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# Annual Report



### *Secretary Speaks...*

The year ending Annual General Body meeting is a glorious event of this organization. On this day, all most all members suspend their busy schedule and prefer to participate the meeting with all enthusiasm and spirit to know the yearlong achievements for the cause of the welfare of the aggrieved and marginalized citizens.

To speak about the achievements, I am quite satisfied to express that last year our organization has reached before more desirable needy persons who are unable to take care of themselves due to senior age factors, lacking skill knowledges to sustain in day to day lives, gone out track from the society due to use of various drugs etc. Organization has given all effort to provide shelter, food, health check-up facilities to hundreds senior citizens, conducting skill development trainings to nearly 300 tribal girls including women to make them employable, helping the addicts and giving them proper counselling and necessary treatments to bring them to the main stream of the society, providing educational facilities to disabled children and taking care of the destitute women.

Truly speaking the achievements so far, we have reached have become possible only because of hard working and sincere staff and overall guidance and suggestions received from all members and supporting Governing Body members. I express my heartfelt thanks to all the members and also expecting the same spirit and enthusiasm for the days to come.



# ACTIVITIES OF THE YEAR 2023-24

50 Bedded Sr. Citizen Home at Dongadhakhel in Raigarh district, Chhattisgarh

50 Bedded Sr. Citizen Home at Basahatu in West Singhbhum, Jharkhand

Drug De-Addiction Center at Chaibasa in West Singhbhum district, Jharkhand

Drug De-Addiction Center at Raigarh district, Chhattisgarh

Skill Development Training Programmes for Tribal Women at Basahatu in West Singhbhum district, Jharkhand

Skill Development Training Programmes for Tribal Women at Sareikela Kharswan district in Jharkhand state

Mobile Health Check-up of Tribals in Jhinkipani Block, Jharkhand

Residential Special School at Fakirpur, Keonjhar, Odisha

Caring the destitute women at Chaibasa, Jharkhand

Workshop and Awareness on Road Safety at Chaibasa, Jharkhand

Workshop/ Seminar on Awareness on Road Safety at Chaibasa, Jharkhand

Awareness Campaigning on Consumer Behaviour at Anandapur, Odisha

Awareness Campaigning on Climate Change at Anandapur, Odisha

Celebration of Dr. Ambedkar Jayanti at Jhinkipani, Jharkhand

## Caring the Aged

The person attaining 60 and above age is called aged or Senior Citizen. While attaining 60 and above age the person depends on many things. The major issue is that they develop many health problems and the family members rarely take any importance for the same. Further, the aged persons usually lose their earning capacity and they are neglected by the family members. Most of the senior citizens also don't get a square meal for their survival. SANCHAR has come forward to set up two Senior Citizen Homes at Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh state to provide all possible care to the aged persons with the support of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Govt. of India.

### 50 Bedded Senior Citizen Home at Dongadhakhel in Raigarh district of Chhattisgarh:

A 50 Bedded Senior Citizen Home has been running at Dongadhakhel village near Jindal Model Colony in Raigarh district of Chhattisgarh state since the year 2018. All inmates are provided with nutritious food and Doctor is regularly visiting to take proper health care. The senior citizens are regularly practicing yoga and involving themselves in various recreational activities. The staff nurse is engaged on part-time basis to take care of the inmates. The inmates are also given scope for picnic and visiting various religious and historical places. Efforts are being taken to provide them skill-based training to produce phenyl, Agarbatti etc.



### Senior Citizen Home at Basahatu in Jhinkipani block of West Singhbhum district, Jharkhand:



Initially the Senior Citizen Home was set up at Jayanthgarh. During Covid pandemic situation the Senior Citizen Home was shifted to Basahatu in Jhinkipani block of West Singhbhum district. At present there are 50 inmates

Most of the inmates are tribals and they were living helplessly without proper care of their family members. The inmates are provided with shelter, given nutritious food, regularly checking their health conditions by the doctor.

There are facilities for recreational activities and Yoga teacher is engaged for practicing yoga in everyday morning. The inmates have also developed a beautiful kitchen garden in front of the Old Age Home. A nurse is engaged on part-time basis for the care of the senior citizens staying in the home. The next step we are planning to start skill-based training for production of Agarbatti and phenyl.

## Treating the Addicts

Now a days the flow of drugs has been increased. It has now reached at the rural level. Mostly the youth, school and college going students have developed the habit of consuming alcohol and drugs in the broad day light. When we were feeling proud of utilizing the vast youth power for the development of our country, the present situation of youth society is putting dilemma about such development. Consuming drugs is not only affecting the individual it is grossly affecting their family members. So, it has become the prime concern of all states and central governments how to control the situation. Planned programmes by the governments, involvements of international NGOs and local voluntary organizations have joined hands to aware the common masses, identify the addicts, counselling the individuals and family members, treatment of addicts and rehabilitating them with an effort to bring them to the main stream of the society.

### Drug De-addiction Center at Chaibasa in West Singhbhum district of Jharkhand:

In our Drug De-addiction Centre at Chaibasa we mainly focus the following works.

1. Substance Addiction Identification, Initial Motivation and Early Intervention
2. Counseling for Addiction (Individual, Family and Group)
3. Detoxification and Whole Person Recovery (WPR)
4. Documentation for Addiction Mgt-Assessment, Client Profiling, Recording, Documentation.

In last two years our Centre has been able to treat 34 addicts and they have been well settled in their family.



### Drug De-addiction Center at Raigarh district HQs in Chhattisgarh:



The Drug De-addiction Centre running at Raigarh District HQs. Since last two years has played major roles in identifying the addicts, counselling them along with family members and giving them proper treatment for complete recovery. Professional doctor along with para-medical staff and Counsellors for complete recovery. Our volunteers and peer educators are working sincerely to cover the whole district to achieve the overall mission. We also target school and college students who have been addicted to use various drugs including alcohol.



Last year we have identified nearly 800 such cases and most of them have come to the main stream of the society only through counselling and guidance. Out of them 42 severe cases have been admitted in the center and now they have come to normalcy by proper treatment. If funds is allotted from the ministry then it would be possible to run the Centre more effectively and efficiently. Now we are managing the Centre with the help of CSR funding from Jindal Steel Plant located in Raigarh district.

## Skill Development Training for Tribal Women

Mostly the tribal communities all over Odisha state are suffering a lot due to low economic conditions. They are not in apposition to give proper education of their children and unable to afford huge expensive health care facilities. Even if many tribal girls have been educated, they are not yet employable. Similarly tribal women are not able to compete others to be employable due to lack of skill capabilities. The only solution of all these problems is to give them proper skill training of their choice either to search suitable employment or to start their own self-employed opportunities.

### **Skill Development Trgs. for Tribal Women in Jhinkipani Block of West Singhbhum district, Jharkhand:**

After identifying about 350 tribal girls and women in Jhinkipani block area we have been providing skill development trainings on Tailoring, Mushroom Cultivation, Computer DTP training and Applique works since last two years. They have successfully completed the training and some of them have already started their self-employment activities and earning daily incomes for sustainability. Professional trained Instructors have been engaged to provide them proper trainings. Some of the passed-out trainees have formed SHGs to start their Mushroom cultivation venture.



The organization is also trying at corporate level to raise funds for procurement of raw materials and other necessary accessories for smooth functioning of the Training Centre.

### **Skill Development Trainings for Tribal Women in Anandapur Block of Keonjhar district, Odisha:**



There are about hundred villages in Anandapur block where mostly tribal communities are living. Kodapada, Manoharpur, Baungarh, Gayalmunda are few Gram Panchayats where the tribal population is more than 80 percentage. Many tribal girls of the above locality have been educated and they are in search of employment. It is also observed that many tribal women are remaining idle for the whole day and they are interested to start some income generation activities to compensate their financial burden.



Our organization has set up a Training Centre at Fakirpur to provide skill development trainings on Beautician, Tailoring, mushroom cultivation, computer DTP courses etc. where only tribal girls and women are given scope for admission. During last two years 167 tribal women have been trained and they have started their own self-employment activities.

## Mobile Health Care Services for Tribals

Mostly the tribal communities are financial very poor. They are unable to afford the medical expenses. Since they are staying mostly in remote areas, they face many difficulties to go to the hospital generally located at far distant places. Sometimes also they prefer to cure themselves through witchcrafts methods which is not scientifically accepted and the mortality rate is higher than other people of the society. The best and accepted method is to provide common health services at their doorsteps. Our organization has also adopted the same methods at two different blocks at Anandapur and Jhinkipani respectively and the response is very satisfactory.

### **Mobile Health Services in Tribal areas in Anandapur block of Keonjhar district, Odisha:**

The tribal population in Anandapur block is about 46000. They usually live in remote hilly areas where health facilities are not easily available. Our organization has arranged one ambulance and medical staff has been deployed to visit then tribal areas in Kodapada, Manoharpur, Gayalmunda etc. regularly on Sunday to provide health care services to the tribal people at their doorsteps. The team also carry all essential medicines for distribution. Last year our Mobile Health Care team has checked up the health conditions of 2245 patients and required medicines have been distributed. A total number of 37 severe cases have been referred to Subdivisional Health Centre for treatment.

The expenses relating to the above programme is managed by public donations. Many pharmaceutical agencies have also come forward to donate various medicines for the purpose.



### **:Mobile Health Services in Tribal areas in Jhinkipani block of West Singhbhum district, Jharkhand**

About 90 percentage of the total population in Jhinkipani block are tribals. Though there is proper health Centre at Jhinkipani block Headquarters and ACC company has its own health Centre for treatment of common people. But the tribals living at far distant places are unable to meet the conveyance expenses to visit the health center located at block headquarters.



Our organization is providing this health care services for last two years. We are arranged one ambulance and s three members team including Doctor and para-medical staff are engaged on every Sunday to visit the far distant tribal villages to provide health care services at their doorsteps. The tribal people are also very keen to avail the services on every Sunday. After health check-up the doctor also distribute medicines as per their requirements. Last year our organization has been able to provide health care services to nearly 2875 tribal patients.

## Other Activities

### Residential Special School at Basahatu, Jhinkipani, Jharkhand:

Our organization has set up one Residential Special School at Basahatu since last two years where 30 disabled children belonging to Hearing impaired, orthopedically impaired and visionary impaired have been admitted for education in primary level. Professionally trained teachers and other administrative staff have been deployed for smooth running of the school. The disabled children staying in the hostel are provided with food and health care services.



### :Caring the destitute women at Chaibasa, Jharkhand

Our organization has set up one shelter home for the destitute women who are victims of violence and atrocities, sexually assaulted and exploited either by close members or other criminals. There is facilities to provide at least 20 such deprived women. After staying in the home our Counsellors and advocates give them all necessary support including legal assistance till proper settlement. Last year a total number of 32 such women have stayed in the home and 17 of such women have been well placed in their family.

### Workshop and Awareness on Road Safety at Chaibasa, Jharkhand:

Consuming alcohol while driving and ignorance of safety rules are two major factors of road accidents. On 28<sup>th</sup> August 2022 one workshop cum seminar on Road Safety was organized at Chaibasa where 100 participants including dignitaries, advocates, school & college students and truck drivers attend the programme. The benefit of safe driving, the traffic rules and safety guidelines were explained in details. The participants also took part in discussion. The programme was very successful and shall definitely control road accidents.



### :Awareness Campaigning on Consumer Behaviour at Anandapur, Odisha

Most of the consumers are ignorant and they do not know how they are cheated in price and quality while purchasing various consumable commodities. On 10<sup>th</sup> October 2022a workshop cum seminar was organized at Anand Bhawan at Anandapur sub-divisional HQs where 50 participants including common people, house wives and advocates attended the programme. The participants were aware about the products of consumable items and its price, quality and packages etc. The advocates present in the meeting also explained about the legal procedure of filing cases before the Consumer's Forum if they are cheated by the sellers.



### Awareness Campaigning on Climate Change at Anandapur:

Global warming and changes in climatic weather are mainly caused by people themselves. With a purpose of awaking the common people a seminar was organized on 10<sup>th</sup> January 2023 at Anand Bhawan at Anandapur in which 100 participants including Professors, housewives, advocates, doctors and school/ college students were present. The participants were explained about the causes of global warming and its effect. The role of each individual was also nicely explained for necessary control of the global warming.



### :Celebration of Dr. Ambedkar Jayanti at Jhinkipani, Jharkhand

On 14<sup>th</sup> April 2022 Dr. Ambedkar Jayanti was celebrated in the Sr. Citizen Home premises at Basahatu in Jhinkipani block. All 50 inmates and other dignitaries including common people of the locality were present in the programme. The CEO of ACC Cement attended the meeting as the Chief Guest and BDO of Jhinkipani Block was the Speaker on the occasion. The Chief Guest and the Speaker talked about the constitution and gave importance to obey the directives for maintaining peace and development of the nation.