

November 2021 Highlights

- Oracle Livelihood Project
- Sewa Menstrual Awareness Program
- Sewa skill development program
- SHE-CAF
- Sanitation project

I. Oracle Livelihood project

We are running four programs under this project as follows,

- 1) Free tailoring classes for women and girls.
- 2) Health check up camps.
- 3) Menstrual hygiene & covid awareness program.
- 4) Free vaccination program.
- 5) Wash station installation.

1) Free tailoring classes for women & girls:-

We are conducting free tailoring classes for ladies who are from economically backward community.

Currently we are running four centres spread across karnataka.

We have reached 100+ women across these three centres and they will be trained in basic and advanced tailoring.



Figure: Tailoring centres in karnataka

2) Health check up camps:-

Importance of health and immunity was realized better ever since COVID appeared and it is very common that people from backward community have been neglecting their health and do more of physical jobs.

It is very important to create awareness on health and also Covid during this time of pandemic.

We are focusing on marginalised communities (Transgenders, rag pickers, migrant workers and burnt victims etc.,) to conduct free health check up camps.

We do basic health check up, Blood pressure test, sugar test, eye and dental checks for the beneficiaries and also distribute free immunity boosters and multivitamins to them.



Figure: Free Health checkup camps

Remains unchanged from the month of september

3) Menstrual hygiene & covid awareness program

We are promoting plastic free re-usable cloth sanitary napkins which are eco-friendly. Through this program we are educating rural & backward community women on menstrual hygiene.



Figure: Free Menstrual awareness camps

Camp details are as follows:-

| sl no | Date | Month | Location | District | No of beneficiaries | Targetted groups |
|-------|---------|-------|---|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| 24 | Sep 3rd | Sep | Hassan | Hassan | 50 | Surrounding villages |
| 25 | Sep 7th | Sep | Joladagudda grama panchayat karyalaya | Badami | 75 | Surrounding villages |
| 26 | Sep 22 | Sep | Panchalingeshwara High school Dharmapura | Hiriyur | 50 | Adoloscet girl students in the school |
| 26 | Sep 22 | Sep | Govt Higher primary school weavers colony | Bangalore Rural | 75 | School kids from vulnerable community |
| 26 | Sep 22 | Sep | Govt High school weavers colony | Bangalore Rural | 50 | School kids from vulnerable community |
| 27 | Sep 23 | sep | Govt high schoo,dharmapura | Hiriyur | 60 | School kids from vulnerable community |

Remains unchanged from the month of september

4) Free Vaccination program

Along with creating awareness on covid,we are also facilitating free vaccinations in the rural parts.

We noticed many of these people from backward classes have false assumption on vaccination and we are trying to convince them to get their covid doses.

We are also educating them on the importance of vaccination.

We are working with government and organising camps,mobilising people in rural areas.

We have successfully completed the vaccination drive for 3000 targetted beneficiaries across karnataka state.



Figure : Free vaccination camps in Karnataka.

5) Hand wash station installation

We are installing hand wash units in the government schools,communities. This will help them to wash their hands frequently and stay safe from corona virus.



Figure : Free Hand wash station installation in Karnataka

To educate women and adolescent girls about women health and hygiene and creating awareness about menstrual hygiene.

Awareness video – information about menstrual hygiene and reusable sanitary napkins

To educate and make them aware about the environmental pollution and health hazards associated with using disposable sanitary napkins.

Create awareness about covid pandemic and vaccination.

To distribute Re-usable Sanitary napkin kits.

A total of 500 underprivileged adolescent girls and women in viratnagar,rajasthan.

Activities Conducted:

Educating them about menstrual hygiene and its importance.

Distribution of re-usable sanitary napkins.

Water and snacks for all the beneficiaries.



Figure : Menstrual hygiene camps conducted in viratnagar,rajasthan.

* Sewa skill development program

Area of work: Viratnagar,rajasthan

Under sewa skil development program,our SHE team is conducting a 3 months tailoring and embroidery training program for 25 beneficiaries in viratnagar,rajasthan.

This program is benefitting 25 rural women and they are also being trained on making sanitary napkins.

Post training these women will be exposed to various garments/exporters who can give them jobs.

We are also encouraging these women by giving them free sewing machines so that they can be self employed.



Figure : Free tailoring & embroidery program viratnagar,rajasthan.



SHE-CAF

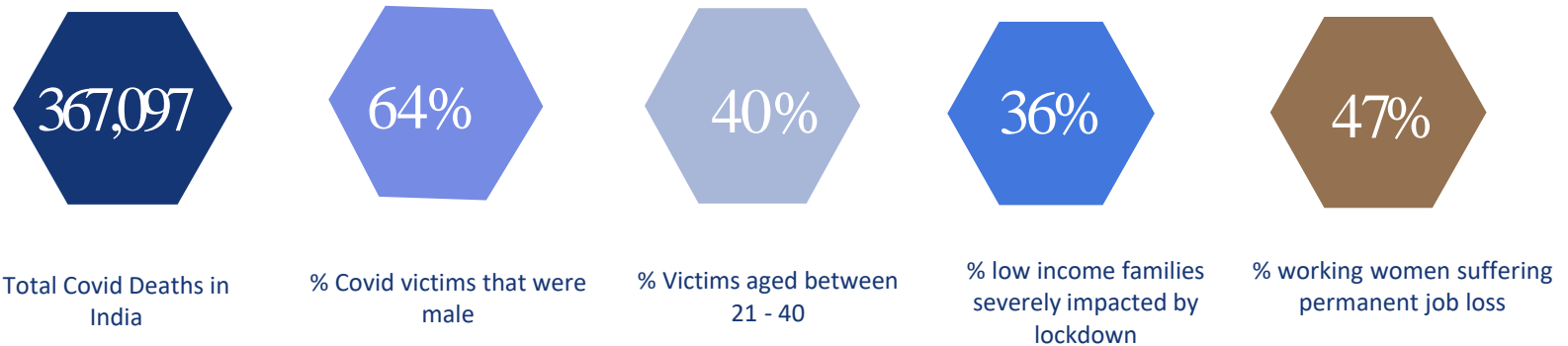
Objectives

Livelihood Skill Trainings to Covid impacted women - Market Demand Driven Livelihood Courses such as

- 1) Tailoring - Stitching , Sewing & hand embroidery
- 2) Beauty and Wellness
- 3) Computer training to enable Office Management jobs - Customer Service Executives, Back office support
- 4) Elderly aid & Child support provider - Home Health care provider for Child and Elderly Care
- 5) Skill Development to Rural and Tribal women - Hone Existing Skills of Rural & Tribal women

Skill Development for Covid Impacted Women

Need Analysis



Countless women lost spouses and their sole earning members to Covid pandemic. Their trauma is not just physical or emotional, they are facing financial uncertainties.

Outcome

Help many covid impacted women from starvation, making sure their health and well-being are not compromised. Through various programs, women will be able to get jobs/self employed and support their children and other dependents.

Conduct life-skills workshops on multiple aspects along the lines of social, personality and career orientation and build confidence in women from economically weaker & vulnerable families.

Empower women by helping them find livelihood, educate their children and improve their sense of well being.

Placement Support : Placements arranged regularly and efforts will be made to build a network of relevant and potential employers for placing women. Women will be supported through various workshops to prepare themselves for interviews through mock interviews, workplace readiness etc.

Follow up sessions with women beneficiaries for upto 3 months post program completion

Long Term Impact : Number of women, who are living poverty line due to Covid crisis, will be reduced. Through livelihood & skill development programs, Covid impacted vulnerable women will get better quality of life and livelihood.

Key Updates

Activity till date

1. Total beneficiaries registered through the portal – 576. Due diligence in progress.
2. **Program** has been **initiated** across 5 states – Karnataka , West Bengal, Maharashtra, Kerala and Uttar Pradesh (Avodhya) for **311 beneficiaries**.
3. Working on MOU and proposal from partners across Andhra Pradesh and Gujarat.

Key Highlights

Summary of Beneficiary training status - Ongoing/ completed/in pipeline

| Training Ongoing/completed/in pipeline | Beneficiary Count | |
|---|-------------------|--|
| Total Beneficiaries currently undergoing the training | 311 | |
| Total Beneficiaries who have completed the training and are self employed/got job placement | 0 | Beneficiaries will be completing the training in Dec-Jan timeframe |
| Beneficiaries in the pipeline waiting for the program to be started | 265 | |



Area of work: Northeast, Telangana, karnataka -india

we had identified 5 schools in tripura state and 2 schools in manipur region which were in immediate sanitation need.

Construction has been completed in one of the school in manipur(poirei),rest are in progress and expected to be completed by the year end.

Telangana-Priliminary survey of 16 schools has been done in khammam district and due diligience is in progress.Post all documentation and need analysis construction will be started in these school which are in desperate need of toilets.

karnataka-Priliminary survey has been done in murgod region of northern karnataka and toilets will be installed in the govt school of murgod post due diligence done by our team.



Figure : Toilets construction in northeastern states,india.

Thank you and warm regards,
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