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PREFACE

National Institute of Women Child and Youth Development has completed thirty three years from its registration in 1985. The organisation is strengthening their programme in areas of –

- (i) tribal empowerment for their rights
- (ii) agriculture promotion for food security
- (iii) child rights, specially platform children, child labour and girl child
- (iv) promotion of village volunteers (Gramdoots) for rural development
- (v) women empowerment through self help promotion and skill training
- (vi) networking with like minded organisations and their capacity building
- (vii) strengthening of self governance
- (viii) establish linkages with government agencies for convergence of different schemes on welfare and livelihood

Activities carried out on above areas during the year 2016–17 are presented in this report.

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Programme Progress Card

A. LIVELIHOOD

A1) Promotion of Sustainable Tribal Livelihood in Central India

Project duration – April 2016 onwards

No. of villages -21

Families Covered – 2,850 tribal families, 350 OBC marginal farmers

Supporting Agency – SwissAid India

Coverage – Amarpur and Bajag blocks – 10 and 11 villages respectively.

Objectives:

Provide sustainable livelihood round the year by adopting sustainable agricultural practices in 3200 families

Achievements:

- 248 families adopted use of local seeds and fertilizers
- 10 families adopted improved agricultural practices viz. line sowing, etc.
- 186 families prepared natural pesticides and used in their farms
- 56 families did soil and water conservation measures in 16 acres of their farms
- 211 families started kitchen garden using local vegetable seeds. Availability of vegetables increased from 3 months to 7 months.
- 14 villages initiated forest management practices under CFR covering 9300 Ha.
- 19 types of indigenous seeds collected in 14 villages.
- 156 families conserved and increased plantation of 6 different types of edible roots and tubers.
- 60 women trained as Master Trainer for providing training on ecological agriculture in surrounding villages.
- 89 families started paddy cultivation by transplantation practice.
- Nursery of bamboo and Koailar started.
- NREGS campaign resulted in availability of 80 90 days work.
- 25 families -- Diesel pump and 16 families bullock pair, 150 families spray pumps provided from tribal and agriculture departments.

A2) Agriculture Technology Management Program – ATMA, MP

Date of Starting: July 2009 onwards

Supporting Agency: Dep. of Agriculture M.P. Govt

Location of Project: 15 Block / 4 Districts / State Madhya Pradesh

Coverage: 500 Villages

Population Coverage: Under This Program 18750 Families benefitting

Objectives of the projects:-

• To Identify specified needs of farming community for farming systems based agriculture development

- To setup Priorities for sustainable Agriculture Development With Farming Systems Approach
- To. Draw Plans For Production based systems activities to be undertaken by farmer / Ultimate Users
- To facilities the empowerment of framer /producers though assistance for Mobilization, Organization in to association .cooperatives etc. for their increased participation in planning, marketing technology dissemination and agro processing etc.

Key Achievements:

- 20 Farm schools established benefitting 1400 farmers;
- 70 demonstration plots developed. Each demonstration plot providing inputs for practices to 20 to 30 farmers;
- 75 Farmers' Interest Groups strengthened at the block level on paddy, hill millet and maize.
- Farmers started improved agricultural practices with learning from farmer school and demonstration plots.

A3) Strengthening of Farmers Producer Organizations (FPO) for promotion of Pulses

- NIWCYD is strengthening five FPOs for enhancement of pulses production and collective marketing
- Three FPOs in Yavatmal district, One in Akola district and One in Wardha district
- Regular technical and administrative support is provided for collective marketing and convergence of government schemes
- Four FPOs started collective collection of pulses and collective marketing in APMC.

A4) Vegetable Initiative Programme in Vidarbha, Maharashtra (SFAC)

Year of Starting: Jan. 2013

Supporting Agency: SFAC, New Delhi

Location of Project: Clusters in Nagpur, Chandrapur, Bhandara, Gondia and Gadchiroli

districts, Maharashtra.

Objectives:

- Strengthening of farmers interest groups for vegetable production
- Promotion of Farmer Producer Organization (FPO) and Collective Marketing

Achievements:

- Six weekly Kissan Makets started in Nagpur with collaboration of Maharashtra State Agriculture Marketing Board through Nagpur FPO.
- In Gondia district FPOs started organic vegetable and rice cultivation and established Krushi Sewa Kendra.

• FPOs in Bhandara district are working in coordination with Nagpur FPO and supplying vegetables for weekly markets in Nagpur.

A5) Farmer Producer Organization Development Program, MP

Date of Starting : August 2013 Supporting Agency : SFAC

Location of Project : Block Mandla District Mandla, Block Niwas District Mandla, Block Samnapur & Mehandwani District Dindori, Block Balaghat, Block Ujjain, Badnagar,

Sujalpur, Shahjapur, District Ujjain, Block Mandsaur, Neemuch, manasa.

Coverage: No. of Villages - 240

Target Population Coverage: No. of families - 12000

Objectives:

- The objective of the proposed program is to increase the agriculture productivity of the various crops in the region.
- The direct impact of improved agriculture productivity would be the increased food security for the households who currently report household food availability between 3-9 months in the year.
- To facilities the empowerment of farmer /producers though assistance for Mobilization, Organization in to association .cooperatives etc. for their increased participation in planning, marketing technology dissemination and agro processing etc.

Activities carried out during the year:

- Members of 6000 FIGs strengthened in different local crop varieties for collective production and marketing practices.
- 13 FPOs formed in Madhya Pradesh till date. 13,000 marginal farmers are associated with the activity.
- 9000 members of FPO have contributed to share capital of Rs. 15 Lakhs.

Impact:

- Farmer started seed treatment in proper manner.
- Most of the farmer started line sowing in method.
- Farmers have understood the importance of the FPO its main objective & importance.
- Farmers have understood the importance of collection of the share money, by opening the bank account.
- Production has increased by 30 % due to improved agriculture practices.
- Business plan initiated with all FPOs.

A6) Agriculture Income Enhancement Program for Mahakusal region Madhya Pradesh

Date of Starting: May-2013

Supporting Agency: SDTT Mumbai

Location of Project: Block Amarpur, Bajag, Karanjiya Medhwnai, District Dindori &

Niwas Block District Mandla, State Madhya Pradesh

Coverage: No. of Villages - 89

Population Coverage: No. of families - 10000

Objectives:

- The objective of the proposed program is to increase the agriculture productivity of the various crops in the region.
- The direct impact of improved agriculture productivity would be the increased food security for the households who currently report household food availability between 3-9 months in the year.

Impact of Interventions:

- Targeted families have adopted appropriate agricultural practices and their production has increased by 30-40 %.
- The project is completed in June 2017.
- Follow-up activities are done with support from adjoining projects of the organization.

A7) CAIM Sub-Project Balapur, Dist Akola, Maharashtra

- Land development completed in project villages
- Farmers trained on pest management techniques
- Various govt. agriculture schemes provided to marginal farmers
- This year the project activities have been completed as per plan.

A8) Skill Development Program

Date of Starting: Sept 2015

Supporting Agency: Crompton Greaves Ltd. Location of Project: Obedullaganj (Raisen)

Objectives:

The short term as well as long term objectives of the project is as under;

- 1. To assess the need of employment in industries in Mandideep area
- 2. To enhance the capacities of youth for increase in their employability through trainings.
- 3. To establish linkages for employment of trained youth in local as well out state industries.

Activities carried out during the year:

#	Name & brief description of the	Date & Location	Beneficiaries
	activity		covered
1	Advance Training Fashion design &	18 Oct - 02 March	25
	boutique		

#	Name & brief description of the	Date & Location	Beneficiaries
	activity		covered
2	Beauty & Wellness training	18 Oct - 10 Feb	20
3	Electrician & motor winding	21 Nov - 22 march	20
4	IT skill & tally accounting	24 Dec – 30 March	20

Major Outcomes:

- 1. 85 youths trained on different skills
- 2. 300 youths mobilized through the career counseling camps.

A9) Livelihood promotion of Marginal farmers in drought hit areas of Gatanji taluka of Yavatmal district, Maharashtra

Supported by: Forbes Marshal Foundation, Pune & Help for Children in Need, Pune Goal: Contributing towards ecological balance and enabling community members to adapt measures of climate change mitigation and reduce its adverse impact on the livelihood of communities.

Objectives:

- To improve the ground water level through adopting traditional rainwater harvesting systems and water conservation measures.
- To bring changes in the conventional synthetic fertilizer and pesticide intensive agriculture pattern and gradually replace it with less external resource depended eco friendly sustainable farming.
- Strengthening of community based institutions through enhancing their knowledge, and skills to better manage the water resources and ecologically sensitive practices.
- Awareness creation among schoolchildren and youths on climate change and its adverse affect on ecology; explore and demonstrate various mitigation measures.
- Promotion of indigenous crop varieties and incorporate such items and practice mixed crop that require less water and external inputs.

Major achievement:

- Micro level plan and detailed project reports for three villages and one hamlet prepared through participatory method.
- Based on the micro level plan two rainwater harvesting structures (farm ponds) have developed and a river de-siltation activity has carried out.
- Sixty families in the project villages have started backyard vegetable cultivation by adopting less water external input intensive methods.
- Women self help groups in village Anji has taken up collective organic vegetable cultivation and on-farm seed conservation activity.

- Sixty families have started household bio- degradable solid waste management practices through adopting vermi-composting methods and successfully harvested vermin compost for applying in their farmland and organic vegetable field.
- Collective steps taken up by the women SHG groups in village Anji has transformed as a demonstration plot and learning and sharing center for organic farming.
- Two hundred and fifty tree saplings had planted in the villages and with 90% survival rate as per recent field observation.
- Schoolchildren from all schools in the field area have given orientation on environment, climate change.
- Two training events have conducted for the children in Gatanji, facilitated by resource person having expertise in the relevant subject.

A10) Creating Livelihood Adaptation Under Drought (CLAD)

Date of Starting: December 2016 Supporting Agency: IGSSS, Delhi Location of Project; Rehali, Sagar (MP) Population Coverage: 1000 Farmers

Objectives:

The short term as well as long term objectives of the project is as under;

- 1. Resilience capacity of local community enhanced
- 2. Community based organizations adapt and continue drought resilient, hunger reducing measures

Activities carried out during the year:

#	Name & brief description of the	Date & Location	Beneficiaries
	activity		covered
1	Demonstration & Trainings on soil	Kadta, Simragaud,	47 Community
	water conservation	Tinkhi, Sohagpura	leaders
2.	Promotion and demonstration of Grain	Kadta & Semragaud	30
	Bank /seed bank		
3.	Training / Strengthening CBOs	15 Villages	186
4.	Village Level Meeting (NREGA	15 Villages	216

Lesson learnt during the reporting period :

• For effective functioning under the project and sustain the efforts, we have to build CBOs in each intervention villages so that we have people to mobilise the efforts as well as resources locally.

A11) Convention of Ecological Rights and Sustainable Development

Three days convention was organized on ecological rights and environment campaign at Sewagram in Oct. 2016 with support from TdH, Pune. About 500 youth participated from different parts of the country including local youth.

B. CHILD RIGHTS AND EDUCATION

B1) Rajiv Gandhi National Creche Programme – MP, CG and Maharashtra

Total 271 Creches are being run by the organization in three states – 90 in Chhattisgarh, 60 in Madhya Pradesh and 121 in Maharashtra. 6775 children from tribal, dalit and BPL families are benefited from this scheme. The programme is supported by Central Social Welfare Board, New Delhi.

B2) Girls Education Program, MP

Date of Starting: July 2011

Supporting Agency: Room to Read India Trust, Delhi Location of Project: Ghoradongri, District Betul (MP)

Population Coverage: 298 Girls of 8th, 9th & 10th Standard

Objectives:

The short term as well as long term objectives of the project is as under;

- To strengthen the capacities of girl children enrolled in 6th 8th standard of the school under the project.
- To train the girl children on life skills.
- To help the children through supportive tutoring and mentoring for quality education.
- To motivate and mobilize parents / community participation in completing girl children education from the project area.

Activities carried out during the year:

#	Name & brief description	Date & Location	Beneficiaries	Remarks
	of the activity		covered	
1	Children club meetings	11, 13,18 June	245 Girls	
		Sewanpat, Ghoradongri		
2.	School Wide activity for	09 June, 4-6 August	351 Girls	
	Non GEP scholars			
3.	Parents Workshop	16-27 April	209 parents	
4.	SMDC meeting	21June	50 Parents	
5.	Material Support	August	253 girls	Stationary & copies

6.	Village Child Protection	September & December	123 people	
	Committee meetings			

Major Outcomes:

- 1. 253 girls mobilized to participate in their own development discussions through life skill trainings.
- 2. VCPC established at four location for supporting child protection measures.

B3) CHILDLINE, Wardha, Maharashtra

The project started with support from Childline India Foundation, Mumbai from Jan 2012 at Wardha. During the year outreach meetings were conducted in the city for awareness of the scheme.

- A. Awareness Program on World Day against child labour
- B. Awareness Program on the Occasion of Independence Day
- C. Awareness Program at Govt Shelter home On the occasion of Raksha Bandhan
- D. Awareness Program at Ram Nagar, Wardha On the occasion of Pola Festival
- E. Awareness Program On the occasion of Ganesh Chaturti
- F. Awareness Program On the occasion of Ganesh Visarjan
- G. Awareness program At Hindi Vishwa Vidyalaya, Wardha
- H. Awareness Program at Umri Meghe
- I. Awareness Program at Ram Nagar Circus ground, Wardha

Following topics/issues of Children were covered –

- Children's rights are the human rights of children with particular attention to the rights of special protection and care afforded to minors.
- Discussion about children have no access to education, work long hours under hazardous conditions, are forced to serve as soldiers in armed conflict, or languish in institutions or detention centres where they endure inhumane conditions and assaults on their dignity.
- Discussion about Children who live on the street with their families and often work on the street.

The table below summarizes achievement during the year.

I. Interventions	Nos.
Medical help	84
Shelter	65
Repatriation	0
Rescue	6
Death-related	0
Sponsorship	128
II. Missing children	

Child lost	34
Parents asking help	12
III. Emotional support and Guidance	47
IV. Information	
Info & referrals to services	6
Information about CHILDLINE & volunteers	161
V. Unclassified	
VI. Others	
Did not Find (DNF)/did not respond	10
Crank/fun/abusive	13
Chat calls	14
Wrong	26
Silent	40
Blank	6
Follow up calls	641
Phone-testing calls	1632
Administrative	20
Personal	18
P.F.A	92
Sexual Abuse	11
Child Labour	33
Total	3099

B4) CHILDLINE, Mandla, Madhya Pradesh

The project started with support from Childline India Foundation, Mumbai from Jan 2013 at Mandla, MP. During the year outreach meetings were conducted in the city for awareness of the scheme.

The table below summarizes achievement during the year.

I. Interventions	Nos.
Medical help	30
Shelter	29
Repatriation	1
Rescue	0
Death-related	0

Sponsorship	44
II. Missing children	16
Child lost	7
Parents asking help	0
III. Emotional support and Guidance	9
IV. Others	130
Did not Find (DNF)	0
Total	266

B5) Improvement of education opportunities for children and youth in slum areas of Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh

Date of Starting: April 2014

Supporting Agency: Terre Des Hommes (G)

Location of Project : Bhopal

Coverage:

Project area	Total	Number of	0-6 years	6-14 years	Number of
slums	population	families	children	children	youths
7 slums	9809	2188	2606	3300	2828
Total	Number of	Total	Number of	Number of	Total
schools	students	anganwadies	students	youth	creches and
				profile	children
12	2589	17	2589	300	3/87
Total child	Members of	Total youth	Members of	Total	Members of
groups	child groups	groups	youth	women	women
			groups	groups	groups
15	370	12	180	6	120
Number of	Members of	Number of	member of	Number of	Students of
SMCs	SMCs	monitoring	monitoring	CLC	CLC
		committees	committees		
12	202	20	250	2	78

Objectives:

- Children below 5 years receive health care as well as pedagogical early childhood development.
- The Children and young People of the Project Region visit school willingly and regularly
- Young people above 15 Years are integrated in Society and actively promote their Rights

Activities carried out during the year:

#	Name & brief description of the	Date & Location	Beneficiaries covered
	activity		
1	Sessions on early child hood	Monthly basis	136 sessions conducted
	development		
2.	Parents meeting	Monthly	22 meetings conducted
3.	ICDS Workers training on ECCE	October	182 Workers trained
4.	Child learning centers	Meera Nagar &	60
		Banskhedi	
5.	Global Action Month	14-20 November	More than 300 children

Major Outcomes:

- 1. More than 350 Members of child groups as well as CLC children participated in the right based sessions regarding child rights, drop out problem, RTE, child labour, child protection, environment, plantation, education, smart city etc.
- 2. Youth & children together have performed 2 rallies for environment protection, one against the addiction among youth and children and for enrollment in schools. Children prepared more than 2000 paper bags and distributed those for the kirana shops in slums.
- 3. 20 Children prepared a street play during 15 days workshop on the issue of child labour
- 4. 25 dropout youths have appeared in private or open school exams.

B6) Campaign Against Child Labour

Period: April to Sept 2016

Support Agency: Holistic Approach for People Empowerment

Location: Bhopal slums

- Awareness generation on Child Labour
- Study impact of new act on child labour.
- Consultation with government.

C. HEALTH

C1) Mobile Medical Unit, Madhya Pradesh

Ambulance was made available to the project area in Baiga Chak, Dindori district, Madhya Pradesh. This mobile medical unit covers 52 villages in the region and is equipped with medical facilities and medicines. One doctor and nurse accompanies the unit on weekly camps being conducted in different clusters. District Health Officers are actively cooperating in this effort. 6,200 Primitive tribes were covered by the unit. Serious patients and pregnant women are taken to the nearest hospital for further treatment.

C2) Realizing WASH Rights of the Marganalized and Improving for Quality Access of WASH services in Dindori District, Madhya Pradesh

Date of Starting: Dec. 2013

Supporting Agency: Water Aid, Bhopal, Madhya Pradesh

Location of Project: Dindori District, MP

Coverage: No. of Villages - 210

Objectives:

Building cadre of frontline workers team for triggering and demand generation for toilet construction and improve usage and also promote concept of WASH & bring in behavioural change amongst community in 222 GPs of Dindori district.

Key Activities:

- Mason training on toilet construction.
- Strengthening and training of frontline workers and PRI
- Facilitation with Panchayat and community for construction of toilet
- Facilitation and training for potable water
- Awareness on sanitation and hygiene with women and adolescent girl child

Achievements:

- 650 youth trained as master trainer for toilet construction
- All PRI representatives trained in water and sanitation aspects and their role
- 650 frontline workers trained on water and sanitation. They started practices in various local institutions.
- 210 water and sanitation committees strengthened in the project area.
- PHEB supported in cleaning and chlorination of water sources
- 6500 new toilets constructed and 3500 defunct toilets repaired with active participation of PRIs and community
- 16 panchayats declared open defecation free (ODF)
- Women and adolescent girls adopting good menstrual hygiene and practices.

C3) Sanitation Programme – UP & MP

Date of Starting: April 2016

Supporting Agency: HFHI, New Delhi and Jabalpur Municipal Corporation

Location of Project: Bijnore, UP and Jabalpur, MP Coverage: Bijnore 150 families & Jabalpur 15 families

- 165 toilets constructed in BPL households 150 in Rampurchatta, block Najimabad, Bijnore, UP and 15 in Jabalpur city, MP.
- Conducted sanitation awareness campaign in project area.

C4) Community Health Project, Bhopal Region, Madhya Pradesh

Date of Starting: May 2015

Supporting Agency: Avantha Foundation, Delhi Location of Project: Obedullaganj (Raisen)

Coverage:

The project is intervening with around 3881 households covering a population of 22503 (M-11492: F-11011) in 15 villages around the vicinity of Mandideep. The villages are divided in 03 clusters for the operational management.

Adolescents (M-1356: F-1163), Village 1, Cluster 03, Gram Panchayat 09 Anganwadi center - 14, Mini AWC - 2, PHC - 03, and CHC-1 on Obedullaganj, School-30 covered in our project villages.

Objectives:

- The short term as well as long term objectives of the project is as under;
- To promote community awareness on safe mother hood & child survival programs in community.
- To increase access of community services regarding reproductive child health in project villages.
- To build capacities of adolescent & youth on life skills and basic health issue.
- To strengthen the community monitoring system for health and basic services through liaison with line Government departments

Activities carried out during the year:

#	Name & brief description of the	Date & Location	Beneficiaries	
	activity		covered	
1	Mothers Competition on health,	Ashapuri, Noorganj &	224 Mothers	
	hygiene & nutrition	Diwatiya Cluster		
2	Adolescent training on life skills	Ashapuri, Noorganj &	397 Girls covered	
		Diwatiya Cluster		
3	Hygiene sanitation campaign in	Ashapuri, Noorganj &	More than 300	
	schools / villages: SHP- (school	Diwatiya Cluster	children &	
	Health & Hygiene Program)		adolescent covered	
4	VHSNC Trainings	Ashapuri, Noorganj &	833 members	
	-	Diwatiya Cluster		

Major Outcomes:

- 1. Usage of Supplementary nutrition food can be increased by changing the way of distribution as well as making some delicious food items using the same material.
- 2. Counselling on vaccination post vaccination cure is also required for the mothers.
- 3. There is a need to sensitise youth on communal harmony especially in Ashapuri cluster.
- 4. Regular trainings on life skill sessions are helpful in mobilizing youth on health and their development.

C5) Vector Born Diseases Control Program

Date of Starting: June 2016

Supporting Agency: Family Health India

Location of Project: Mandla, Dindori, Alirajpur, Jhabua, Shivpuri & Sheopur

Population Coverage: NA

Objectives:

The short term as well as long term objectives of the project is as under;

To develop a team of workers for the monitoring and evaluation of Malaria program.

Activities carried out during the year:

#	Name & brief description	Date & Location	Beneficiaries	Remarks
	of the activity		covered	
1.	Base line Survey &	4-6 July	Mandla	TOT
	Training	24- 25 January	Jhabua & Alirajpur	
		20-22 march		

Outcome: A team of 20 youths trained on malaria base line & monitoring

C10) Elimination of Mosquito Born Endemic Diseases (EMBED)

Date of Starting: February 2017

Supporting Agency: Family Health India

Location of Project: Dindori

Population Coverage: 250 Villages

Objectives:

The short term as well as long term objectives of the project is as under;

- 1. To improve knowledge health seeking behavior and community action for prevention treatment and control of malaria & dengue at the household and community level
- 2. To improve a correct diagnosis treatment and referral services for prevention and treatment of malaria & dengue by networking with RHCPs
- 3. To increase use of mosquito repellent at household level through promotion and placement of quality mosquito repellents in remote rural geographic.

Activities carried out during the year:

#	Name & brief description of the	Date & Location	Beneficiaries
	activity		covered
1	Team Recruitment	February & March	35
		Dindori	

D) WOMEN

D1) Tejaswini Rural Women Empowerment Programme, MP

Date of Starting: 2008

Supporting Agency: Mahila Vitt Viksh Nigam Bhopal Madhya Pradesh

Location of Project: Block / Mehadwani, Niwas and Bejadandi District Dindori and

Mandla / State Madhya Pradesh Coverage : No. of Villages - 131

Population Coverage: No. of families - 7860

Programme in brief: Tejaswini Rural Women Empowerment Programme has its broad vision to bring rural women members of the society those who contribute the major share of the population of the entire state at the same time living under persistent poverty and deprivation due various social, political and environmental reasons.

Objectives:

- 1) Social and Political Empowerment of Rural Poor women
- 2) Access of government services
- 3) Enhancement of Income in Targeted House Hold

Achievements:

- Follow-up activities of two women federations
- Bank linkage enhanced for livelihood activities of women
- Cluster federation Mehendwani started processing of hill millet and marketing
- Federation providing nutritious food to aanganwadi

D2) Tejaswini Rural Women Empowerment Programme, Maharashtra

Year of Starting: 2010 – 2011

Supporting Agency: MAVIM & IFAD supported programme

Location of Project: 11 districts of Vidarbha Region of Maharashtra spread out 26 Talukas. The programme is running through 27 community managed resource centers (CMRCs) in the region which is the federation of rural women's grass root level institutions (SHGs).

Objectives:

- Formation and strengthening of women Self Help Groups and their secondary level institutions at village level and federate at Tehsil level.
- Capacity building of women members of the institutions to attain self-dependency to have improved and easy access to institutional credit, and its productive utilization.
- Nurture and develop the skills of member women to take up livelihood activities
 with more focus on local resources and knowledge and better market access for
 their products.

• Political empowerment of women members of the institutions for effective utilization of formal platforms for decision making while ensuring gender equality and dignity especially, decentralized body of governance.

Project Locations	2 districts of Vidharbha Region, 2 Tehsils (from 2010 June to 2011 January and continued with the extended 25 CMRCs by January 2011 onwards. Total 27 Tehsils
Number of villages covered directly under the project	840
Number of families under direct coverage	51,504 families
Year of start of project	2010 June - Launched with 2 CMRCs 2012-13 onwards extended the interventions in 27 CMRCs.

Key Achievements during the year:

- During this financial year, 50 60% of the self-help group had enhanced access to institutional credit; the role of private bank (ICICI) was significant in this process.
- In three federations [Ural (Akola), Wani & Digras (Yavatmal)] have achieved commendable results in improving agriculture production, technological integration by ensuring participation of women self help groups and their federations.
- Thirteen federations out of 22 have worked out and applied their skills and experiences for productively utilizing the institutional credit in compliance with the terms and conditions laid down by the creditors for repayment.
- At Nagpur a Micro Livelihood initiative has started with the involvement of more than 4 SHG federations & marginal farmers producer's group for vegetable marketing under the banner of "from farmer's field to urban markets".
- Selu women Self Help Group Federation has initiated income generation activities through starting *garment making units with the involvement of 25 women members* after successfully completing their one month training with the financial supported by IDBI, Nagpur branch.
- In context with the concept of financial inclusion, 50 60% of the women self help group are independently able to manage micro finance through availing institutional credit from formal financial institutions and their private counterparts.
- 45 − 50% self help groups are now able to access repeated loan from banks and follow the terms under EMI (equitable monthly installment) as per the private banking/ micro finance service norms.

 As a solution for a long pending constraint in front of women SHGs in availing timely and adequate financial credit services, NIWCYD has entered in a contract with ICICI bank for extending financial services to those SHGs those who have repeated requirement for micro credit.

D3) Silai School Project, MP & CG

Date of Starting: January 2012

Supporting Agency: USHA international Ltd

Location of Project : Madhya Pradesh & Chhattisgarh Coverage : 300 Classical & 765 satellite silai schools

Objectives:

The short term as well as long term objectives of the project is as under;

- To identify and train the rural women for building their capacities around stitching & machine repairing.
- To support and facilitate the Silai school for extension of its activities at village level.
- To discuss and orient the Silai school facilitator on women empowerment issues.

Activities carried out during the year:

#	Name & brief description of the	Date & Location	Beneficiaries
	activity		covered
1	Silai School Trainings	February	20
	Khandwa (MP) & Chanpa (CG)	-	
2.	Silai School Training follow up	Monthly	765
3.	Opening of New Satellite schools	Monthly	255

Major Outcomes:

- 1. 20 New Classical schools & 255 Satellite school initiated during the reporting period.
- 2. More than 1000 Women entrepreneurs from rural & tribal pockets are linked with the Silai school program.
- 3. 5000 women & girls linked with the silai school program.

D4) Krishisamrudhi Programme (CAIM), Maharashtra CMRC

Date of Starting: January 2012

Supporting Agency: Convergence of Agriculture in Maharashtra (CAIM), Amravati

Location of Project: Buldhana and Akola districts, Maharashtra

The overall goal of the Krishisamrudhi programme is to contribute to the development of resilient production, sustainable and diversified households, on-farm and off-farm

livelihoods, allowing households to face production and market risks without falling back into poverty and distress.

The key programme purposes and objectives are;

- 1. To improve household income from diversified farming and off farm activities
- 2. To render farming system resilient with the introduction of organic and low-input contract farming.
- 3. To facilitate the involvement of farmers groups in primary processing, quality enhancement and marketing.
- 4. To empower women through micro-finance and micro-enterprises.
- 5. To achieve convergence of government programmes and resources through ATMA.

Achievements:

- 8 women federations formed and registered for management and strengthening of women SHGs
- Out of 1600 women SHGs 80 % groups are linked with banks
- 40 % SHGs members started income generation activities
- These federations handed over to MAVIM in Jan 2017

D5) Girl Child and Women Care Protection Project, MP

Date of Starting: Oct. 2009

Supporting Agency: Paul Hamlyn Foundation

Location of Project : Bhopal, Itarsi & Katni railway platforms Population Coverage : 150 Girls living on railway platforms

Objectives:

- 1. To ensure the rehabilitation of girls in need and care protection and their linkages with education.
- 2. To prepare the children to return back to home from railway platforms and JJ institutions.
- 3. To provide a safe and caring environment in JJ girl's institutions and mobilizing staff participation in processes.
- 4. To sensitize and develop the capacities of JJ institutions/CWC/Juvenile Justice Boards and railway authorities for proper rehabilitation of the children.
- 5. To build the alliance with organizations to advocate the issues in child protection.
- 6. To bridge the resource pool for development of infrastructure in institutions from government and civil society organizations.
- 7. To organize de-addiction processes with the girls on platforms.
- 8. To draw special attention on girl child and child labor for linking them with education on railway platform.
- 9. To develop a model of rehabilitation of the platform children in the State of Madhya Pradesh.
- 10. To build the capacities of girls in need of care and protection through their skill development and vocational trainings.

Activities carried out during the year:

#	Name & brief	Date & Location	Beneficiaries	Remarks
	description of the		covered	
	activity			
1	Training and	Hoshangabad,	140	
	orientation of ICPS /	Itarsi, Betul,		
	institution staff	Jabalpur &		
		Narsinghpur		
2	Establishing Child	Satna, Betul.	ICPS	Monthly meetings
	Protection	Shahdol, Harda.	functionaries	initiated with
	Committees at	Chhindwara	from the	stakeholders. SM
	Railway station		districts	convinced to use child
	-			line IEC on railway
				platform
3	Home studies &	Katni, Itarsi,	83 Home	
	Children placement	Bhopal	studies & 156	
			placement	
			before CWC	
4	World Day against	Bhopal	200 children	
	child labor			

Major Achievements:

- Manual for training of child welfare committee is developed.
- A representative group of Child welfare committee members established in the state for monitoring child protection issues locally.
- Bal Adhikar Mitra Mobilized from the respective project districts.

E. ENVIRONMENT RELATED PROJECTS

E1) Non Conventional Energy Awareness Programme

Date of Starting: Oct. 2009

Supporting Agency: Apollo Trading Co. Ltd., New Delhi

Location of Project: Khamkheda, Durganagar, Semra and Nakatia in Jabalpur District,

MP

Population Coverage: 280 families

Objectives:

- Awareness created in four villages of Jabalpur district, MP.
- Solar lamps provided to 50 families
- Training provided to youth for maintenance of solar lamps

F) OTHER ACTIVITIES

F1) Volunteer Service Program:

The organization is receiving volunteers with the support of Indo-German Cooperation (DIZ) from Germany. Four volunteers arrived in the reporting period & Two volunteers continued for the period of 6 - 9 months. The details of the volunteers are as under;

- Jonathan stayed during September 2016 March 2017
- Lieselotte lehmann stayed during September 2016 March 2017
- Valentin stayed till October 2016
- Theresa Kunkel stayed from 15 February 2017

G. INSTITUTIONAL PROCESS

- Cluster level monthly meetings
- Quarterly & six monthly meetings
- Team building
- Bridging with Government agencies like NABARD, Panchayat & Rural Deptt. Etc.
- Capacity building trainings through a team of resource persons at regular intervals
- District level trainings of staff
- Project evaluation
- Induction Workshops
- State level advocacy processes
- Media advocacy
- Capacity building of network partners
- Coordination with other networks like Right to food campaign for Issues of BPL, PDS system & ICDS
- Process documentation

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Glimpses of Activities



Farm Pond in Ghatanji, Maharashtra



Women SHG Traiing



Livelihood initiatives of women SHG members through organic vegetable cultivation



Producer to Consumer Market



Hill Millet



MLP initiative of Nari Chetna women SHG federation at Mehendwani block of Dindori (MP)



Water Conservation Structures under CLAD



Prize distribution for Drawing Competition on ORS

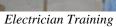


Bal Adhikar Mittra Sanmaann



Red Hand Day







Exhibition at Plant T3