

Current & implemented projects by BDDT

SL	Project Title and Donor	Major Focus	Duration
01	Braille Book Production and Distribution Donor: GMS Composite Knitting Industries Private Limited	Braille books distribution among Visually Impaired	August 2007 to October 2007
02	Relief Distribution for Cyclone SIDR affected PWDs at Barguna Donor: Christoffel Blinden Mission –CBM, Germany through Bangladesh Protibondhi Kallayan Somity-BPKS	Distribution of relief among SIDR affected PWDs	December 2007 to January 2008
03	Rehabilitation of Cyclone SIDR affected PWDs at Barguna through IGA Donor: Khondaker Shahadat Hossain, Trustee BDDT	Rehabilitation through IGA and house repair - construction.	February 2008 to July 2008
04	Assistive Devices Distribution and Recreation for PWDs Donor: Dr. Shajahan, BUET	Assistive devices distribution among PWDs	January 2009 to October 2009
05	ICT Training for Persons with Disabilities (PWDs) and rehabilitation through ICT Business Center Donor: Abilis Foundation, Finland	ICT training and IGA through ICT business center	1st January 2010 to 31st December 2010
06	Capacity Building and Networking among Grassroots level PWDs to sustain their IGAs activities at Barguna Donor: Genuity Systems Ltd.	Capacity building of PWDs	1st January 2011 to 31st December 2011
07	Global Disability Rights Library Donor: United States of America International Council on Disabilities, Washington DC 20005, USA	Digital Library	From January 2012 to till date
08	Enhance networking and advocacy program to develop organizational capacity Donor: Genuity Systems Ltd.	Networking and advocacy	1st January 2012 to 31st December 2012
09	Installation of a Braille printer for printing Al-Quran in Braille system for Visually Impaired people	Braille printer installation and printing Al-Quran in Braille	1st January 2012 to 31st December 2012

	Donor: GMS Composite Knitting Ltd.	system for Blind.	
10	Capacity Building and Income Generating Activities for People with Disabilities Donor: Abilis Foundation, Finland.	IGA (Innovative ICT centre) and Capacity building of PWDs.	1st April 2013 to 31st March 2013
11	Economic Development of Women with Disabilities through marketing of RMG and training for enhancement of skills Donor: AusAID Australian High Commission to Dhaka; Under DAP 2015-16 programme.	RMG training and employment	January 2016-Dec 2017
12	Al-Quran Learning in Braille system Donor: Rakhsaani Trust	Al- Quran Learning in Braille system.	April 2016 to March 2017
13	Braille print of Textbook It is an ongoing project that BDDT conducts every year. Donor: NCTB, Ministry of Education, Government of Bangladesh.	Textbook braille print	Academic year of 2017, 2018, 2019,2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024, 2025 & 2026.
14	Special education for the Children with Autism and neurodevelopment disorder' Donor: Mr. Lindraci Lacerda de Souza Barros, Director of School of the State Network of the State of São Paulo Dr. Prudente de Moraes, 90 - Vila Julia Poá - São Paulo. Brazil	Feasibility study for children with neurodevelopment disorder	Feb 2019 to Jan 2020
15	Intern development project. Donor: BDDT own fund	To develop skilled manpower	January 2020
16	Relief Distribution during Covid -19 Donor: GMS Composite Knitting Industries Private Ltd., Swiss Contact Bangladesh and others	Distribution of relief among vulnerable and needy community during Covid-19	May 2020
17	i2i Project Donor: FCDO (Former DFID) Through a consortium of partners led by Leonard Cheshire.	Improve access to employment in the private sector for people with disabilities.	1 January 2020 to 31 March 2022

	Other members of the consortium are- CBM, European Disability Forum (EDF), International Labour Organization (ILO), London School of Hygiene and Tropical Medicine (LSHTM), Global Disability Innovation Hub (GDIH), Plan International, World Bank and BBDN.		
18	Accessibility Audit Donor: UNwomen, Bangladesh	Accessibility Audit for Persons living with disabilities.	January to June 2022
19	Making persons with disabilities in coastal areas self-reliant through computer training under Bangladesh Technical Education Board. Donor: ICT Division, Ministry of Posts, Telecommunications and Information Technology, Govt. of Bangladesh	Self-reliance of persons with disabilities through technical training	January 2023 – December 2023
20	Information Café for People (Youth) Living with Disability as Rights-holders through a resource center in coastal area of Bangladesh Donor: European Union through Article-19 Bangladesh & Plan International Bangladesh	Upholding the freedom of Expression of the persons with disabilities.	October 2023- February 2024
21	Smoother Services and Allowances for People with Disabilities (PWDs): Advocacy Initiatives for Local Authorities to Pave the Way Donor: USAID through International Foundation for Electoral Systems (IFES)	Menstrual Hygiene Management services for women with disabilities	July –September 2023
22	Braille Training on Holy Quran & Al-Qaida for Persons with Visual Impairment Donor: Jamuna Bank Foundation	Arabic braille training for visually impaired persons to read Holy Quran in Braille system	June 2024 – ongoing
23	Freelancing and Computer Training for the Youth with Disabilities to make them Self- reliant in the Coastal Area of Bangladesh Donor: Ministry of Youth & Sports (MOYS), Govt. of Bangladesh	Freelancing and computer training for the youth with disabilities.	July 2024 – December 2024

24	Feminist Opportunities Now (FON) Donor: French Development Agency (Agence Française de Développement) through a donor consortium partners lead by CREA world.	Strengthen organization capacity and feminist approaches	January –June 2025
25	Collaboration Lab: Joining Forces between Media & CSO for Accountability in Bangladesh Donor: European Union through Free Press Unlimited, Netherland and Article 19 Bangladesh.	National Advocacy Initiative to Strengthen the Functions of District-level Disability Service Centers (Pratibandhi Shahajjo & Seba Kendro - SSK) run by the Government of Bangladesh.	March 2025 – November 2025
26	Small Grants Programme for World AT Day in Asia-2026 Donor: UNOPS/ATscale	To celebrate World AT Day -2026 Through Social media competition, Public hearing, AT Users Rally, Webinar on World Day for Assistive Technology, Social media posts, Joint statements and News reports.	April 2026 – September 2026
27	Braille Training on Holy Quran and Al Qayda Donor: Jamuna Bank Foundation	Educate visually impaired persons	Ongoing
28	Human Resource Development Trainings, workshops from other organizations and own funded	Skill enhancement for staffs	Ongoing
29	Braille Training for Visually Impaired Persons Donor: BDDT own fund	Educate visually impaired persons	Ongoing

30	Information Dissemination Donor: BDDT own fund/NCTB Government of Bangladesh	To make the PWDS aware about adequate information about issues regarding disabilities	Ongoing
31	Southangla Polytechnic College, Barguna (affiliated with BTEB vs. 38074 in 2016)-TVET activities Donor: BDDT own fund	College established in Barguna	Ongoing
32	BDDT Computer Training Centre, Barguna (affiliated with BTEB vs 38043 in 2011) Donor: BDDT own fund	To spread technical education	Ongoing
33	Accommodation Facility for Visually Impaired Girls Donor: Bangladesh Bank and GMS	Hostel service for the visually impaired girls in Dhaka	Ongoing
34	Braille Newsletter Donor: Bangladesh Bank (Central bank of Bangladesh) through all commercial banks	Braille newsletter	Ongoing
35	Computer Training for PLWDs (through screen reading software) Donor: BDDT own fund	To increase computer knowledge	Ongoing
36	Day Observance (White Cane Safety Day, International Day of Disabled Persons etc.) Donor: BDDT own fund	For spreading awareness among people and community	Ongoing
37	Assistive Devices Distribution for PWDs Donor: BDDT own fund, local donors and individual (including in kind)	Assistive devices distribution among PWDs	Ongoing
38	Advocacy for Employment of PWDs Donor: BDDT own fund, local donors and individual	To create employment for persons with disabilities	Ongoing
39	Maintaining Liaison (with UNFPA, UNWOMEN, ILO, JICA, HI, SSI, IFES, Plan International, Article 19, EU, UNDP and all commercial banks). Donor: BDDT own fund, local donors and individual	Maintaining relationship with INGOs and local donors	Ongoing