

# Equity in Input Delivery Resource Mobilisation and Its Utilisation

*A Study on Comprehensive Village Development Programme*

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This evaluation was undertaken to assess the extent of equity in the delivery of various inputs and resource mobilisation and its utilisation as well. For the purpose, it focused mostly on the mechanism of input delivery, resource mobilization and its utilization and also looked into the issue of disparity between male and female and rich and poor in respect of support-services from the project. It also made a critical review of different aspects like leadership, capital accumulation and its investment, profit distribution, women empowerment, access to health and sanitation facilities of Comprehensive Village Development Programme.

The findings reveal that co-operatives under CVDP are found highly instrumental for the general co-operators in realising their desired goal. The Managing Committee represents the people of heterogeneous economic and social background having a significant number of women and youth. Women co-operator have precedence over their male counterparts in respect of receiving loan though their participation in the Managing Committee is lower than that of male members. The study does not suggest any major discrepancy in membership enrolment, capital accumulation, distribution of dividends, access to agricultural inputs, procurement and adoption of family planning devices, distribution of water sealed-latrines and so on. In the eye of the sample co-operators, there has been a major change with regard to their access to the officials by comparison with the past. Participation of different officials in the monthly review and joint meetings of the society has streamlined an excellent opportunity for interaction among the co-operators and the Upazila level government officials with concomitant acceleration of their access to service providers and effective institutional linkages as well.

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