

Identification → Registration → Certification (The First Barrier)

- Organize screening for conditions like Hearing Loss, locomotor disability, intellectual disability
- Coordinate medical boards for disability certification
- Help apply for **UDID cards (Unique Disability ID)**

Linking to Government Schemes (Most Critical Role)

- Assist with documentation and applications
- Ensure access to:
 - Ayushman Bharat (healthcare coverage)
 - Disability pensions
 - Scholarships and assistive device schemes
- Follow up with departments (health, social welfare, education)

Access to Healthcare & Rehabilitation

- Arrange therapy services (speech, physio, occupational therapy)
- Conduct audiology services (hearing aid trials, mapping)
- Use tele-rehabilitation where specialists are unavailable
- Create referral networks with hospitals

Assistive Devices + Usability Support

- Provide devices (hearing aids, wheelchairs, walkers, AAC tools)
- Train users and caregivers
- Ensure repair and maintenance

Education Facilitation (Inclusion, Not Just Admission)

- Help children enroll in schools
- Support inclusive education under Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016
- Provide special educators or resource rooms
- Train teachers and parents

Livelihood & Economic Inclusion

- Skill training based on local economy
- Job placement or micro-enterprise support
- Link to loans, SHGs, and financial schemes

Family & Community Enablement

- Parent training programs
- Community awareness to reduce stigma
- Support groups

Community-Based Rehabilitation (CBR Model)

- Train ASHA/anganwadi workers
- Provide home-based intervention plans
- Monitor progress at village level

Advocacy & System Strengthening

- Identify service gaps and report to authorities
- Collaborate with district administration
- Conduct research and publish data