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## Project Overview

### Advancing Community Empowerment in Southeastern Myanmar

Community Partners International (CPI) is a member of the Advancing Community Empowerment in Southeastern Myanmar (ACE) Project consortium funded by the United States Agency for International Development (USAID) and implemented by Pact.

The ACE Project supports communities in their empowerment processes by reducing vulnerabilities, promoting community participation in decision making, and strengthening mechanisms for more responsive and accountable local governance.

CPI is implementing the Health Systems Strengthening component of the ACE Project, supporting the Ethnic Health Systems Strengthening Group (EHSSG) of ethnic and community-based health organizations (ECBHOs) in southeastern Myanmar. CPI is helping these ECBHOs to improve health care access and service delivery, and provide a basic essential package of health services to their communities through a network of 176 clinics.

## At a Glance

### Donor(s):

USAID via Pact

### Consortium Members:

Community Partners International, Mercy Corps, Save the Children

### Project Duration:

September 2017 - May 2022

### Geographic Coverage:

Kayah, Karen, Mon, and southern Shan states, and northern Tanintharyi Region

### Population Coverage:

567,000+

### Target Population Profile:

Conflict-affected, under-served and hard-to-reach communities

### Impact Focus:

Health Systems Strengthening

### Implementing Partner(s):

Ethnic Health Systems Strengthening Group

# Key

## Activities:

- Coordination and advocacy between the Myanmar Ministry of Health and Sports (MoHS) and ECBHOs;
- Support to ECBHOs to develop Annual Operation Plans;
- Strengthening of ECBHO health management and logistics management information systems;
- Support for the development of an enhanced community health referral system through capacity building and coordination.



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