

CHILDREN RAISING AWARENESS ABOUT COVID-19

Children innovating, creating and expressing

Asia and the Pacific: Cambodia

Children raise awareness by producing a short video based on posters about hand-washing and prevention of COVID-19 information. The children shared it in their social media groups and a local child and youth network on children's rights. The overall objective of the rapid need assessment was to gain insights on the knowledge, attitudes and practices of Cambodian children around COVID-19. The study aimed to understand the information needs of children, their preferred and most trusted communication channels, their current household situation, their understanding of the virus and how they are protecting themselves, as well as their top concerns and needs. Results from this assessment have informed Save the Children in Cambodia's COVID-19 Response Strategy to create adaptable programmes to respond to the crisis, as well as contribute to the national RCCE working group, led by the Ministry of Health (MoH) and World Health Organization.

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