



Hi Friends,

Welcome to the AusCam community, I'm so glad you're here!

Our mission is to stop the exploitation, trafficking and online abuse of adolescent girls in Cambodia—**before it begins**. We do this by helping girls stay in school, pursue further studies and make informed choices about their futures.

Because empowered girls are capable of remarkable things.

As an email subscriber, you'll receive occasional updates about our programs and the incredible young women we work with. To start, we'll send you a few welcome emails over the coming weeks, featuring a powerful story, a deeper look at our work and simple ways to get involved.

Thank you for joining us. Together, we can prevent exploitation and help girls thrive.

With gratitude,

Julie Dowse, Founder





Friends,

Online child sexual exploitation (OCSE) is affecting over 160,000 children in Cambodia—and it's growing fast. While technology can fuel this abuse, it can also be part of the solution.

At AusCam, we create safe spaces for girls, preventing exploitation through four key pillars:



Protection

Identifying at-risk girls and survivors, connecting them to the support they need through our chatbot and our partnership with Meta.



Development

Providing support and scholarships so girls can stay in school, continue their education and find sustainable careers.



Sisterhood

Equipping a network of girls with the tools they need to raise awareness through creative digital campaigns, helping prevent exploitation among their peers.



Empowerment

Helping girls build confidence, resilience and the skills to advocate for themselves and one another.

Together, these strategies are transforming risk into resilience. **Learn how you can help prevent exploitation before it begins by [visiting our website!](#)**

With gratitude,

Julie & The AusCam Team



Sophea's Journey:

From Dreams to Impact

Hi Friends,

When we first met Sophea, she was just 15—quiet, thoughtful and full of dreams, but **living in a world of uncertainty.**

Like many girls in Cambodia, she faced pressures no child should bear: poverty, instability at home and the risk of leaving school to help support her family. The future felt fragile.

In [Sophea's Dream](#), she shared her hope of becoming a tour guide—imagining herself not as a girl at risk, but as a leader, sharing her culture and her voice.

Thanks to support from AusCam, and the donors and friends who stood with her, Sophea stayed in school and began to believe in herself. **She discovered her strength, her passion and ultimately her purpose.**

That's when she made a new decision: she didn't just want a better life for herself, she wanted to help other girls do the same.

See how Sophea became a leader—and changed her world.



Sophea Today

Her future is only getting brighter. Sophea has achieved something remarkable: **She's earned a university degree in Social Work, and is now working full-time to support at-risk youth in Phnom Penh.**



What gives you hope when you think about the next generation of leaders? Reply to this email—I'd love to hear about it!

With hope,

Julie Dowse, Founder



Dear Friends,

Thank you for taking the time to better understand the realities that girls in Cambodia face. Online exploitation is growing but so is our ability to stop it. With your support, real change is possible.

Over the past decade, **AusCam has supported more than 1,500 girls** through educational scholarships—and reached thousands more with life skills training, counselling and empowerment clubs. Girls like Sophea, who once feared her future would be taken from her, are now leading change in their communities.

Her story is a powerful reminder: every dollar given supports a girl, full of potential hope and the power to change the world.



Your gift today will help:

- Keep girls in school and on the path to safe, sustainable careers
- Provide emergency support to girls at risk of trafficking or abuse
- Equip young leaders to raise awareness and protect their peers

Give today! And be part of a future where every girl is safe.

[Give Now](#)

With gratitude,

Julie Dowse, Founder

