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Annual Report



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From the Desk of Chief Functionary/Director:

Our vision-

A society wherein marginalized communities and specially its vulnerable segments live in harmony with their environment, have self-dignity, control over their lives and are able to manage on their own their lives and their developmental affairs.

Our mission-

“To help the people to help themselves”

Our objective-

To help in the all-round development of deprived and disadvantaged sections of the society, particularly women and children belonging to the rural and urban communities through education, health, environment, social and economic development, irrespective of cast, creed and religion.

Dear Friends & supporters,

First of all thanks for your support and inspiration that we could complete another mile stone of achievement. On behalf of the Board, I am pleased to present the annual activity report year ending 2024-25 of the organization for your view and information.

The year 2024-25 has been very hectic and excited. During this period, the whole country celebrated the festival of our democracy in form of election in the center as well as in the State too. We formed new government with new vision of the nation. No doubt that the economy and infrastructure of the nation is growing and achieving its goal. However, still we have to cover a long distance. We believe that we have potentiality and probability to find our way of development.

The reporting year 2024-25 has been bit better than previous year in terms of financial progress. This year the organization again awarded with a grant from Adobe Employees Community Foundation (Adobe) USA in the month of January, 2025. This was the only achievement to sustain the activities of the organization. However, grant and support from Delhi State Aids Control Society was continue. Since the pandemic outburst in all over the world, the objective of every institution has been focused on health and prevention of life of the people. Good health and behavior change have been core issues of the state and every institutions including civic agencies.

At last, we are grateful to all our supporters, agencies, colleagues, and of course the family of Navjyoti Development Society with all well-wishers that made us to achieve our goal.

With best wishes'

Rajendra Dangwal

Chief Functionary

TARGETED INTERVENTION PROGRAM:

Behind Closed Doors

"My name is Munni, (Name changed). I am 50+ years old and living in one of the crowded south Delhi unauthorized colony. I have 2 children and both are married. My daughter lives in the village and my son lives with me. Thirty years back I migrated to Delhi with my husband and started to live in slum area. But soon, we purchased a piece of land in an unauthorized colony and constructed a small house. The life was moving smoothly. Unfortunately my husband died and we lost all our hope of life. I was abandoned with two kids. At that time, one of my known friend lure me to get involved with this business. And since then it became the profession for my life. Gradually my kids grown up at marriage age and they started their life separately. My daughter is living in the village while my son is living with me.

Now I am old age and cannot be continued my profession. Today I have four to five girls who are involved in this business and assisting me in terms of finance. My only pleasure is that my children are far from this business activities.

Thanks to NDS for bringing change in my life through awareness and education.

(Based on a real Story)

Female Sex Workers (FSW) Program-

This project is one of the oldest projects and has been implemented since 2008 in south Delhi area. NDS has been implementing this program in association with **Delhi State Aids Control Society, Delhi Govt.** since inception. The Targeted Intervention Program offers services to high risk groups such as female sex worker (FSW), their clients and associates to care and prevent through providing information, medical support, legal support, counseling and skills to manage HIV transmission, and taking care, support and treatment services within the community. The program is aimed at improving the reproductive and general health of these high risk groups. The goal of project is achieving target and protecting each and every person, especially female, from deadly disease of HIV/AIDS.

The services provided by the Targeted Intervention Program-

- Networking & advocacy with various stakeholders
- Counseling OPD for the treatment of RTI/STI
- Networking meeting
- Community events related to health, social information, woman right etc.
- Drop-in Centre and DIC activities
- Health Camp
- Formation of various committees and group

In current financial year 2024-25, the TI Project added with new project activities of drug users. The objective is to protect and save them from drug habits and bring them into normal life. Our efforts will aim to bring them in normal life and support their families and spouses.

During the period of pandemic, this segment of the community was most affected and unsafe as their livelihood depends on the regular visitors. Due to the complete lockdown, visitors stop to visit and HRGs lost their regular income. The impact was horrible. Many of them returned to their native place did not come back till end of the financial year. Here, NDS has taken care of this community and reached their door step with food, masks, hygiene kits, ration and nutrition support to them. The area, which we are covering is south Delhi region including Sangam Vihar, Devli, Ambedkar Nagar, Mehrauli, Malviy nagar, Chirag Delhi, Shaidulazab, Khanpur, Madangir, saket INA market Green Park Delhi Haat and Panchsheel Park.

HIV/AIDS Achievement at a glance FY 2024-25:

SN	Particulars	FY-24-25
1	Total No. Of registered Population	6792
2	New HRGs (FSW) registered during the Year	972
3	No. of HRGs (FSW) dropped during the month	97
4	Active Population Till march-2020	3384
5	No of HRGs accessed clinical services (TI clinic+ PPP+ Govt.) (RMC+PT+ Symptomatic + Abscess)	11296
6	No. of HRGs Visited for RMC Only	11072
7	No. of HRGs provided Presumptive Treatment (PT)/IDUs treated for abscess	0
8	No. of HRGs diagnosed for STI (Symptomatic cases)	224
9	No. of HRGs treated for STI (Symptomatic cases)	224
10	No. of HRGs Completed STI (Symptomatic cases) Treatment	224
11	No of HRGs screened for syphilis	2453
12	Number of HRGs found Syphilis +ve	0
13	Number of Syphilis +ve HRGs treated	0
14	Condom demand	804548
15	Condoms distribution through Outlets	359880
16	No. of Individual Counsellel during the month (Data for HRG)	12480
17	No. of HRGs once contacted during the month by Project Staff	14531
18	No. of PLHIV (Identified) with TI	41
19	No. of PLHIV (Alive) with TI	22
20	TOTAL HIV TESTING (No of HRGs who have undergone HIV Screening (CBS + ICTC + FICTC) - Exclude HRGs undergone confirmatory test at ICTC to avoid duplication of data :)	4106
21	No of HRGs tested for HIV through Community Based Screening	2328
22	No of HRGs found HIV reactive in Community Based Screening	04
23	Number of reactive HRGs undergone confirmatory test at ICTC	04
24	Number of HRGs found HIV positive in confirmatory test	04
25	New Diagnosed Positive HRGS are on ART	08
26	CD4 Testing for New detected Positive	08
27	No. of HRGs Screened for TB at TI level	12480
28	No. of HRGs referred for TB Testing	61
29	No. of HRGs tested for TB	58
30	No. of HRGs diagnosed with TB	04
31	No. of HRGs put on TB treatment	04

Targeted intervention program - IDUs

This part of the program was added in mid of the year with our existing FSW program by the Delhi State Aids Control Society, Delhi Govt. The objective of the program is:

1. To save and protect each drug users from deadly disease HIV/AIDS
2. To reach to unreach and provide them all medical and awareness facility at doorsteps
3. To provide material of prevention from HIV/AIDS to each beneficiary
4. Counselling and motivation support to each drug user with hope that the person will protect him/her from HIV/AIDS

Activities Conducted:

To achieve our goal, following were the achievement of the project during the period of April 2024 to March 2025:

SN	Particulars	FY-24-25
1	Total No. Of new HRG registered Population	544
2	No of HRGs tested for HIV/AIDS	554
3	No. of HRGs tested and found positive	003
4	No. of STI positive undergone for HIV testing	005
5	No. of HRGs Visited for RMC Only	975
6	No of HRGs tested once	554
7	Individual tested twice	019
8	No of HRGs undergone for syphilis testing	445
9	No of PLHIV	004
10	New diagnosed positive HRGs are on ART	004
11	No of HRGs tested for TB	984
12	No. of HRGs undergone for OST	000
13	Percentage of HRGs, visiting to Drop-in-centre (DIC)	42%

For HIV/AIDS prevention programme purposes, it would be useful to divide the entire population of a country into people who practice high-risk behaviors and people who practice low risk behaviors. The high-risk behaviors could be unprotected multi-partner sexual intercourse and injecting drug use without sterile precautions. In this scenario, HIV infection would travel faster and wider in populations that practice high-risk behaviors. This leads to a larger epidemic in the high-risk groups, which over time, spills over to the low risk groups also. Hence in the interest of overall control of HIV epidemic, it is necessary to intervene as early as possible. This is done by initiating and supporting Targeted Interventions, which could lessen the spread of infection within high-risk groups and thereby in the general population.

PAHAL (An Education & Health Program):

About the project

The objectives of the project are same as previous year 2023-24. The project is all about the education and health, especially women health which is most vulnerable after covid-19 all over the world including India. After covid-19, every government priority has been changed. The lesson of pandemic taught us that if our immunity is strong, then we can fight against any disease in the world. During the pandemic, women and children faced most crucial and hard time to survive. NDS felt this need and proposed the project based on woman and child health in Nithari village in NOIDA. Protection & prevention of child health and education has been the top priority of NDS for last fifteen years.

NDS has been working in Nithari since a gruesome murder of the children was exposed in 2007 in the area. These children were deprived and living in the slums or kachhi colony. Since then we have been targeting slum children in the area & providing day care facility to them. This facility protect them from anti-social elements & provide safe environment to live and learn. For last eight years, nearly 850 children have been mainstreamed & hundreds got support in their day-to-day study. Education & day care centre is providing support to poor parents who are going for work after leaving their children in our centre. We look support to run such centers in

Concept of project

"Our concept of the project is to create a healthy, nourished, and empowered community where every pregnant and lactating woman, adolescent, and malnourished child has access to quality nutrition, education, and healthcare. We strive to foster self-reliance and ensure the well-being of vulnerable populations, ultimately enabling them to lead fulfilled and prosperous lives."

(Exposure visit Adobe festival Noida) UP

Objective of the project

- To conduct a survey and collect data of actual needy beneficiaries
- To work for improvement of health of pregnant and lactating women
- To provide nutrition support to selected pregnant and lactating women
- To provide medical support at the doorsteps in the region to all direct beneficiaries
- To cover nearly 80 small, not-school going & school going children under education
- To provide nutrition support to all children who are coming regularly in our centre
- To provide counselling and life skill training to adolescent to build their confidence
- To conduct health mela within the community and provide them best medical facilities



Targeted Beneficiaries:

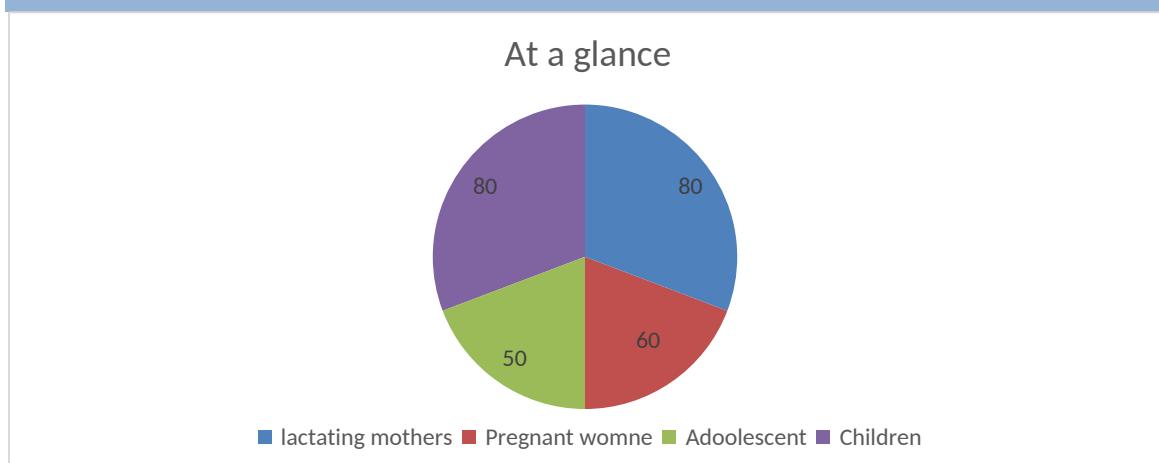
- Nearly 80 lactating mothers living in Nithari village
- Nearly 50 pregnant women living in Nithari village
- Nearly 80 small, not-school going & school going children under education program
- Nearly 50 adolescents under various training, counselling and skill development

Expected outcomes:

In development sector, outcomes of any act are either visible or invisible. Most of the activities are invisible. For example, there is no evidence how much a community got aware about any issue which we floated among the community. However, we have following expected outcomes of the program during the period

1. The target was to cover 90 children of all age group, under the education program, with targeting that 50% of them should be mainstreamed in coming education session. We covered 76 children as the program was in initial period. 53 Adolescent girls out of 60 educated with life skill and hygiene issues during the period. 3 PTA meeting conducted during the period
2. Nearly 55 children especially small children, received nutrition support in the centre with medical and Doctor Support. Nearly. 24 selected lactating mothers received nutritious food during the period. These women were very much in need of food as they have children at home for take care
3. Advocacy with various stakeholders like ANM, Asha worker, AWWs, hospital and schools conducted during the period to provide maximum government facilities to the beneficiaries.
4. We organized and celebrated various days like Republic Day, holi, Christmas Day etc. during the period. In the last week of February, 25 youth from NDS participated in a huge event organized by ADOBE employees in their complex in NOIDA. It was really an excellent opportunity for youth to take part in such event

Activities at a Glance:



Our leanings:

The period of 2024-25 has been good in terms of previous period. Our existing TI program received additional project from DSACS and we get an opportunity to work for IDUs. Secondly we received support from ADOBE Community Foundation USA to carry on our education and health program in Nithari. In fact, we were seeking this support for long time for the community and ultimately we could achieve it in fourth quarter of the year. During the period we learnt that there are lots of gaps have been created within the society after covid-19 pandemic. Those who lost their family members, are still trying to survive even after the pandemic. After pandemic, economic condition of majority of families have gone down and people are struggling to get a job for their children and family.

Such program provides them support to manage the life with minimum resources. Our support to lactating mothers and pregnant women, lighten them to fight for life with existing resources. It was observed that there is required a long term strategy to support such community so that life of children could be safe and secure with their future.

Conclusion:

Overall the year was somehow better than previous financial period and we achieved our goal as we targeted in the beginning of the year. However there is still need to work hard and generate resources. New FCRA rules have made funding hard to receive. It is hard way to go ahead for like ours voluntary organizations. Resources became very difficult to generate and produce

Our Future Plans

It was a good period in terms of spreading the activities and reaching to poor and needy people. We (the Board of the organization) decided to explore more resources to sustain the objective of the organization and somewhere we achieved it. We do plan to extend our helping hand to the victims of Covid-19 in Delhi/NCR and some part of Uttarakhand. The Board has decided that the organization should focus on children health and post covid-19 patients.

Our Supporters and resources:

1. Delhi State Aids Control Society, Delhi Government, Delhi
2. Adobe Employee Community Fund, USA
3. Individual Donors
4. Community





Our Partners:



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