



# PROJECT PROGRESS REPORT

**Pathway to Gender Equality:  
Safeguarding Women and Young Girls  
in Cambodia against Gender-Based  
Violence**

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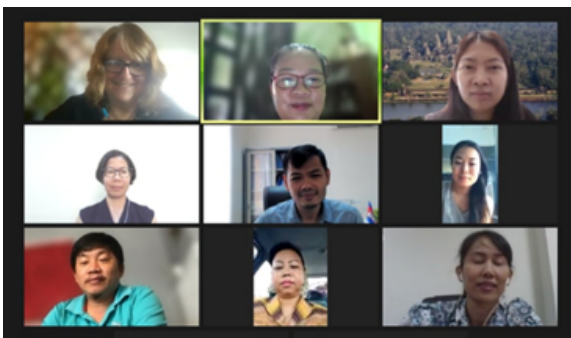


# A QUARTER'S OVERVIEW

Reporting period:  
1st Jan to 31st March 2022

## 1. Establishment of Core Internal Technical Working Group in the MoWA

Immediately after the partnership agreement, we initiated the discussion on the project implementation with MoWA. In March 2022, a Core Internal Technical Working Group was established under the leadership of the Legal Protection Department of MoWA, which consists of seven core members who provide technical and management support to the project. This Core Internal TWG plays a prominent role in implementing the project activities and coordinating with other ministries and stakeholders to achieve our project goals.



Virtual meeting between UNFPA with MoWA core internal TWG on the inception report of the need assessment

## 2. Initiation of the Needs Assessment for Mobile Safe App

The Mobile Safe App aims to provide information and services that protect women and girls subject to violence, particularly sexual harassment, and promote access to essential services. This needs assessment is conducted to identify the needs of the App users and agencies providing support to women and girls subjected to violence and sexual and recommend the functionalities and contents to be suitable for the App.

In collaboration with an external expert, UNFPA and MoWA have developed the assessment methods and plan, including interview tools, in March. The interview with App users, NGOs, Ministry officials, and hospitals have just started in April.



Focus Group discussion with university students for the need assessment on GBV Safe App.