

Rasikashraya Sanskrutik Kala Va Bahuuddeshiya Sanstha, Ghatanji

Mission

To undertake integrated development of poor rural communities involving women, child, youth, farmers & especially the disables by drawing suitable programmes covering social, cultural, educational, & human development aspects

Benefici-**Programme** Supporters Villages aries CBR Forum, Bengluru through Community based Rehabilitation 30 355 Caritas India 105 Family counseling and guidance Maharashtra State Social Welfare 109 Board, Mumbai NHM and Sathi, Pune 35 0 Community based management proiect Women empowerment programme NAAM Foundation 20 204 NAAM Foundation, Dilasa San-09 187 Water Conservation Activities (Rain stha through Caring Friends Water Harvesting) Mumbai and District Administration, Yavatmal

Rasikashray has formed 54 SHG's in Ghatanji Block in last 15 years and now supporting these groups in terms of their social and economic empowerment. In order to have women's active participation in social activities sixty of the selected SHG members were imparted leadership training.

Village protection committees have been formed in nine villages through which sanitation, health, water scarcity and de-addiction activities are performed. The women undergone training have submitted different problems and issues of village for consideration in Gram Sabha. Women in Jodmoha village succeeded in installation of water tank. Women in Mowada village succeeded in bringing regularity in running PHC and overcoming problem of sanitation with support of village youths.

"Gujgoshti" Workshop for adolescents

Women empowerment programme

Summary

Attaining puberty is the important stage of development in life of each and every male and females. Many mental and physical changes take place at this stage. Although these all are natural but, it begets many problems and doubts in minds of persons passing through adolescence. Inclusion of subject on sexual health in syllabus of school/ college is the need of the day. In order to seek gratification especially on the doubts, hidden problems and health issues of adolescents workshops were organized in five schools namely Yerandgaon, Parva, Mowada, Shiroli and Ghatanji as part of small effort by the organization in which 715 girls had participated. Objectives of workshop:

- To bring up change in perspective of adolescents with regard to sexuality
- Providing scientific knowledge about puberty and identification of own body
- To impart about care to be taken while occurring physical change especially diet
- Mental preparedness about to be a woman in future
- To impart knowledge concerning menstruation, sexual attraction, diseases spreading through unsafe intercourse





Immediate financial support to a tune of Rs. 15000/- each was provided to widows of deceased farmers and the farmers affected with poison while spraying insecticides in farms. Total 39 such families were covered from the district under this support for raising their moral and enabling them initiate income generation activities for supporting the family.



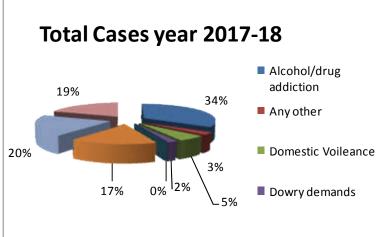
Activity of nutritional kitchen Garden

Nutritional kitchen garden programme was run through 93 women from 13 villages of block. The women were provided with seeds of Lady's finger, Chavali, Cucumber, Guar, Brinjal, Chili, Tomato, Spinach, Shepoo, Choulai etc. The HB test of women participated in this programme was conducted at the start of programme.

Family counseling and guidance centre

Brought about reconciliation in 27 families
Three of the cases have been submitted in the court
registering under Domestic Violence Act and
Ten of the cases have been referred to Women
Chamber, Police Station

Awareness programmes were conducted in 12 villages on various issues and problems of women in which 203 women have participated.

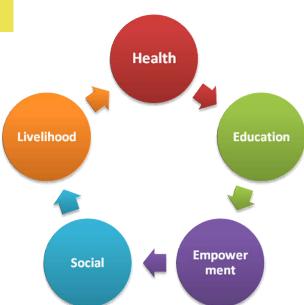




Community based rehabilitation project

The project is being run for 355 PwD's in 30 (23 GP) villages of Ghatanji block under support of CBR Forum, Bengaluru for working on issues of health, education, livelihood, socialization, Empowerment and advocacy. Following are the outcomes of the project in last six years









Community Based Management (CBM) project

Community based monitoring is the monitoring of people over health services rendered by health department. This project has been implemented in 35 villages under sphere of 4 PHC's with an objective of people should get 24 hours free health services from health department

Activities carried out under this programme are formation of WhatsApp group, formation and strengthening of various committees in village, organization of health tour in the village, collection of information about health facilities in the village and organization of public commune in the village.

The outcomes of Public commune, Public opinion test and follow up meetings were: Necessary vaccines have been made available in PHC's, necessary medicines have been made available in PHC's, the cleanliness is maintained in PHC's regular immunization is done in the villages, drinking water facility is available in PHC's, fans have been procured and installed in Parva PHC.

Monitoring of village health facilities by the community has made tremendous change in service delivery of PHC. Continued follow up by way of meetings is the best tool for keeping close watch on PHC's work



Water Conservation work

Agriculture in Vidarbha is mostly rain-fed and whatever rain occurs, that is uneven and scanty. The rainwater fallen on earth travels unchecked to small drains, drains to Nalas, Nalas to river and river to sea. In order to stop and conserve water systematically, Rasikashraya has decided to create suitable structures in the basin of rivulets for harvesting rain water abundantly with the support of NAAM Foundation. De-siltation of tanks is also important for creating capacity of water storage of the tank. This could cater drinking water need and remaining can be used for irrigation purpose. Simultaneously, the wells nearby these structures will get recharged and more area could be brought under irrigation.

De-siltation of tanks:

De-siltation of three tanks was carried out in Ghatanji, Kalamb and Ner blocks up to 31st march, 2018. The tanks de-silted were percolation tank, irrigation tank and Malgujari tank. Total 25079 Cum of silt was removed and transported through tractors to the farms. Total 9008 trolleys of silt was spread in 134 acres of land of 108 farmers making the soil fertile.

S. No.	Name of	Block	No of trac-	Availability			Silt spread in No. of benefi-		
	village		tor trolleys of silt	of water in TCM	W	BW	HP	acres of faild	ciaries
1	Pathrad Gole	Ner	2916	8.3	0	0	0	89	59
2	Jodmoha	Kalamb	1927	5.3	4	2	1	15	26
3	Sonkhas	Kalamb	4165	11.4	3	-	-	30	23
			9008	25	7	2	1	134	108

Total 5.3 Km of Nala deepening and widening work has been carried out in Ramnagar, Pardi, Raysa, Mathani and Dabhadi villages in Ghatanji and Arni Talukas of Yavatmal district. Water level of nearby 50 wells will definitely enhance through which 79 farmers will get benefit of irrigation.

SN	Name of village	Total Length of work in Km	Enhanced water storage capacity in Tcm	No of wells bore wells to be recharged	Land to be brought under irrigation in acres	No of farmers to be benefit- ted
1	Waghadi River, Ghatanji	2.300	-	0	0	-
2	Ramnagar	1.350	-	14	78	17
3	Pardi	0.600	-	9	24	4
4	Matahni	0.550	-	4	43	4
5	Raysa	0.800	-	7	42	7
6	Dabhadi, Arni	2.000	15.48	16	283	47
			15.48	50	470	79





Street play programme

Street play programmes were organized for different departments and organizations on their requirements

Subjects of street play programmes	Department/ organization	No. of programmes
Digital literacy and sanitation	BAIF	04
Soil conservation for food safety- rehabilitation programme	BAIF	16
Community development programme under <i>Parivrtan</i>	Agriculture development and Village training centre organization, Buldhana	10
Swacch Bharat Mission	Z.P. Yavatmal	114
Quality cotton production	Spectrum International, Wardha	25
Cashless transactions	Moil Foundation, Nagpur	10
Alert, awareness week		10
Swacch Bharat Mission		18
	Total	207