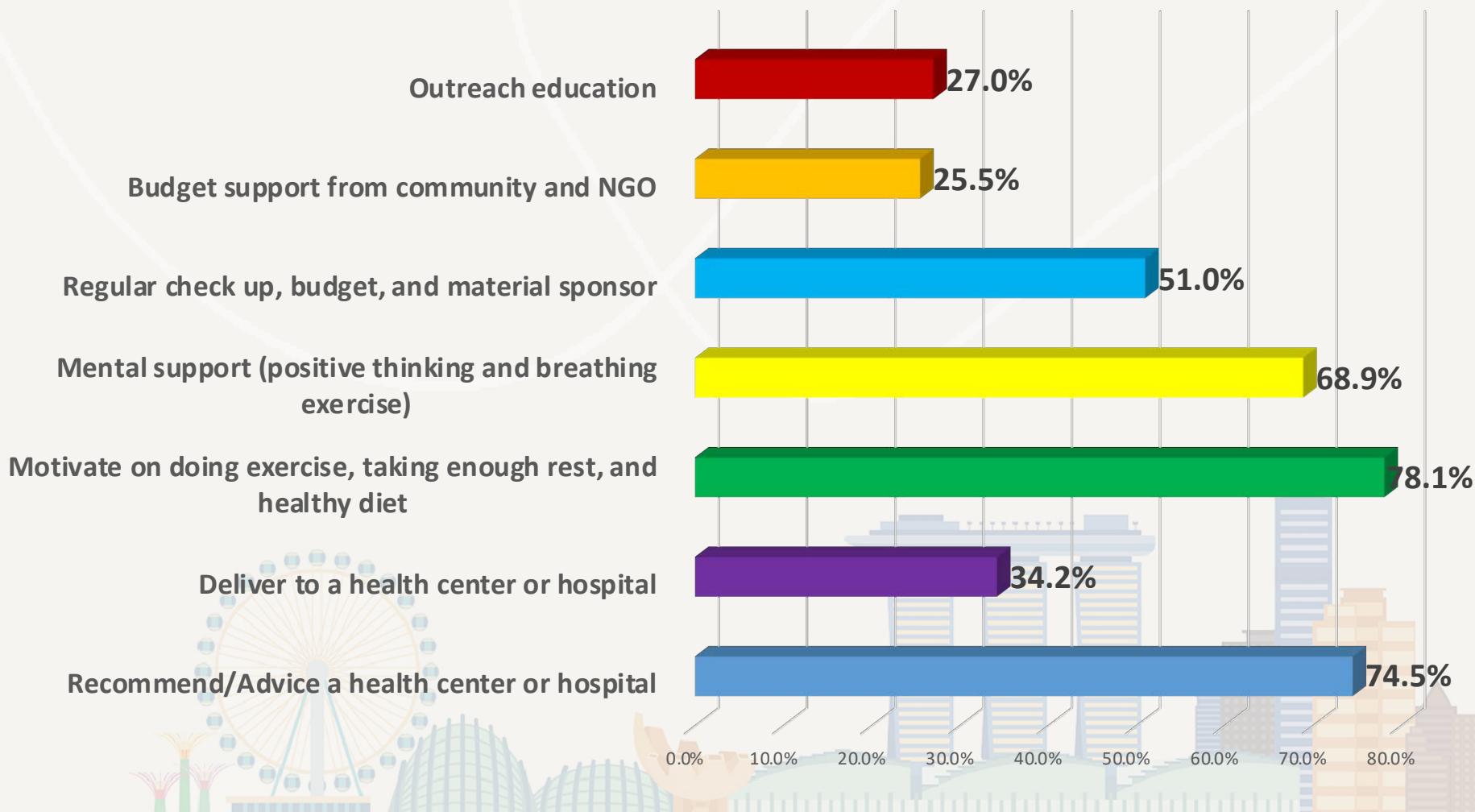
After you gained knowledge from the SP capacity building training, what did you do to help other?



What kinds of problems you help in community?



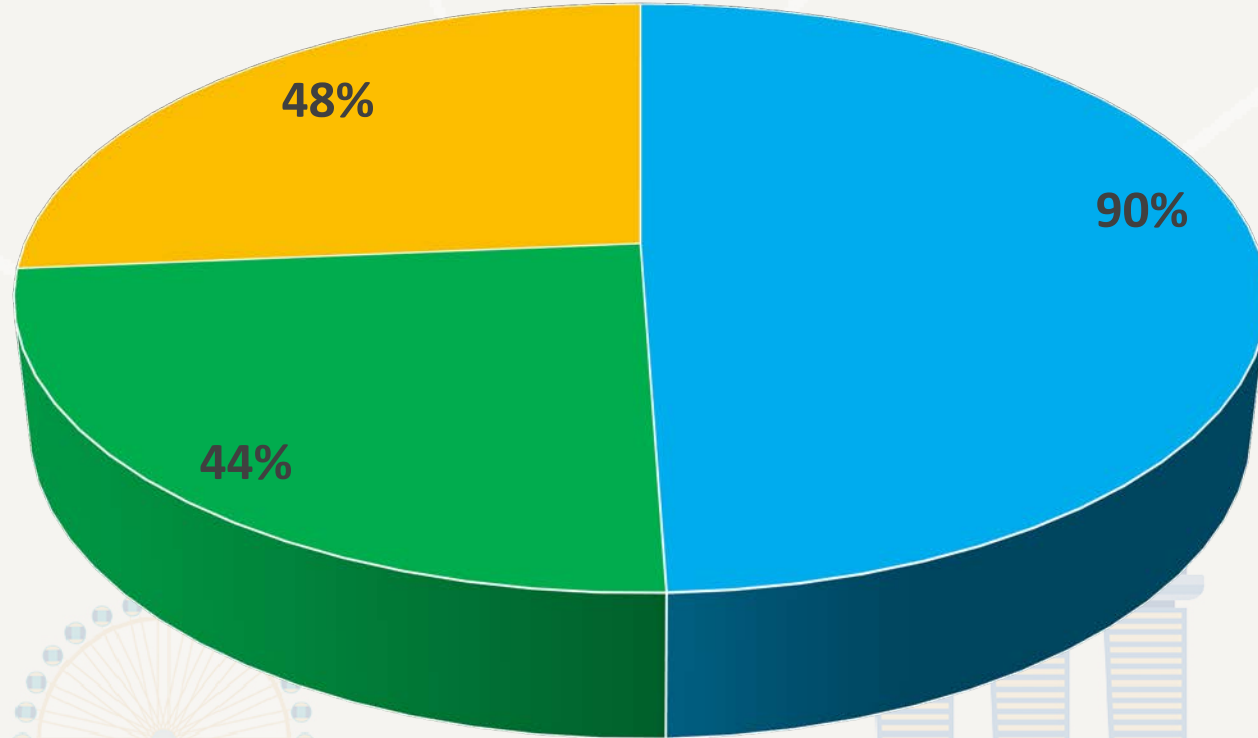
How you help them?



General information of villagers (Patient) N=121

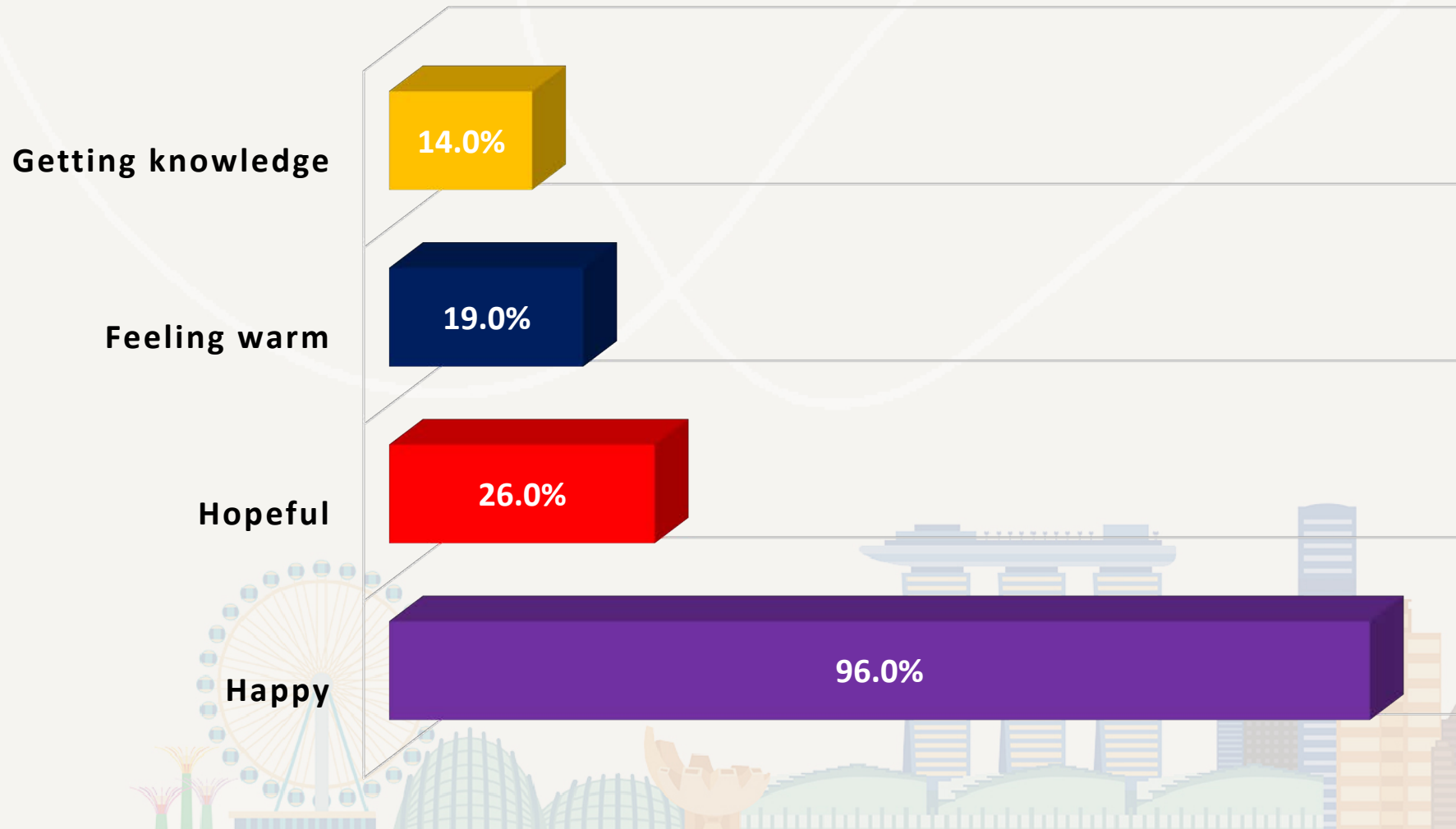
Sex		
Female		92%
Male		8%
Age		
Younger than 60		30.0%
61 and older		70.0%

How to hear about the SP scheme?

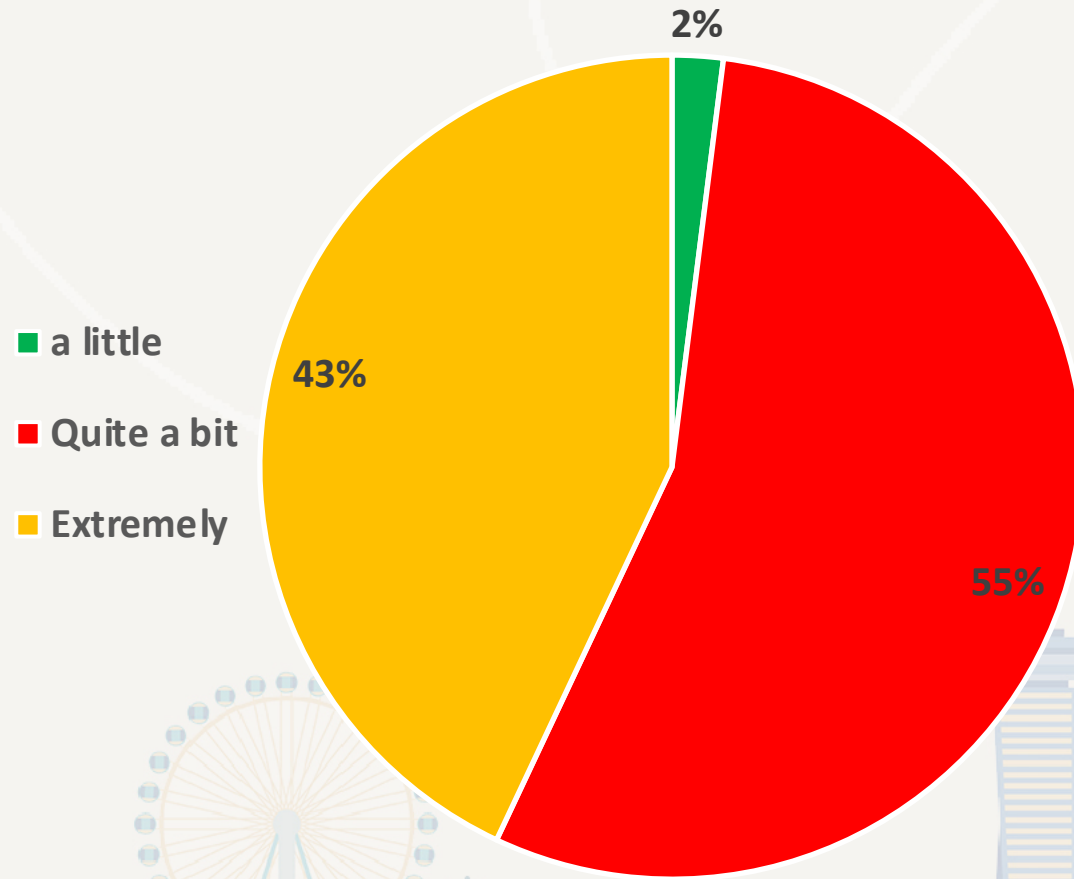


■ Village Health Support Group (VHSGs) ■ Women Commune Council ■ Health Workers

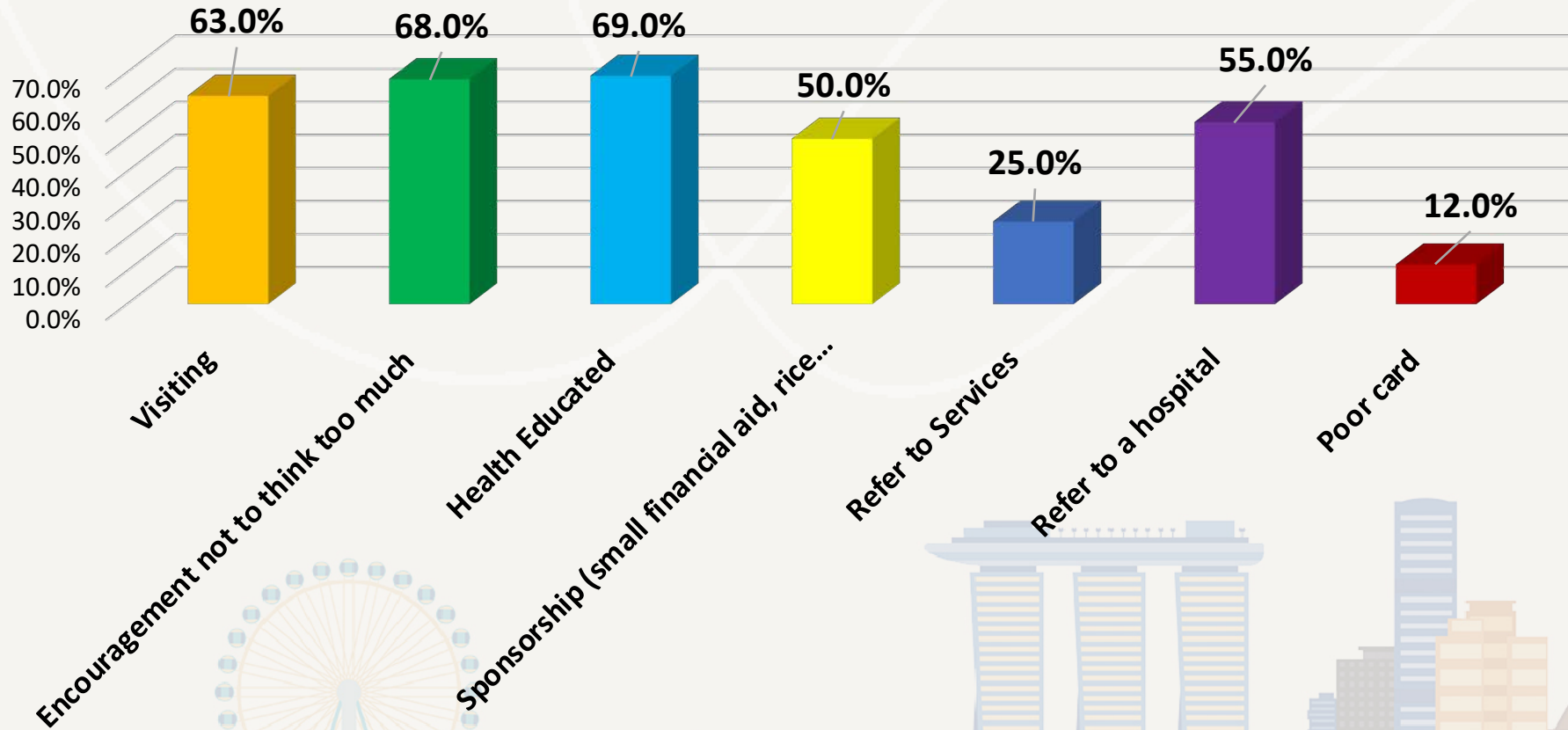
Feeling/initial reaction when you learnt about SP



How much you like about the SP scheme



Benefits from Social Prescribing



Conclusion

- The link workers who are trained in the implementation of the Social Prescribing toolkit are knowledgeable and have applied to help their community.
- Patients (villagers) indicated that they received assistance from the link workers, which improved their health and well-being.

Suggestion

- Link workers:
 - Requests for further training
 - Request to expand training to all villages
 - Ask the team to support to the community
 - Request a small budget for link worker



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