

# Person Affected Journey: George M Wah Sr

My name is George M Wah Sr. I live in Jensenville community. I am a married with seven children and working in the government as a military man from the police to army; I did criminal justice and military science. I am suffering from BU (big sore) since 2014. I'm part of the peer support group, I'm the chairperson of the group in Tchien District Grand Gedeh county. We can have meetings every month since this group was established, we make our market for ourselves. The photos taking is unique and fine, a very beautiful thing.



## **Seeking care from traditional healer**

This looks like a market but not a market this represent the dragon pupu that I was using as medicine to get well. Everybody's tradition. They said, dragon in my foot... So, that we can buy it to put on the foot.... so, this is the lady who was selling the in the store.



### Limited mobility and transportation to seek care

This is the motorbike that took me from my house to the hospital, because I couldn't walk by myself. When this sickness started on me, I could not walk. In Monrovia, I was in a wheelchair one year, six months, three weeks, four days. So, my daughter brought me to Grand Gedeh here. That's the feature of the motorcycle, the transport that went for me to the parking and carried me to the house. The message to people is don't give up.



### **Improved mobility**

This is the first time when I started to stand up and walk by myself. Only my daughter there for me, She's living in Zwedru. So, I begin to walk. I told her, Mama I have to walk, let me stroll. So, that reminded me that I can walk now. I'm strolling. This photo reminds me of the time I could not walk at all. I was neglected by the family.



#### Peer support group involvement

I took this picture to show the peers support group project that we have started and undertaking from REDRESS.



















