



## The Hospital and Rehabilitation Center for Disabled Children (HRDC), Nepal

*Healing disabled children for over 30 years*

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### UNITED NATIONS: 68<sup>th</sup> DGC-NGO CIVIL SOCIETY CONFERENCE

The Hospital and Rehabilitation Center for Disabled Children (HRDC) announced today that HRDC will be represented at the UN 68th DGC NGO Civil Society Conference to be held in Salt Lake City, USA from August 26 to 28, 2019.

Close to 6,000 individuals from 135 countries have registered for the UN Conference, which is being held for the first time in the USA. The UN is seeking inputs from civil society as it aims to reach its seventeen sustainable development goals by the year 2030.

#### **Workshop Title:**

*A Global North-South-South Model of Sustainable Development - [Read More](#)*

On August 27<sup>th</sup>, Dr. Ashok Banskota and panelists will illustrate the example of the three decade success story of HRDC ([www.hrdcnepal.org](http://www.hrdcnepal.org)) which has made a transformative difference in the lives of indigent children with musculoskeletal disorders in resource poor environments. Education and innovation coupled with technical know-how and a commitment to excellence are the hallmarks of this highly successful model of social entrepreneurship.

Collaboration for the workshop at the United Nations comes from [FEZANA \(www.fezana.org\)](http://www.fezana.org), [RAD-AID International \(www.rad-aid.org\)](http://www.rad-aid.org) and [PARTNERS ASIA \(www.partnersasia.org\)](http://www.partnersasia.org).

### **HRDC: Enabling Abilities**

At HRDC, we believe that people with disabilities should have equal access to rights, opportunities, and services and be protected from discrimination, abuse, and neglect. Many of the world's more than one billion people with disabilities are routinely denied even the most basic human rights, particularly in the developing world. HRDC aims to create a society in which individuals, especially children with disabilities and their guardians, live as equal citizens with an optimum quality of life.

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