

Part three

The Project of “Community Health Education and Development (CHED)” in Songming County

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Abstract:

Objectives: To make villagers pay closer attention to “Whole health” by use of school screening from KMC students and promote them participating and action in the community; To do community mobilization by health education in the primary school; To develop college students’ ability of doing health education work in the rural community.

Method: Participatory teaching method and Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) **Activities of the project:** From March, 2004 to December, 2004 in the San Zhuan Wan primary school and village, we did school screening and feedback the result of school screening to the teachers in report and pupils’ parents in healthy cards. And health education lessons of sight-protecting, dental health, washing hands, the method of taking medicines, the first aid of drowning and fracture were held in the primary school. A teacher and a village doctor participated in the training of “Trainer of CHED training, TOT1”.

Result: 1. Build good relations with local students, teachers, village leaders and villagers; 2. Attain the positive feedback from the community after family visit; 3. Find college students’ creative thoughts and improve their ability; 4. We will plan to offer CHED training to local teachers, build simple water equipment for keeping water supply and do rubbish treatment.