

SHRUSHTI SEVA SAMITI ANNUAL REPORT 2020-21



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WELCOME

Hello Friends, we are happy to present our Annual Report and hope that the report will reveal all facts & figures; challenges & risks; outputs & outcomes in context of implemented Project activities encompassing the fiscal year 2020-21.

Focusing upon the Thrust Areas Education, Mother & Child Care, Environment. Livelihood. Women Empowerment and Skill Development 'SHRUSHTI' seamlessly Training connects grassroots development in a holistic way.

SHRUSHTI has been working contiguously in 12 Forest, Desert & Hilly prone districts of Rajasthan State, which is spread over 3 Divisions known as – Udaipur, Jaipur & Jodhpur. These 12 districts are known as – Udaipur, Jaipur, Jodhpur Sirohi, Pratapgarh, Rajsamand, Chittaurgarh, Dungarpur, Ajmer, Bhilwara, Banswara &

Pali. The districts have a field clutch of 41 blocks having giant field coverage of 985 villages.

The consecutive impacts of these social reforms are sustainable and will enhance the quality of life of the people. We are pleased to acknowledge that as a result of constant pursuance and efforts in the field of education, health, environment, Livelihood, Women Empowerment & Skill Training Development, and one can easily find a positive response within the targeted populace as an outcome, who are directly benefited with the quality welfare deliveries conducted by SHRUSHTI in an organized & simplistic manner.

SHRUSHTI is benefiting the populace of 84,700 of 985 villages of 12 districts of Rajasthan, by catering efficient developmental services to the un-served and under-served communities.

SHYAM SUNDAR BHATT

CHAIRMAN



ABOUT US

SHRUSHTI SEVA SAMITI is an organization with **Special Consultative Status** in **United Nation Economic Social Council** (UNECOSOC) and an ISO 9001:2008 certified non-profit, non-government and non-religious voluntary organization operating in the rural, urban, tribal and far-flung habitations of Rajasthan. Its origin owes to a dream once seen by some likeminded intellectuals, educationalists, doctors, engineers and social-activist youths who firmly believe that India cannot be translated into a developed country until a sustainable holistic transformation of its rural sector takes place.

OUR VISION

Shrushti has a shared vision of "an equal and just society where the vulnerable and marginalized sections of the society effectively participate in the development process leading to control over their resources".

OUR MISSION

Our Mission is to involve, develop and support indigenous strategy that would cater to the developmental needs of the rural society in realizing their true strength and transforming themselves into a developed society.

FACT-FILE

The Organization is founded in 1999 and registered under Rajasthan Society Registration Act 1958. Its registered office is at Jhadol block of Udaipur district in Rajasthan (INDIA) with its HQs situated in Udaipur, Rajasthan. Our regional offices are at Jaipur, Banswara, Rajsamand, Dungarpur, Chittorgarh, Sirohi, Pali and Pratapgarh.

LEGAL STATUS

Our Society's Registration No. is 142/ Udaipur / 1998-1999 dated 26th March, 1999. We are also registered under Foreign Contribution Regulation Act (FCRA) vide registration number 125690085 dt. 13th Nov. 2006 to receive Foreign contributions. Our organization is registered under Income Tax Act under Article 12A, 80G, PAN No. AAETS6279 D and TAN No. JDHS09560F. Also, registered with NITI Ayog, Provident Fund and ESIS.

OBJECTIVES

- Promoting the Primary Education especially for girls, supporting in improving retention of children in schools and guiding for education quality enhancement.
- Empowering women by promoting literacy & employment generation programmes.
- Supporting farmers with modernized agricultural practices & new technologies.
- Generating awareness on Health & Nutrition, Water & Sanitation for family welfare.
- Promotion awareness on Climate Change & Environment protection
- Promotion of RWH & Alternative Energy resources especially Solar & Bio energy.
- Extending support to socially & physically weak, excluded and vulnerable sector of society to link them for mainstreaming, empowering them for accessing Government scheme benefits.
- Focusing to promote IT, Digitalization & modern communication techniques in rural areas.
- Conducting R&D and creating reliable database to support development strategies.

CORE VALUES

- Transparency and Participatory Approach
- Community based Leadership Development
- Gender Sensitivity
- Dedication for community upliftment
- Involving community in planning and decision making process

OUR THEORY OF SOCIAL CHANGE

- Making Trust building with community
- Organizing Baseline studies for community needs and gap identification
- Developing need based sustainable programmes & convergence with government
- Making dialogue with interested funding partners and implementing projects

OUR GEOGRAPHICAL PRESENCE

S.N.	District	Thematic Areas	No. of Ongoing Program	Block
1.	Udaipur	 Girl Education Adult Literacy Maternal & Child Health Research Environment Women Empowerment Menstrual Health & Hygiene Livelihood 	5	Jhadol (Ph.) Kotra Gogunda Badgoan Sarada Salumbar Girva Sayara
2.	Jaipur	 Eye Care Health Program Research 	3	Jaipur City
3.	Sirohi	 Girl Education Adult Literacy Maternal & Child Health 	2	Abu Road Pindawada
4.	Rajasamand	 Livelihood Girl Education Gender Issues Menstrual health & Hygiene 	3	Deogardh Amet Kumbhalgardh
5.	Dungarpur	 Girl Education Adult Literacy Maternal & Child Health Eye Care Health Program 	4	Sagawada Bichhiwara Dungarpur Simalwara
6	Chittorgarh	 Livelihood Maternal & Child Health Nutrition Skill Up-gradation Program 	3	Chittorgarh Rural Bhadesar Gangrar
7	Pali	 Girl Education Adult Literacy 	1	Bali
8	Pratapgarh	 Girl Education Adult Literacy Eye Care Health Program Vocational Training 	5	Dhariawad Arnod Choti Sadri Peepal Khoont Pratapgarh Block
9	Banswara	 Maternal & Child Health Nutrition Livelihood Vocational Training Program Eye Care Health Program 	3	Kushalgarh Ghatol Garhi Anandpuri Bagidora
10	Bhilwara	 Women Empowerment Infrastructure Development 	1	Hurda Kishangarh
11	Ajmer	 Delivery of Government Benefits Women Empowerment 	2	Beawar Pushkar Vijay Nagar Ajmer City
12	Jodhpur	1. Research	1	Billara

THEMATIC AREAS:

EDUCATION



Education over the years has turned out to be the single most striking theme that runs across almost all the projects executed by Shrushti for different group of children specially girl child.

This is because of its belief in education as the most potent tool for breaking the vicious cycle of poverty and deprivation.

MOTHER & CHILD CARE



Maternal and Infant mortality is high among the most vulnerable segment of the society to geographical variation, class, caste and gender inequality. It requires action to breakdown political, economical, social and cultural barriers that women faces in accessing the intervention that can prevent maternal and infant mortality.

Shrushti is contributing in improving maternal and child health by advocacy and strengthening existing programme service deliveries in partnership with State government.

SKILL DEVELOPMENT TRAINING



India is a large and diversified country with more than 50% of population is below 25. To capitalize on its demographic dividend, and chart a path towards inclusive growth, there is a need of of skilling, up-skilling and re-skilling of its rising youth population.

Shrushti understood the need and since its inception providing skill development training and placement to unemployed youth to make them self-reliant.

LIVELIHOOD



Agriculture in India has evolved over the years from traditional ways of growing to more innovative sustainable methods. We aim to implement more improved and sustainable technologies to farming. We support to connect agriculture with education and generate employment opportunities within the village itself which makes the village self-sustainable.

WOMEN EMPOWERMENT



Women make up half of the world population; their participation in various

activities is not the same as men's even today. Without the participation of women in the development process, society as a whole cannot be said to develop sufficiently. Nevertheless, due to gender discrimination and low economic status, women tend to be granted an inferior status in nearly every aspect of life.

We are empowering women who are marginalized and deprived by building their confidence, financial capability, livelihood development, self-respect and uprooting of violence against them.

ENVIRONMENT



Global warming due to environment degradation has already started showing its threat to human survival. The situation calls for an urgent proactively of highest order. We promote activities includes Plantation, Water Resource Management, Reforestation, Soil Conservation, and Awareness Generation Campaign.

1 NO POVERTY



2 ZERO HUNGER



3 GOOD HEALTH AND WELL-BEING



4 QUALITY EDUCATION



5 GENDER EQUALITY



6 CLEAN WATER AND SANITATION



8 DECENT WORK AND ECONOMIC GROWTH



10 REDUCED INEQUALITIES



11 SUSTAINABLE CITIES AND COMMUNITIES



12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION AND PRODUCTION





17 PARTNERSHIPS FOR THE GOALS



16 PEACE, JUSTICE AND STRONG INSTITUTIONS



15 LIFE ON LAND



13 CLIMATE ACTION



HIGHLIGHTS OF THE YEAR

985 Villages 15, 260 tribal girls received alternative education

2860 Children Mainstreamed

84,700
Direct
Beneficiaries

110 Youth
Trained on
Various
Trades

120 Women
were trained
on CBE to
enhance their
income

586 Families
linked with
Social
Security
Schemes

5720
Community
events/
meetings
organnized

Approx.
1,27,000
community
members
including PRI
members

MAJOR PROJECTS: ACTIVITIES & ACHIEVEMENT



PROJECT: IIMPACT-GIRL EDUCATION PROGRAM



IIMPACT-Girl Education Project is a joint venture of IIMPACT, Gurgaon and Shrushti Seva Samiti.

Shrushti is currently running 110 communities based learning centers in tribal dominated kumbhalgarh block of Rajsamand. This project aims to promote education among tribal's especially girls. Because migration in the region was very high, people migrate with family or some time alone but in all condition girl child affected vulnerably. They left at home to take care their aged elders, small babies and for cattle rearing. These girls usually enrolled in school in their initial years but once they reached age of 8 or 10, they been pushed to priorities other home activities over school.



We experienced that these children wants to come school but timing of the school, school distance, geographical difficulty, parents mindset and their safety concern becomes barrier. So to overcome these barriers we come with a concept of learning center which designed to ensure quality education to girl child to safeguard their right of education.



Learning center has flexible timing, runs near their homes, local female teacher hired for the cause and parents called regularly for meetings & events. Currently the program is impacting more than 3300 girls who are mostly tribal's. Another important component of program is building the capacity of the community, children and parent especially on the issues on

child labor, migration and gender sensitization.

In 2020-21, Shrushti has mainstreamed over 120 drop out girls in government schools and increased learning level of 3300 tribal girls in Maths, Hindi & English.

PROJECT: SAKHIYO KI BADI –GIRL EDUCATION PROGRAM



This program is support by IIFL Foundation

This program is been running in most distant tribal location of Udaipur, Dungarpur, Pratapgarh, Sirohi and Pali districts. This program promotes girl child education among tribal through community schools named 'Sakhiyo Ki Badi'.



Currently 400 Community Learning Center's are being running 7 blocks successfully at {Kotra, Phalasiya & Sayra(Udaipur), (Pali), Pindwara(Sirohi), Bicchiwada (Dungarpur) and Dhariyawad (Pratapgarh)) of 5 different districts of Rajasthan. Near to 12940 children organization is reaching through these community schools model. These community schools have been established to re-enroll children who are either drop-out or out of school and sometimes irregular students. The purpose of this community schools is to bridge learning gap of children so they can be enrolled age specifically classes in mainstream education.

According to recent study on Children Drop by ICAR among 10 states including Rajasthan, it was found that drop-out rates are higher in Sc/ST students and in Rajasthan drop- out rates are alarming.

Under this model both the genders are addressed and focus is primarily on academic excellence of children along with non-academic inputs to ensure holistic development of the children. Once the children reaches the required level they are mainstreamed with formal education and regular follow up with child as well as parents are done on regular basis post enrollment. This community school runs in places which community provided and have Inspiration committee in place that motivate local teacher as well as parents to contribute in this cause.



Apart from academic excellence, issues of child rights are also part and parcel of this model. This committee made sensitized on issues like child labor. children education, child

District	No. of Panchayat	No. of Villages	No. of Children
Udaipur	66	117	4750
Dungarpur	27	39	1505
Pratapagarh	31	62	3150
Pali	34	41	1970
Sirohi	11	23	1565
Total	169	282	12940

migration and its adverse affect and wanted them to act like vigilant committee of the village to stop all these.

Under Social action project, campaign to promote adult literacy launched and 4000 women has been covered and provided weekly classes.



In year 2020-21, Shrushti Team are able to mainstream over 2740 dropped out and out of school children in mainstream education.

PROJECT: KHUSHI PROJECT



The Khushi project is a joint initiative of Women and Child Development Department, Hindustan Zinc Limited, Care India and Shrushti Seva Samiti.

The overall goal of the proposed project is to strengthen functionality and quality of service delivery of government's Integrated Child Development Services (ICDS) Program to improve the health and well-being of children below 6 years of age from marginalized Dalit and concentration Adivasi blocks-Bhadesar, Gangrar and Chittorgarh Rural in Chittorgarh district of Rajasthan. The project spread over four years will enable existing government supported systems to provide quality supervisory support to field level functionaries in delivering a quality preschool education, health and hygiene program.

The project works on five key objectives to achieve this goal which

includes strengthening PSE activities, Health & Hygiene practices, monitoring attendance- retention of children, capacity building of supervisors and infrastructural improvement.



Key Achievement:

- A need-based assessment survey has been conducted at all AWCs for need based supply of weighing machine, dari patti and supplied digital weighing machine at 300 AWCs
- > 501 (87.8%) AWWs trained on health and hygiene
- Pre-School Education of children are being supported by 57 trained CCs and 3 BCs.
- ➤ Health and hygiene kit distributed to 567 AWCs.

- > 496 (86.41) AWWs trained on PSE
- ➤ 12 Positive Deviance Hearth (PD Hearth) sessions organized during the financial year
- Project has distributed Preschool education material at 567 AWCs
- ➤ 1389 (48%) community event/ meeting organized
- ➤ Total 80 street plays organised by professional artists.
- Approximately 14000 community members including PRI members participated
- Monitored attendance, retention and development indicators of children attending Anganwadi Centers.
- Addressed the need based gaps in selected 100 AWCs with regard to infrastructural repair and maintenance to make it more child friendly and provisioning of small equipment



Its joint collaboration of Department of Science & Tchnology and Shrushti Seva Samiti.

It was seen in Hindu practices which prohibits women from participating in normal family activities during menstruation because thev are considered impure. They cannot attend school, are forbidden from entering kitchen and worshipping god. In tribal areas situations are more gross women there used unhygienic old cloth, leaves and in some places in absence of awareness they used nothing.

In this project under the guidance of Department of Science & technology and with technical support of PECSS, Bhopal, Shrushti Seva Samiti has established 6 Handmade Low cost Sanitary Napkin production runn unit by rural women of in Rajsamand, Chittorgarh and Udaipur District. The purpose of setting up sanitary napkin-making facilities in rural

village to provide a low cost sanitary pad for these women to use.



This project helping in combating the myth around menstruation period and spreading awareness about women reproductive health issues in the intervention area. And creating livelihood option for the rural women who are involved in the production as well as working as health volunteer and sales representative. The main objectives are:

- (1) To explain the beneficiaries that usage of Sanitary Napkin is extremely beneficial for the health of women and keeps the body hygienically safe.
- (2) To provide employable and skilled vocational training for the production of Sanitary Napkins (through handmade machines) to the women of tribal BPL families;

- (3) To prepare the beneficiaries as successful entrepreneurs for the production and sale of sanitary napkins.
- (4) To provide entrepreneurship development training, life skill training, and malnutrition and raise other women related issues apart from sanitary napkins training.

Each sanitary napkin is made through handmade machines which don't require electricity except at last stage when sanitary pad has to sterilize to de-worm and in packing.



Till 31st March, 2020 more than 20,000 tribal women were made sensitize on importance of hygiene during menstruation period and provided with free sample. And recived order for 7000 sanitary pad from Ajmer based organization.

PROJECT STATE TRAINING RESOURCE CENTER (VIGYAN GRAM)

It's a joint collaboration of Department of Science & Tchnology and Shrushti Seva Samiti.

For overall improvement in the quality of life in rural areas by providing simple low key technological interventions the department selected us focal points to act as Science & Technology Resource Centres in Kumbhalgarh block of Raisamand district.

This Science & Technology Resource Centers are established with an objective to disseminate useful scientific and technological knowledge at the grassroots level. This center since their inception are acting as a catalytic agent to disseminate appropriate need based technologies and providing technology back up and support services at village level in coordination with various scientific and research & development institutions for low key technology adoption by the community.

BROAD OBJECTIVES:

- To develop training resource center for promoting integrated and sustainable agriculture for economic and environmental security.
- To establish integrated sustainable farm and learning adopted among the farmers communities within and beyond the target area.
- To promote natural/organic farming practices in the target region through demonstration, trainings, workshops etc.

The proposed model are having four important pillars which help in the attaining the set objectives. The training resource center is established for:

- Improving the soil & Water health by promoting organic farming techniques.
- Promoting appropriate technology related to farming or animal husbandry.
- Establishing or setting up a value chain for enhancing access of small & marginal farmers to market and credit.
- Promoting digital literacy among farmers & their families to improve their skill.



It's a joint collaboration of IGSSS, New Delhi and Shrushti Seva Samiti

Indo-Global Social Service Society (IGSSS) is a non-profit organisation working with the mandate for a humane social order based on truth, justice, freedom and equity. Established in 1960, IGSSS works for development, capacity building and enlightenment of vulnerable communities across the country for their effective participation in development. Shrushti has been

associated with IGSSS since 2009 under several programmes and SOUL is one of them.



At present Shrushti is implementing second phase of Sustainable Option for Uplifting Livelihood (SOUL)-2 in 20 villages of Badi Sadri block of Chittorgarh. Goal:

Vulnerable tribal community of Chittorgarh distrct of Rajasthan enhance their overall wellbeing, through the adoption of diversified and climate livelihoods/enterprise, resilient advancements in their nutrition status and more sustainable use of their natural resource base.



The efforts made during the last 4 years of intervention not only helped to improve the livelihoods of the

massive population but also created a resilience to adopt the climatic change. The Project intervention played a crucial role in bringing impact in the life of the Project beneficiaries and creating a Synergy within the community so that a ripple effect can visible in be made the larger of the peripheries community.



Under the SOUL 1 & 2 project many interventions were done so as to build the capacities of the Communities towards livelihood and inculcate the of collective culture farming. Capacities in all these spheres related to Livelihood were provided through by bringing them in a group, so that they inculcate the feeling can togetherness to work as well as supporting each other beyond the Phase of the Project. This initiative was one of the 1st breakthroughs for the Project Management Team to transform the communities into

Clusters and it leaded to the formation Community based Organization like the Kisan Groups - Village Action Team - Federation within the Project location.



SOUL Project has made difference in the life of underprivileged families by building their skill to improve their earning and by making them aware about their rights.

Project Outcome:

- 632 Families increased its consumption of two meals a day by three months.
- 271 families are getting PDS/NREGA/MDM/ICDS and other food related security benefits.
- 118 Families started multi & mix cropping in last six months.

- They are cultivated Soyabin, Udad, Moong, Makka, etc.
- 118 new families involved in horticulture practices. They cultivated vegetables like Bhindi, Torai, Mirchi, Lauki, Began, Paalak, Tomato etc.
- 106 families started growing cash crops on their field
- 132 families started Organic farming; they are now using Organic manure like Amrut Jal, Vermin Compost, Azola, NADEP compost.
- 55 families has started practicing Nonfarm based activities like goatry, cow etc.
- 103 families are aligned with Widow Pension.
- 325 families getting work under NREGA but these families are not getting additional wages in NREGA.
- 10 Farmers Group has received credit from banks and other financial institutions of Rs.
 62,30,000/- .

- 33 Micro Plans Proposal has been submitted by CBOs to Government & Pancahyat.
- 16 Proposal has been accepted
 by Government & Panchyat.

"SUMA RAJASTHAN" - A NETWORK FOR SAFE MOTHERHOOD BY CHETNA



During 2000-2001 CHETNA, Ahmadabad, a resource agency addressing the issues women health and development "Safe initiated campaign on Motherhood" in 7 districts of Rajasthan with support of 11 local NGOs. This campaign was overwhelmingly supported by state government departments, state women commission, local Media, UN and other International organizations. Based on the outcomes of campaign, a platform for Safe Motherhood in Rajasthan came up "SUMA - Rajasthan Safe Motherhood Network" got formed in 2002 to targeting to reduce MMR and IMR in Rajasthan.



Shrusthi is one of the partners of SUMA Network since 2013 and working in Udaipur, Dungarpur and Sirohi on the issue of Safe Motherhood. Below are the objectives of SUMA on which we have been working since years in Southern Rajasthan:

- For Safe Motherhood, making advocacy on policy – legal & programmatic issues to bring a change
- Creating awareness among various stakeholders of society towards problems and policies related to Safe Motherhood.
- Developing knowledge among Network partners through regular dialogue and communication

Making Capacity building of individuals and organizations on Safe Motherhood.

Organization under the SUMA Network successfully implemented two long term project name Women Health & Rights Advocacy Partnership-South Asia (WHRAP-SA) in Udaipur and Sirohi and Quality of Care Project in and Udaipur Dungarpur. And successfully led campaigns which Hamari Awaz. Mahilao ki were Maange, 'Rakhi ka safed dhaaga, Har Maa aur Shishu ki suraksha ka Vada' and Hamari Awaz Suno.



The activities carrying out by us in SUMA Network is strengthening of RMRS in PHC/CHC in Udaipur & Dungerpur district of Rajasthan and preparing ground for upcoming campaign for promoting Safe

Motherhood 'Gunvatta avam Garimapurn Swasthy Abhiyaan'.

PROJECT NAME: SKILL BASED TRAINING OF TRIBAL YOUTH



Its Joint collaboration of FVTRS, Banglore
and SHRUSHTI

Functional Vocational Training and Research Society (FVTRS) is a Bangalore based National level development sector organization supports agencies on Skill based Vocational Training programmes throughout the country. FVTRS focuses on making the target community, school dropout and illiterate youth – employable by building skills to earn a living in a trade of their choice, preferably to become successful entrepreneurs to effect more employment for others.

Shrushti has been a partner of FVTRS since 2011. And since then we have trained more than 560 dropped out youth of Sirohi, Udaipur, Rajsamand and Pratapgarh on skill such as electrician, mobile repairing, plumbing, two wheeler repairing, masonary, tailoring etc.



In 2020-21 Shrushti with support of FVTRS has provided training to 110 (include 50 Male and 60 Female) dropped out youth of Dhariyawad block of Pratapgarh district on trades like Mobile Repairing, Two-Wheeler repairing, electrician, Sanitary napkin production, plumbing and Organic Farming.

We're immensely happy to announce that more than 75% of the trainees have generated an income of more than Rs. 5,000/- after the training and are self employed.





Its an initiative of Sightsavers International and SHRUSHTI is implementing partner.

GOAL

To improve eye health of the urban population including the poor and the

underserved in Jaipur city through inclusive eye health services between 2021-2025.

OBJECTIVES

- To strengthen Urban Community Health Centres (UCHCs) and Urban Primary Health Centres (UPHCs), for promoting access to good quality primary eye health services in urban populations of Rajasthan.
- To increase the demand for eye health services among urban poor population through improved eye health seeking behavior.



The project intends to enhance an accessibility to primary and secondary eye care services to the slum population by increasing the awareness level, capacity building of the health workers and establishing mobile and static primary eye centers.

The program aism to establish vision centers in Jaipur to cover population of 50,000 of Jagatapur Slum Area in order to strengthening the referral mechanism, ensuring timely cataract surgeries at government hospitals. **Programmes** emphasis on generating eye care awareness and mobilize communities for availing eye care services provided by the vision center through the programs linked field functionaries.

OUR PARTNERS



























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