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Sanitation, hygiene and empowerment of the girl child -Dec 2021

December 2021 Highlights

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

I. Orcale Livelihood project

We are running four programs under this project as follows,

- 1) Free tailoring classesd 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 tailroing 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: Tailroing 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 Heath 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	Adoloscent 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



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 ans stay safe from corona virus.



Figure: Free Hand wash station installation in Karnataka



* Sewa skill development program

Area of work: Viratnagar, rajasthan

Under sewa skill development program, our SHE team conducted 3 months tailoring and embroidery training program for 25 beneficiaries in viratnagar, rajasthan.

This program has benefitted 25 rural women and they are also 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 8 of 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) kill Development to Rural and Tribal women Hone Existing Skills of Rural & Tribal women

Skill Development for Covid Impacted Women



64%







Total Covid Deaths in India

% Covid victims that were male

% Victims aged between 21 - 40

% low income families severely impacted by lockdown

% working women suffering permanent job loss

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

<u>Long Term Impact</u>: 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 SO FAR

Key Highlights

SHE-CAF programs started in Mid Oct 2021

Summary of Beneficiary training status - Ongoing/ completed/in pipeline		
Training Ongoing/completed/in pipeline	Beneficiary Eount	Remarks
Total registrations received for SHE-CAF program	658	
Valid registrations after due diligence for the SHE-CAF program	586	72 registrations failed due diligence.
Total Beneficiaries currently undergoing the training	409	
Total Beneficiaries who have completed the training	52	
		program for these beneficiaries planned to start on Dec
Beneficiaries who will start their training in last week of Dec	125	27th across Gujarat and Andhra Pradesh.
		These women are earning an average salary of Rs 5000 -
		7000.
		52 beneficiairies have just completed the training. Rest
Total Beneficiaries who have got jobs/self employed	116	are still undergoing the training

Details of beneficiaries who are self employed/ got jobs and are earning

Details of women who have got job placement or self employed		
State	Beneficiary count	Program
Ayodhya	9	Beauty & Bridal Makeup
Karnataka	10	Weaver empowerment
Karnataka	10	Tailoring & embriodery
		Regional skill development (making Kaudi
Karnataka	10	blankets)
West Bengal	34	Weaver empowerment
Karnataka	43	Tailoring & embriodery , computer, beauty
Total	116	

Key Statistics of Ongoing Training – State Wise

Dec 2021

Ongoing Training - State Wise		
State	Beneficiary Count	Program Wise Beneficiary count
		Tailoring -25
		Beauty & Wellness - 40
		Weaver empowerment - 10
		Regional skill development(Training in Kaudi blankets) -
		10
		computer training - 30
		Regional skill development(Training in Kasauti
Karnataka	178	Embriodery, & Ari work) - 63
		Weaver empowerment - 34
West Bengal	53	Tailoring , Nakshikantha embriodery - 19
		Beauty & Wellness - 55
		Training for Makeup Artist - 12
Maharashtra	97	Tailoring - 30
		Tailoring, doll making - 22
Uttar Pradesh	61	Beauty course & bridal makeup - 39
		Tailoring - 10
Kerala	20	Aquaculture - 10
Total	409	



SANITATION PROJECT

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.

We have identified a govt school in murgod which was built while british rule in india and later has been used a prison and now its serving around 700 children. We have taken the task of renovating few urinals and toilets and likely to start in january first week.



Figure: Toilets construction in northeastern states, india.

Thank you and warm regards, Team Sewa International - Sanitation, hygiene and empowerment of the girl child.

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