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Holistic Empowerment
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Bishop's Message

As we reflect on the 2023-24 year of the Organization of Bidar Integral Transformation - ORBIT, Humnabad, we celebrate a remarkable milestone - 30 years of dedicated service to the vulnerable communities of Bidar district. Our journey, which began three decades ago, has been one of deep commitment, growth, and transformation, always guided by our mission to uplift those most in need.



Over the years, ORBIT has remained steadfast in its focus on addressing the challenges faced by leprosy patients, individuals with disabilities, women, the mentally ill, and the underprivileged youth of our district. Through initiatives such as skill-based empowerment programs for women and youth, we have equipped individuals with the tools they need to lead independent and dignified lives. Our efforts in environmental protection have further emphasized our belief in a holistic approach to development, recognizing the integral connection between the health of our planet and the well-being of our communities.

In addition, our programs in early intervention and early education have ensured that children at risk receive the support they need during their formative years, setting the foundation for a brighter future. We have also been on the frontline during natural calamities, and the challenges brought about by the Covid-19 pandemic tested our resilience and compassion in unprecedented ways. Yet, through it all, we were able to offer assistance to those in need, thanks to the unwavering dedication of our staff and volunteers.

None of this would have been possible without the tireless efforts of our Board of Trustees, our Director, and our committed staff members. Their selfless service has been the backbone of our organization, enabling us to continue serving the most marginalized with dignity and respect.

I also extend my heartfelt gratitude to all our donors and well-wishers, whose generous contributions and unwavering belief in our mission have allowed us to sustain and expand our work over the years. Your support has been invaluable in transforming the lives of countless individuals, and for that, we are deeply thankful.

As we move forward into another year of service, we remain committed to creating lasting, positive change in the lives of the vulnerable. Together, we will continue to strive towards a future where every individual in Bidar district can thrive in a just and compassionate society.

With gratitude and hope for the future,

Yours sincerely

+ Most Rev Robert Michael Miranda
President, Organization of Bidar
Integral Transformation Humnabad

Director's Message

Dear Friends and Supporters,

We are immensely proud to present ORBIT's annual report for the year 2023-24, marking a significant milestone in our journey - 30 years of dedicated service to the community of Bidar. Guided by our vision of a transformed society based on equality, justice, and love, we reflect on our accomplishments and look forward to the challenges and opportunities ahead.

Our Vision

For three decades, ORBIT has been committed to fostering a society where every individual, regardless of background, enjoys equal opportunities, social justice prevails, and compassion guides our actions. Our work is grounded in the belief that sustainable development begins with empowering communities and individuals.

Our Impactful Initiatives

Women Empowerment: Over the years, we have empowered countless women in Bidar through skill-building workshops, entrepreneurship training, and advocacy for gender equality. Our efforts have led to increased economic independence and improved social standing for women in our communities.

Community-Based Inclusive Development: We continue to champion inclusive growth strategies that ensure no one is left behind. By engaging with local communities, we have implemented projects that promote social cohesion and empower marginalized groups.

Natural Resource Management: ORBIT NGO remains steadfast in its commitment to preserving Bidar's natural resources. Through reforestation efforts, water conservation projects, and awareness campaigns, we strive to safeguard our environment for future generations.

Skill Development: Our comprehensive skill development programs have equipped youth and adults alike with the necessary tools to thrive in a competitive economy. From vocational training to digital literacy initiatives, we prepare individuals for sustainable livelihoods.

Early Intervention and Early Education: Investing in early childhood development has been a cornerstone of our approach. By providing quality early education and developmental support, we lay the foundation for lifelong learning and success.

Mental Health Program: Recognizing the importance of mental well-being, we have launched initiatives to raise awareness about mental health issues and provide accessible support services to those in need.

Gratitude and Recognition

As we celebrate this milestone, we extend our deepest gratitude to our donors, partners, volunteers, and dedicated staff members who have been instrumental in ORBIT NGO's success.



Your unwavering support and commitment have enabled us to make a lasting impact in Bidar and beyond.

Looking Ahead

While we take pride in our achievements, we remain mindful of the challenges that lie ahead. Economic disparities, environmental degradation, and social injustices continue to demand our attention. Moving forward, ORBIT NGO is committed to leveraging our experience and expertise to address these challenges effectively.

Conclusion

In conclusion, as we embark on the next phase of our journey, ORBIT NGO reaffirms its dedication to creating a society where equality, justice, and love flourish. Together with our stakeholders and supporters, we are confident that we can build a brighter future for the communities we serve.

Thank you for your continued trust and partnership.

Warm regards,

Fr. Victor Anil Vas
Director, ORBIT

ORBIT: Promoting the sustainable development of marginalized communities...

Established in 1993, ORBIT (Organization of Bidar Integral Transformation) is a registered non-profit organization of Gulbarga diocese. It emerged as a response to the needs and problems of the marginalized and economically backward people of Bidar, Kalburgi, Vijayapura and Yadgir district. Presently, the organization works in over 800 villages of 8 taluqs in Bidar and Kalburgi.

Vision: A transformed society based on equality, justice and love

Mission: To facilitate the empowerment of the marginalized and uplift the economically backward people through participatory actions and capacity building with collaborative social actions leading to self-dignity and self-reliance.

Goals

- ✳ Enhanced dignity, quality of life and participation in local self-governance for socially and economically backward women through integrated development.
- ✳ Children enjoying a safe and secure environment exercising their Rights and accessing inclusive development.
- ✳ Upholding dignity of life and Mainstreaming Persons with disability and HIV by increasing access to opportunities and entitlements along with promotion of education, skills and leadership.
- ✳ Protection and sustainable management of Natural Resources by caring for Mother Earth.
- ✳ Self-sustained organization for Sustainable Development.

PROGRAMS

- ✧ Women Empowerment Programme (WEP)
- ✧ Women in Micro Enterprise (SAMRUDI)
- ✧ Navajeevana – Community Based Re-integration of People with Mental Illness supported by Azim Premji Foundation
- ✧ Early Intervention & Early Education
- ✧ Navajeevana – Community-Based Re-integration of People with Mental Illness supported by the Live Love Laugh Foundation
- ✧ SABALA - Skill Development
- ✧ SPARSHA Cancer Awareness Program
- ✧ Special Programs

WOMEN EMPOWERMENT PROGRAM

The program covers 5160 of women belonging to 344 Self Help Groups (SHGs) in 52 Grama Panchayats in Chitguppa, Humnabad, Aurad, Hulsoor, Balki, Bidar and Basavakalyan taluks of Bidar district. The target groups of the program include rural women and adolescent girls.

Objectives

- ✧ Improve the level of literacy of adolescent girls and women.
- ✧ Increase the number of trained women in book keeping of Self Help Groups (SHGs) of women.
- ✧ Strengthen women with knowledge and awareness of basic rights of their own, their families and villages.
- ✧ Reduce the number of women and adolescent girls with ignorance on nutrition, health and sanitation.
- ✧ Promote Cluster and district level federations for economic self-sustainability of SHGs.
- ✧ Educate women on enhancing livelihood through entrepreneurship.

Govt schemes availed

1. CC Roads – 17
2. Swacha Bharath toilet - 61
3. 430 people are provided with job opportunities in MGNAREGA yojan

103

Training Programs conducted thus to empower the women to lead a sustainable life

31 women from SHG contested for the election in the past years and 07 women empowered to become panchayath leaders in Bhalki and Humnabad.

1. Crop insurance availed for 39 people.
2. Provided Eshram card for 56 persons.



TRAININGS TO EMPOWER WOMEN April 2023–March 2024

| TOPIC | NO. OF TRAININGS | | | |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|------------------------|---------------------------------|
| | April – July 2023 | August – Nov 2023 | Dec 2023 – Mar 2024 | Total no. Of Participants |
| Health & Hygiene | 2 | 3 | 1 | 234 |
| Right to food | 03 | 04 | 03 | 229 |
| Preparations of Nutritious food | 1 | | 3 | 195 |
| Communicable & Non Communicable | | | 06 | 122 |
| Herbal Medicines | | 02 | | 98 |
| Global Warming Climate change & Renewable Energy | 01 | 03 | - | 107 |
| Gender Equality and Justice | 01 | 02 | 04 | 225 |
| Free legal Service | 01 | 01 | 01 | 73 |
| Constitutional Rights | - | 02 | 03 | 123 |
| Gender Sensitivity | - | 01 | - | 40 |
| Local Resource Mobilization | - | 02 | 02 | 69 |
| Formation and strengthening of Federation | 03 | 04 | 01 | 172 |
| Promotion leadership Skills of local leaders | 02 | 02 | 02 | 248 |
| Govt. Schemes | 03 | 02 | 02 | 221 |
| conflict Management | - | 02 | 02 | 69 |
| Rights Based Approach | - | - | 04 | 141 |
| MGNREGA Awareness | - | 01 | - | 31 |
| Documentation | 03 | 04 | 04 | 192 |
| EAP & EDPO | | 01 | | 31 |
| Training for District Federation members | 01 | 01 | 02 | 53 |
| Training for Taluk Federation members | - | 02 | 01 | 15 |
| Cancer Awareness | 43 | 57 | 52 | 152 |

SPECIAL PROGRAMMES/ CELEBRATIONS

| MONTH | PROGRAM | NO. OF PROGRAMMES | NO.OF PARTICIPANTS |
|------------|---|-------------------|--------------------|
| 2022-April | Ambedkar Jayanti | 06 | 257 |
| | Basava Jayanti | 02 | 41 |
| May | Workers Day | 02 | 85 |
| June | Free Medical Health Camp | 02 | 185 |
| | Environment Day | 05 | 291 |
| July | Senior Citizens Day | 01 | 25 |
| | Vanamahotsava | 10 | 444 |
| Aug | Free Medical Health Camp | 02 | 208 |
| | Independence Day | 06 | 145 |
| | Health camps | 02 | 52 |
| | Mother Teresa Jayanthi | 03 | 148 |
| Oct | Gandhi Jayanthi | 06 | 152 |
| | Swaccha Bharath Abhiyan | 01 | 30 |
| | International blind day | 02 | 99 |
| Nov | Constitution Day Training | 01 | 95 |
| | Children's' Day | 07 | 117 |
| | Free Eye Camp | 01 | 45 |
| | Kanakadasajayanthi | 01 | 48 |
| Dec | Christmas | 01 | 121 |
| Jan 2023 | Republic Day | 04 | 164 |
| | Swami Vivekananda jayanti | 02 | 93 |
| | Gramasabe | 04 | 99 |
| March | Health camp | 01 | 94 |
| | International Women's Day - Taluk level | 03 | 1321 |

April 2023- March 2024

| SCHEME | Department | NO. OF BENEFICIARIES | | | Total Value |
|---|-----------------|----------------------|----------------------|----------------------|-------------|
| | | April - August | September - December | January – march 2024 | |
| Swatch Bharat (Toilets) | Gram -Panchayat | 05 | 20 | 36 | 180000 Rs |
| One Bore well for 25 families' drinking water | | 36 | 03 | | 700000 Rs |
| Ambedkaryojane | | 03 | 01 | | 80 Members |
| CC Road | | 06 | 06 | 05 | 500000 Rs |
| PM's Ujjwala (gas) | Taluk Panchayat | 15 | | | 15- People |
| Health cards | | | | | --- |
| Identity Card | Labour Dept | 12 | 0803 | | --- |
| Labour card | | 16 | 04 | 08 | 28 People |
| Scholarship for education | | 02 | 08 | 05 | --- |
| Old age pension (Sandhya SurakshaYojane) | Revenue | 2510 | 01 | 02 | 150000 Rs |
| MGNREGA | | 225 | 125 | 130 | 5407 |
| Crop Insurence | | 39 | | | 39 |
| Ayushman card | | 16 | | | 16 |
| e-shram cards | | 16 40 | | | 56 |
| Abha card | | 228 | 313 | | 542 |

Success Story

Name – Rukmini

Back ground of the person: At the very young Rukmini got married to Ramesh. She has two sons and two daughters. As they were very poor they hold the BPL card. They do not own any property or field. They earn their livelihood by their daily wages if they have any coolie work for the day.



As she is from a very poor family she had the problem of poverty and she has not learnt school she is illiterate. She saw other women those who joined the ORBIT SHGs. As she is

from a poor family, the family had economical problems', when she learnt that ORBIT organization has started SHG So she spoke to the ORBIT staff and expressed her desire to join the SHG she had come forward to join the SHG and joined the OM SHAKTI SHG it has been 15 Years since she had joined the SHG.

Issues and Solutions: Mrs. Rukmini never went out of the house but with the help of the Coordinator and animators and other SHG members she got courage and confidence to run her family. She was empowered by Training programmes conducted in the group meetings. Her SHG savings are helping her now to take loan to educate her four children. She has given good education for her children.

Experience and learning -Now she takes active participation in all the social gatherings in her village through Gramapanchayat. With her ability she has taken 50000 rupees for each member. Now she is planning to take part of election she is very helpful to for all the villagers, from the first time, she has taken the bank loan four times for the second time she took 35000 loan for her children's education 40,000 rupees were taken to buy a machine And a milling mill for 58,000.

So like this she is self-employed at home she is earning profit of rupees 300 per day her living standards have more increased and she is leading a good life.

The help taken from ORBIT Organization and by giving information of ORBIT organization, the economic condition was made better and helped move forward .and are able to run the families Loan was borrowed from bank learned to write my name. Took on formation from ORBIT organization to educate my children for giving me better information training and for making me know about something I thank the ORBIT organization. she builds good repo with the government officials. Now she is happy and contentment in her family. She is ever grateful to the ORBIT.

CHILDLINE 1098 till August 2024

ORBIT is sub centre for Child Help Line 1098 Programme under the Union Ministry of Women and Child Development, Government of India; and operates in Basavakalyan and Humnabad taluks of Bidar district in collaboration with the regional headquarters in Chennai.

OBJECTIVES

- Promote child rights and its protection
- Habilitate the street and working children
- Eradicate child labor
- Mainstream school dropouts and children on the street.
- Spread awareness on child help line 1098
- Make people aware on benefits of forming children's club
- Create awareness among parents on the importance of education of children

03 Orphan & Missing children were rescued

12 Child labor found and referred to CWC

53 Awareness programs conducted

16 Children were rescued from the child marriage

Provided Shelter for 14 orphan children by referring to CWC

10 children were linked to Govt Schemes

5 drop out children were enrolled to the schools

Total cases from Outreach - 03

Total cases through 1098 - 82

Total intervention from Child line team ORBIT - 85

World day against Child labor was celebrated with 315 participants



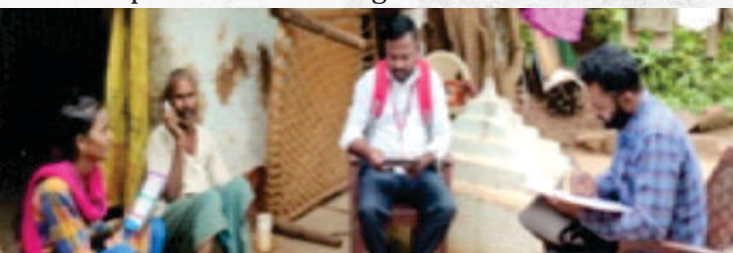
NAVAJEEVANA – Community Based Reintegration of Persons with Mental Illness Supported by Azim Premji Foundation-APF



Goal/ Impact Statement: All identified Persons with mental illness from poor communities of Humnabad Taluq of Bidar District with severe or common Mental Illness access treatment from DMHP, stabilized and at least 25% of them practice livelihood activities thereby integrated in the community by March, 2025.

Objectives

1. Identify all the people with mental illness in Humnabad, taluq of Bidar District to ensure treatment and reintegration for all the identified PWMI and families and to implement, promote and sustain District Mental Health Programme in the District.
2. To capacitate staff of Navajeevana, barefoot counselors, teachers and to sensitize secondary stakeholders and Govt Dept. staff for the effective implementation of mental health programme in Humnabad Taluq.
3. To impart Income Generation, vocational training for at least one member from affected families (rehabilitated PWMI or Caregivers) for livelihood through wage or self-employment
4. To set up a “Help Line” for PWMIs, people, students and youth with depression, to provide counseling services and treatment.



| SL NO | Particulars | Over all Status |
|-------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| 01 | Identification of PWMIs | 365 |
| 02 | Active Cases | 285 |
| 03 | Drop out | 2 |
| 04 | Death | 19 |
| 05 | In active | 10 |
| 06 | Migrated | 10 |

Benefits received by the beneficiaries under APF in the year 2023-2024

| SL NO | TYPE OF Benefits | Number of People Benefited |
|-------|------------------|-----------------------------------|
| 1 | Aadhaar card | 21 |
| 2 | Eshram card | 14 |
| 3 | Health card | 26 |
| 4 | Job card | 2 |
| 5 | Pan card | 2 |
| 6 | Pension | 6 |
| 7 | Goat | 2 goats each to 17 beneficiaries |
| 8 | Revolving fund | 10000/- each to 6 people |
| 9 | UDID Cards | 20 |
| 10 | Chicks | 3 chicks each to 19 Beneficiaries |



Total number of PwMIs Identified at Humnabad and Chitaguppa Taluk

107

Total number of Awareness program conducted 14256 participants.

26

Total number of UDID card Aailed to the Persons of mental illness.

177

Disable Persons Organization (DPOs) – 63

Parents and care takers group created - 14

536

Number of counseling session conducted to Persons with Mental illness

Success Story

Mr. Lokesh, a resident from Kankatta village Humnabad Taluk embarked on a courageous journey to overcome the challenges of mental illness that had cast a shadow over his life. His story is one of perseverance and the transformative power of hope.



Background:

Lokesh was born in kankatta village Humnabad Taluk 30 years old. Vaijinath his father who is the bread winner in the family, Mrs Shridevi is his mother who is the house wife who looks after the children at home. Lokesh has one elder sister and one elder brother and he is the last one. Lokesh's struggle with mental illness began 4 years ago, impacting all of his life. The relentless battle with anxiety and depression took a toll on his personal relationships with his family, surroundings and overall well-being.

Initial Struggles

Lokesh studied only 7th Std after which he went to the field to work with his father. He was taking care of the buffalo's and working in the field with his father. His life went on working in the field without education and any other activities. One fine day as Lokesh was coming from the field he felt like some group of people threatening him saying they would kill him and and he was scared. He imagined always the same threatening voice resounding in his ears. Though he started again going to the field with his father he had the illusions that someone is behind him coming to kill him and so on. He stopped going to the field, he was at home doing nothing, and the situation became critical he was not able to sleep, eat or do nothing. He was by himself, he dint want to wear the clothes he was naked. Therefore he was locked in one room and was not coming out. Meanwhile he had another heart breaking situation that his grandfather who loved him so much died unexpectedly. This entire situation caused him for depression and metal disorder.

The family members believed in superstition, banumathi and matamanthra. So they took Lokesh to temple for pooja and other religious practices thus he may be healed through it. But the condition was the same, he was not improved, he stopped wearing clothes his situation was bad that the family members were worried and were in pain. For 4 years they

kept on taking him to many temples and poojas but had no results.

Intervention from ORBIT Staff:

In the month of March 2023 the staff of ORBIT went to Kankatta village for survey, while visiting the house of Lokesh his mother was outside the house doing some work. The staff of ORBIT asked her if anyone in her village with behavioral issues as talking to himself, smiling unnecessarily etc. Then the mother said directly to the staff that her own son is having such problem and they have not done any treatment for the hospital rather they have gone to pooja and to the temple.

Seeing the condition of Lokesh it was clear that he was a person with mental illness. Therefore the staff suggested her mother bring her to the DMHP camp at Govt hospital Humnabad. Till then his mother was not aware of the treatment or the medication for his son's illness. Thus the mother agreed to come to the hospital.

On April 5th 2023 Wednesday, Lokesh and his mother came to Govt hospital for DMHP camp for the first time. The psychiatrist Dr Rithesh assessed him and diagnosed as SMD (severe mental disorder) and gave him the medicine saying to be regular for the medication. Thus the treatment started and they were regular for DMHP camp and for medicines and for the treatment. The staff of ORBIT did the follow up visits every month. Lokesh's success story was not a solo journey. The unwavering support of ORBIT staff and his family played a pivotal role in his recovery. Open conversations about mental health and counseling from ORBIT staff reduced the stigma surrounding his condition.

The therapy sessions with a skilled mental health counselor helped him to overcome his fear. Through these sessions, he gained valuable insights into the root causes of his mental health challenges, allowing him to develop coping strategies and a roadmap towards recovery.

Present situation

Lokesh success story is a testament to the capacity for change. Through regular treatment from DMHP camp, Counseling and professional support he conquered his mental health challenges. At present he is wearing the clothes on his own, he is going to the field again sometimes with his father. He is able to sleep now. He is improving day by day. He continues to take medicine and the ORBIT staff make the follow up. The family is grateful to ORBIT and its support.

Early Intervention and Early Education

Supported by Association of Persons with Disability - APD

Location: Bidar District of Karnataka, India

Goal: Identify and enhance the normal development of the infants and toddlers at risk of developmental delays: Such as physical, cognitive, communication, social or emotional development, sensory and adaptive development.

Objectives

Early Identification

- Children from 0-6 years show confidence and enjoy their right to education
- Families understand their own strengths, abilities and special needs and support their children to develop and learn.
- Ensure that the children with development delays receive support services
- Sensitization of other stakeholders on early identification & intervention among children with disabilities.
- Government departments at Taluk level and district level extend their support for the effective implementation of EI & EE programme

| S.No | Activities | Quantity | Services |
|------|---|------------|--|
| 1 | Identification of New Children with developmental delay | 232 | Cerebral Palsy-50 Congenital Deformity-2 Delay Development-36 Down Syndrome-1 Global Delay Development-40 Hearing Impairment-4 Loco motor Disability-24 Mental Retardation-11 Multiple Disability-6 Speech & Hearing Impaired-7 Speech Impairment-51 |
| 2 | Assessment Active cases | 207 155 | 207 Assessment was done At present 155 active cases are given more attention since they are in need of the same. |
| 3 | Anganwadi Visit | 234 Visits | 234 Anganwadi visits for Children Identification and Survey, For Baby Screening |
| 4 | School Visit | 75 | 75 School visits for children Admission and Awareness programme. |

| | | | |
|----|---|---------------------|---|
| 5 | Regular Fallow up through home visits | Total Services 4279 | We are cover 207 children to Home and Centre based stimulation Activity total 4279 |
| 6 | Staff Capacity Building Training | 8 Trainings | Staff Capacity building training program was given for the staff. |
| 7 | UDID Card Apply | 63 | |
| 8 | UDID Card Received | 42 | It Supported the Family Economically. The Parents Were Happy |
| 9 | Aadhar Card Apply | 55 | Those care takers of the children were helped to apply for their Adhar card. |
| 10 | Bank Account | 15 | Bank account was opened for the care takers and children. |
| 11 | Awareness Program | 164 | The SHGs, Asha Workers School, Children's and Anganwadi Teachers Were given Awareness of Disability and its Prevention. |
| 12 | Visit to Government Department | 40 | Seeking Support from Government officials |
| 13 | Capacity Building Parents Meeting | 5 | Parents Capacity building training on how to care for their children and parents group meeting |
| 14 | World Disables Day Celebration | 3 | At ORBIT Humnabad and other villages of Humnabad |
| 15 | VRW and MRW Training | 3 | Training was given on early Intervention and Early Education. |
| 16 | Sensitization Training | 32 | Asha workers, Anganvadi teachers and ANMs. Totally 583 participants. |
| 17 | Pension Applied for children with delay development | 15 | |
| 18 | Number of children receiving the pension | | 5The children receive the pension based on their disability level. |

| | | | |
|----|----------------------------------|-----|---|
| 19 | Children's Group | 5 | 5 children's group created with total number of 32 children in the group. |
| 20 | Children's Referred to Hospitals | 18 | 18 children's were to govt and private hospital for medical checkups, Diagnose Etc. |
| 21 | Sub Centre Activity | 148 | Established 6 sub center at different PHCs and one Main center at ORBIT Humnbad for the stimulation activities. |
| 22 | Nutrition food Distribution | 87 | 87 children are provided with the Nutrition food Through Association of Persons with Disability (APD) and ORBIT |



Success Story

CHANGE STORIES.

Child's Name :- Aryan
Father Name :- Dalit
Mother Name :- Savita
Age :- 6
Village:- Dubalagundi
Taluk:- Humnabad
District:- Bidar



Family background :- Aryan's father is dalit, this child is a resident of Dubalagundi, there are six members in his family, the child's father is a bus driver, mother is Housewife, grandfather and grandmother are living in the family.

Basic problem of the child:- This child is suffering from speech defect and mental retardation. This child was informed about APD and six orbit organization after home visit.

Activities given to the child: Register this child in our organization = understand all the problems of the child and the assessment were given activities to the child. This child was provided by Aadhar Card May organization.

Changes like a baby:- Aryan baby now does everything by himself. Talking and doing the activity as we taught. So he has 45'/' change in his family and expressed thanks to the ORBIT and the APD organization.

Success Story

Baby Name:- Khushi
Father Name:- Dileep
Mother's Name:- Radhika
DOB:- 19/06/2018
Village:-Ghatborala



Family background: Khushi is a five-year-old child, the child's father works as a labor, mother is a housewife, and there are five members in the child's family. She is the first daughter and one younger sister.

Basic problem of the child: The child could not talk and walk.

Guidance: Workers from Orbit organization visited the child's home and learned about the child's problem. They were told that we are working with stunted children in our organization. We know that we can do well for your child through activities. The parents gave us permission to do the activities.

Change in the child: - The child is now speaking two letter sounds. The child is now trying to pronounce new words. She is taking steps forward as a child is 60 % better. so parent Thanks to the ORBIT and the APD organization.

Goal /Impact statement

1200 identified persons with mental illness from poor communities of Bhalki, Aurad and Basavakalyan Taluqs of Bidar District with severe or common mental illness access treatment from DMHP, stabilized and at least 30% of them practice livelihood activities thereby interested in the community by March, 2028

Objectives

1. Identify all the people with mental illness in Bhalki, Aurad and Basavakalyan taluqs of Bidar Districts to ensure treatment and reintegration for all the identified PwMI and families and to implement, promote and sustain District mental health program in the District.
2. To capacitate staff of Navajeevana, Community mental health workers, teachers and to sensitize secondary stakeholders and Govt Dept staff for the effective implementation of the mental health program in three taluks of Bidar district. This will result in creating sustainable model for carrying on the Navajeevana and DMHP program during phasing out of the program.



381

Total identification of the PwMIS under LLL foundation from Aurad, Bhalki and Basavakalayan.

24

The awareness programs conducted in the SHG groups, Schools, and anganavadi centers.

45

Awareness and training programs conducted to ASHA workers, High School teachers, community workers, Stake holders, PwMis and their care takers.

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Staff capacity building classroom training and Field level training for the staff of ORBIT LLL Foundation.

Benefits Received by the Beneficiaries under Navajeevana Program Supported by Live Love Laugh Foundation

| SL NO | TYPE OF Benefits | Number of People Benefited |
|-------|------------------|----------------------------|
| 01 | Udid Card | 42 |
| 02 | Health card | 84 |
| 03 | Eshram card | 05 |
| 04 | Ayushman card | 15 |
| 05 | Pensions | 14 |
| 06 | Old age pension | 01 |
| 07 | Ration card | 01 |



Success Story

Basappa 46 years, hailing from a poor background in Kollur, Aurad Taluk, faced immense struggles in his journey towards mental well-being. He is with wife and two Children, striving to make the family happy. However, after some years the doubts brewed within his mind. He was suspicious of his wife's fidelity; He thought his wife is having affair with other man. It disturbed him a lot, leading to daily conflicts and emotional distress among them.



Tragically, his wife died due to ill health. Her untimely demise worsened his anguish. Threatened by the relatives of his late wife, Basappa spiralled into a deep depression, marked by doubts and intense anger, self-doubt, and neglect of personal hygiene. His once vibrant spirit now clouded by suicidal thoughts and erratic behaviour, he found himself lost in despair.

Intervention of ORBIT

The first attempt of treatment was from Eragadda hospital in Hyderabad, it continued for some month. But due to financial constraints they couldn't continue the same.

However, a ray of hope emerged through the intervention of ORBIT staff Live, Love, Laugh Foundation - LLLF. Through diligent efforts and intervention of Asha workers, the staff

identified Basappa's case and initiated crucial support. Their first visit to his humble abode on August 26, 2023, marked the beginning of his journey towards recovery. They assessed the case and suggested the caretaker of Basappa to bring him to DMHP camp. The compassionate guidance of ORBIT's staff provided reassurance and encouragement.

With the guidance of ORBIT staff Basappa and his caretaker visited the DMHP camp for the first time on 5.9.2023. Subsequent participation in DMHP camps from 5.9.2023 laid the groundwork for Basappa's healing.

With unwavering dedication, Basappa underwent a transformative six-month follow-up, gradually witnessing improvements in his mental and emotional well-being. The once turbulent waters of his mind began to calm, as anger dwindled, behavioral patterns shifted positively, and suicidal tendencies waned.

Today, amidst the gentle breeze of progress, Basappa stands as a beacon of hope. Engaging in cooly work four days a week, he not only sustains his livelihood but also nurtures his habits of cleanliness and self-care.

In the face of adversity, Basappa's journey exemplifies the triumph of the human spirit. Through collaborative efforts and unwavering support, he emerged from the shadows of despair, reclaiming his life with newfound vigor and purpose.

WOMEN IN MICRO ENTERPRISE (Samruddi)

In collaboration with SAMRUDI - Rural Upliftment Foundation, Bangalore, this program is organized by ORBIT in Bidar, Balki, Basavakalyan, Chitguppa, Hulsoor and Aurad taluks of Bidar district. Members of democratically governed women's organizations own and control SAMRUDI. The program envisages creating entrepreneurs among rural women to improve the standard of living of their families.

OBJECTIVES

- o Empower women to demand their rights and fight against injustice
- o Increase the number of rural women receiving business counseling
- o Provide technical support and promote entrepreneurs among rural women
- o Support women financially to raise their monthly individual income

ACTIVITIES

- Entrepreneurship Awareness Program (EAP)
- Entrepreneurship Development Program (EDP)
- Loan distribution

TRAINING DETAILS from April 2021 to March 2022

| TRAININGS | Total No. of Trainings | Total no. of Participants |
|---------------------|------------------------|---------------------------|
| EAP / EDP Trainings | 19 | 272 |

Enterprises Supported during April 2022 to March 2023

| Type of Enterprises | No. of Women Supported | | | | | | Financial support |
|-----------------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-------------------|
| | BATCH I June 2022 | BATCH II August 2022 | BATCH III September 2022 | BATCH IV December 2022 | BATCH II February 2023 | TOTAL No. of Beneficiaries | |
| Animal Husbandry/ Goat rearing | 08 | 12 | 16 | 36 | 12 | 84 | 2100000 |
| General/Provision stores | 06 | 02 | 02 | 02 | 06 | 18 | 450000 |
| Beauty Saloons | - | - | 01 | | 02 | 03 | 75,000 |
| Tailoring | 11 | - | 04 | 01 | 17 | 34 | 850000 |
| Vegetable / Fruits vendor | - | - | 01 | - | 01 | 02 | 50,000 |
| Floor mill | 01 | - | 01 | - | - | 02 | 50000 |
| Bangles shop | 02 | | 01 | | | 04 | 1000000 |
| Tea shop | 02 | 03 | - | - | - | 05 | 125000 |
| Construction material | - | - | 01 | - | - | 03 | 75000 |
| Bakery | - | - | - | - | 01 | 01 | 25000 |
| Chicken stall | - | - | 01 | - | - | 01 | 25000 |
| Wood Shop | - | - | 01 | - | - | 01 | 25000 |
| Cloth Centre | - | - | - | - | 01 | 01 | 25000 |
| Music | - | - | - | 01 | - | 01 | 25000 |
| Mechanics work | - | - | - | - | 03 | 01 | 25000 |
| TOTAL | 28 | 17 | 29 | 40 | 40 | 160 | |
| Financial support | 7,00,000 | 4,50,000 | 800000 | 1000000 | 1000000 | | 4000000 |
| Repayment as on 31st March 2024 | | | | | | | 1,20,000 |

Success Story

Name: - **Esther Rani**

Husband: -Sudhakara

Village: -Belakera

Name of the SHG : -Sannidhi

Age: - 35



Success Story of Mrs. Esther Rani w/o Sudhakar:

Mrs. Esther Rani w/o Sudhakar, a resident of Belkera village in Chittaguppa taluk, had been married for 12 years. Her husband worked in a company, and their family lived under challenging conditions without a proper house. They held a BPL card, had no land, and faced financial instability. Life as a housewife became increasingly difficult for Mrs. Esther, and she longed for a stable home for her family. Through the guidance and support of Sannidhi Sangha, she received self-employment training, which gave her new hope. However, her primary goal was to secure a safe and permanent house.

Determined to change her situation, Mrs. Esther, with the help of her husband and ORBIT staff managed to secure a loan through Samruddi loan. They received ₹75,000 from the Samrudi scheme and contributed an additional ₹45,000 from their own savings. This, along with the training and support from Orbit Organization, helped them purchase a piece of land worth ₹1,50,000. The Orbit Organization played a vital role in providing Mrs. Esther and her family with the information and resources needed to buy the land, transforming their dream into reality.

Grateful for the support, Mrs. Esther expressed her heartfelt thanks to the members of Sannidhi Aand the Orbit Organization for helping her achieve something as significant as owning land. This success has brought not only a sense of security but also immense pride and relief for her family. Mrs. Esther believes that this accomplishment has laid the foundation for a better future for her family, giving them the strength to face other challenges ahead. Through this journey, she has demonstrated that, with the right support and determination, significant changes are possible even in the most difficult circumstances.



SABALA – EMPOWERING RURAL WOMEN AND YOUTH

Project Goal: By July 2024, empowered 90 economically backward family members of CSP children of Bidar District, in Karnataka State in India, will have enhanced their standard of living through self-employment and income generating activities.



| Sl No | Name of the Trainings | No of Batches | Total trainees |
|-------|-----------------------|---------------|----------------|
| 01 | Driving | 02 | 25 |
| 02 | Beautician | 01 | 10 |
| 03 | Tailoring | 05 | 60 |



SPARSHA - Cancer Campaign Program April-2023 to March-2024

| SL NO | Taluk | Awareness Conducted | Participants | Screening Camps | Participants | Referrals |
|-------|--------------|---------------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------|
| 1 | Humnabad | 202 | 4818 | 04 | 313 | 16 |
| 2 | Chitaguppa | 59 | 1496 | 03 | 262 | 11 |
| 3 | Basavakalyan | 27 | 623 | 01 | 74 | 10 |
| 4 | Bhalki | 47 | 1174 | 02 | 142 | 05 |
| 5 | Bidar | 21 | 360 | 01 | 63 | 03 |
| 6 | Aurad | 10 | 744 | 02 | 111 | 06 |
| 7 | Hulsoor | | | | | |
| 8 | Kamalnagar | | | | | |
| | Total | 366 | 9215 | 13 | 1065 | 51 |

'Celebrating Environment day: A commitment to sustainability'

Places: Humnabad, Basavakalyan, Balki, and Aurad

Objective: To raise awareness about environmental conservation and promote sustainable practices among local communities especially through water harvesting and zero plastic use.

The staff of ORBIT organized an environment day at different schools, villages and surroundings of Humnabad, Basavakalyan, Balki, and Aurad taluks planting 100 saplings each. The special importance was given to water harvesting through Ingu gundi.

| Sl No | Activity | Quantity | Places |
|-------|--------------------------|---------------|---|
| 1 | Distribution of saplings | 1200 saplings | Schools, PHCs, Individual houses of SHG members |
| 2 | Ingu Gundi | 03 | Humnabad |
| 3 | Awareness programs | 43 | At Humnabad, Basavakalyan, Balki, and Aurad |



SPECIAL PROGRAMS

International Women's day

International Women's Day 2023 was celebrated across various Taluks of Bidar District by ORBIT, with the theme: "Gender Equality through Economic Empowerment" (ಆರ್ಥಿಕ ಸಬಲೀಕರಣದೊಂದಿಗೆ ಲಿಂಗ ಸಮಾನತೆ).

The event saw enthusiastic participation from around 1,725 women, with distinguished guests from diverse sectors gracing the occasion in six different Taluks. A total of 35 women were honored for their remarkable achievements and dedication in improving their lives and making significant contributions to society.

The celebration highlighted the importance of empowering women economically as a key driver for achieving gender equality. Various cultural performances, discussions, and workshops were organized to inspire and motivate the participants. The event underscored ORBIT's commitment to fostering an inclusive society where women have equal opportunities to thrive and lead.



Orientation for the Staff

An orientation program was conducted for the staff of ORBIT at Humnabad, featuring insightful sessions on counseling and personality development. Fr. Jonson SJ led the session on counseling, providing valuable guidance on addressing emotional and psychological challenges in a compassionate and effective manner. His session emphasized the importance of active listening, empathy, and practical strategies for offering support to those in need.

Br. Henry from Bengaluru conducted a session on personality development, focusing on enhancing personal growth, communication skills, and self-awareness. His interactive approach encouraged the staff to explore their potential, build confidence, and foster a positive attitude both in their professional and personal lives. The program was well-received, equipping the staff with essential skills to better serve their communities.



Death Anniversary of St. Mother Theresa The Patron Saint of ORBIT

Blood Donation Camp

ORBIT Humnabad organized a blood donation camp at its premises on the occasion of the death anniversary of St. Mother Teresa, the patroness of ORBIT. The event was a tribute to her legacy of compassion and service to humanity. Numerous volunteers, including ORBIT staff and local community members, participated in the camp, contributing to the noble cause of saving lives through blood donation.

The camp was conducted in collaboration with local health authorities, ensuring proper medical supervision and safety measures. The event not only honored the memory of St. Mother Teresa but also emphasized ORBIT's commitment to continuing its mission of selfless service to society.



Training for Gender Equality Motivational Team

A specialized training program on Gender Equality was conducted at ORBIT for the Gender Equality Motivational Team, led by Sr. Nancy, the State Coordinator for Women Empowerment. The training aimed to deepen the team's understanding of gender issues and equip them with effective strategies to promote equality in their communities.



Sr. Nancy emphasized the importance of empowering women through education, economic opportunities, and legal awareness, while also addressing the need to challenge societal norms that perpetuate discrimination. The training reinforced ORBIT's mission to foster a society where gender equality is a shared value and reality.

Joy of Christmas

On January 2, 2024, ORBIT organized an Inter-religious Sauharuda Koota – a friendly gathering – to celebrate the spirit of Christmas. The event brought together people from diverse religious backgrounds to foster unity, peace, and mutual respect. Through prayers, cultural performances, and messages of harmony, the celebration highlighted the shared values of love, compassion, and solidarity that transcend religious differences.

This inclusive gathering symbolized ORBIT's commitment to promoting interfaith dialogue and building stronger, more cohesive communities. The atmosphere of goodwill and togetherness reflected the true essence of the Christmas season.



Cancer Awareness Jatha

A rally and cancer awareness jatha was taken out in Bidar on 04.02.2023 Saturday to mark World Cancer Day. It was the initiative of the Organization for Bidar Integral Transformation - ORBIT supported by Caritas India, Indian Cancer Society, the district health department Bidar and other departments. An awareness rally was held from the DHO office to the DC office in Bidar to raise awareness about Cancer. It was attended by officers of the health department of Bidar, the director and staff and ORBIT as well as students from schools and colleges in Bidar.



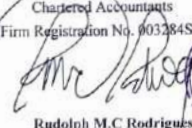


| ORGANISATION FOR BIDAR INTEGRAL TRANSFORMATION, HRD TRAINING CENTRE, N. H. 9, HUMNABAD - 585 330 | | |
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| CONSOLIDATED RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31 st MARCH 2024 | | |
| PARTICULARS | NOTE NO. | ₹ |
| I. Receipts : | | |
| Opening Cash and Bank Balances | 2 | 45,45,478.83 |
| Donation & Contribution | | 18,90,934.12 |
| Contribution Received Towards Specific Purposes | 3 | 29,36,901.00 |
| Grant received towards Specific Purposes | 4 | 64,87,868.00 |
| Bank Interest | 5 | 2,10,439.00 |
| Other Receipts | 6 | 9,30,805.00 |
| Total : | | 1,70,02,425.95 |
| II. Payments : | | |
| Expenses incurred towards Specific Purposes | 7 | 16,30,733.54 |
| Grant utilised towards Specific Purposes | 8 | 61,50,430.08 |
| Administrative Expenses | 9 | 3,57,276.22 |
| Community Development Expenses: | 10 | 7,31,275.00 |
| Other Expenses | 11 | 32,440.00 |
| Other Payments | 12 | 9,41,891.80 |
| Capital Expenditure | 13 | 4,20,590.00 |
| Closing Cash and Bank Balances | 14 | 67,37,789.31 |
| Total : | | 1,70,02,425.95 |
| Significant Accounting Policies - Note-1 | | |
| The accompanying notes are an integral part of the financial statements | | |
| Per report of even date | | |
| For P.M.C.R & CO | | |
| Chartered Accountants | | |
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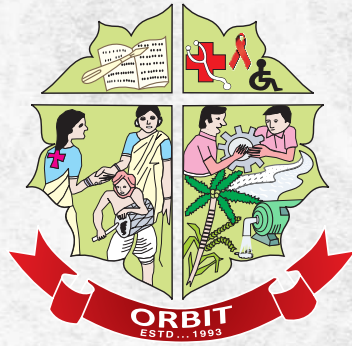
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