



Disability and Aging: Challenge of social welfare in Thailand

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What is DPI/AP ?

- Established in 1981 in Singapore to promote human rights of disabled people through full participation, equalization of opportunity and development.
- Promoting full-participation and equalization of opportunity of persons with disabilities.
- A network of national self-help organizations or assemblies of disabled people
- Organization of Persons with cross Disabilities



Motto :

- **Nothing about us without us.**

**(Voice of our own is the ground breaking,
Believe we are expert on our own disability)**



Members:

North Asia	South Asia	Southeast Asia	Oceania
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Aging



Aging society : potential challenges

People aged 60 and over will rise to 25% of the population in the next 20 years, up from 11-12% now

1. Chronic physical ill health
2. Associated late-life depression
3. Physical impairment and disability



Disability

Impairment + Disabling Factor



Impairment



Disabling Factors

1. Attitudinal factor
2. Physically factor
3. Information Communication and technology factor
4. Systematic factor



Attitudinal factor



Physically factor

การเข้าถึงตัวอาคาร สถานที่



บันไดแค้มก็ขึ้น
คนพิการก็ใช้ไม่ได้



การยกขึ้นลงคงไม่ใช่วิธีแก้ปัญหา



ทางลาดชันมากขนาดนี้จะขึ้นได้อย่างไร



Physically factor

การเดินทางและการขนส่ง



สถานีรถไฟฟ้าที่ไม่มีลิฟท์



สถานีรถไฟฟ้าไม่มีที่ล็อก
รถวีลแชร์และไม่มี
ที่เฉพาะสำหรับคนพิการ
(คนไม่พิการสามารถใช้ได้ถ้าว่าง)

รถเมล์ที่คน
พิการขึ้นไม่ได้
และรถแท็กซี่ที่
แม้จะเป็น
ตัวเลือกที่ดี
ที่สุด แต่
บางครั้งก็ไม่รับ
คนพิการและ
ต้องเสียค่า
เดินทางมาก



Information Communication and technology factor



Systematic factor

พระราชบัญญัติ

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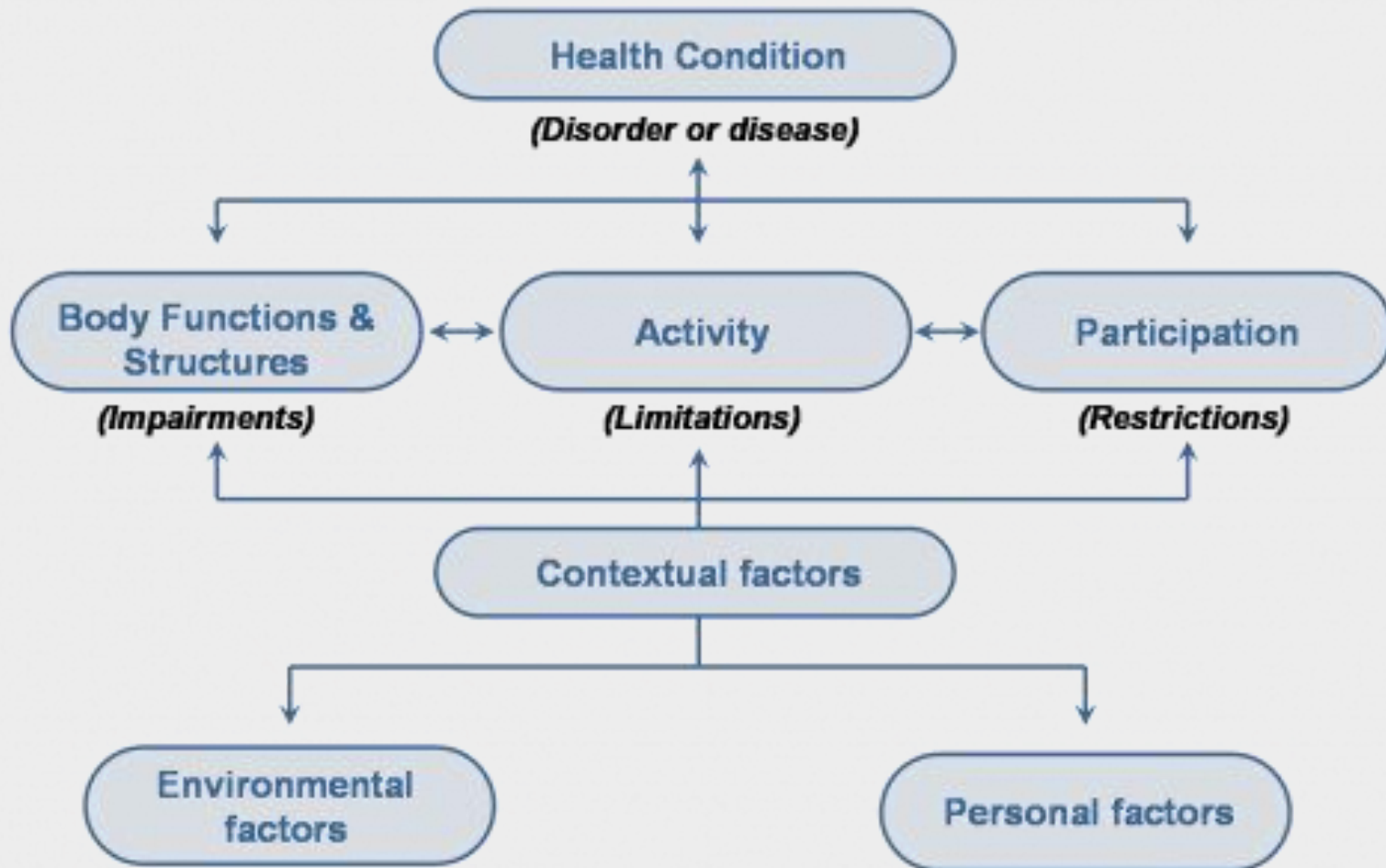
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เป็นปีที่ 47 ในรัชกาลปัจจุบัน
มาตรา 30 ผู้ที่จะเข้ารับราชการเป็นข้าราชการพลเรือนต้องมีคุณสมบัติทั่วไปดังต่อไปนี้

(5) ไม่เป็นผู้มีกายทุพพลภาพจนไม่สามารถปฏิบัติหน้าที่ได้ ไร้ความสามารถ หรือจิตฟั่นเฟือนไม่สมประกอบ หรือเป็นโรคตามที่กำหนดในกฎ ก.พ.



WHO: ICF



Older Adults

- People aged 60 and over will rise to 25% of the population in the next 20 years.

Persons with impairments

- 1.9 million persons with disabilities, consisting of about 2.9 % of the entire population (63 million persons)
- 750,389 (58.6%) male and 439,697 (41.4%) female persons with disabilities
- 116,468 registered children with disabilities, of which 57,751 are boys and 58,747 are girl



Social welfare Models

1. Welfare model provided by government sectors,
2. The double welfare model collaborated by government sectors and private sectors,
3. **The multiple inclusive sectors welfare model and collaborating among multi stakeholders in the community.**



Social work*

The social work profession promotes

1. social change, problem-solving in human relationships;
2. empowerment and liberation of people to enhance well-being;
3. utilizing theories of human behavior and social systems;
4. social work intervenes at the point where people interact with their environments.



“Principles of human rights and social justice
are fundamental to social work”

***Trish Kane**, Social Work Advisor, Department of Social Work & Centre for
Social Work Development, University of Social Sciences and Humanities



Why are people with disabilities often denied basic to human rights and fulfill needs?



Answers:

Stigmatization



Myths/Folklore

Image/stereotype

Language



Disabling Factors

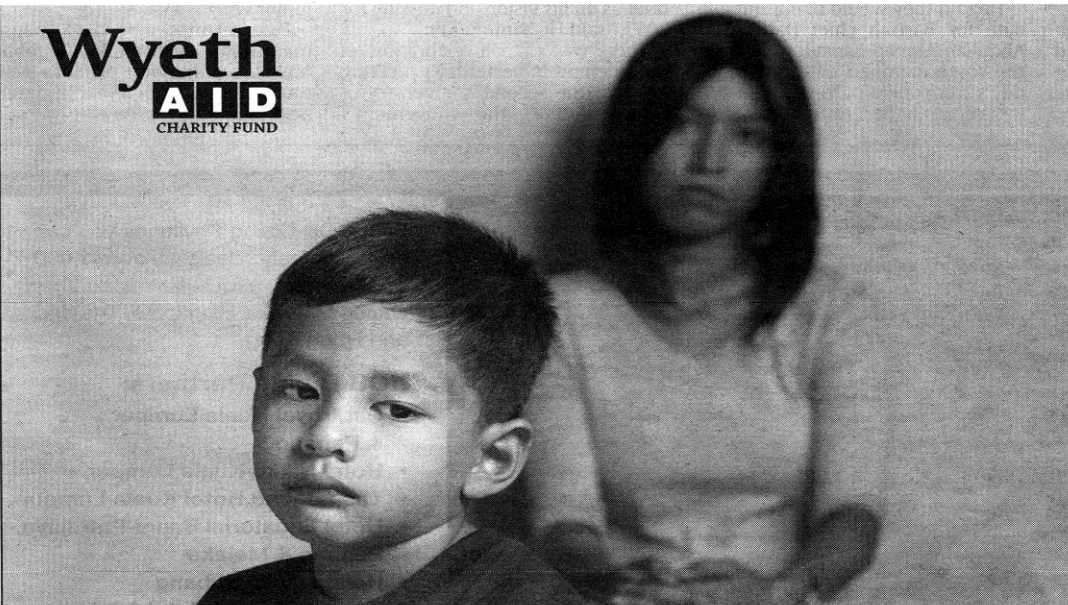


Old way of thinking



Sophia's son, Alex, will never know the joy of music.

Wyeth
AID
CHARITY FUND



Funds raised through WyethAID Charity Fund will go towards the following charities:

- Pusat Majudiri Y for the Deaf
- Association for Special Children Kajang Selangor
- KIRTARSH Handicap and Disabled Children's Home

Meningitis, blood and ear infections can rob your child of the joy of hearing or his ability to express himself through speech. Alex's hearing was affected six years ago because of pneumococcal disease. Sophia's heart still breaks every time she sees her son silent when his siblings share a joke.

Pneumococcal disease can often lead to emotional, financial and physical burdens that can take a toll on every member of your family. WyethAid Charity Fund is an initiative from Wyeth Pharmaceuticals to help children suffering from the consequences associated with pneumococcal disease.

Join us in our effort to give hope to children suffering from consequences associated with pneumococcal disease. Every vaccination administered will not only help protect a child from pneumococcal disease, it will carry the added benefit of contributing towards Wyeth Pharmaceutical's efforts to support sufferers of the disease's consequences.

So don't hesitate, vaccinate and help make a difference.

Visit www.wyethaid.com.my to find out more about the consequences associated with pneumococcal disease as well as the charities WyethAID is supporting.

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Wyeth[®]
Pharmaceuticals

Talk to your doctor about Pneumococcal Disease and options available to protect your loved ones by vaccination.

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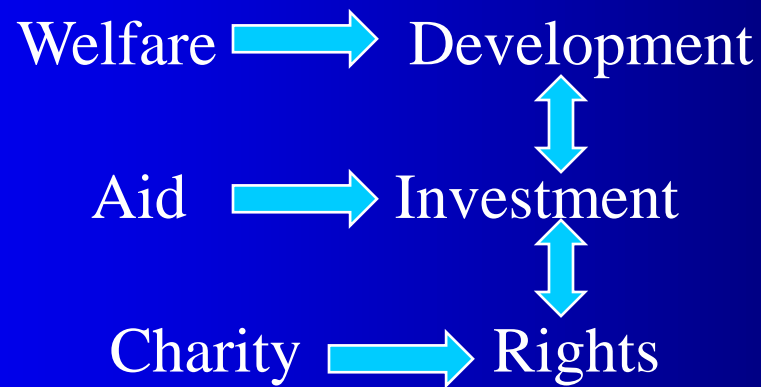






Challenges:

Re thinking , and paradigm shift



Re-thinking





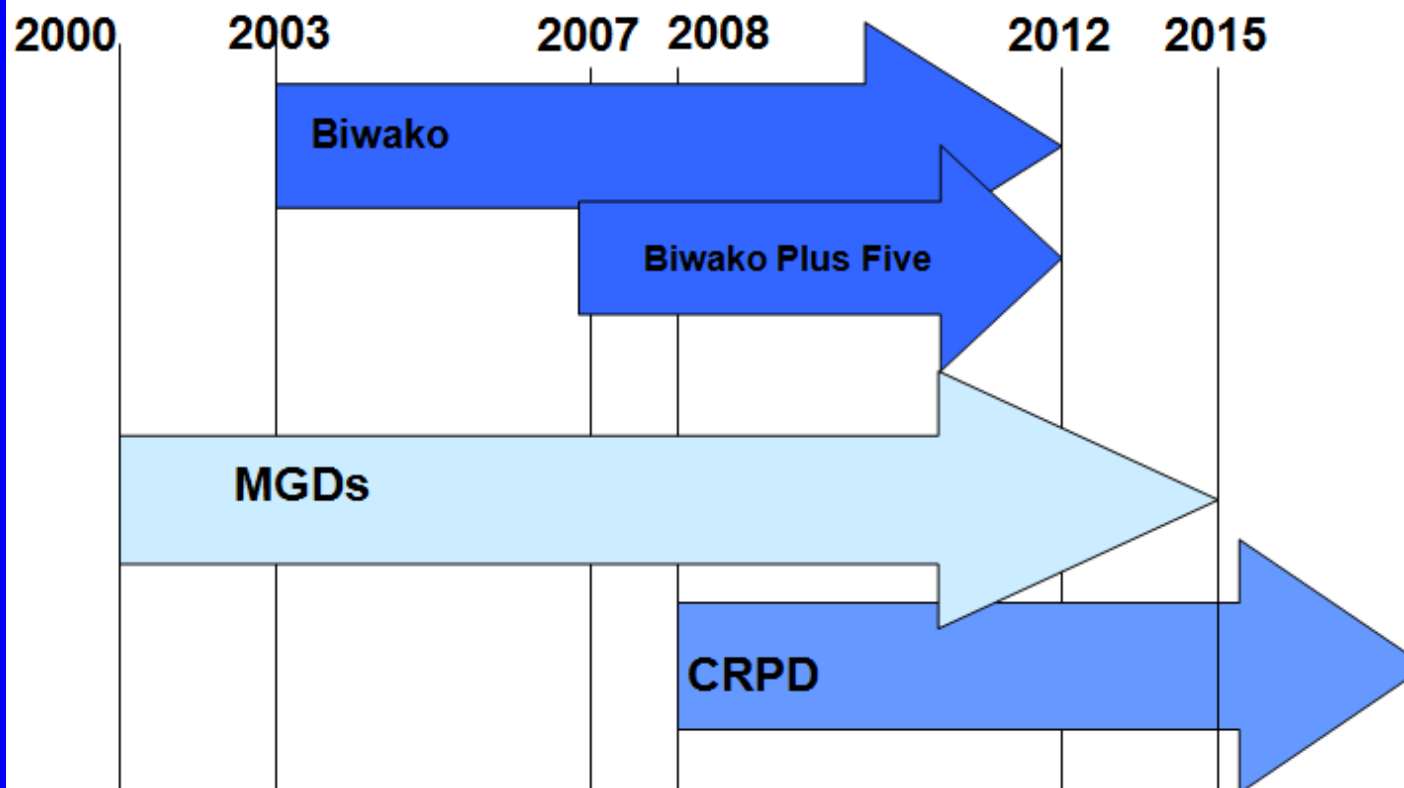




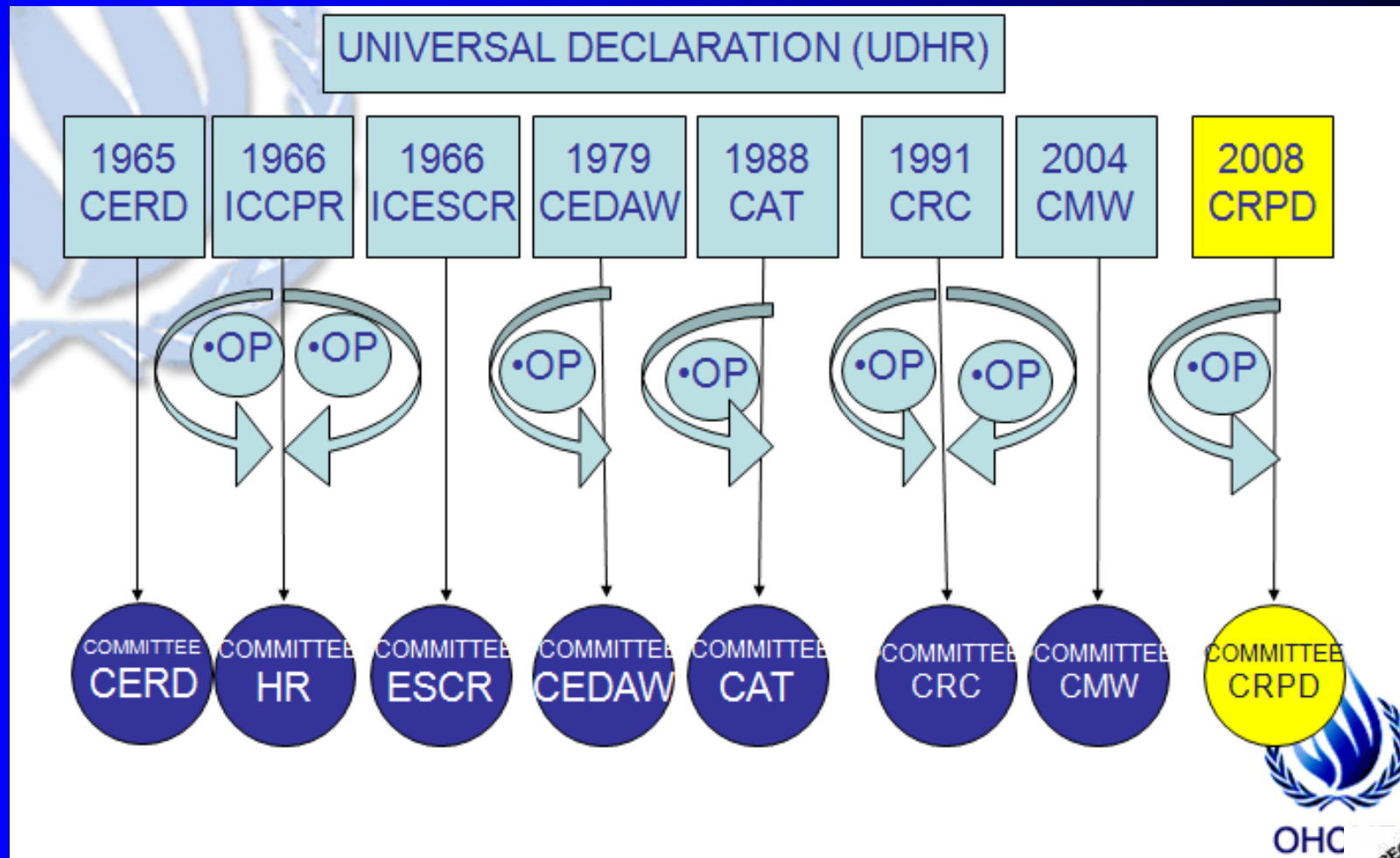


Instruments

Biwako, MDGs and CRPD



The CRPD and the International Treaty Body system



Other existing treaty body

1. Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights
2. Convention on the Elimination of all Forms of Discrimination Against Women
3. Convention Against Torture and other Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment
4. Convention on the Elimination of all forms of Racial Discrimination
5. Convention on the Rights of the Child
6. Convention on the Protection of the Rights of Migrant Workers and Members of their Families
7. Convention on the Rights of Persons with disability



Some values underpinning Social Work in a Post Modern Society

Social work education should included

- Rights based approach
 - Partnership model
- Empowerment principles
- Equality, respect and dignity
 - Participation
 - Networking
 - Collaboration
- Social challenges as Cross cutting issues
 - Intersectionality



Conclusion

1. Social welfare and protection should be a central element of the development agenda.
2. Investment in children, women, persons with disability, and people of all age and reducing vulnerability of people at risk will assist countries to develop their human potential, reduce poverty, achieve sustainable growth by enhancing production and create opportunities for individual self-reliance.



Conclusion (con't)

3. Paradigm shift of the development is to engage persons with disabilities and vulnerable people in social development processes in term of right base approach rather than charity based approach.

Utilize their expertise would be a great support and reduce social worker depression.



Conclusion (con't)

4. The most crucial aspect of human security usually is in the area of human dignity; the lack of political voices, legal rights, access to justice and the ability to contest discrimination so the poor people always deprive of their rights.

Because a current paradigm of development partnership had not get sufficiency engaged vulnerable people especially persons with disabilities who live in the rural area in ASEAN.



Ways forward in ASEAN

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ASEAN
Political-Security
Community

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ASEAN
Economic Community

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ASEAN
Socio-Cultural Community

- ASEAN Intergovernmental Commission on Human Rights (AICHR)
- ASEAN commission on Women and Children (ACWC)
- ASEAN Commission on Migrant Worker



ASEAN Socio-Cultural Community (ASCC) Blueprint

ASCC focus on:

A. Human Development

B. Social Welfare and Protection

C. Social Justice and Rights

D. Ensuring Environmental Sustainability

E. Building ASEAN Identity

F. Narrowing The Development Gap



mention about Persons with Disabilities on Development a consolidated plan for regional cooperation for skills development, Strengthening Entrepreneurship Skills, Promotion and Protection of Rights and Welfare



Strategic Framework for Social Welfare and Development (2011-2015)

Particularly thematic priority areas needed to be implement

- 1) ASEAN Decade of Persons with Disabilities towards an Inclusive ASEAN Community,
- 2) Promoting Inclusive Social Development
- 3) CRPD workshop

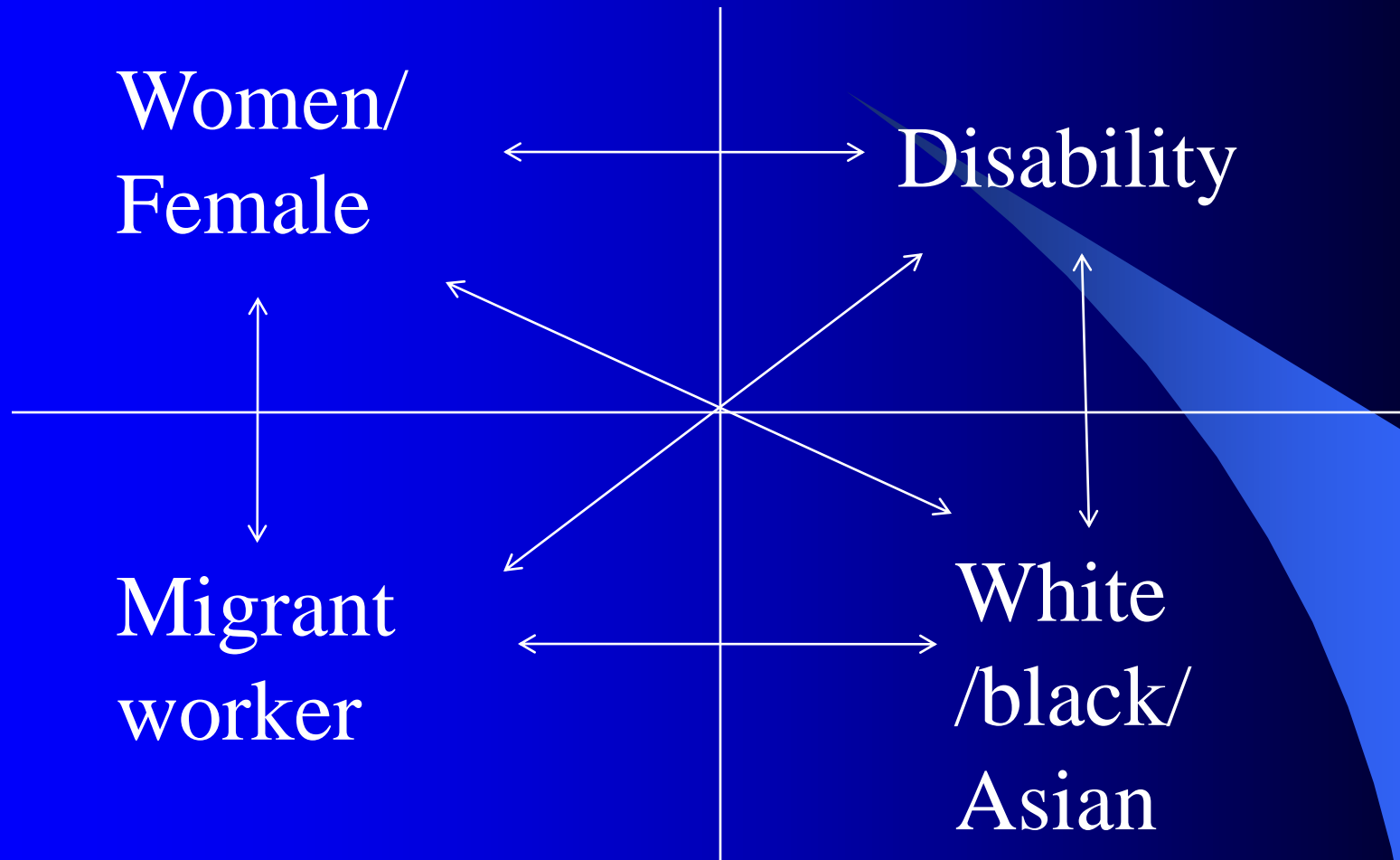


Disability in ASEAN

- 10 % of ASEAN Population
- Living in Remote / highland area
- Ethnical background
- Poorest of the poor
- Suffer from Multiple Discrimination



Multiple Discrimination



Multiple discrimination occurs when a person is subjected to discrimination on more than one ground. This can be experienced in several different ways.



What will be happening in ASEAN ?

- **Bali Declaration on the Enhancement of the Role and Participation of Persons with Disabilities in ASEAN Community**
- **ASEAN Decade of Persons with Disabilities (2012-2022)**
- **ASEAN Disability Forum (ADF)**



Don't forget voices of 60 Million ASEAN citizen with some kind of disabilities and older adults who can be a productive resources of the nations.

Thank you

