



Program Overview

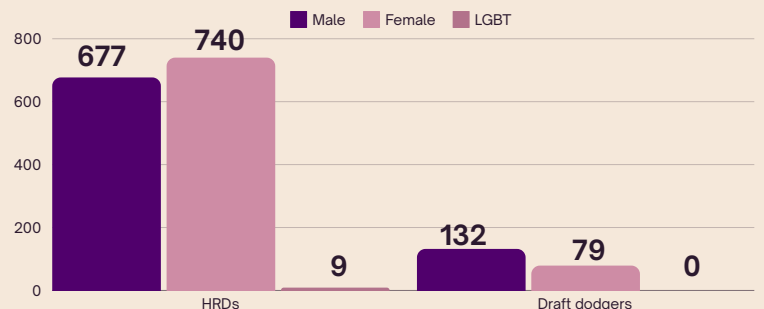
The NMF strives to offer humanitarian support to human rights advocates, democracy supporters, refugees, and marginalized communities inside and outside of the country. The efforts encompass supplying resources like food, shelter, financial aid, and medical care, alongside vocational and language training programs. Additionally, the NMF aids Burmese migrant communities by partnering with various stakeholders in Mae Sot. This newsletter highlights the overall activities undertaken during July 2024.

Highlights

- On July 17th, World Day for International Justice was commemorated in Maesot. Human Rights Program of NMF also posted the joint statement with partner organizations.
- On July 19th, Martyr Day was commemorated in Maesot.
- On 23rd July, NMF-HR program posted a statement on the unfair trail and execution of the four political prisoners.
- Human Rights Program supported open letter signed by 333 revolutionary forces and civil organizations urging ASEAN to uphold democratic representation of the Myanmar people and the exclusion of the Myanmar Military Junta from all meetings at the ASEAN Foreign Ministers' Meeting and related events including the upcoming meeting that is held from July 21 to 27 in Vientiane, Laos.
- Thai Cultural Awareness training was delivered to 21 safehouse residents and Digital Security training was delivered to 17 residents.
- 21 Males residents living in safehouses are facilitated to have construction and agriculture jobs in Mae Sot.

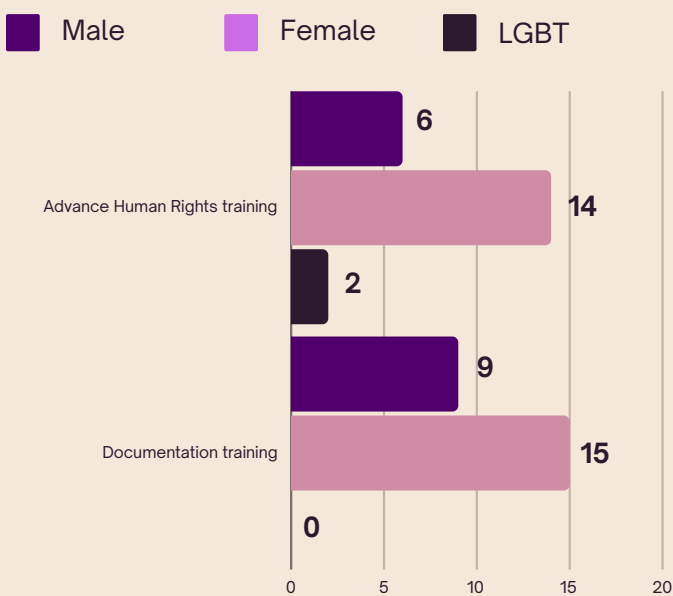
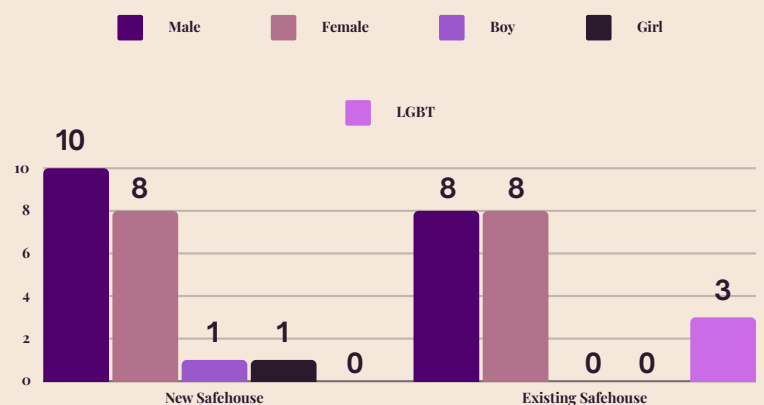
Basic Food Program

With the support of the donors, NMF provided basic food in-kind support to a total of 1637 people including 1426 HRDs (677 males, 740 females and 9 LGBT), 211 draft dodgers (132 males and 79 females) in July. Since February 2022, it has provided food of 33,928 units (One-month units) to 20,425 individuals.



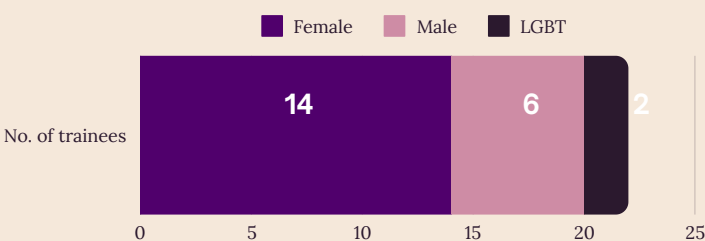
Safehouse Program

In July, NMF provided to 39 newly admitted refugees with shelter. With the support of Japan Platform and the CWS, this program also supports job facilitation, health insurance, medical service, vocational training, educational support and discharge support to the residents. Since April 2021, NMF's safe houses program contributed to a total of 1,940 individuals with shelter assistance.



Human Rights Program

The program had weekly coordination meetings with three local CSO partners. The partner CSOs continued training on human rights awareness, gender-based violence, landmines, and HRD dialogues. In July, one training on Advance Human Rights was delivered and (22) participants in total (6 men, 14 women, 2 LGBT) completed the training, one Documentation training on human rights was delivered and (24) participants in total (9 men, 15 women) completed the training. With the support of Trocaire, starting from Feb 2023 to June 2024, a total of 856 participants (331 men, 480 women, 45 LGBT), a total of 695 participants (273 men, 386 women, 36 LGBT) and a total of 48 participants (18 men, 28 women, 2 LGBT) joined human rights training, personal data and digital security training, and documentation training respectively.

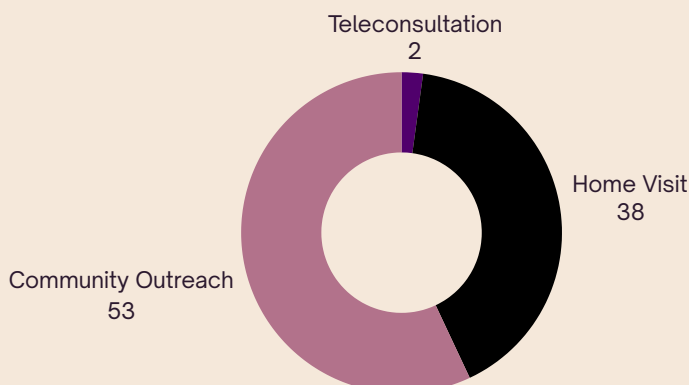


Sewing Machine Training Program

In June, industrial sewing trainings are delivered with the support from Aus-aid where batch-40 was completed by 22 trainees (14 females, 6 males and 2 LGBT). Since February 2022, there are a total of 40 sewing machine trainings with 409 trainees where 289 got jobs.

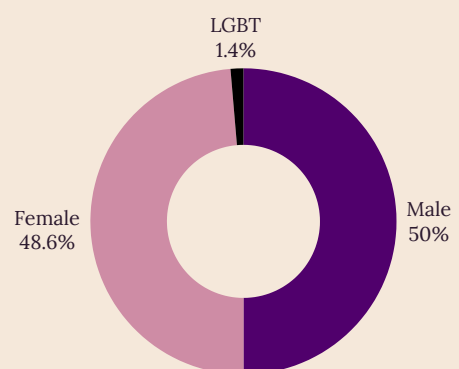
Telehealth Program

The program treated 93 patients in July 2024. Since June 2022, NMF's telehealth program has provided free healthcare services to 2,867 Burmese in Mae Sot, which cover 776 males (27%), 1585 females (55%) and 506 children (18%).



Language Program

With the support from Aus-aid, Thai language training batch-8 was delivered to 120 participants (58males, 59 females and 3 LGBT) of which 74 participants (37 males, 36 females and 1 LGBT) have successfully graduated. Since March 2022, a total of 787 trainees graduated the Thai and English Training.



Program Name	Requested No	Assisted No	Outstanding No.
Basic Food Supported	740	451	289
Safehouse accommodated	140	129	11
Language training	118	49	69
Sewing Machine Training	41	22	19
Other Assistance	620	620	0
Total	1659	1271	388



I moved into the NMF safehouse on April 27, 2024, and found the assistance very helpful for newcomers to Maesot. I received all basic needs without any issues. The staff were very helpful, and I will always remember my stay.

**Male CDM member
from Nay Pyi Taw**

