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PREFACE

National Institute of Women Child and Youth Development has completed twenty six 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 2017–18 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 ecological agricultural practices
- 30 families adopted improved agricultural practices viz. line sowing, etc.
- 296 families prepared natural pesticides and used in their farms
- 56 families did soil and water conservation measures in 16 acres of their farms
- 409 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. This process continued in project area through forestry study group.
- 22 types of indigenous seeds and species collected in 14 villages of Baiga Chek area.
- 156 families conserved and increased plantation of 6 different types of edible roots and tubers. These practices are continuing in the project area.
- 60 women farmers trained as Master Trainer started providing training on ecological agriculture in project villages.
- Plantation of bamboo and Koailar done in project area.
- 40 families started using water from Hydrant for irrigation and vegetable farming.

A2) 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.

A3) 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. NIWCYD is managing this activity.
- 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.

A4) 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.
- 12 FPOs formed in Madhya Pradesh and registered under Company Act. 13,000 marginal farmers are associated with these FPOs.
- 9000 members of FPO have contributed share capital for initiation of collective marketing of agri produce.
- FPOs of Neemuch and Sajhapur have started procurement and marketing of Gram, Ujjain FPO of Soyabean and Samnapur & Dindori FPO of minor millets.

Impact :

- Farmer started seed treatment in proper manner.
- Most of the farmer started line sowing in farming method.
- Marginal farmers linked with FPOs for marketing of their farm produce.
- Turnover of each FPO is between Rs. 50 Lakhs to 100 Lakhs.
- Production has increased by 30 % due to improved agriculture practices.
- The Board of Directors are managing their activity and management of FPOs independently with technical support of NIWCYD.

A5) CAIM Sub-Project Balapur, Dist Akola, Maharashtra

- This year the project activities are completed. All activities are consolidated and infrastructure handed over to the community institutions.

A6) 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.
- The rainwater harvesting structures generated in severely drought-hit hamlet (Nimbarda) and village Anji has proved successful intervention for improving ground water level, and this year, the community has taken collective action to take up renovation efforts.
- Government department has converged schemes to further increase the water holding capacity of the structures (de – silting rivulets and generating farm bunds)
- Eighty families in the project villages have started backyard vegetable cultivation by adopting less water external input intensive methods. They have taken up making organic manure by using bio – mass and degradable waste materials.
- As the result of the successful effort of developing demonstration agriculture plot at Anaji village by women SHG members, male farmers (cash croppers) came up with their interest to take up organic agriculture by reducing market oriented chemical inputs.
- Vermi- composting is now become a household activity in all intervention areas, families start to use, waste materials for making good qualities of vermin-compost for applying in backyard vegetable garden and for main crops.
- All households had completed one cycle of backyard vegetable cultivation and groups carried out demonstration farming had conserved 10 – 15 different varieties of seeds (most of them indigenous) for the next year not only for themselves but to distribute among other household interested to take up backyard vegetable cultivation in future.
- The roof top rainwater harvesting structure developed in primary school of Pandurna has sent positive messages to households and school staff on the necessity of taking potentials of rainwater at maximum level. The school garden and waste management structure also has proven an interesting concept for children.
- Apart from 100 households, tree saplings have planted on the mud embankments of rainwater harvesting structures in village Anji & Nimbarda, which are in addition to the soak pit development and have long time objective to prevent sliding embankments during monsoon.

A7) 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 activity	Date & Location	Beneficiaries covered
1	Training on soil health & low irrigation	November & December	113
2.	Training of farmers on water budgeting	September	124
3	Water and land management work	Salaaiya, December	5 EGP

Outcome during the reporting period:

- More than 500 farmers mobilised on different aspects of resilience building in agriculture through different training programs and demonstrations.
- The farmers adopted mixed cropping pattern in their area and started land bunding in the agriculture fields.
- Two women groups linked with SRLM activities and promoted for work of Gottery.

A8) Survey and Micro-plan

Supporting Agency: Dhariwal Industries Ltd., Chandrapur

Location of Project: Chandrapur district, Maharashtra

Population Coverage: Three villages

Outcome during the reporting period:

- Micro-plan of three villages near Dhariwal Power plant, Chandrapur. The plan was submitted to the authorities for sanctioning.
- Women SHG were strengthened in three villages.

A9) Solar Lighting

Supporting Agency: Apollo Trading Co., New Delhi

Location of Project: District Mandla (MP)

Population Coverage: 300 families

Outcome during the reporting period:

- Three hundred families were provided solar lighting in four villages in Mandla district. This helped the students to extend their hours of studies.

A10) Skill Development Program

Date of Starting: Sept 2015

Supporting Agency: Crompton Greaves Power & Industrial Solutions limited.

Location of Project: Obedullaganj (Raisen)

Population Coverage:

- 15 Villages directly covered under the project
- 52 villages indirectly covered
- Population – 60445 - Household – 11767

Focus: Adolescent girls, women, youth, SC & ST families, unreached & remote villages in the area.

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:

S.N	Programs	Plan	Achievements
1.	Regular Training- Sewing & stitching -	100	113
2.	Regular Training -Beauty & wellness	50	38
3.	Advance Training -Computer work (CPCT)	50	20
4.	Technical Training- Plumbing	15	16
5.	Technical Training –Electrician & Motor Winding	20	20
6.	Micro entrepreneurship	20	08
7.	Training and Marketing Assistance		
8.	Support ITI		Gwalior

Major Outcomes:

1. 215 youths trained on different skills
2. More than 300 youths mobilized through the career counseling camps.

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 of the activity	Date & Location	Beneficiaries covered
1	Life Skill Trainings with girls	Monthly	230 girls
2.	Parents meetings	15-18 Sept	All parents
3.	Children club training and meeting	12-14 Oct	113 girls

Major Outcomes:

1. 230 girls mobilized to participate in their own development discussions through life skill trainings.
2. Children club established at 03 locations i.e Ghoradongri. Banspur & Sivanpat.

B3) CHILDLINE, Wardha, Maharashtra

Date of Starting: July 2012

Supporting Agency: Childline India Foundation, Mumbai

Location of Project: Wardha, Maharashtra

Population Coverage: Wardha City

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	64
Shelter	52
Repatriation	0
Rescue	6
Death-related	0
Sponsorship	57
II. Missing children	
Child lost	44
Parents asking help	18
III. Emotional support and Guidance	57
IV. Information	
Info & referrals to services	0
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	30
Silent	87
Blank	6
Follow up calls	315
Phone-testing calls	1509
Administrative	10
Personal	91
P.F.A	157
Sexual Abuse	2
Child Labour	17
Total	2829

B4) CHILDLINE, Mandla, Madhya Pradesh

Date of Starting: July 2013

Supporting Agency: Childline India Foundation, Mumbai

Location of Project: Mandla, Madhya Pradesh

Population Coverage: Wardha City

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	58
Shelter	50
Repatriation	
Rescue	0
Death-related	0
Sponsorship	43
II. Missing children	16
Child lost	12
Parents asking help	0
Information about Childline and Volunteer	0
III. Emotional support and Guidance	8
IV. Others	83
Total	270

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 slums	Total population	Number of families	0-6 years children	6-14 years children	Number of youths
7 slums	9809	2188	2606	3300	2828
Total schools	Number of students	Total anganwadies	Number of students	Number of youth profile	Total creches and children
12	2589	17	2589	300	3/ 87
Total child groups	Members of child groups	Total youth groups	Members of youth groups	Total women groups	Members of women groups
15	370	12	180	6	120
Number of SMCs	Members of SMCs	Number of monitoring committees	member of monitoring committees	Number of CLC	Students of CLC
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 activity	Date & Location	Beneficiaries covered
1	Children club meetings	Monthly	329 weekly meetings
2.	Parents meeting and Home visits	Monthly	24 meetings conducted
3.	ICDS Workers training on ECCE	Monthly	182 Workers trained
4.	Child learning centers	Meera Nagar & Banskhedhi	60
5.	Global Action Month	14-20 November	More than 400 children

Major Outcomes:

1. Due to awareness in community, there were 264 institutional deliveries out of total 292 deliveries.
2. 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.
3. A community monitoring system has been initiated and started to work. Women from slum area are helping in the weight mapping and immunisation process. They are also monitoring the regularity of anganwadi worker and preschool education. Government has started 3 new anganwadi centres after the continuous demand by those committees.
4. Members of bal cabinet also wrote the letters for chief minister regarding the appointment of teachers. 10 children groups, 12 child cabinets and 1 baal panchayat are active.

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. Primitive tribes in the region were benefited by the unit. Serious patients and pregnant women are taken to the nearest hospital for further treatment.

C2) Realizing WASH Rights of the Marginalized 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 – 63 (22 Gram panchayats); 8360 Baiga families, 2019 Gond families and 1080 other backward communities

Objectives :

- Provide safe and pure drinking water
- Toilet construction, use and maintenance
- Behavioural change in sanitation and hygiene

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 22 GPs of Dindori district.

Key Activities:

- Water testing – chemical & biological
- Well construction for drinking water source
- Water spring strengthening for drinking water source
- Slow sand filter plant construction
- Hand pumps repairing
- Capacity building and strengthening water management committees
- Water security plan and mapping
- Construction of toilets

Major Outcomes:

- Water testing at 114 locations – chemical & biological
- 5 wells constructed for drinking water source. 325 families are benefitted.
- 1 spring strengthened for drinking water source
- One slow sand filter plant constructed. 53 families are provided with clean drinking water.
- 34 hand pumps repaired
- Capacity building and strengthening of 22 water management committees. They have started work on water quality and management.
- Water security plan and mapping in 22 villages. The Panchayats have accepted the plans and started construction of different structures on its basis.
- Construction of 2450 toilets was done in 63 villages with SDM support.
- Behavioural change is noticed in Baiga population. They have started using toilets. 70 % population is using toilets as a result of awareness campaign.
- 10 villages are declared ODF.
- PHE department is activated and their work is regularised. They have distributed water kits.
- Observed about 80% reduction in illness from water borne diseases in all project villages.
- Toilets repaired and/or constructed in 63 primary schools and 20 middle schools.
- 300 local masons trained in construction of two pit water sealed toilets.
- Awareness created amongst 180 women for menstrual hygiene.
- 490 families constructed vermin-compost and 167 NADEP pits.

C3) Village Sanitation Project – Uttrakhand & UP

Date of Starting: 2016

Supporting Agency: HFHI, New Delhi and Jabalpur Municipal Corporation

Location of Project: Bijnore, UP; Pinder valley Bageshwar Area, US Nagar Rudrapur in UK

Coverage: Bijnore 150 families; Pinder valley Bageshwar Area – 258 families; US Nagar – 140 families

Major Outcomes:

- Household toilets constructed in Bijnore 150 families; Pinder valley Bageshwar Area – 258 families; US Nagar – 140 families
- Conducted sanitation awareness campaign and behavioural change program in all there project locations.

CASE STUDY **BIJNORE SANITAITON PROGRAMME**

National Institute of Women Child & Youth Development (NIWCYD), Nagpur has constructed the two pits water sealed toilets in Rampur Chhata Village, Block Najibabad, Dist. Bijnore of Uttar Pradesh. This project was sanctioned by the Habitat for Humanity India, New Delhi for construction of 150 Toilets.

The Rampur Chhata Village is a very remote and poorest village of Najibabad block. This village is surrounded by forest and situated on the bank of river. In this village there is no electricity supply, no approach road and no transportation facility available even after the 70 years of independence. Nearest village Chidiyapur, where such facilities are available, is about 2.5 km from Rampur Chhata. People of Rampur Chhata village use to walk to reach Chidiyapur to catch transport to reach district or taluka place for marketing or important work.

The organization initiated the Toilet construction work in December 2016. At that time the people we not ready mentally to have the toilet in their house. The Govt. of Uttar Pradesh had also constructed some toilets 2 - 3 years ago and about 50% families were covered under the scheme of Toilet construction. The poor and poorest families did not get the benefit of this scheme due to some reasons. Many people were not aware about the sanitation need and facility and also the scheme was not within their reach.

The orgnisation conducted the BCC campaign and training for the participation of people in construction of toilet and emphasise its importance. Following activities were conducted with the help of experts and resource persons –

- a. Street Play in village and schools.
- b. Separate meeting with women groups.
- c. Meeting with Panchayat and School Teachers.
- d. Awareness campaign

The organization started the construction work from 15th December, 2016 and completed the work on 30th April, 2017 successfully with full co-operation and

participation of beneficiaries. After completion of the project, joint team of NIWCYD & HFHI visited Rampur Chhata Village and interacted with the beneficiaries. The feedback of beneficiaries was that they are using the toilet on regular basis and satisfied with toilet facility and they are also feeling proud of their own toilet.



Satish Dharmveer with his family



Harpal Sukhlal with his family

C4) Elimination of Mosquito Born Endemic Diseases (EMBED)

Date of Starting: February 2017

Supporting Agency: Family Health India

Location of Project: Dindori

Population Coverage: Intensive villages – 239, Non Intensive Villages – 960

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 activity	Date & Location	Beneficiaries covered
1	Village Chaupal	Monthly	300
2	Malaria awareness van	June and October	7 blocks
3	Children awareness program	December	200 children

Major Outcomes :

1. More than 200 volunteers mobilized on issue of malaria and dengue
2. District functionaries mobilized to handle the cases of malaria effectively
3. Behavior changed to address the issues at local level.

C5) Promoting WASH Compliant Ashramshala in Maharashtra

Supporting Agencies : A CSR Initiative of National Stock Exchange in collaboration with Tribal Development Department & Technical Support from UNICEF & Aided by WaterAid, India

Location of Project: Nandurbar

Population Coverage: 14 Ashram Schools

Objectives:

1. Introduction with School teacher.
2. Introducing importance of groups & their work.
3. With the help of Cabinet groups awareness about cleanness and Hygiene in students.
4. Preparation discipline Chart related to cleaning & good hygiene practices within school.
5. With the help of Child cabinet trying to change students Behaviour by observing & motivating them.
6. Building ownership of students with WASH Infrastructure.
7. By changing behavior of students bringing good habits of cleanness in them.
8. Awareness of cleanness & Self hygiene in students through games, Stories & Songs.
9. Help to nominate & Make for Adarsh Ashramshala.

Activities

- BCC Activities
- World Toilet Day Celebration
- Global Hand Wash Day
- World Water Day Celebration
- Street play
- Drama Presentation: (Hygiene the Way of Life)
- Formation of Adolescent girl group MHM in each AS
- Session Taken By Child Cabinet
- Session Taken By Adolescent Girls Group
- Regular Meeting on MHM with Female teacher
- Child Cabinet start Monitoring of Hand washing in the School
- Non teaching Staff Trained on Wash
- Teacher Training on Wash and Monitoring
- Strengthening of water And Sanitation O & M system in phase-1
- Water Testing
- Infrastructure in Ashram Schools - Drinking Water Stations - 14, Hand Wash Stations - 14, Compost Pit - 4, Soak Pit - 2, Cloth Wash Station - 2

Overall impact of this phase of the project is that sanitation infrastructure is developed in 14 ashram schools and students are made aware of the importance and hygiene and sanitation through behavioural change activities.

C6) Participatory Learning Action Program (PLA), Dindori, Madhya Pradesh

Supporting Agency : Health Department, MP

Location of Project: 304 villages – 190 villages in Dindori Block and 114 villages in Samnapur Block, MP

Population Coverage: 304 villages

Objectives:

- Reducing child and maternal mortality rate

Activity :

- Selection of 304 health workers (*Sehat Sakhi*)
- Training of Sehat Sakhi & ASHA workers – Four
- Awareness of pregnant women

Major Outcomes :

1. Registration of pregnant women started in health center and with Asha worker.
2. Pre-natal health check-up increased
3. Institutional deliveries increased

4. Awareness on family planning increased

D) WOMEN

D1) 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 activity period, 60% of the groups had access to continuous credit support from Banking Institutions significant among the creditors is ICICI bank.

- Federations of 2 locations of Yeotmal, and 1 location at Akola have a number of achievements in improving agriculture production, and technological integration by creating various replicable and models having potential for scaling up.
- One out of two federations of Wardha district (Selu) has successfully implemented income generation activity (fabric making) with the support of SIDBI for group members.
- Two federations of Nagpur district achieved the credit of joining hands with federations of marginal farmers in marketing their agriculture and value added products in Nagpur urban settlements under the banner “from farmer’s field to urban markets”.
- Two federations of Nagpur district had covered in “ESakti” programme of NABARD by digitalizing their entire progress data.
- ICICI credit linkage services had positively influenced the group and as the result; groups had easy and regular financial access and follow the bank rules in repayment.

D2) 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 activity	Date & Location	Beneficiaries covered
1	Silai School Trainings at Bhopal, Betul, Burhanpur, Raipur	16 December 2017 to 17 March 2018	40
2.	Silai School Training follow up	Monthly	1314
3.	Opening of New Satellite schools	Monthly	89

Major Outcomes:

1. 40 New Classical schools & 89 Satellite school initiated during the reporting period.
2. More than 1300 Women entrepreneurs from rural & tribal pockets are linked with the Silai school program.
3. 6000 women & girls linked with the silai school program.

D3) Girl Child 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

Consolidation of the Work : The project was started in 2009 with the objective of supporting the children moving on and around the railway tracks of Madhya Pradesh. The year 2018 invested to consolidate the journey of the program during the period of 2009 to 2018. IEC and learning material developed and shared among different stakeholders. The consolidated report of the project is also developed including finalization of the CWC module focusing on the railway platform children.

D4) eShakti Programme (SHG Digitalization)

This project was implemented in Umred and Saoner talukas of Nagpur district with support from NABARD. Records of 350 SHG was digitalized which included bank transactions, bank linkages, members profile, etc. 400 key women SHG members were provided training on digital and financial literacy.

D5) Skill Development of Urban Poor Women for Self Employment

This project was conducted in Nagpur with support from SIDBI. 20 women were trained in agri-business and processing. Basic equipments were provided to support their units.

E) OTHER ACTIVITIES

E1) Volunteer Service Program

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

1. Theresa Kunkel stayed from 15 February 2017
2. Kim Doraleffke stayed from April 2017

E2) Digital Divide Programme – Bhopal & Dindori, MP

Digital online services provided to people in Bhopal and Dindori in Madhya Pradesh. Support was provided by Vikas Samvaad, Bhopal. 150 youths were trained.

F. 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

G. PARTNER ORGANIZATIONS

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- DIZ Germany
- Indo German Social Service Society, New Delhi
- Water Aid India, New Delhi (Jal Sewa Charitable Foundation)
- Habitat for Humanity India
- Usha International, New Delhi
- Childline India Foundation, Mumbai
- Apollo Trading Co. Ltd., New Delhi
- Dhariwal Industries Ltd., Chandrapur
- Forbes Marshall Foundation, Pune
- Crompton Greaves, Ltd, Mumbai
- Nagar Nigam Jabalpur, MP
- Health Department, Dindori, MP
- SIDBI, Nagpur
- NABARD, Pune
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Glimpses of Activities



Vegetable farming, Baiga Chak



Line sowing in Paddy field, Baiga Chak



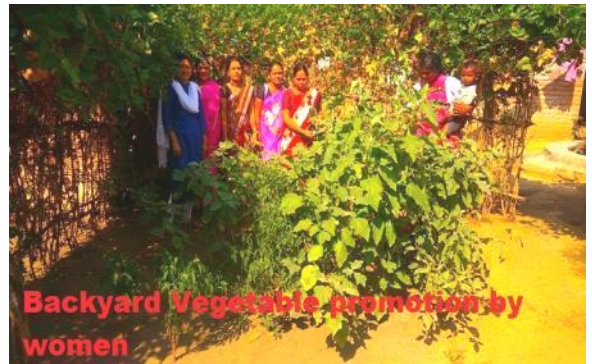
Vermi-compost



Saplings for Plantation



Farm Pond, Ghatanji



Vegetable Garden, Ghatanji



Chreche



Chat with Children



Red Hand Day Celebration, 14 Feb 2018



Promoting Women in Sports



*Hand Wash Station at
Vadfali Ashram School, Dist. Nandurbar*



*Global Hand Wash Day,
Mandavi Ashram School, Dist. Nandurbar*



Play time with Children



Sports & Fun with Children