



In Bangladesh, drowning is the leading cause of death in children over the age of one. The risk of drowning in rural areas, is twice that of cities, because there are a significant number of ponds and ditches, creating natural drowning hazards for very young children. Parents and caregivers face the constant challenge of supervising children while working or doing household chores.

Goal

Reducing drownings among newly-mobile children, generally under two years old.

Location

Sherpur, Patuakhali

Tenure

2022-2026

Objectives

- ① Reducing drownings among newly-mobile children, generally under two years old.
- ① Develop the ideas into prototype interventions.
- ① Assess the acceptability and usability of the interventions with communities in two regions in Bangladesh.

Project Timeline

Phase 1	→ Phase 2	→ Phase 3	→ Phase 4	→ Phase 5	→ Phase 6
Planning and Capacity building	Explorative social science and context analysis	Identifying and prioritising possible solutions	Prototype development	Piloting and evaluation	Sharing and ensuring sustainability
3 months	12 months	3 months	9 months	15 months	6 months

Funder



Partner

