Completion Report



Fighting Trafficking Together



Total Budget



Project Timeline

\$23,600

JAN 20

JUN 21

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Overview

Our partner's aim is to represent and strengthen a growing coalition of organisations and residents committed to combating sex trafficking in Indonesia. This project helped expand their capacity through provision of inexpensive coalition-requested trainings for anti-trafficking organisations across the country and SE Asia generally. Key components included specialised training courses and the appointment of an Indonesian program director responsible for coordinating training logistics, translating resources and facilitating coalition meetings and inter-organisational relationships. The Indonesian National Anti-Trafficking Task Force doubled in size during the project.

Objectives

Hire a local Program Director

Impact

A Program Director was hired in February 2020. She has been instrumental in growing and coordinating the National Anti-Trafficking Task Force from 12 organisations to 24, translating resources and facilitating meetings.





Specialised Training Courses The first impactful training course for caregivers was conducted in 2020. The second training course in Trauma Informed Care for coalition members has been rescheduled twice due to COVID-19 and will be held when restrictions lift.



Sarah's rescue

The new task force was put to the test in late 2020 when they received a tip through their website that a minor trafficking victim had run away from her trafficker and was living on the streets in a small village. Despite there being no anti-trafficking organisations nearby, in only a matter of days, the coalition was able to locate 'Sarah' and get her to child protective services along with safe housing and aftercare. One of the partners followed up for months in the initial stages of her care until arrangements were made through the government for a more permanent solution.



Life change

- The network is growing in strength and reach and functioning well, following up cases in areas without anti-trafficking presence for girls just like 'Sarah'
- Anti-trafficking programs have had to slow down due to COVID-19 but interest in professional development and building connections has increased resulting in a stronger coalition and task force.

