



Annual Report 2016-17

MVSS: Manav Vikas Seva Sangh

Working area: Sagar, Guna, Raisen, Vidisha and Ashoknagar

Legal Entities: Registered Society having FCRA, 12A, 80G and PAN Card

PARTNERING AND COLLABORATING

1. Partners with XIDAS college

MVSS in the last year has signed agreement with XIDAS to partner in the formulation and Evaluation of projects. Timely support and technical guidance from XIDAS officials has strengthened our collaboration and helped us to bring quality works.

2. Partners with CAF India

MVSS has also taken a step forward to link with Charities Aid Foundation (CAF). We have completed the partnership requirements and have also completed evaluation in the month of November 2016. In the month of December we had received Partnership certificate as well.

3. Collaboration with health department

With the health department of the Diocese and government hospitals we were able to conduct 3 Multi speciality medical camps, various medical camps at villages and also provided free medical services to the needy time to time. There were altogether 2360 people who were treated and provided with medicines. We could also provide free cataract operation to eight people as a result of joint venture with Diocesan Health Unit.

4. Internship shapes ethical values for future growth

Students from different Universities from all over India belonging to Management, Research and Social work fields are been shaped for future growth under various internship programmes at MVSS. There were 4 Law students from Nirma University, Ahmadabad, 39 PGM/PGDRM students from XIDAS College, Jabalpur who conducted field exercises in our villages. 10 students from Yashwantrao Chavan School for Social work, Maharashtra also did internship for 1 month. One PhD/Doctoral Researcher from Germany did thesis work on Malnutrition and Public Distribution System. Fr. Sudhakar, newly appointed Director of Kurnool Diocese of (KDSS) from Hyderabad also completed his 15 days of Dynamic Development Course (DDC) in March 2017. Two times 1st and 3rd Year B SC Nursing Students from Bhagyaodaya Thirth Nursing College Sagar attended one day orientation course in MVSS to learn from us and involve in our activities. 3 MSW final year students from Hari Singh Gour University also did 1 month internship with us. Presently 12 students from Yashwantrao Chavan School for Social work, Maharashtra and 2 students from Hari Singh Gour University are doing internship for 1 month. We expect many more from India and abroad in the near future. These internship programme have helped the younger generation to learn from us and commit themselves in selfless social service.

NEW PROJECTS

1. **WARM (Water and Agriculture Resilience Mission):** this project is funded by Caritas Japan and Caritas India. The mission upholds to cover mainly 5 drought affected villages on a pilot basis with interventions on watershed activities. The aim is to build such resilience models which in times to come will be replicable and play an important role in water conservation. Several attempts to develop Rain Water Harvesting Techniques in Rural Villages were implemented. So far we have formed 30 Groups and identified 50 Water Friends (volunteers) to work with us. Further 3 new wells, 2 pond, 3 common wells and 2 tube wells are rejuvenated and provided with drinking water facility to the people.
2. **SAKSHAM (Climate Change resilience).** Caritas India has also supported us with yet another major project mainly concentrating on adapting to climate change and developing resilience and adaptation models. The project will begin on 1st July 2017. Caritas India has also done baseline survey for another project SAFBIN- II in 3 other districts namely Sagar, Raisen and Vidisha: The project is a replicable model of SAFBIN-I after the achievement models in agriculture sector.
3. With the help of **DON BOSCO TECH**, Delhi we were able to start Automobile training for men prisoners at Central Jail of Sagar. First batch has completed with 33 men prisoners who are involved in learning it.
4. **NFL (National Fertilizers Limited, Guna):** for strengthening skill networking NFL has agreed to extend its services in skill development sector through MVSS. Seeing our work in Guna district they will be further rendering their services in sectors of Health care and Education. The Course is for 3 months and 15 machines were provided by NFL. These machines will be distributed freely to all the students at the end of the course period
5. **Nando paretto Foundation, Italy** has sanctioned us a new innovative project on Improve menstrual hygiene and eliminate myths, taboo, beliefs and social restriction related to menstrual cycle. The innovative part in the project is that SHGs will be making Sanitary Napkins with the help of a machine and will distribute to the rural women at lower price.
6. Since the year 2016 was mainly concentrated on Health and Hygiene we had applied for Machineries and equipments for Health centre Jamghat. Manos Unidas has sanctioned us one project for the purchase of **High frequency X Ray Machine**, for haematology analyser and biochemistry analyser for Mata Mariya Health centre.
7. Another Non Formal Education project is sanctioned for Barodia centre for starting 3 Non formal Education centre for mainstreaming the Drop Out and weaker children to schools.
8. **CNEWA** has sanctioned a new major project for Informal Education for Slum children, distribution of clothes and providing Nutritious kits to Slum Dwellers, widows and Elders.

PROJECTS RUNNING/ OTHER MAINLINE PROJECTS

1. **Vocational skill development trainings:** In collaboration with Don Bosco Tech, New Delhi the 3 Skill Development Centres at Vidisha, Jaisinagar and MVSS could do various courses of ISMO, Automobiles, Computer, electronics, beautician, Tailoring etc are enlightening the future of the drop out and unemployed youths. The batches are with 20-25 numbers of students per batch. Mainly for the unemployed youths for 3 months with training sessions, industry visit, job placement, exposure etc. This year around 714 students are passed out and 245 of them were placed in companies and more than 234 self employed.
2. **Animation project at Udaypura:** Another new project at the social work centre at Udaypura was started in May 2016. There are 10 villages covered under this project. The main theme was to intervene in the villages by forming women groups, children's groups and youth group etc. It is an animation project.
3. **People Led Development programme (PLDP):** This project is running in 30 villages of Raisen district. The Blocks covered are Waadi, Semri, Obaidullaganj and Gairatganj . The theme of the project is to enhance people participation for development of self, family and village as a whole. Hereby we were able to bring 114 relevant issues like drinking water problem, lack of toilet, lack of proper infrastructure, CC Road, water tank, Land Patta, crop compensation etc. Out of these 89 were solved and rest are still in approval from collectorate office and concerned offices.
4. **Sustainable Options for Uplifting Livelihood (SOUL) :** The project is supported by IGSSS and is implemented in Guna district covering 15 villages. The centre occupied is Satya Marg Sadan. The main objectives are enhancing livelihood opportunities of Tribal BPL families in farm and Non farm sector. We were able to benefit more than 1500 farmer from the area through our intervention in farm and non farm sector. The project performance was highly appreciated and awarded on the theme "Innovation in agriculture practice and bringing Mobile services for marketing" in the Review meet at New Delhi by IGSSS. The project has now started its 3rd phase in 9 new villages and 6 old villages.
5. **Child Line 1098 :** The project is funded by CIF and is working in Sagar district. The team has received 2918 calls related to Child protection cases from within city and nationwide. Children from Uttar Pradesh, Bihar and Maharashtra were restored back to their homes. Altogether 652 cases were handled by the team in the last 12 months. Mass Awareness Program and street play are conducted frequently on Child Rights by MVSS & Childline, Sagar in collaboration with NSS, World Vision etc.
6. **NABARD:** With NABARD, production of Papad at Central Jail of Sagar is conducted regularly. We are working on getting ISO certification and registering the product with GST. We also have 105 Farmer's clubs and 206 SHGs formed in 114 villages of Sagar district. With meeting and capacity building programmes with these CBOs held every months and their capacity boosted by Experts of Agriculture, DDM of NABARD, Chairman of MBGB Bank and Agriculture Scientists,

Agronomists from KVK were able to rejuvenate them in the last 6 months. 100 SHGs of NABARD were linked with SRLM scheme in December 2016.

7. **Axshaya project in Sagar and Guna:** The project is supported by CBCI in Sagar and by CHAI in Guna. We cover 250 HHs every month and conducted sputum collections of 144 diagnosed. Of which so far 102 were detected positive and referred for DOTS treatment. We have travelled an extra mile covering maximum benefactors from remote villages.
8. **Mother and Child Care:** This project is funded by CHAI, Telangana. Matha Mariya Health centre Jamghat provides services related to maternal care to 138 mothers. 138 children of age group 1 year and 8 months are reported healthy and safe. As per our request the funding agency have sanctioned warm clothes, baby dresses for these children during the reporting year. Extra Nutritional and medical support will be provided for 30 malnourished children for next 6 months.
9. **Capacitating Health workers in Sagar, Shaghray, Banda and Semri Blocks:** This project is funded by CHAI and works in collaboration with MPSSS. Through this project we have capacitated the health services of 27 Health workers working 8 each in Shaghray, Banda, Sagar blocks and 3 in Semri Block. The role of the health workers is to enhance institutional deliveries, spread door to door health and hygiene, cleanliness and provide First Aid to needy.
10. **Slum education:** This project is funded by Kindermissionwerk and we extend services in 7 slums of Sagar district. There are Community for Learning Centres (CFLs) in all the slums and extend services by providing non formal education. For the promotion of youth's Skill Development we were also able to start tailoring unit and Beautician Course at each slum and Garment making courses in Gadakhota, Devri, Makroniya, Sadar, Madiya and Gambiriya . Through these Centres 362 women were trained and were honoured.
11. **Vocational training:** With the help of FVTRS we were able to start once again the Vocational training project at Guna. We have initiated new trades this time like motor winding, mobile repairing, organic manures production at village itself. There are 56 students who are being trained currently and taught the methods to produce such low cost and organic products to enhance the health of soil. There are also 61 other trainees who are been trained under Garment Making.
12. **Support to widows:** With the help of Give India and individual benefactors 27 widows were supported with free Income generation programme of Rs 5000. All these widows have started small business like opening petty shops, cattle rearing, purchased tailoring machines and enhanced their livelihood with various activities.
13. **Gyan Jyothi :** with the support of SDSSS we have started releasing the message of Right To Education. MVSS has started a non formal education centre at MVSS which began in April 2016 under the title Gyan Jyothi. There were 31 drop out students of which 26 were taught regularly in 1ST batch all subject by qualified subject teachers. The main aim was to mainstream those to main schools.

14. **Sunshine for grandparents:** with local contribution and support from individual benefactors we are able to support 40 grand parents who are destitute and deprived in the local community. This year onwards this activity will be supported by CNEWA and we will support more such destitute grandparents in times to come.
15. **Income generation programme:** we have extended financial support as loan to more than 100 destitute men and women for starting various types of business, purchase of cattle, sewing machines, agriculture support etc.
16. **Educational support:** we have also provided support for education of 52 girl child of which 38 are staying in Amala Bhavan and the rest are the children living in slums who are very needy.

Programmes and Events

- ❖ We are privileged to place on record that we presented papers on National and International conferences in the reporting year.
- ❖ Regular monthly meetings and quarterly orientation trainings are conducted for the capacity building of staffs on various relevant themes.
- ❖ For the first time a meeting of all priests and religious engaged in social work Apostolate in the Diocese of Sagar was held at Manav Vikas on 3rd Dec 2016.
- ❖ With the help of benefactors from Germany, Israel and Spain we were able to distribute School Bags, winter woollen clothes to the children of slum.
- ❖ We provided drinking water to 5 most drought affected villages during summer season in June 2016.
- ❖ Childline Se Dosti week was celebrated amongst slum and Rural children with government officials in the 1st week of November 2016. Youth of Gyan Jyothi also participated in sports activities and conducted various programmes.
- ❖ We conducted Special Mahila Sabha in the villages wherein women from nearby villages come together and share their problems and issues.
- ❖ Swachtha Abhiyan was conducted in Sagar and Raisen districts wherein awareness on cleanliness towards one's environment was spread.
- ❖ One day Farmer's Meet with Experts program was held at Manav Vikas. Shri. Anuj Kumar, Ministry of Agriculture Dept, MP, Shri. Manoj Shrivastav, Rural Agriculture Extension officer, Shri. Suresh Mottuvani DDM, NABARD, Shri.Rajendra Kumar Chaubey, RAEO and Dr.S.K Singh, KVK, Sagar participated in the same. 110 farmers were trained and motivated through the programme.
- ❖ World Day of the sick: A Free Medical Camp was organized at Manav Vikas, Sagar for the sick. Representatives and Doctors from DHU, National Integrated Medical Association & Homeopathy Medical College and Research Center, Sagar provided free medical service to 800 patients.
- ❖ Education For All- Non formal School was inaugurated at Khaderi Kurd Village by Manav Vikas, Sagar. There are 32 children getting special classes.
- ❖ Job Fair was Organized by Manav Vikas Sagar for More than 300 Dropout skill Trained Youths. 4 National and 6 Regional Companies used this opportunity for their current vacancies.

- ❖ Mahila Diwas was celebrated in the village of Gidwani on 8th March 2017. The programme was for the first time conducted in village itself.

Future plans

Our aim for the next financial year is to bring more agencies and cover the remote and unreached areas and support the maximum poor and needy people through our services.

Conclusion

We express our sincere gratitude to our Bishop and SDSS community as a whole, all Fathers and Sisters those who have toiled very hard to make this year a very fruitful one. Really we are happy to say that we have entered and touched the lives of many during this reporting year.