

**Experiences of Beneficiaries (Destitute Mothers/Women)  
During Vocational Engagement after Receiving  
Psychosocial Rehabilitation Service  
From Shishu Polli Plus (SPP)**

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## ABSTRACT

In Bangladesh 30% of rural women are destitute; if urban persons are added to this estimate, such women number in the tens of millions. The government of Bangladesh and different NGOs are working for destitute women in Bangladesh. SPP is an organization which is providing psychosocial support to the destitute women of Bangladesh as they can live independently in the community. This study represents the experiences of beneficiaries during their vocational engagement after receiving psychosocial rehabilitation service from Shishu Polli Plus (SPP). After completing the rehabilitation beneficiaries are engaged in a job in different organization through SPP. The findings of this study will be helpful to the professionals to provide psychosocial rehabilitation service to the destitute women. This study was conducted by following qualitative grounded theory research design. 6 participants were selected among the graduate beneficiaries purposively for this study. Face to face interviews were conducted with semi-structured questionnaires. Findings reported that beneficiaries have different experiences at their workplace. Job is satisfactory to them who are engaged in a trained job. But it is not satisfactory to the beneficiaries who have no training on the current job. They reported that tailoring training is much more needed as well as basic literacy to improve their living condition. SPP can consider these finding to improve the beneficiaries living in the community.

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