

Manav Sansadhan Evam Mahila Vikas Sansthan

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Introduction:

Manav Sansadhan Evam Mahila Vikas Sansthan was established in 1990. Founded under the guidance and involvement of the esteemed social scientist and former Vice Chancellor of Mahatma Gandhi Kashi Vidyapeeth and Member of Parliament, Prof. Raja Ram Shastri. Prof. Shastri and many activists with Gandhian thoughts (Mr. M.L.Prajapati a terracotta / ceramic expert and worked with Khadi & Village Industries Commission, GoI, Mr. Chhote Lal Sharma, Editor of a evening news paper in Varanasi, and Dr. R.J.Vishwkarma , IMS BHU and few more social workers) founded MSEMVS dedicated to empowering marginalized communities and fostering societal transformation through social and economic empowerment of the women in the outskirts of Varanasi.

Goal: To support marginalized communities for equitable access to resources, services, and skills development, fostering their active participation for helping themselves.

Manav Sansadhan Evam Mahila Vikas Sansthan works on the issues of children, women and marginalized communities through awareness and facilitating education, health and livelihood services.

Manav Sansadhan Evam Mahila Vikas Sansthan core work are:

- Establishing and strengthening child protection mechanisms with communities and government bodies.
- Addressing issues of children's education and wellbeing for preventing them from child labour, child marriage and distressed migration by **prevention and protection** strategies.
- Facilitating Development for Children and adults through education, health , livelihood and leadership building.
- Supporting children to improve learning level
- Promoting youths for taking responsibilities of education and wellbeing of the children in their area.
- Engagement with Govt. for ensuring entitlements and welfare services of the people in marginalized communities residing in remote areas.

Manav Sansadhan Evam Mahila Vikas Sansthan works in Varanasi, Bhadohi, Mirzapur, Jaunpur , Meerut, Hapur and Chandauli in UP and Panipat in Haryana and Jaipur in Rajasthan.

Sustainable development of children in mining affected areas:

This project is being run in support of TDH/MISEROR in 20 villages of stone mining areas of Narayanpur and Jamalpur blocks of Mirzapur district. Its objective is to ensure sustainable development of children in mining affected areas. To achieve this objective, 20 child friendly centers are being run in the villages. In which 601 children are being supported in education. Along with this, awareness is created in villages and markets through street plays by 33 trained children on issues of child labour, child marriage and environment. On the occasion of World Sports Day, Kabaddi, high jump, rope jumping, race and other village level games were organized in which 407 girls and boys participated. 125 children were enrolled in school for education. To ensure education, sports, security, health facilities and rights of children, Village head, Secretary, Ward Members were given training on Gram Panchayat Development Plan. To create awareness about the health of families living in mining areas, people were examined at community health centers and sub-centers. They were helped to develop kitchen gardening. Also, sessions were conducted for children in schools about healthy diet and healthy habits. More than 100 plantations and cleanliness drives were conducted in villages for a healthy environment.

To bring a change in the lives of 52 women from mining families, they were linked to goat rearing, grocery shop, beauty shop, sewing and other employment under micro business under livelihood assistance. Also, the youth were given training in motor driving, computer and sewing.

Key Achievement :

S. No	Activities/Services	Achievements
1.	No. o Child Friendly Centres	20
2.	No. of Children reached (30 per center)	601
3.	No. of Children's Groups	20 (431 members in groups)
4.	No. of days of campaign activities	5
5.	No. of children participated	1000 Approx.
6.	No. of members sensitized	310
7.	No. of days	25
8.	No. of centers	15
9.	No. of children	451
10.	No. of Sports Tournament event	1 events (407 Children were participated)
11.	Cultural Team Formation (Street Theatre Trainings)	1 training (33 Children were participated)
12.	No. of SDMC supported	18 (270 Members in SMC)

13.	No. of SDMC trainings	3 (62 Members in SMC)
14.	No. of VCPC	20 (292 Members in vcpc)
15.	No. of members trained	2 (69 members trained)
16.	Children's Interface Meetings with Local Governance	1 (51 children were participated)
17.	No. of Health Review Camps	5 (250 community screened)
18.	No. of Trainings on Food Safety & Nutrition for Community	2 (254 community trained)
19.	No. of children sensitized (50 in each school)	18 Schools (1095 children)
20.	No. of Youth members to be trained	55
21.	No. of women's groups (Self Help Groups) in order to link them with NRLM- National Rural Livelihood Mission.	20 (398 Members these group)
22.	No. of trainings for women SHG leaders – Quarterly trainings	2 (66 women trained)
23.	No. of women supported for income generation programmes	52
24.	Interface meetings with mine owners	2
25.	No. of demands to raised from DMFT	2
26.	Trainings on Social and Development Schemes	20 (More 1000)
27.	State Level Meeting with Key Stakeholders	4 (204 stakeholders participated)
28.	Training of Gram Panchayat Members and Secretaries on GPDP and Child Friendly Villages	1 (31 members trained)





KAWACH Project :

The Project KAWACH Supported by British Asian Trust aims to “Children and families vulnerable to debt and child labour are linked to healthcare insurance, livelihoods and education schemes with the support of DCPU and panchayats” with component Health insurance, Education, Livelihood and Empowering Survivor groups. This Project is implemented in 160 communities of 5 districts (Varanasi, Bhadohi, Mirzapur, Chandauli and Jaunpur). And major Activities of project are:

- Awareness Generation activities for educating the people on Govt. services.
- Support and Facilitation to the community members to access the government services mainly NRLM, Health/PMJAY and Education Related services.
- Facilitating the school enrolment campaign of Govt. and ensuring enrolment of never enrolled and dropout children from vulnerable families.

- Strengthen and Activation of School Management Committee. And trained SMC members on child Protection issues.
- Develop & test toolkit (Checklist) for the SMC & SMDCs for identifying, enrolling & retaining vulnerable children of 6 to 18 years age group in school.
- Sensitization of community on drop out children and role of SMC/SMDC to ensure retention of children in school.
- Convergence meeting with DCPU, Education, Social Welfare, and labour department, SMCs/SMDC, Bal Sansad, Parents etc at Block & District level.
- Inclusion of child Protection component in Gram Panchayat Development Plan
- Integrating the child protection indicators in the NRLM framework so that families of at-risk children receive employment.
- Supporting vulnerable eligible families in accessing different livelihood options provided under Govt. program.
- Support health department to hold PMJAY camps/vaccination drives with NGO support in vulnerable communities.
- Run 7 Adult literacy centres for the adult learners especially women with the technical support of TCS- Tata Consultancy services.

MSEMVS implemented KAWACH project in 160 communities of 5 districts as following:

S. N	District	Block	Number of Village
1	Varanasi	2 (Sewapuri and Badagaon)	31
2	Bhadohi	2 (Bhadohi and Suriywan)	44
3	Mirzapur	1 (Jamalpur)	31
4	Chandauli	2 (Chakia and Sahabganj)	33
5	Jaunpur	2 (Jalalpur and Kerakat)	21
Total	5 Districts	9 Blocks	160 Village

Key Achievement :

Services		Achievement
1	Number of community groups supported Community Vigilance Committee (CVC)-160 Self Help Groups (SHG)-130 Youth Group-15	306 Groups with 6791 members
2	Number of Child Protection Committee (VLCPC, BCPC) supported VCPC-158 and BCPC-7	167
3	Number of School Management Committee Supported	205

4	Number of previously out-of-school children attending formal education (through SMC efforts at block / district)	13172
5	Number of Individuals linked under Ayushman Bharat card	37219
6	Number of Individual access service under Ayushman Bharat healthcare costs	303
7	Children link with educational entitlements (DBT, Books etc)	12211
8	Children link with social security scheme (Sponsorship Scheme, Bal Seva Yojna etc)	325
9	Livelihoods through NRLM for vulnerable families	1929
10	Number of survivors supported through alternative livelihood.	48
11	Number of women participated in Adult Literacy Program	104



Fostering Fee accountability and cost tracking (FFACT) Project : Supported by Free The Slaves:

The aim of the project was Promoting Worker safety in the India-Gulf Migration Corridor Project is to promote safe and fair migration and migrants' rights in the South Asia-Gulf migration corridor, using the strategy of awareness raising among migrants, migrant families and returnee migrants; and enhancing and facilitating access to Govt. services and remedy for migrants through existing and emerging technologies. This Project is implemented in 30 villages of 2 districts (Bhadohi and Mirzapur) And major Activities of project are:

- Awareness Generation among rural youth and potential migrants of 30 villages about unsafe migration to Gulf Corridor countries.
- Development and dissemination of Safe-Tips guide with do and don't while migrating to other countries in search of jobs.
- Promotion of PoE services and information dissemination activities.
- Capacity building of front line service providers including PRI, AWW,ASHA etc. on the issues of unsafe migration and safe tips guide.
- Capacity building of local villagers and youth on the issues and support the village level vigilance groups who educate the potential migrants about safety measures if he/she seeks to migrate.
- Education and awareness about the laws for migrants in Gulf Corridor countries, Pravasi Bhartiya Bima Yojna, check registered agents through the PoE website, link the workers with pre departure training institutions.
- Linkages with Skill India International Centre of the aspirants of working villages.





Child Friendly Communities -CFC Project supported by Goodweave International: Manav Sansadhan Evam Mahila Vikas Sansthan working in 55 Child Friendly Community very focused to create enabling environment to reducing the possibility of child labour by promoting access, enrolment, attendance, retention. Learning and other developmental activities through improved knowledge, awareness, sensitivity and action towards strengthening mechanisms within the project as well as in the Govt. The CFC intervention involved identifying vulnerable children in communities who are not enrolled in school or not attending schools, or have dropped out of school, or are working in the communities.

- **34** Motivational Learning Camps (MLCs) catered more than 2500 children through remedial educational support to achieve age-appropriate language and numeracy skills.
- **54** Bal Mitra Suraksha Samiti (BMSS) with a membership of averaging 12-15 members in each CFC community underwent the knowledge of weekly tracking of the children including support for the parents in order to send those children to school and MLC as well.
- **34** libraries established under the CFC project became the favourite place for the children in the communities.
- Children Group Meeting-Bal Sabha is one of the most interactive and engaging activities for the children. The Children Group Meetings conducted by almost all the communities.
- **105 Child Parliament** supported at Govt. schools and they performed well throughout the all four regions formed and facilitated in CFC villages.
- **75 SMC** were facilitated to focus on enrolment and retention of the children. Most of the SMCs actively participated in school enrolment drives and parents meetings.
- **45 more Youth leadership Groups** were formed and now 62 groups are in existence throughout all the four regions. Youth Leadership Group is one of the important strategies to make CFC sustainable.

Major Activities/services	Achievements
Household survey and Education ecosystem mapping - School Profiling, Community profiling, resource mapping done	52
HH survey done	29167
Establishing and operating MLC	34
Learning level assessment in order to support children to be in school	18873
No. of at risk children identified and served through education and learning support	15984
Support Parents meetings and follow up visits	366
Capacity building and handholding support to SMCs	75
Formation, training of the children parliaments	105
Formation, Capacity building and strengthening the BMSS (Bal Mitra Suraksha Samiti)	54
Youth Groups formation, capacity building and strengthening	62
Stakeholders mapping and Meetings and Networking with PRI and front line Govt. service providers to develop the Child Friendly Communities with ownership of the issues.	55





ILP: Enabling rural children to achieve appropriate grades in class education in 15 villages of Varanasi District supported by **India Literacy Project:**

District	Varanasi
Block	Baragaon
No. of Gram Panchayats	10
No. of Villages	15
No. of Anganwadi Centers	34 (26 AWCs + 8 Mini AWCs)
No. of Primary Schools & Upper Primary Schools	13

In the Baragaon Block 130 government school and 311 Anganwadi Centres. In the Project areas in 10 Gram Panchayats 13 Government Schools and 34 Aaganwadi center runs. In the project areas mostly people work in Brick Kilns, Domestic work and Agriculture areas. Most of the children predominantly of Brick Kiln Family do not attend school regularly due to lack of awareness about benefits of education. Many of the children of socially disadvantaged communities such as scheduled castes families, migrant families like brick kiln workers in villages attending the school of their first generation learners.

The program addresses the key priorities related to benefits of education and help to communities, schools and Anganwadi to Enroll and Retain vulnerable children in preschool and Schools in 10 Gram Panchayats.

The Program focuses on vulnerable communities children. We work in 10 Gram Panchayats in 15 Villages in 13 Schools and 34 Aaganbadi to ensure children are enrolled in school, attend school regularly and transition to higher grades while achieving desired learning competencies.

Key Achievement :

- 34 Anganwadi workers trained on Pre-education methods and activity-based teaching skills.
- 10 Anganwadi Centres created as a model Anganwadi Centres.
- 10 Anganwadi workers implemented activity-based learning methods and child friendly interaction in 15 villages.
- 175 New children enrolled in Anganwadi centres with support of ILP project work
- 15 VLCs - Village Learning Centres started in 15 villages.

- 338 Children enrolled in VLCs and learned in through VLCs
- 73 Children showed improvement in learning level.



V4F: Education Support for Children

Manav Sansadhan Evam Mahila Vikas Sansthan is implementing its education project through Remedial coaching in the community of the most deprived section in the society under the V4F project. This project is implanting in 2 districts (Bhadohi & Jaunpur) of Uttar Pradesh. This project works through strengthening the Education, Health and Livelihood. Manav Sansadhan Evam Mahila Vikas Sansthan provides learning improvement support to the children according to the standard of the government school and teaching at the right level. There are 20 remedial coaching centres running this year and major activities are as under -

- Providing learning support, Play and sport support and recreational support to the children of Vanvasi/Dalit Community mainly Brick Kiln Labour family children through remedial Coaching.
- Support the children through the TaRL techniques and Multi Level Teaching methods.
- Providing Nutritions to the children of Remedial coaching.
- Supporting the families to enroll and retain the children in government school.
- Providing vocational skill training to the community women and youths.
- Educating community members about the government schemes and benefits and supporting community members in accessing the government services and help them to register in those schemes.
- Organizing the EDP (Entrepreneurship development program) to the community members to develop their micro business and providing income generation programs to make them economically resilient.
- Supporting the community members in kitchen gardening and educating them to use the green vegetables in their meal.

S.N	Services	Achievement
1.	Number of children received the educational support through remedial coaching	1066
2.	Number of children received the nutritious food everyday	1066
3.	Number of Children supported to retained into government school	548
4.	Number of community members received the micro business & Vocational Skill training including Entrepreneurship development program	494
5.	Formation of children groups	04

6.	Number Children received information about the child protection issues, help line numbers of the government's services	615
7.	Support the community members in accessing the government services	6862
8	No. of women's groups (Self Help Groups) in order to link them with NRLM- National Rural Livelihood Mission.	63 SHGs (741 women)





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The project objective to make adolescent girls and women healthy by promoting health education and access to quality health services in 10 villages of Suriyawa block in Bhadohi district and 10 villages in Jaunpur district, while promoting entrepreneurship, sustainable agriculture and competitive skills for village men, women and youth through multi-stakeholder participation and creating an enabling environment for long-term sustainability.

S.N	Services	Achievement
1.	BCC Sessions conducted with adolescent girl and women on anemia , & nutrition, MHM, RTI/STI	4000
2.	To find out the status of anemia among women and adolescents, anemia tests were conducted with women and adolescents.	1500
3.	Established a Youth learning center in 2 villages. Youth prepare for competitive exams in this center.	140 Youth
4.	The women selected for employment were given 2 days training on life skills to bring about a change in their life.	60
5.	The selected women were given 2 days of skill development training. These women were trained in goat rearing, poultry farming, sewing, carpet, shop business.	30
6.	The Facilitated collaboration among stakeholders to promote convergence and create an enabling environment for accessing and leveraging resources of government schemes focusing on health and livelihood issues in 10 villages.	526



