

Inclusion criteria in Work Rehabilitation Programme for people
with a Spinal Cord Injury: A study on effectiveness and future
possibilities through experience of the Centre for the
Rehabilitation of the Paralysed.

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1.0 ABSTRACT

Topic: Inclusion criteria in work rehabilitation programme for people with spinal cord injury: A study on effectiveness and future possibilities through experience of the Centre for the Rehabilitation of the Paralysed.

Objectives: To explore and identify inclusion criteria use in work rehabilitation programme for spinal cord injury patients.

Method: The research was done in qualitative method.

Study design: Convenience sampling, using semi structured questioner paper used for interview.

Setting: The study was conducted at Centre for the Rehabilitation of the Paralysed (CRP), Savar, Dhaka, Bangladesh and used Internet to contact different organization in SAARC countries that are provided or given support in work rehabilitation programme.

Subjects: Seven participants who meet the selection criteria: -Five participants in Centre for the Rehabilitation of the Paralysed (CRP) who are involved in work rehabilitation programme and two participants from SAARC countries (India & Pakistan).

Results: Result found that for work rehabilitation programme the inclusion criteria should meet patients with Spinal Cord Injury (SCI), patient should be interested to join the programme, patients physical ability should be considered, patients should be medically stable and well motivated.

Keywords: Spinal Cord Injury (SCI), Work Rehabilitation Programme (WRP), Inclusion Criteria.