

# APPLE

## ANNUAL REPORT

**APRIL-2022 TO MARCH -2023**

**WEST GODAVARI DIST.**

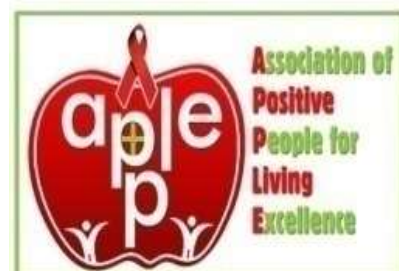


**ASSOCIATION OF POSITIVE PEOPLE FOR LIVING EXCELLENCE (APPLE)**

**21<sup>ST</sup> Division, Kothuru Road, Beside Electrical Sub Station,  
Vangayagudem , ELURU -WEST GODAVARI PIN-534001.**

**Annual Report April-2022 to March-2023**

[APPLE](#) Stands for: -



**Association of  
Positive  
People for  
Living  
Excellence**

**Introduction of the Organization: -**

Association of Positive People for Living Excellence - Apple is a non-profitable community-based organization for people living with HIV/AIDS in West Godavari District. Ten people living with HIV/AIDS who experienced the stigma and discrimination and other related consequences came together and started working collectively with common vision in West Godavari District during the year 2002 and got registered under the Societies Registration Act 35 of 2001 on 15th September 2003 named as “Association of Positive People for Living Excellence” (APPLE).

APPLE has merged as a district level network, affiliated to Telugu Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS [TNP+ State level network of Andhra Pradesh, and to the National Level Network INP+.

J. Siva Krishna is the President of the organization. APPLE created a floor for voicing and advocating various issues related to People Living with HIV/AIDS in West Godavari District and extended its support services through providing counseling, medical treatment, positive living, support group meetings, Advocacy meetings with stake holders, and capacity building etc....

**PRESIDENT MESSAGE:-**



I am very proved to say that, our organization gave a good scope for working with PLHIV Community. APPLE created platform to raise are voice on various issues raised to people living with HIV/AIDS in West Godavari District Mandal floor provides lot of space for asserting our rights through Advocacy and extended its support Services through providing counseling, medical treatment, positive living, Support group meeting, capacity building etc...

I am glad to submitting our annual report of APPLE for the year 2022-23. It witnessed that the APPLE provided better strengthening of the project activates in the district by providing information and propagate on HIV/AIDS Epidemic and its treatment Adherence (including ART) with a number of PLHIV in the community and organizing of Support Group Meetings and Advocacy meetings to make a link from community to society. In this context APPLE played a catalyst role for positive living and reliance among the community.

I am happy to express my heartfelt warm thanks to the board Members for their team effort and support to implementation of projects.

**President**

**JAGARLAMUDI SIVA KRISHNA**

## **LIST OF BOARD MEMBERS.**

<b>S.NO</b>	<b>NAME OF THE BOARD</b>	<b>DESIGNATION</b>
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	<b>MEMBERS</b>	
1	J.SIVAKRISHNA	PRESIDENT
2	M.VEERABHADRAMMA	VICE PRESIDENT
3	Y. PRAVEENA	SECRETARY
4	D. MADHAVI	JOINT SECRETARY
5	K. RAMA DEVI	TREASURER
6	P. RAMESH	EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER
7	A. BHIMA RAJU	EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER
8	B VENKATALAXMI	EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER
9	G.DURGA	EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER

## 1. Organizational Profile:

**Name of the organization** : Association of Positive People for Living Excellence

**Short Title** : APPLE

**Address** : Beside Electrical substation, Kothuru Vanagayagudem, 21st Division, Eluru, West Godavari District, Pin -534001

**Phone numbers** : 08812-246385 & 243269

**E-Mail Address** : appleorg5@gmail.com

**Date of Formation** : 15<sup>th</sup> September 2003

**Registration Number** : 348

**Status of the organization** : APPLE, Community Based Organization

**Affiliated to** : **Telugu Network of People Living  
With HIV/AIDS**

**Total Enrolment** : **13175**

**Area of operation** : **West Godavari District**

### **VISION:**

**To improve the quality of life of people living with HIV/AIDS in West Godavari District.**

### **OBJECTIVES:-**

- To access free medical treatment for people living with HIV/AIDS.
- To provide Psycho social support.
- To provide capacity building for people living with HIV/AIDS through training programs.
- To advocate the issues of people living with HIV/AIDS.
- To support for PLHIV with Government Linkages
- To conduct support group meetings for people living with HIV/AIDS.

- To form self help groups for HIV infected women.
- To provide services to HIV infected/affected children.
- To create greater involvement of people living with HIV/AIDS.

To conduct Advocacy meeting with various departments to solve the PLHIV issues.

## APPLE- ACTIVITIES:-

- ☞ Every Monday participating in “Spandana” Programme at Collectorate for PLHA’s Legal, Advocacy & Any other Issues.
- ☞ Providing necessary information on HIV/AIDS.
- ☞ Organizing Get- to- Gather meetings.
- ☞ Providing referral services to care and supporting centers ART centers and also referring to Government programs.
- ☞ Identifying the infected children's and providing necessary needs with the help of other NGO’s.
- ☞ Referral services are provided to STI, T.B.
- ☞ Infected Children referred to Infected Children’s Home.
- ☞ Organizing Emergency meetings.

- ☞ Affected Children referrers to Hostels for Care and Support.
- ☞ Providing peer counseling facilities for PLHA'S.
- ☞ Helping Fund Boxes are mobilized in varies public places for Infected and Affected Children School Fees & Medical Support Purpose.
- ☞ Mobilize local community resources to meet PLHIV and their children needs.

## **No. of Running Projects: -**

APPLE is present working on below project:

### **1. Vihaan CSC**

#### **Project : 1**

#### **VIHAAN –CSC Back ground:-**

The *Vihaan* project developed by Alliance India is based on the guidance provided by NACO for the care and support component of a well synchronized treatment, care and support focused intervention; where treatment is managed by NACO (including that of O. Is) and care and support by civil society interventions. The strategy of implementation of the project is being completely revamped to ensure cost effectiveness and appropriate services to the community, as well as to ensure integration within NACP IV at the end of the project.

According to NACP IV, Care Support Centers (CSCs) will be set up across the country to respond to the care and support needs of PLHIV. A

longer-term aim of the proposal is also to set up an enabled and competent system of civil society organizations and local government system partnership which can take over care and support activities much beyond the project time frame.

As per instructions of the NACO from June 2022 onwards the vihaan programme is going under APSACS (Andhra Pradesh State Aids Control Society) level for monitoring. In this purpose in our state 12 Care and Support Centre's are under control of APSACS.

## **Project Goal:**

**“To improving the Survival of Quality of Life of People Living with HIV/AIDS “**

## **Objectives:**

1. Early linkages of PLHIV to Care, Support and treatment services
2. Improved treatment adherence and education for PLHIV
3. Expanded positive prevention activities
4. Improved social protection and wellbeing of PLHIV
5. Strengthened community systems and reduced stigma and Discrimination.

## **Staff Details under the Project:**

**From April 2022 to May 31<sup>st</sup> 2022**

S.No	Name	Designation	Trained/ Not Trained	Staff Turnover Details
1	J.Siva Krishna	Project Director	Yes	No
2	P. Srinivasa Rao	Project Coordinator	Yes	No
3	O. Dhara lakshmi	ORW - 1	Yes	No
4	N. Saraswathi	ORW - 2	Yes	Not working from June 1 <sup>st</sup> 2022
5	G. Padmaja	ORW - 3	Yes	Not working from June 1 <sup>st</sup> 2022
6	A. Bhimaraju	ORW - 4	Yes	No
7	K.V. Subbamma	ORW - 5	Yes	Not working from June 1 <sup>st</sup> 2022
8	S. Ramesh	ORW - 6	Yes	No
9	P. Ramesh	ORW - 7	Yes	No
10	Ch. Lakshmi	ORW - 8	Yes	Not working from June 1 <sup>st</sup> 2022
11	K. Srinivasarao	ORW - 9	Yes	No
12	Y. Praveena	ORW - 10	Yes	Not working from June 1 <sup>st</sup> 2022
13	P. S. Naidu	ORW - 11	Yes	No
14	S. Adi lakshmi	Part time Accountant	Yes	No

**From June 1<sup>st</sup> 2022 on wards**

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1	J.Siva Krishna	Project Director	Yes	No
2	P. Srinivasa Rao	Project Coordinator	Yes	No
3	P. Ramesh	Peer Counselor	Yes	No
4	S. Adilakshmi	Accountant Cum M&E	Yes	No
5	O. Dhara lakshmi	ORW - 1	Yes	No
6	A. Bhimaraju	ORW - 2	Yes	No
7	K. Srinivasarao	ORW - 3	Yes	No
8	P. S. Naidu	ORW - 4	Yes	No
9	S. Ramesh	ORW - 5	Yes	No

Indictors	Total
No. of ART Centers	6
No. of LAC	5
No of STI Clinics	4

No of PPTCTs	3
No of TI's	4
No of Blood Banks	10
No of PLHIV's in the District	35196
No of PLHIV ever ON ART	12654
No of PLHIV currently ON ART	18303
No of PLHIV ever on Pre-ART	26262
No of LFU in the district (if two CSC are in the same dist. Plz write respective ART LFUs)	Eluru-78 & Bhimavaram-121 &Jangareddigudem 3

## ENROLMENT IN VIHAAN PROJECT: -

### 1. Registration:

A) Client Registration							
Indicator No.	A) Registration during reporting Year	Male	Female	Transgender	Male Children (<15 Yrs.)	Female Children (<15 Yrs.)	Total
A.1	Pre ART	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.2	On ART	264	240	1	10	2	517
A.3	<b>Total registration</b>	264	240	1	10	2	<b>517</b>

**Description:** During this year the registration of Pre ART is **0** and ON ART registration is **517**. Total registration is **517** is the **outcome** of the Vihaan programme. We have registered all clients those who are shared from the ARTC's.

### 1. in Referrals:

<b>B) Referred From (In Referral)</b>							
<b>Indicator No.</b>	<b>In Referral</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Transgender</b>	<b>Male Children (&lt;15 Yrs.)</b>	<b>Female Children (&lt;15 Yrs.)</b>	<b>Total</b>
B.1	ART Centre	183	167	1	8	1	<b>360</b>
B.2	Link ART Centre	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
B.3	ICTC Center	2	2	0	0	0	<b>4</b>
B.4	PPTCT center	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
B.5	DOTS Centre	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
B.6	NGO/CBO/PLHIV Network	0	1	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
B.7	Government Hospital	3	1	0	0	0	<b>4</b>
B.8	MSM TI	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
B.9	Walk In/Self	76	69	0	2	1	<b>148</b>
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>517</b>

**Description:** During this year we achieved total **517** in referral in the in-referral registration.

### Mechanism of Registration:

<b>Indicator No.</b>	<b>Mechanism of Registration</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Transgender</b>	<b>Male Children (&lt;15 Yrs.)</b>	<b>Female Children (&lt;15 Yrs.)</b>	<b>Total</b>
<b>C.1</b>	Counselling in	262	238	1	10	2	<b>513</b>

	CSC/Helpdesk						
<b>C.2</b>	LFU tracked back to ART	2	1	0	0	0	<b>3</b>
<b>C.3</b>	Missed case follow up	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>C.4</b>	Pre-ART Registration	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>C.5</b>	CD4 follow up	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>C.6</b>	Testing of partner/spouse, children and family member	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>C.7</b>	Hospital /clinical referrals (OI management, side effects, general ailment, TB, STI treatment)	0	1	0	0	0	<b>1</b>
<b>C.8</b>	Social Protection	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>C.9</b>	Social entitlements	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>264</b>	<b>240</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>517</b>

During this year we registered total **517** clients by providing service delivery to the clients.

### Out Referral during the year:

D) Out Referral during the year							
Indicator No.	Places to where the PLHIV are referred from CSC during the reporting Month	Male	Female	Transgender	Male Children (<15 Yrs.)	Female Children (<15 Yrs.)	Total
<b>D.1</b>	ART Centre	12	26	0	0	0	<b>38</b>

<b>D.2</b>	LINK ART	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>D.3</b>	DOTS Centre	59	76	0	1	0	<b>136</b>
<b>D.4</b>	NGO/CBO/PLHIV Network	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>D.5</b>	Govt. hospital	10	13	0	0	0	<b>23</b>
<b>D.6</b>	STI Clinic	0	4	0	0	0	<b>4</b>
<b>D.7</b>	Other Health Care	3	4	0	0	0	<b>7</b>
	MTH	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
<b>D.8</b>	Others	0	0	0	0	0	<b>0</b>
	<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>84</b>	<b>123</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>208</b>

Total out referral during the year is **208**.

### **SUPPORT GROUP MEETINGS**

On today (07-12-2022) we have conducted the Support Group Meeting in ART Center premises in Bhimavaram ART Center with participated clients. In this meeting 16 members are participated in different villages in Bhimavaram and Akiveedu mandal. In this process we have talked about Social Welfare schemes and Social Entitlements. As per APSACS instructions by Zoom call and mail communications by APD Sir, all the HIV Clients must have been taking any welfare to get the government. So that based on this from the last month on wards we have follow up

the all cases (those who are came to ART Center for taking medicines) and taking data from them at the ART Center and then the same data update in the Google spread sheet by daily based.

Then the same topic discussed in the group and then they said that in this group we are all already we are getting benefit from the government, but more clients are having not get the any benefit from the government. we have update them and came to ART and met to staff at ART Center for updating status. And finally said that as per SACS PD instructions all the eligible clients are getting any scheme from the government side. And then all the participated clients are gratitude to staff for share new information about the schemes.

**SGM\_Bhimvaram ART Center 07-12-2022**

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On today (21-12-2022) we have conducted the Support Group Meeting in Community Hall, Palakollu with participated clients. In this meeting 16 members are participated in different villages in Palakollu and Yalamanchili mandals. In this process we have talked about Social Welfare schemes and Social Entitlements. As per APSACS instructions by Zoom call and mail communications by APD Sir, all the HIV Clients must have been taking any welfare to get the government. So that based on this from the last month on wards we have follow up the all cases ( those who are came to ART Center for taking medicines) and taking data from them at the ART Center and then the same data update in the Google spread sheet by daily based.

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**SGM\_\_\_Community Hall, Palakollu 21-12-2022**

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### **WEEKLY REVIEW MEETING**

As per our Vihaan CSC Program guidelines every week ending on Saturday, we had conducting weekly review meeting with the all-outreach staff in the office. In this meeting we had discussed what outreach staff doing in the week like old cases follow ups and Ifu's(5 categories) follow up and eligible for ictc testing's clients follow up , TB Testing's clients follow up , case studies which the client has bring to our notice for issues and wrote the letter to us and try to immediately to solved it. As well as in the forth coming week we have given the micro plan for all outreach to reach our program activities.

And moreover, in the meeting we had taken data from all staff those who have done the activity for this week and then also given suggestions for them to do the work in better way. And discussing & planning on program activities like Support Group Meeting and Advocacy Meeting (Once in a Quarter), for Local Resource Mobilization to follow up Local Donors and also taking registration data from the staff to update in the website of Client Management and Information System.



**WEEKLY REVIEW MEETING PHOTO AT APPLE VIHAAN CSC, ELURU**

### **MONTHLY REVIEW MEETING.**

We had conducted Monthly Review Meeting in Every Month. In this regard we have conduct 12 monthly review meetings From April 2021 to March 2022. In that meeting we had checked all program related documents for the month of that and also we had verified all program related documents from all Out Reach Staff. As well as we have physical verification of all staff diaries ,lfus feed back details, Referral books, data updating in their daily diaries of all our staff, Registrations for all, ICTC Testing details, RNTCP details, Regular support group meetings (Twice in a month) will be organized and information on various themes will be provided to build skills of PLHIV to lead quality life. And reviewed all the ORW's

performance According to that we have given feedback and this year we have to improve in registrations and counseling.

Particularly in the month of March we have conduct Review Meeting on 25th due to SR instructions because of Program ending of this month. So that they said that all activities are complete the end of the month and moreover given 3 months transition period for all CSC's. We have reached all activities and updated in the CMIS (Client Management and Information System). As well as we have updated in the input module regarding outreach data like section H, J & K by outreach wise. We have taken all diaries, lfu's line lists, follow up formats and common format for newly initiated and 80% ART Adherence cases from all outreach staff, before that we have collected the all Tabs from our staff and secure in the office as per Vihaan staff level instructions.



**MONTHLY REVIEW MEETING IN APPLE VIHAAN CSC, ELURU**



**ICTC Review Meeting Conducted by Mrs. G. Ratna Kumari ADM& HO  
(Aids & Leprosy) at DAPCU in Eluru**

## **Local Resource Mobilization for the -2022-2023**

<b>Sl . N</b>	<b>Name of the CSC</b>	<b>No of PL</b>	<b>Date of suppo</b>	<b>Name of the Donor</b>	<b>Type of suppo</b>	<b>Type of material</b>	<b>Each Person benefit</b>	<b>Total worth of mobilizati</b>	<b>R e m</b>
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1	APPLE	20 25 35 20 30 100 10	every month	Pastor Peter New Hope Org Pastor Vijay Bhasker Pastor Kishor	Life Time	Ragi Floor - 2 KG, Jaggery - KG, Peanuts Nuts Packet - 1kg. Dates packet - 1kg	25*500 35*500 20*1200 30*500	69000*12 =828000	
						<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>828000</b>	

During this Year we mobilized resource mobilization of worth **828000/-** for the welfare of PLHIVs.

### Stigma and discrimination for PLHIV Clients:

K) Incidents of Stigma and Discrimination during Year

Indicator No.	Source of Incidence	Male	Female	Transgender	Male Children (<15 Yrs.)	Female Children (<15 Yrs.)	Total
K.2	Family members		5	0	0	0	5
K.3	Neighbours		1	0	0	0	1
K.11	<b>Grand Total</b>		6	0	0	0	6

During the period we found total **6** stigma and discriminations from family members and Neighbors **1** . We effectively solved **6** Cases and reported with the help of DRT Team.

### **ART-CSC COORDINATION MEETINGS.**

As per instructions of APSACS every ART Centre will be conducting ART CSC Coordination meeting with related Care and Support Centre in every month and discussed priority clients line list share and get feedback to ART Centre with definite outcomes and at the meeting time both (ART & CSC) staff are sitting and discussed with various topics and also reduce the lfu's in art centre. And also meanwhile DAPCU also participate and discuss on difficulties at field level and they had given solutions for issues and also on behalf of CSC all the ORW's spoke their issues at ground level identifications and ask them at meeting.

**Date : 28.12.2022**

**Place : ART Center, Bhimavaram.**

Today we have attended for ART CSC Coordination Meeting in bhimvaram ART Center at 12.00 PM. Senior Medical Officer Mr. Govind Babu and Medical Officer Mr. K. Rambabu is presided over of this meeting. All the APPLE Vihaan staff under working of this ART is attended. And also, all ART Staff are participated in this meeting. First of all, Doctor asking Ifus feedback by Out Reach Worker wise. They gave to be initiated cases, Miss Cases, lost to follow up cases, newly or initiated cases and less than 80% ART Adherence cases for this month. Firstly, asking ORW wise data and review in depth about Ifus because of more cases are having Incorrect

Address. We said that we have also verified with white cards at Center, but in that also the same address will be there. After that they had asking.

. We had given for all cases data those cases with complete feedback. And then Doctor asking outreach staff what you faced any problem in the field level when tracing lfu clients in the middle of the meeting they asking opted out cases, we said that we have follow up these types of cases in this month. If write the data format put the separate when they came back. We have focused on this to reduce the number and at the same time all the lfu cases are become back.

Finally, SMO Satisfied with the feedback of all cases because of more cases bring back for this month and also, we will try to next month onwards to given more cases bring back. Again, they are asking about to be initiated cases put the medicine for these two cases (Those who are willing to come) Apple vihaan staff sharing their field level issues. So that based on this so many problems we will not traced and get back more cases for art. And moreover, again asking 9 kind of Priority client line list for follow up. For this month they had given CD4<200 cases and HIV-TB Co infections line list.



ART CSC COORDINATION MEETING IN BHIMAVARAM ART CENTRE



ART CSC COORDINATION MEETING IN ELURU ART CENTRE

## MAJOR EVENTS.

### Support Group Meetings:

As per CSC guide lines and SR Instructions we have conduct two Support Group Meetings in Specific areas for every month under APPLE CSC Outreach Workers Working mandal premises. And also, we follow S R instructions every month and given one topic for discussing on it at the time of Meeting conducted those who attend the meeting at their premises. First of all, we introduced to them and we had explained our topic and then they had discussed on it in the group meeting and finally they asked what they need and how fulfill their accomplishment through our program. The same process will be continued in every month at the movement and also do the accompanied services for clients.

As per instructions of our higher officials at least 15 to 18 members should participate in the group meeting and discuss on necessity topic and also csc has been given how to solve the issues at their level. As well as we meet to stake holders to solve this issue at an early stage without delay. And at the same time, we explain our csc activities and expand to positive prevention services to all HIV/AIDS Clients. In this year we have conducted 24 meetings in our csc working premises area on those topics and solved it.



APPLE CSC ORW-01 CONDUCTED SUPPORT GROUP MEETING IN ELURU WITH CLIENTS



SUPPORT GROUP MEETING IN BHIMAVARAM UNDER ORW 04 OF K. SRINIVASARAO

# NUTRITION PROGRAM

Dates : 14.05.2022

Place : Savior Charitable Trust, Y S R Colony, Eluru

On today at Y S R Colony in Eluru under Saviour Charitable Trust has been given nutrition for 50 CLHIV and PLHIV Clients. The founder of this trust Mr. Father Peter garu given every month for this nutrition. Before that they had intimate for us about this nutrition , we have gathered clients from different villages in the Eluru mandal and also identify the needy person. We have follow up these clients before day and then in the next day (Sunday) at 3.00PM they came to nutrition support center for those who are inform to them.

When gathered all clients, Father Peter did the prayer all safe side of all families and then asking their welfare of clients and their family members. And also express their opinions and needs. At 5.00PM they have been arranged the dinner for all participated clients and put the meals at that time. After completion of meals then they had given nutrition for all those who are participated clients. They had given up to 10 types of items in the one packet. It was worth more than Rs. 600/-. All the clients are needy and poor people. They said that gratitude to them when they came back.



## CANDLE LIGHT MEMORIAL DAY 2022

**Date:** 15<sup>th</sup> May 2022

**Venue:** Government General Hospital, Eluru.

The Program started at 6 pm at Government General Hospital, Eluru. First of all Honorable DM & HO Mr. B.Ravi Spoke to the audience. He said that we need to create awareness about HIV/AIDs and also, he said that every year 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of May Month we observe as an International Candle Light Memorial Day and we remember all those who died due to HIV/AIDs. We pray them their soul may attain moksha. Also, he said that now HIV is decreasing but still we need to bring awareness so that we get a society without HIV. As per government instructions every year they have given one slogan for this purpose. For this year **“Take action and Live beyond HIV”** it means in telugu as **“HIV NIVAARANA CHARYALU CHEPADUTOO DAANINI ADIGAMIDDAAM”**

DM & HO Dr. Ravi Spoke saying that we need to create awareness and we need to bring down discrimination towards People Living with HIV/Aids. In this program, G. Ratna Kumari ADM&HO said that for every HIV Client should have nutrition benefit from the NGO's and CBO's. They have mobilized the nutrition from

the donors those who are given for them. They invite me to distribute the nutrition at their level and also participated DAPCU Staff, Red Cross Chairman Mr. B.V. Krishna Reddy, and then spoke that District Youth Welfare Officer Mr. Kishore we have always given moral and mental support to HIV Clients to strengthen their life in the society compare with all others. NGOs and CBOs and APPLE Network President Mr. J. Siva Krishna and Hospital Staff, local communities are Participated.

Then we are all with Lighted Candles in the hand made a rally from Government Hospital to Fire station Centre and then went back to same place we started the rally and kept all the candles in a red ribbon symbol and kept silence for 5 minutes praying for all those who died living with HIV. And then disburse all of them from that place.





**ADM &HO Madam conducted Press meet after completion of Rally on this day at Government Hospital, Eluru.**



APPLE CSC STAFF IN VIJAYAWADA FOR ORIENTATION TRAINING FOR ALL CSC'S UNDER APSACS FROM 13 TO 15 JUNE 2022



# NUTRITION PROGRAM

Date : 19.06.2022

Place : Bridge of Hope Society, Y S R Colony, Eluru

On the above date at Y S R Colony in Eluru under bridge of Hope Society has been given nutrition for 50 CLHIV and PLHIV Clients and also given Horlicks bottles for 10 CLHIV Clients. The founder of this trust Mr. Father John garu given every month for this nutrition. Before that they had intimate for us about this nutrition, we have gathered clients from different villages in the Eluru Mandal and also identify the needy person. We have followed up these clients before day and then in the next day (Sunday) at 9.00AM they came to nutrition support center for those who are inform to them.

When gathered all clients at 11 AM, Father John and Peter did the prayer all safe side of all families and then asking their welfare of clients and their family members. And also express their opinions and needs. At 1.00PM they have been arranged Lunch for all participated clients and put the meals at that time. After completion of meals then they had given nutrition for all those who are participated clients. They had given up to 10 types of items in the one packet. It was worth more than Rs. 600/-. All the clients are needy and poor people. They said that gratitude to them when they came back.



Name of the event	ICTC REVIEW MEETING
Date of Event Conducted	16.07.2022
Place of event Conducted	DAPCU OFFICE, ELURU

*Name of the Participants with designations:*

Dr. Mary Ratnakumari , ALTO(Aids, Leprosy and Tuberculosis Officer); Incharge DPM Mr. Harinadh, P.O Vijayalakshmi TI Ngo's Staff, ICTC and ART Counselors and data manager from all ART Centers in Eluru district, SAATHI staff, DSRC; PPTCT staff; YRG Care T C Mr. Siva; APPLE Project Director Mr. J. Siva Krishna; Project Coordinator Mr.P. Srinivasarao etc...

And also they asked about all lfu's feedback by art center wise and lfu's wise.

We had given all the lfu's feedback with supportive evidenced and after that they had only focused on back to art cases. Also they asked mainly back to art and suggested to us to give more cases feedback from next month onwards. We had given complete follow up for all cases and given along with data validation sheet. They have satisfied, they said that if focus more on lfu's can give and bring them back to art more cases. We assured to them from next month we will try to bring back more cases.

And then they had discussed on Pre art registrations, when identified a new client then what you do asking for all ICTC Centers Counselor, they said that given counseling when newly identified and then refer to Pre art registrations. At the movement AD & HO interfere there is no coordination between ICTC and ART Center , so that if identified at ICTC take responsibility up to registration at Pre ART center, as well as ART Center staff also coordinate with ICTC staff when complete of the pre art registration intimate to ICTC and told them to Pre ART Registration Number also. If it is continue the process there is no gap between ICTC and ART Center. We wish them to do the same process and maintain good reciprocal relations between them. And finally asked to PD what your suggestions for smooth running of this project. PD said that all ARTC s are conduct meetings in a proper way and also given data in time for follow up and get good result.





APPLE CSC PD TALKED WITH ALLIANCE TECHNICAL COORDINATOR ON 29-06-2022 IN APPLE OFFICE

# **NUTRITION PROGRAM**

Dates: 31.07.2022

Place: Savior Charitable Trust, Y S R Colony, Eluru

On today at Y S R Colony in Eluru under Saviour Charitable Trust has been given nutrition for 50 CLHIV and PLHIV Clients. The founder of this trust Mr. Father Peter garu given every month for this nutrition. Before that they had intimate for us about this nutrition, we have gathered clients from different villages in the Eluru mandal and also identify the needy person. We have followed up these clients before day and then in the next day (Sunday) at 3.00PM they came to nutrition support center for those who are inform to them. We have followed up of the needy clients every month, but in the priority basis we have gathered and support them.

When gathered all clients, Father Peter did the prayer all safe side of all families and then asking their welfare of clients and their family members. And also express their opinions and needs. At 5.00PM they have been arranged the dinner for all participated clients and put the meals at that time. After completion of meals then they had given nutrition for all those who are participated clients. They had given up to 10 types of items in the one packet. It was worth more than Rs. 600/-. All the clients are needy and poor people. They said that gratitude to them when they came back



# NUTRITION PROGRAM

Place : Leprosy Colony in Hanuman Nagar, Date : 02.08.2022.  
Donors : Dowla Trust, Nandigama.  
Participants : P. Deva Sahayam ,Retd. Head Master; Dr. P. Mani Anand; Pastor Raju, Eluru; J. Siva Krishna, APPLE Project Director, P. Srinivas, Project Coordinator; Local Outreach Staff..

Today we have gathered the PLHIV Clients for Nutrition Program at Leprosy Colony in Hanuman Nagar in Eluru. We have gathered from different places in Eluru mandal those who need and very poor clients. At 11 AM gathering in one place for 25 PLHIV Clients in Colony. And then donors came from Nandigama along with Nutrition packets in Tempo Van, and then they are asking details of Clients and talk to them and moreover, they are asking what they need and wrote on a paper.

And then distributed the Nutrition packets for every client. They had given one Rice packet it contains 10 kgs, Dall packet 1 kg and Cooking Oil packet 1 kg. Each client has worth in Rs.800/-. All are very happy and thankful to them, because of they are very needy and poor clients.



Name of the event	ART CSC COORDINATION MEETING
Date of Event Conducted	09.09.2022
Place of event Conducted	ART CENTER, BHIMAVARAM.

Name of the Participants with designations:

Dr. Govindbabu, Senior Medical Officer; Mr. Rambabu, Medical Officer, ARTC Bhimavaram; all counselors, data managers and other staff, APPLE Vihaan CSC Project Coordinator Mr.P. Srinivas, out reach workers, and Share India Out Reach Staff; YRG Care outreach staff etc....

Today we have attended for ART CSC Meeting in Bhimavaram ART Center. Senior Medical Officer Mr. Govind Babu presided over of this meeting and Medical Officer Mr. Ram babu also participated. APPLE CSC P.C and Outreach staff is participated. First of all Doctor asking all kind (Priority line list) of lfu's feed back by Out Reach Worker wise. Already they gave Miss Cases, Lost to follow up cases and newly or initiated cases for this month for this month. As per APSACS mail communication for every month before 12<sup>th</sup> has been conducting ART Coordination meeting with concern CSC and other partners for getting good feedback. So that based on this today meeting was conduct by ART Center. SMO said that in the meeting again and again we have followed up of willing cases for put the medicine and extend the clients lifespan.

Immediately all the outreach staff focused on this eve and follows up all clients those who are avail take them immediately and did the routine tests and start the art treatment. In this process outreach staff also take call to SMO when meet the client to talk to them. And finally, every client has been put on art and continues their life with their family members happily. Not spare regarding willing cases, all the cases are brought back.

Meanwhile SMO said that we are all taking precautions before going to field to bring back cases and other field level issues. And also in this month lfu's drive conducted by the APSACS Team and focus on Pre ARR lfu's and opted out cases. And given instructions to all ART Centers in the A P and do the follow up immediately and update in the google sheet by every day feedback. May be all of you maintain social distance, wearing masks, and using sanitization frequently to avoid the corona crisis. Then all staff said their field level problem with examples. And one more thing is Doctor asking and talking to clients by phone when you have to go to field visit for taking feedback from the clients. At the same time is there any problem facing at immediately call me I talked to them and sensitize to them for bring back to art. And also said that before month conduct state level meeting on art performance, but our district performance is very low and getting low result.

So that we have facing very struggle for my work, but mainly focus on art center wise lfu's. So we request to apple staff all the lfu's cases given feedback promptly. And try to more cases get back to art with





APPLE PD TALKED WITH CLIENTS AT BALAJI NAGAR HEALTH CAMP ON 24-11-2022



AT HEALTH CAMP DISTRIBUTED CLOTHS AND NUTRITION SUPPORT BY DONORS

**Date: 02-12-2022**

**Place: ART Center, Eluru...**

**Participants: ART Staff and Clients at ART Center and CSC Staff...**

**Sub: To create awareness in clients on social welfare/Entitlement schemes regarding...**

Today we have conducted the Advocacy meeting in Eluru ART center with all the ART Staff and clients those who are taking the medicine on this day. At 12.30 PM we have gathered at ART Center outside with all the staff and clients. At that our Project Director spoke that regarding social welfare and Nutrition support for PLHIV needy clients. In this regard as per APSACS APD Instructions all the clients have been benefitted any one scheme. In this process we have taking the data at ART Center till November 20<sup>th</sup> on wards. We have updated data from clients those who are visited at art center for taking medicine. When we take the on daily basis and the same data update in the Google spread sheet sent by SACS Team. We have taken the data at art center for all those clients and wrote eligible and not eligible for welfare schemes and which schemes got by the clients. For this end of the month, we will update all the data in google spread sheet. And also explain about ART Pensions. Who are already applied for the pension Government already released pensions on priority basis and they said that throughout State government release more pensions for clients? In this regard we have focus on if the client eligible for pension, but not received yet clients.

And then we have discussed on Nutrition support for PLHIV clients. In the earlier we have followed up donors with the support of Y R G Care unit. After completion of the meeting, we have distributed the Nutrition for 10 PLHIV Clients. All these clients are very poor and needy persons. All are relating to Eluru ART Center using medicine clients and Eluru dwellers. As well we have distributed the Fruits for all attended clients. And finally, PD said that all the clients should update their data at ART Center (for getting Pensions and other schemes related to state government) with CSC Staff and the same data send to SACS for further communication.



**NUTRITION DISTRIBUTED AT ART CENTER IN ELURU ON 02-12-2022**



**FRUITS DISTRIBUTION AT ART CENTER ELURU ON 02-12-2022**

**Participants: ART Staff, Lions Club members, Clients at ART Center and CSC Staff...**

**Sub: To create awareness in clients on social welfare/Entitlement schemes and Nutrition support regarding...**

Today we have conducted the Advocacy meeting in Bhimavaram ART center with all the ART Staff, Nutrition support donor's lions club members and clients those who are taking the medicine on this day. At 12.00 PM we have gathered at ART Center with all the staff and clients. At that our Project Director spoke that regarding social welfare and Nutrition support for PLHIV needy clients. In this regard as per APSACS APD Instructions all the clients have been benefitted any one scheme. In this process we have taking the data at ART Center till November 20<sup>th</sup> onwards. We have updated data from clients those who are visited at art center for taking medicine. When we take the on daily basis and the same data update in the Google spread sheet sent by SACS Team. We have taken the data at art center for all those clients and wrote eligible and not eligible for welfare schemes and which schemes got by the clients. For this end of the month, we will update all the data in google spread sheet. And also explain about ART Pensions. Who are already applied for the pension Government already released pensions on priority basis and they said that throughout State government release more pensions for clients? In this regard we have focus on if the client eligible for pension, but not received yet clients.

And then we have discussed on Nutrition support for PLHIV clients. In the earlier we have followed up donors with the support our Care and Support Center staff. After completion of the meeting, we have distributed the Nutrition for 25 PLHIV Clients. All these clients are very poor and needy persons. All are relating to Bhimavaram art center drug users and nearest dwellers. And finally, PD said that all the clients should update their data at ART Center (for getting Pensions and other schemes related to state government) with CSC Staff and the same data send to SACS for further communication.

## NUTRITION SUPPORT AT BHIMAVARAM ART CENTER



# WORLD AIDS DAY—2022

**Date** : 1<sup>st</sup> December 2022

**Venue**: Indore Stadium, Eluru,  
Eluru District.

**Participants**: District Joint Collector, DM& HO, Adm &Ho, MEPMA PC, DPM and staff, APPLE P.D and Staff, LWS Staff, ART Center staff, red cross staff and other NGO's staff....

Today at 9.00 AM we had gathered at Indoor Stadium grounds to participate in World Aids Day program. After that District Joint Collector Mr. J. Arun Babu; District Medical & Health Officer Mr. B. Ravi; In charge Addle DM& HO Madam (Aids & Leprosy) Mr. M. Nageswarao; District Program Manager Mr. Samson; DIS Mr. Harinadh; Share India Program Officer Mr. G.N. Jagadish; APPLE Network President Mr. J. Siva Krishna; and other NGO's staff are participated. First of all we had put the red ribbon for joint collector and other participated members and then they had talked about this program explain that which is the theme for this year **“Unite to end the Inequalities holding back the end of AIDS”** It means “సహాయాల ముగింపును నిలిపివేసేందుకు అసమానతలను అంతం చేయడానికి ఏకం చేయండి”

And then we had met to all staff and put the red ribbon for all of them. They said that every year we have meet in the rally program with district officials like joint collector, DM & HO Staff and other NGO's staff and also participate from some college students to bring the awareness to them with official speech. Joint collector said that during this corona crisis we have celebrate this program to taking corona precautions like maintain social distance, wearing masks and using sanitizers. So that finally they said that all are take care to avoid from corona and HIV also. Government given pension for infected client to protect them and also giving nutrition and also supplied ART Medicine for free of cost for all clients in the state.



Joint Collector, DM HO, ADM HO, DPM, DIS, APPLE CSC PD and other NGO's Partners at Indoor Stadium



Joint Collector conducted Press Meet at Indoor Stadium Out gate in Eluru.



*PLEDGE AT INDOOR STADIUM WITH ALL PARTICIPATED MEMBERS*



Participated all members in Rally continued from Indoor stadium to Fire station center on this day



APPLE CSC STAFF PARTICIPATED IN WORLD AIDS DAY CELEBRATIONS IN INDOOR STADIUM, ELURU ON 1ST DECEMBER 2022

## **ADVOCACY MEETING**

Today we have conducted the Advocacy meeting in YSR Colony in Eluru on 13.01.2023 with Pastor and other donors. In this regard we have follow up the PLHIV Clients and gathering at Y S R Colony for nutrition and other support for them. At 10.30 AM we went to colony along with PD, PC and local outreach staff. Before that day we met them in the same place for asking nutrition and other helps for those who are needy and poor clients in the participated members. Meeting was started at 11 am first of all Project Director of APPLE CSC Mr. J. Siva Krishna spoke that what we are doing for PLHIV Clients and do the accompanied services of them. And then we request to pastors both of them, in this participated member very poor and unhealthy persons, because of all are using ART Medicine and they cannot do the hard work for their daily life running. Based on this whichever they support for any kind of way; they are very satisfied and running their family without any struggles.

And then all this listened voice by us and then they are mesmerizing and they assured to give the support for them on need based. First of all, all are taking good nutrition and be healthy and then think about other things, without healthy we cannot do anything. So that firstly all clients are in safe zone, it means should healthy. And more over as per my observation all clients are using medicine in a proper way for good health. This is one of the reasons for increase of our life span. And finally, they said that they assured to given nutrition and other needy support for needy and poor clients in future also. And then they had distributed the nutrition for all participated members as well member's gratitude to them those who are given nutrition.

Pastor Peter garu 94408 61507 & Pastor  
RICCARDO PARROCO, ELURU



## **ADVOCACY MEETING IN PALAKOLLU AT COMMUNITY HALL**

On today we have conducted the medical camp and Nutrition program at Palakollu Community Hall with the support of Local donors. Mr. K. Srinivasaraju local donor and Dr. M. Ali MBBS are attend this Advocacy meeting. We have gathered local CLHIV & PLHVI Clients for this meeting. We had gathered at 11 AM and then meeting was started. Dr. Ali said that about Opportunity Infections and seasonal diseases. When face the client above situation immediately taking medical advice by doctors,

otherwise situation will be very serious. So all the clients when infect any OI Infections immediately taking the doctors consultancy and using medicine for recovery at an early and then check the all clients and identified some infections in the participated members and given medicines and suggestions. As well as a client always be careful on the health, because of client getting low immunity power.

And then they are distributed the nutrition for all participated clients. Total worth having more than five hundred rupees per each client. And also, they are arranged Lunch for all clients. After taking the lunch those who are participated all members and then they are going to their houses with the nutrition packets. Before that they told gratitude to donors for giving nutrition and conduct the medical camp. In this camp all the clients were check up by the Doctor and wrote the prescription for need based and also given some tablets for all of them.

**Date: 24.01.2023**

**Place: Community Hall, Palakollu**



ICTC REVIEW MEETING IN ELURU DM HO OFFICE ON 23-01-2023

## **Support Group Meeting:**

### **Venue: Narasapuram**

Today we have conducted the Support Group Meeting in Narasapuram with all support group clients on 22.02.2023 at 11 AM. We had gathered the all members at art centre and talked with them. For this meeting from the CSC Project Coordinator are participated. Before going to meeting we had done the prayer those who are participated in the group members. And then we have started the meeting and first of all we have talked about Opportunity Infections. In this process we told them these infections are more came for PLHIV Clients and also low immunity persons as well as we have talked about social welfare schemes for PLHIV Clients. And particularly we talked CLHIV's ART Pensions. If the client using medicine regularly and more over already put the pensions in online applications government will be give the pensions for eligible clients and they had given more priority for children. In this regard all children are using medicine regularly and will be obtaining the pension. And then we have discussed on nutrition support for clients. So that based on this every client should take the nutritional food for better health. And more over taking precautions to avoid the sickness.

And then we had talked about nutrition support for needy clients in the group members. In this process we have followed up donors and they said that assured the given nutrition for poor clients those who are medicine using properly. They had planned to given nutrition at the end this month for more clients. After that they had discussed about the Opportunity Infections and

Nutrition support in the group. And finally, we had talked with them assured to given nutrition for this month and then closed the meeting. Before went to meeting all group members are discussed on social welfare and social Entitlements for CLHIV Clients and PLHIV Clients. As per government officials said that for all the eligible candidates will come to pensions and other benefits in future.

**ORW03---- Date: 22--02--2023**

**SUPPORT GROUP MEETING---2**

**Group members: 7+8+0+0+0=15**



**SUPPORT GROUP MEETING IN NARASAPURAM**

## **WEEKLY/MONTHLY REVIEW MEETINGS.**

As per program guidelines in every weekend Saturday we have conducting weekly review meeting and collect the data from all outreach staff. In this regard we have conduct every Saturday and we will collect program related data of Client Registration Forms (CRF's); Priority clients line list data feedback; ictc, tb, dsrc, sti referrals; case studies etc.... And also, at the same time we have verify the data in Daily diaries on weekly basis compare with travel and attendance register. If we identify any mistake, we notice to them and then immediately they rectify the mistake.

As well we have conducting monthly meeting at the end of every month with all csc staff. On this day we have discussed on whole data for this month target and achievement by outreach wise. In this context we have verified the data in online google sheet, and which outreach has low performance and what reason for it and how to improve in the next coming month. And more over we have verified all data those who are shared by art centers line list and which feedback they given and how many definite outcomes in the total line list. At the same time Monthly Progress Report will be sent to SACS in every month before 3<sup>rd</sup> and also, they have indicated by outreach wise data and showing performance in the report.



MONTHLY REVIEW MEETING PHOTOS IN APPLE CSC OFFICE, ELURU

THANK YOU















