



**70** SHG Women  
Trained in Livelihood  
& Entrepreneurship

**87** New Self  
Help Groups  
formed

**63** Service Users  
benefitted from  
Tele-Rehabilitation

Food Grains  
Distributed  
to **272** Families

Refraction tests  
conducted for  
**483** People

**62** Benefitted  
from Health  
Checkup Camp &  
Medical Support

**31** Children  
with Disabilities  
Benefitted from  
Assessment Camp

**1510** Individuals  
were screened for STR

**2103** Children  
Youth with  
Disability supported  
for Rehabilitation

**780** Women  
participated  
in CBO Meetings

## AWARENESS PROGRAM ON AUTISM



JVS organized an awareness workshop on the occasion of “World Autism Day” on 2<sup>nd</sup> April in the premises. Fifteen autistic children and their parents attended the program with a few staff. Besides creating awareness on autism, discussion was held on the challenges in caring for children with autism and the factors that contribute to their development and inclusion in the society.

## TRAINING ON ADVOCACY AND LOBBYING



A training program on “Advocacy and Lobbying” was organized by JVS for the partner organizations. The main objective of the program was to strengthen the skills of the partner organizations on advocacy and lobbying. Mr. Amit Kumar Khamari (Manager, ASK), the resource person discussed about the processes, tools and essential capacities required at the organization level for effective advocacy. During the course of the training - the partners made efforts to make their own organizational advocacy plan.

## PARTNER ORGANISATIONS' MEET CUM TRAINING ON RPwD ACT 2016 & DIDRM



A Partners' meet cum training on Rights of Person with Disabilities Act 2016 (RPwD) and Disability Inclusive Disaster Management (DIDRM) was organized by JVS on 15th & 16th April at Jan Vikas Kendra, Hazaribagh. The main objective of the program was to update the partner organizations on the Rights of Person with Disabilities Act 2016 and to Disability Inclusive Disaster Management. A total of 14 partner organizations from Jharkhand, Chhattisgarh and Uttarakhand participated in the training program.

## THERAPEUTIC MANAGEMENT TRAINING



Awareness among the parents plays an important role to identify the disabilities of their children at the right time. JVS organized the 3rd batch of 10 days' training program from 23rd April to 2nd May on “Early Identification and Therapeutic Management” for community facilitators from 8 different Partner Organizations at JVS, Varanasi. This training program enabled the community facilitators for better assessment and interventions with children with disabilities at their community level.

## FOOD AND BEVERAGE GRADUATION PROGRAM



JVS celebrated the Graduation ceremony of its third batch of Food & Beverage Service Management for youngsters with disabilities on 4th May 2019 at JVS. The Chief guest Dr. Ashok Patel (Block Pramukh, Varanasi) awarded certificates to 24 youngsters with disabilities on their successful completion of their course. During this training, the students were trained on food menu preparation, hospitality, hygiene, etc.

## TRAINING ON PROBLEM SOLVING AND CONFLICT MANAGEMENT



JVS organized a training program on problem-solving and conflict management for CBO Federation leaders on 1st May at JVS. Mr. Nand Lal, the resource person addressed the women groups on problem-solving and conflict management at panchayat level. A total of 71 women leaders from different CBO Federations participated in the training. The participants shared their concerns during the group discussions and raised a number of questions to the facilitator, who clarified through examples.

## ORTHOTIC & PROSTHETIC CAMP



JVS organized an orthotic & prosthetic measurement camp at SPARC, Lucknow. A total of 51 children and youngsters with disabilities participated in the camp. While 20 children and youngsters were found fit for orthotic and prosthetic aids and appliances, other 31 were referred for therapeutic and surgical treatment.

## LEADERSHIP TRAINING FOR CBO LEADERS



A Leadership training program for community facilitators was organized by JVS on 21<sup>st</sup> May 2019. Mrs. Rekha Upadhyay (NHM), the resource person discussed about the importance of and the need to augment leadership skills, increase self-confidence and facilitated them to address the issues concerning local self-governance and looked at different ways to improve the functioning of local governance. A total of 49 CBO leaders participated in the training program.

## TRAINING ON PARTICIPATORY RURAL APPRAISAL



A Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) training cum workshop was organized to build the capacity of JVS field staff. The 3 days' workshop, facilitated by Fr Satish from 24<sup>th</sup> to 26<sup>th</sup> June enabled the staff on identifying and mapping the available resources at their field level. It was a great learning process for the staff, especially the new ones.

## TRAINING OF TRAINERS ON CEREBRAL PALSY



A ToT on cerebral palsy was organized by JVS from 29<sup>th</sup> to 31<sup>st</sup> May 2019 at JVS to build the capacity of partner organizations' field facilitators who are regularly engaged with parents having children with cerebral palsy. Mr. Hiranand and Mr. Ranjeet facilitated the sessions. The aim of the program was to train the mothers having children with cerebral palsy for better implementation and outcome of home-based therapy. A total of 10 representatives from 8 partner organizations from Uttar Pradesh and Madhya Pradesh participated in the training program.



## SUMMER CAMP FOR ADOLESCENT GIRLS



JVS organized a 3 days summer camp for adolescent girls at JVS from 25th to 27th June. Sixty adolescent girls from 10 panchayats participated in the camp, during which the girls were trained on making handcraft items like jewelry and earrings. An exposure visit to Trade Facilitation Centre and Craft Museum, Varanasi was organized during the summer camp and the girls gained knowledge on trade and culture of handcraft in Varanasi.

## NATIONAL FOOD SECURITY ACT AND ROLE OF PRI



A one day training program was organized by JVS on 8th May on the National Food security Act, 2013 and the role of PRI. Women Federation Leaders from various panchayats participated in the training. Mr. Solanki, the resource person addressed the participants and shared his vast experience and knowledge on different schemes and entitlements under the National Food Security Act, 2013 including Midday Meal Scheme, Integrated Child Development Services Scheme, Public Distribution System, etc. He also shared about the role of Panchayati Raj and its elected members for the effective implementation of these schemes.

## DISABILITY CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION



JVS was successful in facilitating the process of obtaining disability certificate and railway pass for 25 persons with disabilities through the district disability rehabilitation centre. The certificates were distributed to the right holders on 24<sup>th</sup> May. The occasion was used to create greater awareness on the rights of persons with disabilities.

## NORTH EAST PARTNERS' MEET



JVS organized the North East regional partners' meet at Don Bosco Institute of Management in, Guwahati on 26th & 27<sup>th</sup> June. The occasion was also a time of capacity building as Mr. Amit Pramanik (ASK, Delhi) facilitated a 2 days' session on resource management. A total of 45 participants from 19 partner organizations were part of this program and learned more on resource mobilization and project proposal. The training program enabled the participants to map their donors and to develop strategies and approaches that will bring about the desired results.

## WELCOME AND ADIEU



Jan Vikas Samiti extends a warm welcome to Fr. Preethan IMS, the new Associate Director at JVS and looks forward to benefitting from his vast experience.



JVS is grateful to Fr. Satish Augustine IMS for his contribution to JVS in the last one year. We wish him all the very best for his next mission.

## MEDIA COVERAGE



Membership No. 5056

## TRAINING PROGRAMS

Training Program	No. of Trainings	No. of Participants
Training on Livelihood and Entrepreneurship Development	2	70
Training on Advocacy & Lobbying	1	21
Partners' Meet	2	72
Training on RTI Act, National Food Security Act & Role of PRI	2	87
Training on SHG Management & PRA for Field Staff	2	17
Therapeutic Management Training	1	8
Training on Problem Solving and Conflict Management	2	114
Leadership Training for CBO Leaders	2	89
Training of Trainers on Cerebral Palsy	1	10
Training on Participatory Rural Appraisal	1	17
Summer Camp for Adolescent Girls	1	66

## UPCOMING EVENTS

Date	Event Name	Location
3 <sup>rd</sup> to 12 <sup>th</sup> July	Early Identification & Therapeutic Management	Diphu, Assam
15 <sup>th</sup> & 19 <sup>th</sup> July	Workshop on Bag Making	Varanasi
16 <sup>th</sup> July	Orthotics and Prosthetics Distribution Camp	Lucknow
19 <sup>th</sup> July	Organizational Assessment Workshop	JVS, Varanasi
21 <sup>st</sup> July	Orthotics and Prosthetics Distribution Camp	Allahabad
22 <sup>nd</sup> July	Training on Women's Rights & Gender Discrimination	JVS, Varanasi
23 <sup>rd</sup> to 27 <sup>th</sup> July	Workshop on LED Bulb	Varanasi
29 <sup>th</sup> to 31 <sup>st</sup> July	ToT on Cerebral Palsy	Bethiah
1 <sup>st</sup> to 3 <sup>rd</sup> August	Participatory Rural Appraisal	Jaunpur & Varanasi
13 <sup>th</sup> August	Training on Safe Motherhood, Early Intervention and Risk Reduction	JVS, Varanasi
16 <sup>th</sup> August	Food and Beverages Service Management Inauguration	JVS, Varanasi
23 <sup>rd</sup> August	Street Play & Puppet Show	Varanasi
27 <sup>th</sup> to 29 <sup>th</sup> August	Training on Communication & Documentation	JVS, Varanasi
2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Inclusive Job Fair	Assam
9 <sup>th</sup> & 14 <sup>th</sup> September	Leadership Training for SHGs & CBOs	Jaunpur & Varanasi
10 <sup>th</sup> September	Workshop on Gender Rights	Jaunpur
20 <sup>th</sup> to 29 <sup>th</sup> September	Training on Early Identification & Therapeutic Management	Lucknow

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