

The Impact of community Based Rehabilitation in low-income countries, the project initiative by Vision Community Based Rehabilitation

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ABSTRACT

The session focuses on the impact and challenges of community-based rehabilitation (CBR) in low-income countries such as Ethiopia, highlighting specific initiatives and their outcomes. It also discusses the holistic approach taken to address the social, educational, and economic needs of people with disabilities, along with advocacy strategies. Case studies and success stories will be featured to demonstrate the practical applications of community-based rehabilitation in various settings, showcasing the potential for sustainable change and inclusion. Participants will have the chance to engage in interactive discussions and share best practices for overcoming barriers and building partnerships to improve the quality of life for individuals with disabilities. Additionally, the session will address the provision of assistive devices as a key tool to tackle disability-related issues. It will explore innovative approaches to empower communities and promote equity and social justice for all. The discussion will touch upon the significance of accessible infrastructure and the role of technology in enhancing the lives of individuals with disabilities. Moreover, the session will delve into the ethical considerations and cultural sensitivities involved in implementing CBR initiatives. By exchanging knowledge and experiences, participants will cultivate a shared understanding of the principles and practices that underpin effective community-based rehabilitation.