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From the Desk of the Director

Now we are in a social crisis, throughout the world disharmony, non acceptance to the others. Women are the most victims of politics, terrorism and unethical racial conflicts. We have been working with a great view to establish an integration, equality, and self respect among all the people irrespective of caste, color and creed. The people for those, we are dedicated to serve at our best with a limited resources are always grateful to them. Once the dream comes true when the people able to think properly what to do? How to do? to make them a better people in the view of equality, justice and empowerment. Considering the only view, we are human, everyone have to achieve the humanity.

The vulnerable women and children get their justice through establishing their life and living with social and economical respect as part of the human society without class, without gender. We appeal to all that we are all the human, everyone have to achieve the humanity.

As part of the greater society we are the people of earth then we are the people of a particular state. We welcome to all the people those who are thinking globally but act locally. The omnipotent makes us able to overcome the problems whatever faced individually or globally.

We thank to all the people of those who are our partners, Govt.Institutions and last but not the least our financial and technical supporters.

Best wishes

Soma Bhowmick.

Director, SPMUS.
**Vision:**
To develop credibility of women folk and children to meet the socio economic vulnerability, ensuring health, social economical and educational environment.

**Mission:**
To facilitate and enhance effective participation of the women and children and rural and urban area to fight against vulnerability through education, information dissemination, advocacy, networking, capacity building, research, care, support and treatment service by involving civil Society Organization (CSO).

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**Prevention of human trafficking in source areas with the involvement of adolescent groups and community adults.**

**Objective:**- Creation of safe communities for children with a focus on children in dangerous or difficult situations and environments.

**Target audience:**- Children imperiled by their exposure or vulnerability to isolation, neglect, violence, hazardous or exploitative work, early marriage, juvenile offending, trafficking and abuse.

**Goal:**- Enable safe communities where children, adults and governments work together to prevent and respond to the harm that these children face.
PACT, SHAKTI AND CHAURAHA

PACT (Parent adult children against trafficking):

- The aim of the program is to mobilize and involve community adults to create a safe community for children.
- Adults get involved in strengthening child protection mechanisms, and capacity building of parents and adults in the community is pivotal.
- Through PACT, we hope that they will come to recognize and identify signs of isolation, understand its consequences (risk of being trafficked, early marriage, abuse, etc.) and make linkages to services in the community to address this isolation and vulnerability.
**SHAKTI:** (Program among adolescent girls)

- Find the Shakti girls.
- Identify their strengths and abilities.
- Connect to care givers and peers.
- Dare to dream and make plans for the future.
- Acquire negotiation skills to stay in institutions, dealing with adjustment issues.
- Work towards financial independence and jobs.
- Know about their rights.

**Chauraha:** (Program among adolescent boys)

- Find the chouraha boys.
- Connect to care givers and peers.
- Giving information about different social problems related to boys.
- Giving knowledge about Juvenile justice act.
Life skills education with special emphasis on family adjustment, unrest, chemical dependency etc.
Know about their rights.

Family Strengthening Program
(A sustainable model)
An initiative of Suprava Panchashila Mahila Uddyog Samity (SPMUS)
Intervention area: Domkal, Jalangi Raninagar-I & Raninagar-II under Murshidabad District, West Bengal, India.
Households: 900; Children: 3195 (Girls - 1785, Boys - 1410)

Data points used for action (Collected through mobile application)
High financial insecurity along with absence of essential documents and child labour.
Children at high risk of trafficking without child identity documents and Absence of adult supervision.
Children not attending school
- No access to police in an area with high child harms statistics.
- Risk of child marriage
- Top three child protection concerns by 1968 community women are:
  - no schooling drop outs
  - child labour
  - child marriage.

Strategy for intervention:
- Formation of Child Protection Volunteers (CPVs).
- Formation of adolescent girls group (8-18 years) named “SHAKTI”
- Formation of adolescent boys group (12-18 years) named “Chouraha”
- Formation of mother’s group to combat social evils like human trafficking, Child marriage & Bonded Labour.
- Collecting of Family data through mobile application.
- Building of ‘strengthen Family’ with in community.
- Formation and functioning of vigilance committees.

Action points:
- Financial planning for 1300 families and increased access to relevant schemes using a multi prolonged strategy.
- Scheme linkages.
- Ensure police access and approachability
- Life skill education
- Community mapping
- Peer counseling
- Organizing circle meeting with the involvement of major stakeholders
- Advocacy, Referral & Linkages.

**Impact:**
- Increased access to option in times of financial crisis/vulnerability for 1300 households to ensure safety and reduced dependence on child labour.
- 100% eligible households possess or have applied for at least one essential document increasing their access to schemes.
- Increase in child safety through 50% decrease in number of children left unsupervised.
Police and community leaders possess a map of unsafe community spaces.

- At least one school management committee activated in each hotspot.
- At least 5 multi stake holder community meetings held on identifying solutions for schooling related issue.
- Increase in police patrolling of unsafe locations within the community.
- Increase in formal and informal reporting of child marriage.
- Increase in awareness among women and girls in connection with Child marriage, RTE(Right to Education Act)Child labour ,Human trafficking ,bonded labour POCSO(Protection of children against sexual offences) and ITPA(Immoral Traffic Prevention Act)

Child Protection center at Dhuliyan(Kalabagan) Red Light Area

Block: Samsherganj, Murshidabad.
About Murshidabad:
- One of the most backward districts in the state of West Bengal as well as India
- 151 km Indo-Bangladesh border covering 4 red-light areas.
- Unsafe labour migration, lack of local industries and soil erosion.
- Over 70% child marriage.
- High number of Person living with HIV (PLWHIV)

Challenges:
- Geographical disadvantages: border district
- Soil erosion by rivers changing their course
- High outmigration
- Poverty
- **High rate of School Dropout: both boys and girls**
- Early marriage: Above 70% girls get married before 18
- **Domestic violence, polygamy and desertion**
- Incidence of bonded labour
- **Source, destination and transit area for Human trafficking**.

To create safe communities for children of Red Light Area

**Target audience:** Children imperiled by their exposure or vulnerability to isolation, neglect, violence, hazardous or exploitative work, early marriage, juvenile offending, trafficking and abuse.
**Goal:** Establishment of safe communities where children, adults and governments work together to prevent mischief and injustice to these children.

**Activities:**
- Identification of Vulnerable children.
- Identify their strengths and abilities.
- 100% enrollment in school.
- Coaching support to children.
- Make them dare to dream and make plans for their future.
- Acquire negotiation skills to stay in institutions, dealing with adjustment issues.
- Life skill education with special emphasis on family adjustment, unrest, chemical addiction etc.
- Let them know about their rights.

**Out Come:**
- New entry of the RLA will be restricted.
- 2nd generation prostitution will be prevented.
- Youth Participation will be ensured to stop violence against the children of Red Light Area.
- Multi stakeholder engagement for creation of enabling environment at RLA

**SAVE VILLAGE PROGRAM (SVP)**

*Intervention area:* Backward villages in Murshidabad.

**ACTIVITIES:**
Identification of backward villages from the list by Govt. of India.
Advocacy with different stakeholders in those villages.
Select school with consultation of the stakeholders.
Conduct awareness program at school and community level.

**OUTCOME:**
Parents reached through community program.
Stakeholders reached through school program. Comic books (related to SVP) distributed among students, flyers distributed among parents.
Child marriage prevented.
Cases of domestic violence sourced and referred to DLSA (District Legal Aid Services Authority)
PROJECT KOMAL

OBJECTIVES:
To create awareness on child sexual abuse
To inform children (age group 6-12) about the various forms of abuse: physical, verbal or visual
To make children aware about the concepts of safe touch, unsafe touch and unsafe actions
To give children the necessary knowledge to prevent abuse i.e. Personal Safety Rules

STRATEGIES:

- Volunteer engagement.
- Training of Trainers.
- Advocacy with awareness among major stakeholders
- Facilitation by TOT at schools

OUTCOME:

- 593 students have been reached through awareness program on child sexual abuse in 12 schools covering 3 blocks in the remote areas of Murshidabad district.
- 8 volunteers’ from18years – 30years have been involved to conduct the awareness program in different Govt. schools of the district.
- The permission from the District Child Protection Unit (DCPU) and School Inspector (S.I) of each circle has been granted through advocacy.
Before starting the program, the written consent was collected from the school authority for conducting the awareness program.

Feedbacks from the school authority have been documented to serve the best for the students.

CHALLENGES FACED:
- The teacher from religious institution was showing apathetic attitude towards project Komal. But we have been able to perform the program through the support of inspector of schools.
- Problem of transport facility in rural area.

CHILD TRAFFICKING CASE MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

Objective:
- Ensure the rescue and reunification of trafficked victims and prosecution of accused in Murshidabad District of West Bengal.
- Strengthening the system related to child protection services by ensuring advocacy among stakeholders (Child Welfare Committee, Shelter Home, Police, Dist. Legal Aid Services Authority, District Child Protection Unit and District Administration) in the proposed area.

Achievement (Cumulative)

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CAPACITY BUILDING PROGRAM
(Among Youth and Stakeholders)

LIFE SKILL EDUCATION:
Major Content discussed in the life skill camp:
- Thinking Skills
- Social Skills
- Negotiating Skills
- Imparting of Life Skill Training to Adolescents
- Sensitization on various social issues
Community based activities
Subjects related to general health, reproductive and child health
Awareness and knowledge about HIV, AIDS, STDs and other ailments
Nutrition, substance, abuse and alcoholism
Norms and imperatives of a healthy family
Healthy moral life
Gender issues and
Regular counseling etc.

Target group:
All participants are the members of the Teen Club/ Youth Clubs affiliated to NYK (Block names are- Berhampore, Beldanga-1 & 2, Lalgola, Bhagwangola.

Duration of the Program: 10am- 4pm

Type of participants: Members of Teen Club/ Youth Club (preferable women, SC/ST/OBC).

Age Group of the Participant: 18-24 years.

Nos. of Participant: 75

METHOD:
Lecture, Storytelling, game, Group work, Presentation Group Discussion, Focus group Discussion Slides show, Audio & visual, Demonstration of Model, Flip Chart, Picture, Magazine, Movies, Case Study, Quiz, Debates, Field visit and shearing Views, Idea, Knowledge, Experience etc.

OUTCOME:
Developing an Identity- awareness helps adolescents understand themselves and establish their personal identity. Build their skills positive image and sound career perspective.(90% increased)
Managing Emotions- Adolescents have frequent mood changes reflecting feelings of anger, sadness, happiness, fear, shame, guilt, and love. Now they understand the emotional turmoil.(88% increased )
Building Relationships- Adolescents understood social skills for building positive and healthy relationships with others including peer of opposite sex. They understood the importance of mutual respect and socially defined boundaries of every relationship.
Increase Positive behavior, creative thinking, and Interpersonal relationship.
Increase self-awareness, coping with stress, interpersonal relationship, decision making.
**VLCPC (Village Level Child Protection Committee)**

**Target Group:** Anganwadi worker, Self help groups, Panchayet members, School teacher, Auxiliary Nurse Midwives (ANM) and children representatives.

**Method of facilitation:** Group work, video show, case study discussion & Lecture.

**Topic of Discussion:** Child Trafficking, Early marriage, Role of VLCPC to prevention of child trafficking and child marriage.

**Out Come:** - 445 multi stakeholders under VLCPC have sensitized about prevention of child marriage and child trafficking in different Panchayets of Murshidabad.

**Capacity building of the Para legal volunteers enabling them to help various victims of social injustice at grass root level properly**

**Discussion points:**
- Prevention of Child Marriage, Child labor, bonded labor & Human Trafficking
- Victim compensation

**Out Put:**
- 36 no of PLVs build their capacity to help various victims of social justice at grass root level properly.
- The PLVs have decided to share their learning with the others PLVs those who are not took participate in this programme.
**Violence against women week:**
- 89 nos. youth participated from 16 youth clubs in Murshidabad District
- They have been sensitized about above mention discussion points.
- The youth participants have decided to create some group and they will share their learning.
- The youth participants showed their interest through interactive sessions.
- The youth participate were taken oath that they would share the information among others in their respective areas.

**Missing link**

*Missing Link wants to provide-*
- Safe transitional housing to 3-5 young women with children escaping domestic violence at any given point in time for 15days- 3months
- Counseling support
- Ensuring nutritious meal, organizing required medical treatment in collaboration with Medical College Hospital
- Educational support for children
- Minimize the possibility of getting trapped by Human Traffickers through socio legal counseling
- Help the residents to learn a skill to earn livelihood or find a job locally
- Financial Education
- Information and education related to other available government assistance program to the residents
- Missing Link also wants to develop a crèche/day care services for young children, who cannot go to school yet, with local women volunteers.

Missing Link is looking forward to add as many volunteers as possible to make the project sustainable.

CHETANA

(Special School of Mentally-challenged Children)

Suprava Panchashila Mahila Uddyog Samity (SPMUS) is a registered under the Society’s Registration Act 1961, FCRA. It has been doing different social welfare program for the women and child since 1993. The organization has been running a special school for mentally retarded children namely ‘CHETANA’ giving facilities to 50 MR children without any financial support. It was academically recognized in 2nd March, 2001-No. 242/1(3 MEE). The institutional special education has been imparting to the 45 Nos. mentally retarded children. Integrated approaches have been adopted for the prevention of it with protection of the children by the organization through different campaign program in different blocks of the District. The organization has been working with strong support of National Trust of Government of India, State level authority and Dept. of Mass Education Extension Dept.

Objective:
- Integrated education and social inclusion of differently able children and their families.
- Imparting education to the mentally retarded children in formal education system
- Involvement of community to social and economic rehabilitation of the children at family level and community level.
- Sensitization of the people about prevention and protection of the children.

Activities:
- Teaching in special education
- Vocational training
Sports and cultural activities
Linkage with schemes of the government
Parent counseling

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Organized by: SWAJAN group.
Target group: Self help group of survivors.

PRODUCT:
- Kantha blanket.
- Cloth towels
- Bori making.
- Sewing
- Puffed rice
- Gardening

OUTCOME:

The group has started to sell their product in local market and they are able to self independent.
Home based care & supports for PLWHIV

Brief Plan Description:
The project aims to reduce the stigma faced by people infected and affected by HIV in 15 blocks of the district of Murshidabad, West Bengal by improving their access to entitlements and services through mobilizing communities and strengthening institutions. It will facilitate access for 200 PLHIVs and their family members to a synonymous group providing case sourcing, institutional counseling with primary treatment and networking with referral services followed by home based care and management to mainstream them through improved access to sustainable livelihood opportunities, reduction in stigma, and access to legal and social protection.

Project Goal/Long Term Impact:

| Long Term Impact: | Ensuring prevention and control of HIV/AIDS among women and children in terms of their socio-economic condition. |

Outcome:
1. 50 PLHIVs and 50 stakeholders interviewed through FGD.
2. 600 people reached through 12 community awareness programs.
3. 150 people reached through World AIDS day program.
4. 330 PLHIVs and their family members and 50 major stakeholders sensitized.
5. 100 home visits and follow up visits of PLHIVs completed with linked support services.
6. 80 families ‘conflicts resolved.
7. One report compiled and shared with target audience and stakeholders.