Inspire2Care

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The Social Problem

- 80% children and adults with disabilities neglected, excluded, poorest of the poor
  Unawareness, cultural and religious beliefs

- High occurrence of preventable birth defects and childhood disabilities (70% preventable)
  Lack of accessible & affordable health care

- No effective local mechanism disability inclusion
  Poor governance and challenging geography
What we would like to see

Healthy children
Decrease 30-40% disabilities

Improved quality of life Children with a disabilities
80% Improvement

Sustainable local program
After 3 years self-reliant

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Our solution

Inspire2Care Communities
take responsibility for inclusion and prevention

1. Strict demand driven selection of communities
2. Community & Karuna set foundation for Inspire2Care
3. Implementation by community, coaching by Karuna

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Maternal – child health care services
Community-based rehabilitation
Strengthen community structure and leadership
Impact

- **Prevention of disabilities**: 62% decrease in birth defects and childhood disabilities.

- **Quality of Life**: 70% children with disability and their family members mentioned improvement in health, education, social life, family income.

- **Sustainability**: 80% villages continue independently and (financially) sustainable

- **Highly cost-effective**: Proved by research of health economist using WHO benchmarks

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What to Replicate?

Proven business model: Inspire2Care

- Entrepreneurial principles
- Clear implementation process
- Knowledge
- Learning

→ Through training and coaching
Become a game changer!

**Proven model**

**Replication**

**Need**

**Inspire2Care**

*From 1 district to whole Nepal*

- 1.8 million women & children
- 25,000 children with disability

*From Nepal to other rural communities in global south*

**Investors consortium for Nepal**

4 funders already committed – seeking one more investor (2.5 million Euro in seven years)

**Eager and learning organisations** who want to pilot Inspire2Care in their context with own funds

**Impact driven funders** aimed at piloting Inspire2Care in other context.
Thank you
Very welcome to come and talk to us!

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