

# TRAINING IN THE MANUFACTURE OF PARALIMPIC GAME SPORTS EQUIPMENT IN THE FRAMEWORK OF INCREASING BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES AND ENTREPRENEURS FOR DISABILITIES

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Disabilities as an element in community groups are required to walk independently in prosper the family economy. Disability groups must have various kinds of innovation and creativity in launching a program. This is inseparable from the many opportunities for groups with disabilities through exploring their potential. Society's perception of persons with disabilities, which has been ingrained for centuries, is difficult to simply eliminate. For example, students with disabilities were refused to live in a boarding house, because the owner thought that the presence of persons with disabilities would bring disaster to his business. When using air transportation by commercial airplanes, persons with disabilities must sign a sick statement so that insurance is not covered. Efforts to increase the work productivity of people with disabilities have been made by the Government Indonesia through the provision of various skills. For example, in the program at the Darul Aqsom Islamic boarding school, people with disabilities are trained to have various skills.

So far, the skills provided for the physically disabled have not been in the form of independence training. Physical rehabilitation of persons with disabilities with training can promote the development of compensatory mechanisms, restore and increase the ability of manipulative actions, improve pathological conditions associated with the underlying disease and related. Physical rehabilitation facilities increase the application of the thermoregulation process, stimulate the work of peripheral vessels, increase metabolism, and improve regional blood flow so that work productivity can be improved. Disabilities have the same role, this is evidenced by the continued implementation Peparda, Peparnas, to the Paralympics. The process of training and competing athletes with disabilities must receive special treatment, one of which is equipment specifically designed for athletes so that the need for equipment that is adequate and ergonomically safe.

Seeing this is an opportunity for entrepreneurs to be able to manufacture and market sports equipment for athletes with disabilities. To train disability independence, it is necessary to hold a lot of training so that disability skills increase and are on par with other people. People with disabilities need to be given appreciation and a place to work, one of which is by facilitating disabilities in developing their potential through paralympic game events which are held regularly every year. The Paralympic Game event is dedicated for athletes with disabilities to explore their sporting abilities on a par with other athletes. In every event, business opportunities for disability sports equipment and other economic opportunities arise. Many paralympic equipment is used such as wheelchair tennis where the main aid is a wheelchair. To train disability independence, it is necessary to hold a lot of training so that disability skills increase and are on par with other people. Another form of paralympic game equipment is a substitute for prosthetic limbs with physical disabilities who need assistive devices.

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