

September 2018 Highlights

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I. Need Analysis

Area of work: Chunar, Uttar Pradesh

We have identified areas in immediate requirement of sanitation and hygiene facilities (See table 1). A plan to construct 33 bio-toilets in these regions is being drawn out.

Table 1: Identified villages and schools in District Varanasi for toilet installation

**This is the population of the village/school along with floating visitors per day*

S.No.	Village /School	Popula-tion*	Toilet model	Units to be installed
1.	Chunar Fort	500	Toilets and urinals	15
2.	Chunar pahads	1000	Bio-toilets	15
3.	Ramnagar villages	500	Brick and mortar	1
4.	Baruriya village, Mirzapur	650	Bio-toilets	4
5.	Gangpur village, Mirzapur	7000	Bio-toilets	6
6.	Jalalpur village, Mirzapur	17000	Bio-toilets	6
7.	Kelahat village, Mirzapur	6000	Bio-toilets	6
8.	Adarsh Balika Intercollege School, Jalalpur village	690	Bio-toilets	4
9.	Kamala Nehru inter-college, Shiv Shankri Dham village	788	Bio-toilets	4
10.	Sardar Vallabhbhai Patel inter-college, Gangpur village	657	Bio-toilets	4
11.	Prathmik Pathshala, Gangpur village	137	Bio-toilets	2

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II. Bio-toilet Construction

Area of work: Agra, Uttar Pradesh

We have constructed a bio-toilet at Primary School Nai ki Saray, Ward Chutta. The earlier toilets were in terrible conditions (See Figure 1).

Out of the 76 total students at this school, there are 43 girls. Every student was in dire need of functional toilets. The new toilet unit has provided them with much-needed relief (See Figure 2).



Figure 1: Condition of earlier toilets



Figure 2: Newly constructed bio-toilet unit

III. Bio-toilet Construction

Area of work: Navalgund, Karnataka

We constructed two bio-toilets (See *Figure 3*) in Government High School at Tirlapur village, Navalgund tehsil, Dharwad district. The school has 88 female students and 97 male students, making 185 students in total. The students were visibly excited to see the toilets as this was truly an urgent need for a long time.



Figure 3: Bio-toilets under construction at Navalgund, Karnataka

IV. Recognition at World Hindu Conference, Chicago - USA

We are humbled to share that our poster for the project 'Toilet and Hygiene Project for a Girl Child'



won the first prize at the recently concluded World Hindu Conference, Chicago.

Figure 4: World Hindu Conference - Chicago, USA

IV. Flood Relief

Area of work: Kodaga, Karnataka

The southwest monsoon wreaked havoc in 6 of the 30 districts in Karnataka, while paralyzing 11 districts. Several districts of coastal and Malnad regions of the state faced the brunt of incessant rains. As per latest reports, 350+ people were killed, 10,000+ homes damaged, and over 350,000 affected.

Our team distributed relief supplies at Madenadu village in the interiors of Kodagu, 14 miles from Madikeri city. The relief material included 1,200 sanitary napkins, undergarments for women, t-shirts and shorts for men, and basic toiletries.





Figure 5: Sewa volunteer Jayant Bhat (left) distributing relief material to landslide victims at Kodagu, Karnataka

**Thank you and warm regards,
Team Sewa International
Toilet & Hygiene Project for a Girl Child**