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AABAHANA**

Malyabanta, At/Po- NACHUNI, Khordha, Odisha, India, PIN-752034

ACTIVITIES

1. TI Project on HIV/AIDS:

We are running TI project at Industrial sites of Meramandali Industrial area of Dhenkanal dist. for migrant laborers funded by Orissa State Aids Control Society(OSACS), Govt. of Odisha(indirect sponsorship of NACO, New Delhi.) We are running this programme since 2009 very successfully. For 3 times we were the highest scorer in Odisha among the migrant TI partners of OSACS, evaluated by external evaluators, deputed by NACO. This year we provided service to 10,545 number of active population against the target 10,000 and our cumulative figure of migrants since 2009, who got services from us till date is 38,258. This year we tested 3,642 number of blood samples through referral and CBST. We detected 2 no.s of HIV patients in this year 2018-19 and cumulative figure of HIV patients since 2009 is 24, out of which 10 PLHIV are getting ART treatment, 7 PLHIV migrated and recorded death cases of 7 PLHIV. We provided services to PLHIV & sent them to ART centre. We organized 24 mid-media activities, 141 health camps(685 Hours), 8 congregation events, 24 demand generation programme, 33 advocacy meetings and distributed awareness leaflets, displayed highly educative awareness flex banners by our own cost .We socially marketed 20,700 no.s of condoms & also marketed medicines socially among migrant laborers and successfully we fulfilled almost all the targets fixed by NACO. We celebrated WORLD AIDS DAY with Dist. health administration and dist. Administration of Dhenkanal dist. as the major organizing partner. Our team participated actively to implement HIV programmes in TATA Steel BSL, BRG Iron & Steel, Naba Bharat Ventures Ltd. , Rungta Steels and Mines and in the peripheral villages of these industries .

2. Skill Development Programme for youth & women:

In our skill development centre present at village Gamai we trained 3450 youths & women and arranged placement facility for them. This training was conducted by us in a no profit no loss manner by including 30 trainees per batch, total 115 trainings and duration of skill development training programme is 60 days each. AABAHANA is running a demonstration farm at Hatabaradi for promotion of fish farming, freshwater prawn culture, culture of Milk fish, crab fattening & Gray Mullet culture. During 2018-19 we gave training to 71 nos. of fish farmers of village Nairi & Baulabandha of Khordha district . Techniques brought forward from RGCA(Rajiv Gandhi Centre for Aquaculture, Thirumulaivasal), CIBA(Central Institute of Brakish water Aquaculture, Chennai), CIFA(Central Institute of Fresh water Aquaculture, Kausalyaganga) for non conventional aquaculture.

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Ministry of Food Processing Industries, Govt. of India sponsored only machineries to set up Food Processing Training Centre(FPTC) at Gamai. Now we are running the centre very successfully. We gave food processing training to 104 members of women SHGs.

3. Integrated Rehabilitation Centre for Addicts(IRCA), Sankarakhol, Dist.- Kandhamal ,supported by MoSJ&E and IRCA, Angul & Bolangir dist.:

It is well documented the ill effects of drug & alcohol abuse, especially in an interior, tribal & Maoist dominated district like Kandhamal and industrial district like Angul. Heavy work load, struggle for existence, frustrated social lives due to treacherous law and order situation & multiple Maoist attacks, poverty and hunger are the main causes of drug addiction. Now this Kandhamal district is declared as Red-corridor of Maoists by Odisha police. Thousands of people of this district are addicted to drugs and alcohol resulting in poor health, mental and psychological disorder and often broken families. We undertook Integrated rehabilitation centre for addicts(IRCA) programme for de addiction at Sankarakhol of **Kandhamal district** and also at Budhapank of Angul district as the main mission of AABAHANA.

In the F.Y.-2017-18, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India has started supporting our IRCA Programme run at Kandhamal district. Now this is an ongoing programme of MoSJ&E. We selected Sankarakhol for establishment of our IRCA Centre because it is only 22Kms far from district head quarter, Phulbani. One PHC is present at Gumagarh and it is only 5 Kms far from our centre. Another Community Health Centre(CHC), Khajuripada is only 20 Kms far from our centre. This khajuripada Govt. hospital is well equipped with all emergency life and health support facilities. Phulbani Dist. Head quarter Hospital is 22 Kms far from our centre. Our centre and campus immediately approaches to the Berhampur-Bolangir state High way. Our IRCA centre is present at road side. Our centre is well equipped with some emergency life support instruments. We are running this centre since long. The cumulative figure of de-addicted persons are 540 in number and this year in F.Y.2018-19, we de-addicted 180 number of persons and given proper counseling and treatment to addicts. Out of 180, relapse cases are 31. 149 new addicts were de-addicted. This year we organized 240 group counseling, 1373 individual counseling, 737 family counseling in our IRCA. In follow-up action we sent letter to 373 ex-addicts, contacted 205 ex-addicts and 146 ex-addicts of our centre are maintaining drug free life as recorded by our IRCA. Majority of them are tribal people. In our centre we de-addicted persons in an innovative treatment system. Mainly yelopathic treatment is given, but for better effectiveness we administered anti intoxicant Homeopathic medicine. For body purification and Liver activation Ayurvedic medicine is also given. For psychological boosting we added meditation with yoga. Travelling cost of addicts also boarn by us.

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We also organized several anti drug awareness programmes for Early Adolescents & for community in many tribal villages of Anugul & Kandhamal district. We organized awareness public meetings in presence of DSSO, Kandhamal at Sankarakhol previously. We took part in celebration of International Drug de-addiction & Trafickking day with district administration of Kandhamal district.

We are also running an Integrated Rehabilitation centre for Addicts(IRCA) at Chhendipada of Angul district and at Bolangir of Bolangir district since long. This year we de-addicted many addicts and organized several anti drug awareness meetings in our centre. By our highly educative study materials we made aware to the addicts about the ill effect of intoxicants.

4. Sensitization & Survey of Cane & Bamboo Craft artisans under AHVY scheme of

DC(Handicrafts), Ministry of Textile, Govt. of India:

This year the cluster programme(SC) for Bamboo & Cane craft started implementing under Baba Saheb Ambedkar Hasta Kala Vikash Yojna(AHVY) Scheme of DC(Handicrafts), Ministry of Textile, Govt. of India. Survey of Cane & Bamboo craft artisans was conducted by us and a list of 541 numbers of artisans was submitted before DC(Handicrafts). This year we conducted sensitization programme for the Cane & Bamboo craft artisans belong to Dalit community(SC) for better implementation of the cluster in the villages like Soran, Biribadi, Ayatapur, Harichandanpur, Nairi, Kanheipur, Ankula, Ghasadiha, Hantuad, Goradajhari, Dinabandhupur etc. by taking 541 Scheduled Caste(SC) artisans. We finished final survey of artisans .Formed 32 numbers of SHGs. Organized Large Group Discussion by taking all 541 artisans . Mr.Ajay Panigrahi, DC(H) presided over the meeting. The BDO, Forest Range officer, Journalists and many others were the invitee guests. We also organized Focus group discussion, Entrepreneurship Development Programme(EDP) by taking our artisans. We prepared data base of 541 artisans and distributed them Artisan Pehechan card provided by Development Commissioner(Handicrafts).

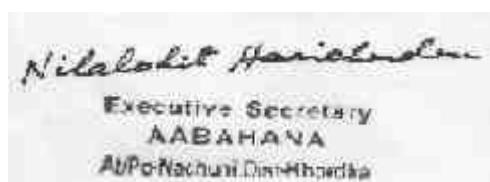
5. Training of Bamboo Artisans under Design & Technological Development Workshop scheme of

DC(Handicrafts), Ministry of Textile, Govt. of India:

This year we trained 30 numbers of Bamboo artisans belong to Dalit community of Halanda village of Banpur Block area for technological up gradation and helped them for marketing of their product. We trained them to produce handicraft products according to market demand. We conducted marketing research and made them skilled with technological up gradation. Designer Deepak Rajak carried out the programme. He conducted 35 days of marketing research and 25 days of training for technological upgradation by taking 30 artisans and 1 craft person.

6. Women Economic Empowerment SFURTI Programme of KVIC, MSME, Govt. of India:

SFURTI programme for Women food processing artisans is being run by taking women artisans from the villages like Sundarpur Colony, Kanheipur, Binjhala, Chintamanipur, Gamai, Moramori(Majhi & Dalit sahi), Nachuni, Nairi .



This type of mega programme is being implemented by us after construction of CFC at a central point at village Gamai, under SFURTI scheme with sponsorship of KVIC, Ministry of Micro, Small & Medium Enterprise(MSME), Govt. of India to empower female artisans. Now this unit is fully functional. By forming a producer company in the brand name of AABNA our products produced at our CFC by our female artisans reached successfully at the market. The innovative products fetched good market demand. So we are now planning to enhance the production of these innovative products like Jack Fruit Pickle, Chatpata Nimbu Pani, Zinger-Honey Juice etc..

We also empowered farmers. We procured raw material when high production and distress sale goes on. During this time we give them market price and after sale of our processed product we also give some of the percentage of profit to the farmers.

7. Indigenous people and Mitigation of Climate Change Impact: We organized training camps at our Sankarakhol centre by taking the tribal farmers of Gumagarh, Sitajada and Adabadi of Kandhamal district, a tribal & interior district to adopt better scientific and organic Termeric cultivation & organic paste controlling practices. In this training programme Prof. Dr. Nihar Ranjan Sahu, Professor, OUAT and Prof. Dr. Trinath Maharana, Retd. Professor, OUAT joined as resource persons. These species of Indigenous Termeric is cultivated by Tribal people of this area traditionally sine thousand years. These species are highly drought, natural calamities and disease registrant, cultivated in Kandhamal district. But, today this culture is declining. So reintroducing this species to mitigate climate change impact and to apply scientific process to get better yield was our target. We gave training to 345 numbers of Tribal farmers of this area and also helped them to establish demonstration farms. We also made awareness to plant more and more number of Jack fruit trees in this area, as it is highly resistant to climate change impact. We also gave bye back guarantee to the tribal people of these villages for procuring of Jack Fruit for our Food Processing Unit. We procured tamarind from this area for our food processing unit and trained the tribal farmers about the low cost process to preserve it and to remove the seed.

8. Old Age Home for Women: In this modern era most of the elderly parents are discarded by their children during old age. This is a social problem. So those elderly discarded by their family need care and support. This problem is more acute in an Industrial district like Angul. Therefore we are running one 50 Bedded Old Age Home for Women in **Angul district**, an uncovered district. We also managing another 50 bedded Old Age Home for Women in Khordha district.

9. Womens Equality Empowerment & Leadership: We organized training camps and action oriented activities at village Hatabaradi on gender equality and womens equality empowerment. We gave the leadership training to 109 nos. of women from Ghadai sahi & Behera sahi of village Hatabaradi.



10. Wash Advocacy & CLTS:

We organized awareness meetings on washing of hand before taking food in Nachuni Godavarish High School, Nachuni and Integral School, Nachuni(Badapadar Mouza). We made aware to 1100 school students on wash advocacy.

11. Legal Awareness for Women & Right:

This year we organized legal awareness camp on prevention of domestic violence, sexual exploitation and trafficking of women and adolescent girls at village Godijhar & Ghasadiha of Khordha district. We made aware to the women about their rights and presence of legal protection for them. We invited Lawyers and Journalists as resource persons.

12. Prevention of Malaria and “Stop of TB” Programme.:

We organized training camps and action oriented activities at village Nairi on gender equality and women's equality empowerment. We gave the leadership training to the women folk of Dalit Sahi and Behera sahi of village Nairi.

13. Sexual & Reproductive Health & Right(SRHR): Education on sexual and reproductive health, sexual hygiene, condom promotion and prevention of sexual diseases-HIV/AIDS etc. was conducted at Banpur Godavarish Mahavidyalaya, Banpur by taking 400 nos. of youths.

14. Nutrition, School Health and MHM: We organized training camps for women of village Haripur about preparation and serving of healthy nutritious food to Kids and school going boys and girls. We made aware to the school children to wash hand before going for food and to drink only filtered water at Haripur UGME school & Haripur High school. We organized one group discussion cum awareness programme at village Haripur by taking adolescent girls on Menstrual Health management(MHM) and Hygiene.

15. Youth 21st Century Education & Knowladge Economy:

Present education system is going to be changed completely. After a thorough reformation, experimentation and evolution this type of education is about to come on effect to prove itself the most effective learning system. The 21st Century education system is IT based. This type of education system is under experimentation by AABAHANA. In this system Global knowledge hub is dragged to the class room in a very systematic way. During teaching one knowledge bank is created on a particular topic for further discussion and self learning among the students, guided by an instructor or a teacher. This type of education system was introduced and initiated by AABAHANA in Balugaon College, Balugaon among 306 numbers of students.

16. Conservation of Endangered Species:

We have undertaken many research activities and awareness regarding the conservation of endangered species. We have undertaken such activities at Chandipur coast of Balasore district for conservation of **Horse Shoe crab**. We created awareness among the Fishermen and the Tourists of lake Chilika by street corner meeting, distribution of leaf lets and movement of awareness vehicle for conservation of **Irrawaddy Dolphin** at Balugaon, Nairi & Hatabaradi Jetti .



17. Workshop on climate change Impact:

We organized a workshop regarding “Climate change and its impact on Bio-diversity and environment of lake Chilika” at Balugaon Collage, Balugaon. Prof. Dr. Kasturi Samantaray joined as resource person cum facilitator in the work shop. This work shop was a one day event organized on the date 26th December, 2018.

18. Wet land management , Disaster Mitigation & waste management:

AABAHANA organized training programmes on preparation of vermicompost & Hand made paper from Chilikan weeds, soil conservation around Chilika and to use low or nil cost Chilika weed to feed the grass carps in culture ponds. Weed and water plants are very dangerous to the environment of lake Chilika. Training programme on Vermicompost was organized at village Balia. Prawn head is the byproduct of prawn processing industries and greatest pollutant for lake Chilika at Kalupada. We organized a training programme for the Fishermen community at Soran & Kalupada to use prawn head as poultry & duck feed, fish feed and manure. AABAHANA is working for better land and water management with community participation. All these type of activities is meant to save the Wet land ecosystem of lake Chilika(The biggest estuary of Asia.) directly and indirectly.

The people should be made aware on their capacity and understanding on these crucial aspects of meteorological devastations & devastations faced by the people residing in and around lake Chilika. Devastations created by climate change, better preparedness to face any forthcoming meteorological devastations, relief, rescue, and rehabilitation through community participation. We conducted training programmes disaster mitigation at Amaroli & Balia of Khordha doistrict.

We conducted training programme on prevention of soil erosion, watershed management, rainwater harvesting, drinking water and allied programmes at R.Nuagan village of Kandhamal dist.

19. Mobile Medicare Unit: Mobile Medicare unit for older persons is controlled from Sankarakhol of Kandhamal district and provides health support in the interior villages of Kalandapada, Luising, Rupagaon & Gochhapada tribal area.

Another Mobile Medicare unit for older persons is controlled from Nachuni of Khordha district and provides health support in the interior villages of Niladriprasad & Damiabarabara tribal area.

20. Yoga, Physical education, Eco-tourism & adventure sports:

Eco-tourism & adventure sports including forest trekking, mountaineering, water sports & paragliding etc. being having wider scope in Chilika Lake & hills etc. AABAHANA initiated such programmes at Kalijai & Kankad sikhari island .Yoga training and physical education training was given at village Soran.

21. Youth Engagement & Cultural Diversity :

The Indian culture is diversified. Many cultural heritages, cultural practices, cultural traditions, tribal cultures are at the verge of extinction. We involved youth to rejuvenate & reconstruct the old cultural traditions and cultural shows. This also generated income for youths and became the source of enjoyment for rural youths and village people.

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Such type of activities was conducted at Bastar district of Chhatishgarh, Chabispraganas district of West Bengal and in Sundargarh district of Odisha. We engaged 142 nos. of rural tribal youths in this programme.

22. Traditional Cultural Programme: Our traditional Danda Nata & Ramlila cultural troop of Sunakhala and Badapadar performed their programme at Santiniketan of West Bengal. We also conducted programmes of our troop in Ganjam, Angul and Kandhamal district for cultural awareness and for preservation of our ancient drama and dance.

23. Celebration of days:

The Society observed days of importance with participation of youths. This year the days observed by our Society includes **World Wet land day & National Fish Farmer's Day** at our Hatabaradi fish farmer's training centre. We also observed Mother's Day, World Health day, World Environment Day, World Population Day, World Literacy Day, World Tourism Day, Republic Day, Independence Day at head office present at Nachuni and we also observed World AIDS day on 1st December,2017 at Dhenkanal town with district administration and other NGOs.

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