

Active CPP Member Pipasa Begum

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Mrs Pepasa Begum was born in 1980 at Boghi Satgor village in Southkhali Union under Sharankhola Upazila of Bagerhat District. She was 37 years old. Her father name is Abdul Halim Khondaker and mother is Anowara Begum. Her father is a freedom fighter. She has 01 brother and 02 sisters. Her qualification is class eight. She got married in 1997 of 17 years old. Her husband name is Md. Abbas Talukder in Chaltebunia Village under Sharankhola Upazila. She lives in Chaltebunia Village with her husband family. Her husband is a small business man. They have 03 children (01 boy and 02 Girls). Pepasa Begum is a house wife.

The working activity of CPP was started in Southkhali Union in 1992. Pepasa Begum was joined as an assistant rescue member of Chaltebunia village CPP unit (no 09) team committee in 1999. The CPP team was formed with 15 members. The group mainly disseminated the warning signal to the community during cyclone disaster time. During Cyclone SIDR in 2007 and Aila in 2009, Pepasa Begum worked for preparedness, rescue, evacuation, relief distribution etc. She always likes to work with villager's awareness and preparedness on DRR.

In 2012 JJS started worked with CPP team in Southkhali Union under CCDP project. The CPP team reorganized with active members and arranged regular seasonal meeting. Pepasa Begum attends all the meeting regularly and participated JJS office training for CPP members. She works (People motivate, People rescue, shelter prepare etc) actively during Cyclone MAHASHEN in 2013, KOMEN in 2015 & RUANU in 2016. She made discussion sessions with other women on cyclone disaster and family level preparedness. She is actively working in the group. She said that her leadership have been increased by the team meetings, discussion and community awareness activity

Mrs Pepasa Begum said that we need good coordination between CPP, UDMC, Shelter committees, NGOs, local institutions, Govt. sectors and others to reduce the damage from cyclone disaster. If we have no coordination we will not get success in the cyclone preparedness