Safe Food, Fair Food for Cambodia

Cross-cutting activities: gender, capacity building and taskforce

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Project final workshop, 21-22 June 2021, Phnom Penh, Cambodia

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Gender and / or Youth

Results or key insights:

• Nutrition, market, household, risk assessment, cost of illness components integrate gender issues
• All research component and project interventions consider gender issues.
• The nutrition study worked exclusively with women, focusing on mothers and their children under 5 years old.

Future opportunities:

• Engaging more meat female vendors in training of interventions
Initial training on gender and livestock:

- Organized by CelAgrid in partnership with NAHPRI and ILRI

- ILRI Gender trainer, Nicoline De Haan, and 2 co-facilitators

- 9 participants (3 females, 6 males) from National state agencies, research, and academia

- 22-23 Jan 2018
The objectives of the workshop were:

- For the whole team to understand and be comfortable with the concepts and terminology of gender, so as to have a common understanding of the issues;

- To identify with the team the emerging gender issues and solutions that need to be addressed in the project;

- To identify the capacity within the team to support the gender work;

- To develop a gender activity plan, identifying responsibilities and interlinkages between various outputs within the project;
Second Gender training, 1-2 October 2019, in Phnom Penh, 37 participants
Training on System effect modelling

• Using System Effects modelling to identify challenges, impacts and strategies for improving food safety
• Organized by ILRI and University of New South Wales
• National state agencies, research academia and university
• 21-23 May 2019
Food safety risk assessment for informal value chains

- Organized by NAHPRI in partnership with ILRI and WHO
- 15-17th Jan 2018
- 30 participants (70% male, 30% female)
- National state agencies, research academia, universities and international organizations
Taskforce: translational research

- Support food safety technical working group of Cambodia
- Risk assessment expertise and case studies
- Linking to other projects of food safety
- Trainings
Strengthening Food Safety in Cambodia: Establishment of Food Safety Technical Working Group for Food Safety (FOS TWG)

• Inter-Ministerial Prakas 868 (2010) on the Implementation and Institutional Arrangements of Food Safety Based on the Farm to Table Approach has mandated 6 Ministries to share the responsibility for food safety.

• To enhance systematic sharing of information and routine communication in the field of food safety across sectors: Multi-sectoral Technical Working Group for Food Safety (FOS TWG)

Food safety Taskforce: to add food safety research and training into the existing national food safety technical working group to strengthen the existing group and optimise the synergy of, and to avoid duplication of efforts in different food safety activities in the countries.
Key content:
- Food safety technical working group
- From ministries, WHO, FAO
- Capacity building
- Exchange and influence
Student training at NAHPRI (2018-2019)

1. PhD at ILRI and SLU, Mr. Rortana Chea
2. PhD in nutrition, Emory, USA, Ms. Candice Duong
3. MSc Morgan Emory
4. Six RUA undergrads students
5. SEAOHUN / KOICA /RUA fellow: Phally Pha DVM
6. Mr. Chea Bunthon, DVM students, RUA
Lectures at Battambang University, 12 August 2019
Thank you for your attention

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