



# ENHANCING CHILD SAFE TOURISM IN CAMBODIA, LAOS, THAILAND & VIETNAM

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## OVERVIEW

- Australian Agency for International Development (AusAID) Program
- Combat sexual exploitation of children in travel and tourism
- Cambodia, Lao PDR, Thailand and Viet Nam
- Builds on Australia's long term support



## THE ISSUE

- Child sexual abuse/exploitation in travel and tourism



## THE RESPONSE

- Dual prevention and protection response
- Prevention – implemented by World Vision
- Protection – implemented by UNODC/Interpol

## PROTECTION PILLAR

- Strengthening and enhancing the capacity of police, prosecutors and judges to identify, arrest and prosecute travelling child sex offenders

## PREVENTION PILLAR

- Specialist response within a child protection context
- Responsible tourism includes child safe tourism

## CHILD SAFE TOURISM

- Respond to ‘enabling factors’ in tourism environment that allow for abuse to occur
- Tourism destinations attract vulnerable children and families seeking income
- Support a safer environment for children in tourism



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CHILDREN

PARENTS

DUTY BEARERS

TOURISTS & TRAVELLERS





# FOR MORE INFO/ TO DISCUSS PARTNERSHIPS

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