REASONS FOR EFFORT NEEDED.

Children and young people with disabilities are not accepted and integrated into children's and youth activities or into routine house hold activities

Neeraj is a special child (Mental disabled). He is eldest among his 3 siblings; father is a daily wage labor and mother is a works as domestic help. When Neeraj, first time came to attend the children group meeting he was neither in very good state neither could he speak clearly. When cluster coordinator discussed with his family she came to know that Neeraj was a mentally challenged child b birth and need assistance in his basic daily activities. His mother was informed regarding the especially able person rights and govt. schemes.

Support provided

Field team met Neeraj's mother and informed her and asked to her visit District Hospital for Neeraj's checkup so that his documents and certificates can be ensured but she refused because of lack of time from work. She was further informed of govt facilities and pension schemes and education facilities, scholarship, and then his mother agreed and was supported for getting Adhaar Card. After the Aadhar card was read, family was supported for Samagra ID card and then Neeraj was taken to District hospital and health checkup at Samarpan center and his disability certificate was ensured and received. He was given admission in the govt. primary school and also has his UDID card.

Neeraj is actively participating in children group meetings and is interested colors' and drawing,. He now adopted hgiene and basic habits and happily responds and greets ever one, other children in the group also involve Neeraj in games and other group activites. His younger brothers have also started attending the meeting. His mother and fail were not aware of the facilities and were concerned for his future Continuous follow-up and coordination is given to Neeraj his family by CPC and children's group.