

# WORD - PUDUKKOTTAI

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## Introduction;

“SUCCESS NEVER COME TO YOU!

“YOU GO TOWARDS IT!”

### A.Proverb

In this regard as an enthusiastic voluntary social welfare organization WORD, has been educational and health developmental programmes for the empowerment of the downtrodden poor since of its inception by the year 1992. Eventhough our organization is having general charity towards the poorest of poor .We are given special attention on Women, Children, Physically and Mentally Challenged people’s development. As such WORD has been promoting sustainable Agriculture, Animal husbandary, micro enterprises, Environmental protection, Natural resources safety etc; programmes for the welfares of the general community. In this regard WORD has enhanced various programmes success fully during the reporting period of 2016 – 17.

### VISION OF OUR ORGANISATION;-

“To establish a well equipped society having been access to educationally aware, economically sustained, politically participative, socially equal, goining all health services and human rights with out any caste, creed, religions and gender discriminations.”

### MISSION OF OUR ORGANISATION;-

“To identify the vulnerable and organize them into mutually supportive, cohesive self help groups especially the women and the physically challenged inculcate savings, provide vocational skill trainings and channelize available credit and other welfare services through banks, Government and International donar agencies access to socially respectable standerd of living and to establish a peace and pleasurable fair society”.

### WORKING AREA;-

“Think globally, work locally”

A Proverb.

As each our organization WORD is having legal entity to work all over India except Assam and Jammu Kashmir, we are concen trating only in our local pudukkottai district for our development works. Our vision and Mission are oursterring values to enhance our programmes. In this regard we have successfully implement various programmes during the oeriod of 2015 – 2016.

## THE MORE PROGRAMMES ENHANCED.

### MAHALIR THITTAM;-

“When ever the women become empowered then her family, the community she belongs and slowly but steady by the Nation become empowered”

-Mahathma Gandhiji,

As per these words as our steering point of views we have enhancing the women’s self help groups SHGs programmes, Leadership, book keeping, resource management. Entrepreneurial development programmes, and skill Trainings as per their ability, credit linkage services to establish their own micro enterprises or any other relevant in come generation programmes access to improved in come and socially respectable well established standard of living.This programme has been finically and Technically supported by :The Tamil Nadu corporation for the development of women Ltd, Chennai.Our organization WORD has enhancing this programme in Thiruvarankulam, and pudukkottai block and in pudukkottai and Alangudi urban i.e. town panchayate areas in pudukkottai. By this programme we have promote 450 no’s of women SHGs & 68 mens SHGs & 55 Disabled SHGs. Through by the programme we have trained and provide credit assistance to more then 350 SHGs through BANK this is an ongoing Project.



### ECONOMIC SUSTAINABILITY PROGRAMME (RSWR USA)

This programme has financially and technically Resources – RSWR USA. Through by this programme we have trained and provide credit assistance to more them 500 women for the past 5 years. Most of the women are dalits, Most Backward cast and Minority Muslims are utilized the benefits and acquir trainings in different kinds of trade &crafts and involving their own income Generational activities and now access to good standard of living



## **DALIT WOMEN RIGHTS PROGRAMME (CWS)**

This programme has sanctioned CWS Seconrabad to enhance dalit women's human rights awareness education and to ensure their development in the community. This programme has enhanced in pudukkottai district in major selected villages there dalit women are living larger portion. In this connection of this programme we have organized the dalit women and they have educated on the PCR (prevention of communal Rights Act, special Act X to ensure reservation in panchayat raj, available special protection Act from communal violence, humanrights acts exposed and ensured their community based development and other Government welfare schemes are have exposed to them. Also, the importance of SHG's promotion, savings, credit are also exposed to ensure their economic development.



## **SKILL DEVELOPMENT (HIH)**

This major concept of this programme is to provide skill development training to young women to access to employment and increased income. In this regard we have provide 50 no's women in "Garments Making" training at vallathirakottai. Due to the effective training the women become more skilled and gained employment in various Garments production units as well as some are have established their own enterprises.

## **PUDHUVAZHUVU PROJECT;-**

"It the disabled people are given equal opportunity they have proved that they are Differently abled and physically challenged to other people".

In this regard we have enhancing this pudhuvaazhvu project in kunnandarkovil block in pudukkottai district. We have enhancing this project through 37 vilage panchayat resource center programmes of identification of the ensure financial credit assistance for their livelihood and their income generation programmes access to a respectable livelihood and good standard of living. Data base details the success of this project.



## **NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME – NADP**

The major aim of the project is to strengthening of cross root level milk structure improvement through by educating the milch animal rearing people and encourages them to adopt new technologies for getting high quality and quvantity of milk. This programme has been supporting by the “Tamil Nadu Animal Husbandary Dairing and Fisheries Deoartment” Chennai. Through by this programme we have enhanceing the awareness education and technical guidance to their 6 taluks inpudukkottai district such as Alangudi, Karambakudi, Aranthangi, Gandarvakottai, Annavasal, and pnnamaravathi. Through by this project we have formed 250 – milk producer co- operative societies and enhancing the programme successfully.



## **COMMUNITY MENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMME;-**

The mental illness is a difernt problem having been divert the affected people’s life style, living condition etc, most of the affected persons are neglected both by their family on the community. To ensure their recovering and the curable our organization has been enhancing this programme with the financial and Technical assistance of ADD INDIA and BASIC NEEDS Banglor in pudukkottai district Also we have given counseling to the care givers association to provide proper care and support to the MI People and motivate them to bring the people to the medical camps and provide better home based treatment to ensure the MI Persons earlist recovery and stability. Through by this project we have identified and registered mentally illness .WORD has formed CARE GIVER ASSOCIATION among the VOLUNTEERS and care takers of Mentaly ill person. Major : 198, Minor : 354 Total: 552Mi people.

Progress Made / Achieved Through Tretments.

- 1.Re – entered in their previous works – 32
- 2.HOUSE HOLD WORKS - 206
- 3.Agricultureal labourers – 40
- 4.Daily wage (NREGA WORK) earning works – 15
- 5.Economic Assistance :- 45 (Goat rearing, Milch Animals, Barber Shop, pot making,Vegitable vending,)

EMPOWERMENT OF DISABLED;-



This programme has supported by NPRPD New Delhi and has been implemented in Thiruvarankulam block in Alangudi Taluk of our pudukkottai district. This programmes major aim is to create awareness among the persons of differently abled on the available Government programmes, building Self confidence, their basic human rights, link them access to Governments welfare, Rehabilitational services etc, Also the identified differently abled persons are have been organized into sangas (SHGs) Throughby this project 1552 no's of the differently abled are identified organized into 120 no's of the SHGs. After our intervention their social, emotional and psychological beliefs and values has changed and become as confident to face any kind of problems by their own capabilities and came to be cohesive with each other and giving voice on collective strength. Through by this project we have identified and registered Mentally Retarded are 151 male, 161 Female, cerberalpalsy 74 male, 84 female, Orthopedic 298 male, 310 female, Blinds 39 male, 69 female, Speech hearing impaired 101 male, 81 female to Totally 663 male, and 705 female are utilizing our services. Also we have formed the parents association among the volunteers and care takers of the Disaabled persons.



#### **DISABLED DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMME;**

This programme has financially and Technically supported by CAPARD New Delhi. This programme has been implemented in Alangudi Taluk of pudukkottai distric. Through by this programme we have identified the disabled persons, provide counseling and guidance service, conducted health camps, provision of needed medicine, Treatments, advocacy education on their rights, organize them into SHGs, link with banks, channelize credit welfare services of the Government etc, has been enhanced.



### **NABARD JOINT LIABILITY GROUP PROGRAMME (JLGs)**

The 'Joint Liability Group –“JLG” programme has been sanctioned by the Government’s Autonomous body NABARD, Pudukkottai. Through by this programme we are involving in promote the JLG’s in pudukkottai, Alangudi Town panchayat areas. In tis regard we have promote 162 no’s JLGs in our working areas of Thiruvaramkulam and Kunnandarkovil block, Out of 62 JLGs 53 JLGs are linked credit totally Rs 1,31,00,000/- These members are educated to inculcate in regular small savings internal credit assistance to its members, opening account in the banks and provided proper Training in Leadership, Group maintenance, Book keeping, public relation, Local resource maintenance, proper utilization of the available Natural resources Enterpreneurial development programme trainings, marketing and sales trainings, needed and abilities and also the 53 JLGs Groups are having been linked credit facilities through by the Banks undertake milch animal , Goat rearing and for Agriculture promotional activities. On increased income, improved life style and good, socially respectable standard of living.

By implementing this JLG promotion, education and credit linkages the women in poverty are overcome from various financial burders and having been acquired self confidance, courage to face the existing social problems, and become non dependents of other’s for their livelihood.

This programme not only empowering the memebra of the JLG’s but also their families especially their children are now availing proper care and support on their education and health due to the increased income and improved life & livelihood.

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### **RESIDENTIAL HOME PROGRAMME FOR MENTALLY ILL PERSONS. (MI HOME)**

“ God Never fails to love all the living beings. But situation of their living condition make the changes in their life” - A German psychologist.

In this regard we have seen that Thousand of mentally ill persons dwelling along the streets and searching their food in the dustbins especially those are in front of hotels, wedding halls etc,. These kind

of mentally ill (MI) people are mostly i.e. 95% neglected by their own family members and by the community. They didn't have proper care and support services and no one else has taken care for their cure and Rehabilitation.

To ensure their recovery and bring them to be normal life if we are enhancing periodical medical camps especially for the MI people once in a month and providing needed medical Treatment services, free medicine, counseling, skill development, care and support service guidances etc. As such, we have established a "Special HOME FOR THE MENTALLY ILL PERSONS" at Annavasal in Pudukkottai district. Even though we are having the entity to enroll 50 no's of MI people now we have admitted 30 no's of MI people in our Home. These people are not having to remember their care givers, their village, even their name and their parents name etc, details and dwelling on the streets and bring us to our home and providing proper highly ventilated, hygienic residence, medical support and other small level hazardless skill trainings as per their observing / reciprocal capacity. Through by our dedicated medical treatment 15 to 25% of the people have recovered from the mental illness and they have provided garland flower making and cover making services and now they are engaging small skill development activities as their income generation as well as for their livelihood sources.

In this regard WORD has successfully enhanced our programmes to establish a fair society having its zenith of development in our working areas of Pudukkottai district.



### **" BLOSSOM" – SPECIAL SCHOOL & REHABILITATION HOME PROGRAMME.(MR)**

"Education is the key to open the doors of heaven!"

Where as it is the Golden key to open the doors of paradise for the differently abled and mentally disabled persons life. As such our organization WORD has enhanced a special school cum Therapy centre for the children of "mentally Retarded and affected with cerebral Palsy" at Pudukkottai. There are nearly 25 children below 14 years enrolled and provided education on "Activities for them in our BLOSSOM- Special school regularly the parents bring the children to the centre every day. In our centre we are having been provide proper physio therapy, medical care and special education as per their capacity to learn and expose.

We have established centre with the well equipped manner of well Trained Teachers, Play cum educational materials, Teaching materials, physio Therapy equipments, Activity for DAILY LIVING Skill – ADLS such brushing teeth, taking bath, wearing dresses by their own with out others help. Such as primary and secondary level education as per the children's age and learning capacity has been given to the MR & CP children etc., Also, we are extending counseling and guidance services to the parents and care givers of the children to provide home based care and support, bring the children to the health check – up camps regularly, availing and utilizing the home based special Therapy etc.,

Also, we are taken special care on the children's educational and Teaching methodology specifically for the MR & CP children at their age and reciprocal capabilities. In this regard the parents came to well aware of the need of home ,regular treatment, attending the camps, counseling and also came out of neglecting the MR & CP children's needs and wishes.

Through by this kind of our services may children has came out from the crushing hands of MR & CP disease problems.



### **TAMIL NADU HEALTH SYSTEM PROJECT (TNHSP)**

This "Tamil Nadu Health System Project – TNHSP" has been enhanced in Aranthangi Government Hospital. The major aim of this programme is to provide counseling to the patients those are coming to the Taluk Head quarters Hospital's in patients and out patients to encourage and buildup their confident on the Government Hospitals Health services, available highly improved health care technologies improved quality medicine for all kind of diseases etc., Through by this mostly of the out patients arrival has immediately increased and the inpatients very soon get cured because of the increased level of confidence on the Government Hospital's health care service.

### **SETHUSAMUDHRAM PROJECT.(SSCP)**

This project has been sanctioned by the Central Government of India, to enhance in Manamelkudi and Avudaiyarkovil block of pudukkottai district . This project's major goals are costal community youth development to provide proper skill development to the youth personnel and ensuring different kindsof employment and or employment assurance due to those are lost their regular works by the sethusamudhram ship channel project and fecilitate for alternative livelihood sources, By this project WORD has trained 100 youth in computer Training and 150 persons in Tailoring and 80% of them are got employment and the remaining,20% are involving in their own self employment enterprises,

### **DISASTER RISK MANAGEMENT (DRM)**

This main goal of this project was to create awareness on disaster risk management among the village level and group level meetings. The seashore areas of Avudaiyarkovil block has very often attacked by the Natural calamities of strom, heavy rain fall, earlier T.sunami etc., so, we have create the awerness on risk management to the public and school children in this Avudaiyarkovil block. This has been sanctioned by the District collectorate of pudukkottai under UNDP Project.

### **CHILD RIGHTS PROGRAMME**

This project has been enhanced in pudukkottai district to ensure the children's basic rights and fecilitate them to grow with the people. The children are the most vulnerables followed by women. The children's basic rights of Right to born grow, access to health services, education, co – ordinate with each other,

Association and participation are highly neglected both by their parents and by the community , In this regard we have enhanced this programme by creating awareness both in the community and among the children to protect their rights.



### NEIGHBOURHOOD FREE TUITION CENTRES (NFTC)

The precious goal of this project is to provide supplementary education to the poor school going children. This programme has financially supported by “Bhoomika Trust,Chennai”. This project has enhanced in the seashore areas of Ramnad and pudukkottai districts. Through by this project we have established 30 no’s of nighbourhood tuition centres in Ramnad district and 50 no’s in pudukkottai The salient feafures of this NFTC is the children educated near by their home. The local educated youth accesses employment, and the children access good knowledge in the tough subjects By which totally 2000 children are benefited.By which two thousands of poor school going children access to good academic education and their further studies are fecilitated as well as school dropout and children going to work are prevented.



### CONCLUSION

“In stead of giving a pice of fish to a Hungryman Teach him to catch the fish! It will be solve always his hunger problem and Remaining he can sale and become a Entrepreneurery” – A Japnese proverb.

As such our organization WORD- has been enhancing our developmental works as able as our best efforts to achieve our goals and obiectivies. We are as an enthusiastic voluntary social welfare organization not only giving the bread to solve the present hungryness but also paving the meaningfull ways to earn the bread through by our awareness generation and income generation programmes for the rural and urban based downtrodden poor. We are laid just but strong basement foundation in the Government, Non- Government,corparates,autonomous bodies precious support.