OUR DONORS 2016-2018

We would like to thank all our donors; without their continuous support we would not be able to achieve our mission and goals to ensure that people with physical disabilities develop their full potential in an inclusive society. Our main donors for the 2016-2018 period are listed below, but we would also like to thank all of the individuals and institutions in the field that are not mentioned on this page. Moreover, we would like to thank the ICRC, which provides MoveAbility with administrative, logistical, and technical support (in the form of services).

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Cover picture:
MoveAbility organized training for physiotherapists and prosthetists & orthotists in Rwanda. Participants shared experiences and learnt from each other during discussion sessions with a MoveAbility physiotherapist.
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The year 2018 started with great news – and an achievement: MoveAbility received an award by the Zero Project Conference 2018 in Vienna on the 22nd of February.

This distinction recognized, among its other initiatives, MoveAbility’s innovative practice of the national platform for the physical rehabilitation sector. (Read the story on our website)²

An innovative tool

The national platform is a multi-sectoral hub allowing the national authorities, rehabilitation centers, Red Cross and Red Crescent societies, Disabled People’s Organizations and civil society actors to meet and discuss concrete needs of persons with disabilities.

Among the topics of the platform’s discussions: the adoption of a national strategic plan, the increase of allocations for the sector, the improvement of access and quality of services or the promotion of a social protection system. Ultimately, the goal of the platform is the creation of a national policy on physical rehabilitation.

Impact

The national platform is an important innovative tool in view of establishing a sustainable rehabilitation sector in a given country. It is integrative and inclusive and it often helps stakeholders overcome administrative stumbling blocks that might exist with a transversal issue such as rehabilitation.

For an innovation to have a real impact, it must be implementable and replicable. The national platform has been set up with concrete results in Togo, but also in Tanzania. The platform has largely contributed to the integration of physical rehabilitation into the national strategy for the health sector. In addition, the platform is being implemented in Zambia and Benin, and it is being considered in El Salvador and Ecuador.

The increasing prevalence of non-communicable diseases, the ageing population and the increase in mobility-related accidents represent major challenges for health systems in the 21st century. This is why a number of rehabilitation actors, active at the international level, have decided to create the Global Rehabilitation Alliance (GRA). The mission of the Alliance is to advocate for the availability of quality, coordinated and affordable rehabilitation through system strengthening and adapted to population needs.

The Alliance – composed of professional associations, condition-specific groups, international development and humanitarian organizations such as ICRC and MoveAbility – wants to be a powerful and cohesive body united to further the development of rehabilitation throughout the world. The fact that I had the honor of being elected as the GRA’s first President is first and foremost a reflection of the appreciation of MoveAbility’s work.

However, much more needs to be done if we want to achieve the ambitious objectives set in the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)³ and the World Health Organization’s (WHO) Rehabilitation 2030 Call for Action.⁴ And much more needs to be done particularly in the 14 countries where MoveAbility works, and in countries with similar challenges. Our partners in the field are eager to make a difference by ensuring that they can offer good-quality, accessible and sustainable rehabilitation services. And for this, they thank you for your support.

Thierry Regenass
Executive Director

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¹ The Zero Project, an initiative of the Essl Foundation, focuses on the rights of persons with disabilities globally. It provides a forum where the most innovative and effective solutions to problems that persons with disabilities face, are shared. Its objective is to assist in creating a world without barriers. https://zeroproject.org/
² http://moveability.icrc.org/zero-project-award/
OUR OPERATIONS
JAN-JUNE 2018

22,395 persons with disabilities benefited from our partners’ services

10,809 beneficiaries received material support

142 professionals and stakeholders of the rehabilitation sector received training/coaching

22 students received a scholarship

322 Service satisfaction interviews were conducted

BREAKDOWN OF PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES

*0 - 15 years old
We are active in **14 countries**

We support **32 projects**

RESOURCES ALLOCATION PER GLOBAL OBJECTIVE,

- National Plan: 23%
- Education and training: 31%
- Quality of services: 15%
- Access to services: 14%
- Management capacities: 17%

*The chart indicates the volume of financial and human resources that were distributed over our 5 general objectives.*
COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

Under an agreement with the Ministry of Health, we supported the Centre de Rééducation Motrice de Madagascar (CRMM) in Antsirabe and the Mahajanga rehabilitation center. For example, staff from the CRMM, and rehabilitation personnel from the Centre Hospitalier Universitaire d'appareillage de Madagascar (CHUAM), were able to attend an on-site training course to strengthen their skills. Students on MoveAbility scholarships continued their studies at the Institut Supérieur Technologique Montplaisir in France; after their studies, the graduates will return to work at the CRMM. MoveAbility gave advice on the layout of renovations to the prosthetics and orthotics workshop in Mahajanga, and helped equip the facility.

Selected physiotherapy teachers completed a one-month bridging course – to prepare for their respective master’s degree programs – at the Institut des Hautes Etudes en Paramédical du Sud à Marrakech in Morocco, with our help. The Association de Médecine Physique et de Réadaptation de Madagascar (AMPR) held a conference in Antsirabe in April on clubfoot management; we offered them financial assistance for holding the event.

We provided 12 wheelchairs suitable for sports to the women’s basketball league of the Madagascar Paralympic Committee. These wheelchairs were also used during a tournament held to raise public awareness of physical disabilities issues.

MoveAbility and the CHUAM continue to test the management tools developed for the ICRC Program for Humanitarian Impact Investment (PHII). To this end, a training was organized in Lomé for two staff from CHUAM.

INDICATORS

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

- Existence of a national plan: Yes
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: 1

NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS

- 29 physiotherapists, 24 Category II prosthetist and orthotist (P&O) and 2 other health professionals

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

- PHII MSH monitoring EIM progress
- 3 physiotherapists teachers completed a one-month course
- 4 P&O students trained in France

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

- A beneficiary satisfaction survey of 20 users at the CHUAM was conducted

BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

- 1,109 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 1,109 people received services
  - 3% People with amputations
  - 97% People with other physical disorders

ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 1,535 orthoses
  - 60% Male
  - 40% Female
  - 14% Children
- 14 prostheses
  - 20% Male
  - 19% Female
  - 33% Boys
  - 28% Girls

* Estimated figures

The innovative funding mechanism has been created to encourage social investment from the private sector, to support the ICRC’s health programmes.
COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

We are currently working with Ottobock to renovate and equip the physical rehabilitation facilities in the University of Rwanda’s College of Medicine and Health Sciences (which moved to a new campus in Remera in 2017). The renovation is part of the answer following the recommendation made by ISPO aimed at ensuring the college maintains its international accreditation. We also ordered raw materials and other supplies for the university, to facilitate practical training sessions and clinical placements.

With our support, the Centre Hospitalier Universitaire de Kigali will carry out renovations to improve the working environment for students during their field placements. We also provided them with materials for use during their provision of services to people with disabilities.

We are working with the Ministry of Health on a new two-year framework agreement that is currently under study. Notably, this agreement proposes the creation of a national platform composed of members of the rehabilitation sector, and other pertinent stakeholders, such as the National Society and Disabled People’s Organisations.

To support the social inclusion of people with disabilities through sports, we donated a dozen multi-sport wheelchairs to the National Paralympic Committee of Rwanda.

With MoveAbility’s support, physiotherapists and prosthetists/orthotists (P&O) were able to strengthen their skills during practical training sessions in, for example, taking a multidisciplinary approach to the management of patients with amputations. We also gave financial and other assistance to the professional associations in Rwanda for physiotherapists and P&O.

INDICATORS

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

- Existence of a national plan: No
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: n/a

NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS

- 9 physiotherapists, 3 prosthetist and orthotist (P&O) and 1 other health professional

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

- n/a

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

- n/a

BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

- 84 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

* Estimated figures
  
  https://www.ottobock.com/en/
COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

We continued to support the Somali Red Crescent Society centers in Galkayo, Hargeisa and Mogadishu, where we focus on providing technical expertise and logistical support. The centers contend with a lack of supplies and qualified staff, and limited government assistance. To help them carry out their work in spite of these constraints we helped them organize training for center staff, among other activities.

We worked with the Somali Red Crescent Society to ensure that the material support to these centers was properly allocated and to improve their planning. In line with this, we facilitated the annual orders for raw materials and wheelchairs for all three centers; the orders for this year were significantly bigger than the ones made in 2017.

Somali physiotherapists and prosthetic and orthotic technicians continued their studies abroad, with our support. Students taking a physiotherapy course in Rwanda also participated in a two-day gait training session at the University of Rwanda’s College of Medicine and Health Sciences.

We received additional funding for 2018 from the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Cooperazione Italiana and the Norwegian Red Cross. As a result, it allowed large investments in the rehabilitation sector to be run by our partner, the Somalian Red Crescent Society.

INDICATORS

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

- Existence of a national plan: No
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: n/a

NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS

- 2 physiotherapists, 4 Category II prosthetist and orthotist and 16 other health professionals

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

- Wheelchair-training intermediate level is in progress
- Clubfoot training in partnership with Miracle Feet under development

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

- n/a

BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

- 3,547 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 3,547 people
  - People with amputations 13%
  - People with other physical disorders 87%
  - Male 46%
  - Female 20%
  - Boys’ 20%
  - Girls’ 14%

ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 283 prostheses (34%)
  - Male 67%
  - Female 25%
  - Boys’ 25%
  - Girls’ 8%

- 554 orthoses (68%)
  - Male 24%
  - Female 15%
  - Children’s 61%

* Estimated figures
11 Gait training is a type of physical therapy.
TANZANIA

COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

The national rehabilitation platform continued to hold meetings to discuss the development of Tanzania’s physical rehabilitation sector, and develop a strategy and an action plan.

We helped the Tanzania Training Centre for Orthopaedic Technologists (TATCOT) organize a technical training course for rehabilitation professionals in Rwanda. The president of the Association of Physiotherapists in Tanzania attended a global conference on Health Regulation in Geneva, with our support. She learnt more about strengthening the capacity of physiotherapy providers to establish the association in the national medical council and comply with changes to the regulation process.

We worked with local organizations and professionals to help improve access to services and opportunities for the social integration of persons with physical disability in Tanzania. For example, technicians from the Comprehensive Community Based Rehabilitation in Tanzania (CCBRT) and TATCOT outfitted two schoolboys with prosthetics suitable for sports, enabling the children to join the Jumping Kids sports program in South Africa (see story on our website). Our financial support to the Tanzania Amputee Football Federation contributed to its official recognition. Shivyawata added an additional driver to its transport program, to help improve access to rehabilitation services in CCBRT.

We conducted a technical assessment based on beneficiary feedback at CCBRT and gave them our recommendations.

INDICATORS

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

- Existence of a national plan: Yes
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: 1

NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS

- 5 physiotherapists, 4 Category I prosthetist and orthotist and 1 other health professional

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

- TATCOT organized several short courses with our support

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

- A beneficiary satisfaction survey was conducted at CCBRT

BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

- 553 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 553 people received services
  - People with amputations: 21%
  - People with other physical disorders: 79%
  - Male: 24%
  - Female: 14%
  - Boys: 35%
  - Girls: 27%

ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 45 prostheses: 25%
  - Male: 62%
  - Female: 9%
  - Boys: 35%
  - Girls: 27%
  - Children*: 29%

- 133 orthoses: 75%
  - Male: 18%
  - Female: 17%
  - Children*: 65%

*0 - 15 years old

RESOURCE ALLOCATION PER GLOBAL OBJECTIVE*

- National plan: 13%
- Education and training: 1%
- Quality of services: 24%
- Access to services: 35%
- Management capacities: 27%
COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

MoveAbility and the Ministry of Health (MOH) signed a memorandum of understanding for the period of 2018 to 2020; the document covers cooperation in several areas, including the creation of a national platform for physical rehabilitation. The MOH has sent a formal invitation to the potential members such as professional associations, academia, service providers and National Society for a meeting scheduled later this year.

To support the activities of the University Teaching Hospital, we donated raw materials and other supplies to them; some of these will be also distributed to three public rehabilitation centers. At various public centers, we donated computers, and installed patient management software and trained staff in its use. Some personnel also trained in more specialized topics, such as measuring gaps in the quality of services through beneficiary-feedback surveys and technical assessments.

Together with national stakeholders and external organizations, we participated to a round table organized by the University of Zambia (UNZA) on the creation of a bachelor’s degree for prosthetics and orthotics.

INDICATORS

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY
- Existence of a national plan: No, under development
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: 1

NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS
- 32 physiotherapists, 1,5 Category I prosthetist and orthotist, 4 Category II prosthetist and orthotist

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS
- Category I and II training facility identified

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS
- 7 clinical staff trained for Patient Management System software

RESOURCE ALLOCATION PER GLOBAL OBJECTIVE

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BUDGET 2018
CHF 203,227

EXPENDITURE JAN-JUNE 2018
CHF 108,992
The rights of persons with disabilities in Rwanda

According to the Department for International Development (DFID), the country is “committed to poverty reduction and meeting the Global Goals, achieving increased prosperity and opportunity for its citizens, and ensuring stability. They have a strong record of using aid effectively to achieve these objectives and produce impressive results”.

Rwanda adopted the UNCRPD in 2008. This important event was a national recognition of the rights of people with disabilities. Notably, among its guiding principles are clauses governing non-discrimination and promoting the effective and full participation of persons with disabilities in society.

Reconstruction and strengthening of a physical rehabilitation system

The genocide in Rwanda has left significant traces within the society and the population. 800,000 people died and more than 25,000 among them had physical disabilities, according to the 2008 national census. Most of them live in poverty and suffer from discrimination. Before the genocide, the country had a functioning rehabilitation system, but the tragic event caused it to deteriorate. Currently, most persons with disabilities are trapped in the poverty cycle and have very low chance to be included in the society.

Physical rehabilitation priorities include addressing discrimination and stigmatization of people with disabilities. They need to be involved in discussions on the programmes to be developed, so that the decisions made meet their individual needs and allow them to have a prominent place in society.

One of the challenges is the lack of trained professionals in the rehabilitation sector. In response to this gap, MoveAbility was mandated in 2013 by the University of Rwanda’s College of Medicine and Health Sciences to offer its expertise in supporting the rehabilitation faculty to update their curriculum and develop short course training for professionals in the physical rehabilitation sector. Since then, our activities and our field of service provision have evolved. We are currently discussing an agreement with the Rwandan government for the establishment and implementation of a national strategic plan to rebuild the physical rehabilitation system.

We have similarly developed a partnership with the National Paralympic Committee and provided wheelchairs to the women’s wheelchair basketball players. We are organizing tournaments and coaching with them. These activities help to promote the integration of people with disabilities, increase their visibility and consequently act against their stigmatization.

A great epic

Rwanda’s success story has shown that it is possible to combine economic growth and improved the inclusion of people with disabilities. Although there are still challenges ahead, the progress that has been made bodes well for the future.
KNOWLEDGE TRANSFER, ACTION & EXPERIENCE

As Daisaku Ikeda, a famous Japanese sage, said “a commitment to human rights cannot be fostered simply through the transmission of knowledge. Action and experience play a crucial role in the learning process.”

Based on this principle and that of sharing points of view, two-week training courses on Management of Persons with Transfemoral Amputation were organized in Kigali, Rwanda. 15 professionals, for some prosthetists/orthotists and other physiotherapists, coming from different rehabilitation centres and hospitals, attended the course. The interdisciplinary approach that was taken, was both theoretical and practical and enabled professionals with different backgrounds to share their perspective.

The first objective was to train qualified prosthetists/orthotists in techniques, notably assessment, fabrication, fitting and evaluation, to fit the transfemoral prosthesis; and the second objective was to train physiotherapists to work with amputees, using amputee management approaches, as well as post-operative and post-fitting.

The course was a success, both for participants who acquired new knowledge and techniques, but also for instructors who tested new, more interdisciplinary and participatory course approaches.

Both physiotherapists, and prosthetists/orthotists shared their knowledge and learnt new methods together.

The trainees are doing exercises based on the gait training - a physical therapy - with a patient.

Participants have an opportunity to discuss with the MoveAbility physiotherapist.
The **national platform** for the rehabilitation sector, which is part of the objectives set in the memorandum of understanding signed with the Ministry of Health in 2017, finalized its **first action plan** for 2018.

To support the Service de Kinésithérapie et d’Appareillage Orthopédique (SKAO) in Parakou, we facilitated the order of **raw materials** from the African Organization for the Development of Centres for Disabled People. We also assessed **the quality of SKAO’s service provision** and gave them some recommendations based on our findings. To improve the use of the patient management system software, we organized training of the center’s staff.

MoveAbility worked with the Centre Médico-Social Sainte Elisabeth de la Trinité (Calavi) to help ensure particularly **destitute patients had access to physical rehabilitation services**: patients selected by Calavi will have their treatment costs covered by MoveAbility.

The Centre National Hospitalier Universitaire (CNHU) in Cotonou used the EMP’s Essential Management Systems Assessment Tool (EMSAT) to conduct a self-assessment.

### PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY
- Existence of a national plan: **Yes**
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: **n/a**
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: **1,1**

### NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS
- 24 physiotherapists, 27 physiotherapists students, 4 Category II prosthetist and orthotist and **25** other health professionals

### MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS
- EMSAT assessment has been done at CNHU

### QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS
- **A Beneficiary satisfaction survey** has been conducted at SKAO

### BENEFICIARY STATISTICS
- **43** people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

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**BUDGET 2018**

CHF 374,438

**EXPENDITURE JAN-JUNE 2018**

CHF 106,716

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### PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS
- **43** people
  - **People with amputations**: 40%
  - **People with other physical disorders**: 60%
  - Male 36%
  - Female 17%
  - Boys’ 22%
  - Girls’ 25%

### ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS
- **4 PROSTHESES** (13%)
  - Male 75%
  - Female 0%
  - Children* 25%
- **26 ORTHOSES** (87%)
  - Male 8%
  - Female 8%
  - Children* 84%

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*0 - 15 years old

**INDICATORS**

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**PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY**

- Existence of a national plan: Yes
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: 1,1

**NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS**
- 24 physiotherapists, 27 physiotherapists students, 4 Category II prosthetist and orthotist and 25 other health professionals

**MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS**
- EMSAT assessment has been done at CNHU

**QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS**
- A Beneficiary satisfaction survey has been conducted at SKAO

**BENEFICIARY STATISTICS**
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  - Female 0%
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- **26 ORTHOSES** (87%)
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  - Female 8%
  - Children* 84%

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*0 - 15 years old
CÔTE D’IVOIRE

COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

We continued collaborating with Vivre Debout (VDE), a local non-governmental organization (NGO), and supporting both its main physical rehabilitation center in Abidjan – with the aim of turning the center into a national reference institution for the provision of physiotherapy services and the production of assistive devices – and its satellite center in Bouaké. Two VDE prosthetic & orthotic technicians continued their training for Category II certification. They will work in the VDE Bouaké center upon completion of their courses. We also helped VDE improve the management of their centers, for example by facilitating training sessions for their staff through the implementation of the Essential Management Package.

Along with representatives from VDE and other local organizations, MoveAbility participated in the first Formation Internationale Africaine de Kinésithérapie in Abidjan. The event featured plenary sessions, workshops, and training sessions organized by the Ivorian Association of Masseurs-Physiotherapists and Rassemblement des Physiothérapeutes de l’Afrique Francophone.

MoveAbility and VDE met with the Ministry of Health, to follow up in line with the memorandum of understanding signed in December 2017 – on the development of a national platform for physical rehabilitation and on updating the national plan developed in 2013, which has yet to be officially validated.

The VDE board accepted the principle of NGO Benchmarking, based on an audit conducted by SGS. The benchmarking process will be conducted with MoveAbility’s support.

INDICATORS

**PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY**

- Existence of a national plan: Yes
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: 1

**NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS**

- 1 physiotherapist, 4 Category II prosthetist and orthotist and 7 other health professionals

**MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS**

- EMSAT evaluation planned for second semester of 2018
- SGS Benchmarking planned for October 2018

**QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS**

- A beneficiary satisfaction survey was conducted at Vivre Debout
- EMP training sessions have been completed at Vivre Debout

**BENEFICIARY STATISTICS**

- 673 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

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People

- Male 55%, Female 40%, Children* 5%
- Male 29%, Female 20%, Children* 51%

*0 - 15 years old

INDICATORS

RESOURCE ALLOCATION PER GLOBAL OBJECTIVE

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*Estimated figures

COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

The national platform on physical rehabilitation met regularly during the first half of the year, and finalized its action plan. Internal commissions were also created to better manage the platform’s activities and workload.

We continued working with the École Nationale des Auxiliaires Médicaux (ENAM) in Lomé to improve training of physical rehabilitation professionals from French-speaking countries in Africa. We notably organized training sessions on the ischial containment socket – a type of prosthetic socket – for instructors in prosthetics/orthotics and tutors from clinical placement sites. This training was organized to comply with the International Society for Prosthetics and Orthotics recommendation to fully incorporate the techniques in the school’s curricula.18

We followed up on the ENAM’s clinical placements at the Centre National d’Appareillage Orthopédique (CNAO) Lomé and the Centres Régionaux d’Appareillage Orthopédique (CRAO) de Kara, Atakpamé and Sokode; based on our observations, we also made recommendations on these points for improvement. Some of our earlier recommendations to the ENAM, such as the installation of parallel bars for physical rehabilitation activities, had already been applied.

We also worked with the CNAO in Lomé to improve the quality of available services. Both the CNAO and the CRAO led training sessions for parents and care givers of children with cerebral palsy. The project aims to assist them and teach them the best techniques to tend to and nurture the development of the children under their care.

MoveAbility and the CNAO continue to test management tools developed for the ICRC Program for Humanitarian Impact Investment. 19

INDICATORS

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

• Existence of a national plan: Yes
• Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
• Number of professionals employed by the entity: 3.5

NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS

• 17 physiotherapists, 8 Category I prosthetist and orthotist
• 17 Category II prosthetist and orthotist and 9 other health professionals

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

• Moodle server project proposed to ENAM

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

• A beneficiary satisfaction survey was conducted at CNAO

BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

• 1,078 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

1,078

- People with amputations 14%
- People with other physical disorders 86%
- Male 21%
- Female 20%
- Boys* 31%
- Girls* 28%

ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 26 PROSTHESES (5%)
- Male 62%
- Female 27%
- Boys* 31%
- Girls* 28%

- 511 ORTHOSES (95%)
- Male 9%
- Female 5%
- Children* 86%

*0 - 15 years old

18 International certification of school training by ISPO
19 The innovative funding mechanism has been created to encourage social investment from the private sector, to support the ICRC’s health programmes.
COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

MoveAbility, together with the Action to the Community Development Centre supported the Ministry of Health in drafting official documents regarding standardized prices for orthoses included in a circular which regulates physical rehabilitation techniques, assistive devices, and rehabilitation day care services covered by State health insurance.

We completed a review of literature for a national survey of mobility devices, and presented the results to local partners and stakeholders during a workshop in May. During the event, the research team also presented the first draft of the action plan for implementation of the study.

We continued providing scholarships to eight people studying at Vietnamese Training Centre for Orthopedic Technology (VIETCOT) and a ninth person in a Thai university, so that they could complete 3-year ISPO Category II and 4-year Category I training, respectively.

The Ho Chi Minh Orthopaedic and Rehabilitation Center began implementing the Essential Management Package – Leadership Development Program (EMP-LDP), to improve their management of the center, with our support. Staff from VIETCOT, working alongside MoveAbility staff, helped facilitate the sessions.

INDICATORS

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

- Existence of a national plan: No
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: n/a

NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS

- 2 physiotherapists, 16 Category I prosthetist and orthotist and 21 other health professionals

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

- EMP training as been provided

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

- Technical assessments of services and beneficiary satisfaction surveys were conducted

BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

- 1,704 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

1,704

People with amputations 63%
People with other physical disorders 37%

Male 64%
Female 9%
Boys’ 9%
Girls’ 18%

ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

1,062

Male 81%
Female 17%
Children’ 2%

770

Male 20%
Female 16%
Children’ 64%

BUDGET 2018

CHF 935,084

EXPENDITURE JAN-JUN 2018

CHF 381,641

RESOURCE ALLOCATION PER GLOBAL OBJECTIVE

- National plan 30%
- Education and training 15%
- Quality of services 14%
- Access to services 33%
- Management capacities 9%
TAJIKISTAN

COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

We maintained our support to the Ministry of Health and Social Protection of the Population (MOHSPP) for the implementation of its National Strategic Plan; by giving the State Enterprise Prosthetic-Orthopedic Plant (SEOP) and its branches in Dushanbe, Khujand and Kulob, training and technical advice, and material donations. The MOHSPP provides free physical rehabilitation services mainly at SEOP branches.

Among other activities in support of the SEOP’s work, we equipped a new prosthetic and orthotic lab in Dushanbe. We also donated machines to support the work of two Tajik shoe technologists. They were employed at the orthopedic shoe workshop inside SEOP premises, after they finished their formal training at VIETCOT23. The renovation of the branch in Kulob began in March, under the supervision of an engineer employed by MoveAbility. The renovation will increase the range of services available at the facility, helping avoid the need for patients to travel to the capital to obtain assistive devices.

In April, MoveAbility organized a trip to St. Petersburg, Russia, to attend an international scientific conference on assistive technologies organized by WHO. The SEOP’s general director, the lead specialist of the Social Protection Department of the MOHSPP, and a MoveAbility collaborator participated. On this same visit, they also met with potential suppliers of orthopedic materials and explored opportunities for training programs for SEOP’s technicians and physiotherapists.

For the first time, quality-control assessment of prosthetic and orthotic services by a MoveAbility expert was possible at SEOP branches in Dushanbe and Khujand. Training sessions on selected priorities have been planned to respond the identified gaps.

INDICATORS

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

- Existence of a national plan: Yes
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: 14

NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS

- 2 physiotherapists, 2 Category II prosthetist and orthotist
- 10 other health professionals

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

- EMP training modules have been completed
- EMSAT training has been provided to 25 staff members from our partners

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

- Beneficiary satisfaction survey were conducted

BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

- 1,611 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 1,611 people
  - People with amputations 37%
  - People with other physical disorders 63%
  - Male 30%
  - Female 15%
  - Boys’ 32%
  - Girls’ 23%

ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 134 prostheses (30%)
  - Male 50%
  - Female 35%
  - Children’s 15%
- 324 orthoses (70%)
  - Male 2%
  - Female 7%
  - Children’s 91%

*0 - 15 years old

RESOURCE ALLOCATION PER GLOBAL OBJECTIVE

- National plan: 55%
- Education and training: 12%
- Quality of services: 6%
- Access to services: 14%
- Management capacities: 13%

BUDGET 2018

CHF 343,983

EXPENDITURE JAN-JUNE 2018

CHF 103,970

*22 Estimated figures

23 Training center for orthopedic technologists in VietNam, http://www.vietcot.com/
We maintained our support for Ecuador’s physical rehabilitation sector by continuing our partnership with the Fundación Hermano Miguel (FHM)\textsuperscript{25}. For instance, one prosthetist/orthotist from the FHM continued to take distance-learning training modules organized by the University Don Bosco (UDB) in El Salvador for certification in ISPO Category II.

We supported the efforts of the Consejo Nacional para la Igualdad de Discapacidades (CONADIS) to develop and coordinate disability-related policies.

Representatives from El Salvador and Ecuador attended an event organized by CONADIS, with our financial support. During the event, representatives exchanged experiences on disability policies and discussed topics such as certifications for persons with disabilities.

At the request of CONADIS, UDB and MoveAbility conducted an evaluation of three public rehabilitation centers under the Ministry of Health, to assess training needs for prosthetist/orthotist technicians and also to serve as a basis for future collaboration.

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\textsuperscript{25} FHM is a local charity that provides comprehensive rehabilitation services, including physiotherapy, and prosthetic and orthotic devices.
COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS

In April, the Ministry of Health (MOH) and MoveAbility signed a memorandum of understanding on the creation of a physical rehabilitation entity dedicated to improve coordination of rehabilitation activities in El Salvador. The first meeting of the entity was held in June. It was attended by representatives from the Instituto Salvadoreño de Rehabilitación Integral (ISRI), the Universidad Don Bosco (UDB), the Consejo Nacional de Atención Integral a la Persona con Discapacidad (CONAIPD) and the MOH, among others.

The MOH declared in December 2017 its intent to transfer the prosthetics and orthotics unit of the hospital in Santa Ana to this facility. Consequently the construction of the prosthetic and orthotic unit of the Centro de Rehabilitación Integral de Occidente (CRIO) in Santa Ana began in April, with our financial support. This unit will benefit the persons with disabilities from Santa Ana in need of assistive device and rehabilitation services.

UDB continued to play an essential national and regional role in strengthening the quality of prosthetic and orthotic services in the region. Nine students from neighboring countries, and one from El Salvador, continued their studies with UDB on MoveAbility scholarships. Technicians and physiotherapists from countries around the region, including a physiotherapist from CRIO Santa Ana, took short courses at UDB with financial backing from MoveAbility.

INDICATORS

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

- Existence of a national plan: Yes
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: n/a

NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS

- 32 physiotherapists, 6 Category I prosthetist and orthotist
- 14 Category II prosthetist and orthotist and 3 other health professionals

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

- The assessment of training needs has been conducted with UDB

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

- Implementation of the recommendatons of the physiotherapy services evaluation
- Beneficiary satisfaction surveys were conducted at UDB

BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

- 1,474 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

RESOURCE ALLOCATION PER GLOBAL OBJECTIVE

- National plan: 26%
- Education and training: 44%
- Quality of services: 17%
- Access to services: 7%
- Management capacities: 6%

PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 1,474 people
  - People with amputations: 15%
  - People with other physical disorders: 85%
  - Male 41%
  - Female 45%
  - Boys’ 8%
  - Girls’ 6%

ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS

- 174 prostheses (15%)
  - Male 73%
  - Female 26%
  - Children* 1%

- 971 orthoses (85%)
  - Male 26%
  - Female 20%
  - Children* 54%

*0 - 15 years old
MoveAbility continued to support Healing Hands for Haiti (HHH). Their staff, including one technician and one physiotherapist, attended courses on clinical orthotics and other topics at the University of Don Bosco in El Salvador. We also gave the NGO financial support to cover salaries of key personnel, to pay for an order of equipment and the appropriate components for these.

The Ministry of Health’s (MOH) senior focal person for rehabilitation is interested in implementing WHO Rehabilitation Support Package. Once the application has been validated and funds are available, the WHO package will allow a full analysis of the rehabilitation sector’s situation. This analysis would serve as a sound basis for the national rehabilitation plan for the MOH.

We continued to engage with the Bureau du Secrétaire d’Etat à l’Intégration des Personnes Handicapées (BSEIPH) and the MOH. We facilitated their discussions on the recognition and inclusion of the professionals from the rehabilitation sector in the health system.

### INDICATORS

#### PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

- Existence of a national plan: Yes
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: n/a

#### NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS

- 12 physiotherapists, 9 Category II prosthetist and orthotist and 20 other health professionals

#### MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

- Development of the administrative and financial tools

#### QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

- Recommendations following the physiotherapy services evaluation were given

#### BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

- 1,036 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

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*HHH is a local non-governmental organization that provides physical rehabilitation services*

*The BSEIPH is the main government agency responsible for assisting people with disabilities and fostering their social inclusion*

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**COUNTRY HIGHLIGHTS**

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**RESOURCE ALLOCATION PER GLOBAL OBJECTIVE**

- National plan: 35%
- Education and training: 17%
- Quality of services: 28%
- Access to services: 7%
- Management capacities: 14%

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**PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS**

- 1,036 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

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**ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS**

- 16 prostheses (97%)
- 460 orthoses (97%)

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*CHF 215,424

*CHF 66,626

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*0 - 15 years old*
We continued to provide financial and other support to students from Nicaragua pursuing degrees at the University of Don Bosco (UDB) in El Salvador. We also supported technicians from local service providers, who took distance learning modules and short courses offered by UDB. Two technicians from the Centro Nacional de Producción de Ayudas Técnicas y Elementos Ortoprotésicos and the Fundación para la Rehabilitacion Walking Unidos (FURWUS) successfully completed their courses at UDB. We facilitated meetings among the National Autonomous University of Nicaragua, the Instituto Politécnico de la Salud “Luis Felipe Moncada”, the University of Honduras, and the University of El Salvador enabling the universities to exchange their experiences and best practices, for example regarding curricula for physical rehabilitation and prosthetic/orthotic courses.

Particularly economically vulnerable patients at the Centro de Capacidades Diferentes and FURWUS received prosthetic and orthotic devices; we provided support to both organizations. Some of these patients also obtained physiotherapy from FURWUS, or were given financial assistance by MoveAbility to help cover their transport or accommodation costs.

However, the degradation of the socio-political context and the associated climate of violence have slowed the implementation of MoveAbility activities in Nicaragua.

### INDICATORS

**PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY**
- Existence of a national plan: Yes
- Budget for physical rehabilitation: n/a
- Number of professionals employed by the entity: 2

**NUMBER OF QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY REHABILITATION CENTERS**
- 30 physiotherapists, 18 Category II prosthetist and orthotist and 5 other health professionals

**MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS**
- Implementation of the SGS Benchmarking assessment recommendations
- Development of the administrative and financial tools

**QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS**
- Beneficiary satisfaction surveys were conducted
- The physiotherapy services evaluation is ongoing

**BENEFICIARY STATISTICS**
- 679 people with disabilities received services provided by our partners

### PEOPLE WHO RECEIVED SERVICES PROVIDED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS
- 679 people with disabilities
  - 41% People with amputations
  - 59% People with other physical disorders
  - Male 42%
  - Female 21%
  - Boys’ 18%
  - Girls’ 19%

### ASSISTIVE DEVICES DELIVERED BY MOVEABILITY PARTNERS
- 299 prostheses
  - Male 74%
  - Female 24%
  - Children’s 2%
- 650 orthoses
  - Male 20%
  - Female 18%
  - Children’s 62%

*Estimated figures*
GENERAL OBJECTIVES

Our approach to reducing the barriers and challenges faced by persons with disabilities focuses on **strengthening national capacities in the field**. Specifically, we work to improve the sustainability, accessibility and quality of physical rehabilitation services in low- and middle-income countries.

In addition to helping people gain or regain mobility as a first step towards full and equal enjoyment of their rights, we also support partners and other stakeholders in developing or strengthening activities for social and economic inclusion and participation. In 2015, we adopted five general objectives that guide our work, which are described below.

NATIONAL PLAN

Improve the structure and sustainability of the national physical rehabilitation sector. Notably, this includes:

- urging governments to create entities within the pertinent ministry for the management of national rehabilitation services; develop national strategies for health coverage and for data collection/management regarding physical rehabilitation; and give higher recognition to ortho-prosthetists and other professionals and set their pay scales accordingly
- encouraging other stakeholders to create a policy platform to lobby for legislation in favour of persons with disabilities

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

Enhance the knowledge and skills of physical rehabilitation professionals by:

- helping technical training institutions make use of innovative and up-to-date methods, obtain domestic/international accreditation and respond to national/regional needs
- organizing and financing short courses, distance learning, scholarships and clinical placements/on-the-job training

QUALITY OF SERVICES

Help our partners improve the quality of their services through:

- provision of quality-assessment tools
- recommendations based on our visits and on feedback from users of their services, and support for their implementation

ACCESS TO SERVICES

Capitalize on synergies with the Red Cross and Red Crescent Movement and with other Partners to increase people’s access to services and facilitate their social inclusion by:

- identifying, referring and following-up on people in need
- supplying service providers with raw materials for components and/or direct financial support for various expenses, including transport, treatment and accommodation

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES

Help managers and other key staff strengthen the management systems and capacities of local institutions by:

- providing assessment tools and facilitating external evaluations to help them analyse their centre’s performance
- offering organizational and management support when needed
RESOURCE ALLOCATION BY GENERAL OBJECTIVE

The chart on the right indicates the volume of financial and human resources that are distributed over our 5 general objectives. Similar graphs are presented in the country-specific pages, to show the relative importance of each objective in a country. MoveAbility promotes a balanced approach aimed at strengthening the different pillars of the sector.

INDICATORS

A set of standard indicators have been defined to measure the progress and the impact of our activities. Monitoring of these indicators is available on our website.

PHYSICAL REHABILITATION ENTITY

- Existence of a national plan for physical rehabilitation
- Percentage of the national health budget allocated to physical rehabilitation
- Number of full-time employees (FTE) working for the ministry concerned who are directly involved in the implementation of the national physical rehabilitation plan

QUALIFIED PROFESSIONALS EMPLOYED BY PARTNERS’ REHABILITATION CENTERS

- Number of qualified physical rehabilitation specialists (with an internationally recognized diploma or degree) employed in the physical rehabilitation centres

MANAGEMENT CAPACITIES OF OUR PARTNERS

- Result of the management assessment (EMSAT, SGS, LEAN)
- Number of professionals who have received management training, by gender

QUALITY OF SERVICES DELIVERED BY OUR PARTNERS

- Results of the quality assessment of prosthetic & orthotic services carried out using the technical assessment form (internally developed tool); the physiotherapy assessment tool is being developed
- Results of the interviews regarding the impact of satisfaction with services received, conducted by MoveAbility and/or a third party

BENEFICIARY STATISTICS

- Number and type of training delivered to physical rehabilitation professionals and other stakeholders, by gender
- Number of physical rehabilitation services and devices delivered by our partners to persons with disabilities
- Breakdown of services delivered to persons with disabilities by gender and age group
- Breakdown of devices delivered to persons with disabilities by gender and age group
FIELD PARTNERS - SERVICE PROVIDERS AND SCHOOLS

EAST AFRICA

MADAGASCAR
- Centre de Rééducation Motrice de Madagascar (CRMM), Antsirabe
- Centre d’Appareillage de Madagascar (CAM), Antananarivo
- SAR Majunga (MAJ), Androva Mahajanga

RWANDA
- University of Rwanda's College of Medicine and Health Sciences (UR-CMHS), Kigali
- Centre Hospitalier Universitaire de Kigali (CHUK), Kigali

SOMALIA
- Red Crescent Society Rehabilitation and Orthopedic Centre, Hargeisa
- Red Crescent Society Rehabilitation and Orthopedic Centre, Galkayo
- Red Crescent Society Rehabilitation and Orthopedic Centre, Mogadishu

TANZANIA
- Comprehensive Community Based Rehabilitation in Tanzania (CCBRT), Dar es Salaam
- Training Centre for Orthopedic Technologists (TATCOT), Moshi

ZAMBIA
- University Teaching Hospital (UTH), Lusaka

WEST AFRICA

BENIN
- Service de Kinésithérapie et d’Appareillage Orthopédique (SKAO), Parakou
- Centre d’Appareillage Orthopédique (CAO) du Centre National Hospitalier Universitaire (CNHU), Cotonou

CÔTE D’IVOIRE
- Centre de réadaptation physique Vivre Debout (CHU), Abidjan
- Centre de réadaptation physique Vivre Debout (CHU), Bouaké

TOGO
- Centre National d’Appareillage Orthopédique (CNAO), Lomé
- Centre Régional d’Appareillage Orthopédique (CRAO K) Projet Hambisela, Kara
- Ecole Nationale des Auxiliaires Médicaux (ENAM), Lomé

ASIA

VIET NAM
- Vietnamese Training Centre for Orthopedic Technology (VIETCOT), Hanoi
- Can Tho Centre for Orthopedics and Rehabilitation, Can Tho
- Orthopedic and physical rehabilitation hospital of Danang, Da Nang
- Ho Chi Minh Center for Orthopedics and Rehabilitation, Ho Chi Minh City
- Quy Nhon Center for Orthopedics and Rehabilitation, Quy Nhon

CENTRAL ASIA

TAJIKISTAN
- State Enterprise Orthopedic Plants (SEOP), Dushanbe
- State Enterprise Orthopedic Plants (SEOP) satellite in Khujand, Khujand

LATIN AMERICA

ECUADOR
- Hermano Miguel Foundation (FHM), Quito

EL SALVADOR
- University Don Bosco Prosthetics and Orthotics School (UDB), San Salvador
- Instituto Salvadoreño de Rehabilitación Integral (ISRI), San Salvador
- Santa Ana General Hospital, Santa Ana

HAITI
- Healing Hands for Haiti Foundation (HHH), Port au Prince

NICARAGUA
- Centro Nacional de Producción de Ayudas Técnicas y Elementos Ortoprotésicos (CENAPORTO), Managua
- Laboratorio de Protesis y Ortesis, Puerto Cabezas Hospital, Bilwi
- La Trinidad Hospital Workshop, La Trinidad
- Centro de Capacidades Diferentes (CAPADIFE), Managua
- Fundación para la Rehabilitacion Walking Unidos (FURWUS), Leon
ABBREVIATIONS AND ACRONYMS

ACDC  Action to the Community Development Centre, DPO, Viet Nam
AFO  Ankle-Foot Orthosis
AM  Foyer Akanin’ny Marary, Madagascar
BFTA  Beneficiary Feedback and Technical Assessment
BSEIPH  Bureau du Secrétariat d’Etat à l’intégration des Personnes Handicapées, Haiti
CAM  Centre d'Appareillage de Madagascar, Antananarivo
CAPADIFE  Centro de Capacidades Diferentes, Nicaragua
CBM  Christian Blind Mission, Madagascar
CBR  Community-based rehabilitation
CCBRT  Comprehensive Community Based Rehabilitation in Tanzania
CENAPRORTO  Centro Nacional de Producción de Ayudas Técnicas y Elementos Ortoprotésicos, Nicaragua
CNAO  Centre National d'Appareillage Orthopédique, Togo
CNHU  Centre National Hospitalier Universitaire, Benin
CONADIS  Consejo Nacional para la Igualdad de Discapacidades, Ecuador
CONAIPD  Consejo Nacional de Atención Integral a la Persona con Discapacidad, El Salvador
CRAO  Centre Régional d’Appareillage Orthopédique, Togo
CRE  CR Equipements, Switzerland
CRMM  Centre de Rééducation Motrice de Madagascar, Antananarivo
DPOs  Disabled persons’ organizations
EMSAT  Essential Management Systems Assessment Tool
EMP  Essential Management Package
ENAM  Ecole Nationale des Auxiliaires Médicaux, Togo
FATO  Fédération Africaine des Techniciens Orthoprothésistes
FETOSPA  Fédération Togolaise de Sport pour Personnes Handicapées
FHM  Fundación Hermano Miguel, Ecuador
FTE  Full-Time Employees
FURWUS  Fundación para la Rehabilitación Walking Unidos, Nicaragua
GHI  Global Health Initiative
HHH  Healing Hands for Haiti
HI  Handicap International/Humanity & Inclusion
ICRC  International Committee of the Red Cross
ISPO  International Society for Prosthetics and Orthotics
ISRI  Instituto salvadoreño de Rehabilitación Integral, San Salvador
KAFO  Knee-Ankle-Foot Orthosis
LMG  Leadership, Management and Governance
LMICs  Low- and middle- income countries
MOH  Ministry of Health
MOHSSP  Ministry of Health and Social Protection of the Population
MoLiSA  Ministry of Labour and Social Affairs, Viet Nam
MOU  Memorandum of Understanding
MoveAbility  The ICRC MoveAbility Foundation
MSH  Management Science for Health
NorCross  Norwegian Red Cross
NRCS  Nicaraguan Red Cross Society
NS  National Society of the Red Cross/Red Crescent
OADCPH  Organisation Africaine pour le Développement des Centres pour Personnes Handicapées
PCT  Parents and Caregivers training
P&O  Prosthetist & Orthotists/Prosthetic & Orthotic
PMS  Patient Management System
PT  Physiotherapist /Physiotherapy
PwD  Persons With Disabilities
SEOP  State Enterprise Orthopedic Plant, Tajikistan
SFD  The ICRC Special fund for the Disabled
SGS  Société Générale de Surveillance
SKAO  Service de kinésithérapie et d'appareillage orthopédique de Parakou, Benin
SRCS  Somali Red Crescent Society
TATCOT  Tanzania Training Centre for Orthopedic Technologists
ToT  Training of Trainers
UNAN  Universidad nacional autónoma de Nicaragua, Managua
UNCRPD  United nation convention for the right of Persons with Disability
VIETCOT  Vietnam Training Centre for Orthopedic Technologists
VNRC  Vietnamese Red Cross Society
WHO  World Health Organisation
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