

People's Welfare Forum

Annual Progress Report

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The year 2017-18 has been an extremely busy and fruitful year for the organization. The Organization undertook various activities to pursue its objectives of creating awareness. Training, education, and service to humanity. The society received funds from members as well as a donation from the public. These funds were partly utilized for society's expenses and partly for undertaking various projects for the society.

The major Activities of the society, among other activities, have been the following.

1. **Rehabilitation of Handicapped**

Last year works regarding identification treatment and rehabilitation of handicapped persons was done by the Organization in various areas of J&K. 26 such persons were identified the Organization organized for their medical check-up got done and medical facilities were made available to them. This year the Organization has taken full responsibility pertaining to their education of 2 handicapped children.



2. De-Addiction Programme For Youth

Drug abuse has become a major problem over the year. To combat this problem Organization has been conducted musical chairs, hit the Ball, were organized by involving physically challenged children.



3. Agricultural Activities

Activities regarding development & betterment of the agricultural system. The Organization organize some crop programs at some villages of Shopian Distt. Introduction of Warimi compost with Farmers and how to use it. And introduce all international Herbs, Herbal products, Traditional Medicines. And it's Markets.



4. Medical Check-Up Camp

The Organization organized a free medical check-up camp. Various doctors gave their services for this free health checkup camp. In this camp, approximately 250 persons comprising of Males Females and children were examined and given medical advice and medicines. The camp was a great success as it proved to be of great service to the persons belonging to the lower strata of the society.



5. Family Welfare Programme

The Organization tried to promote family welfare by creating awareness and encouraging adoption of family welfare by getting the pamphlets printed and distributing them among the public.



6. Computer Training Programme

An organization organized Computer Training programs were of 7 days these programs the participants were given inputs on basic skills of computers. Experts from the field were called so as to give maximum benefit to the trainees.



7. Training Programme On Stitching

The Organization Organized two training programs for boys and girls on the stitching of clothes. In these Programs, the participants were given training on designing and stitching.



8. Self Help Groups Formation And Training

For economic development of a weaker section of rural and urban areas activities of self-help group are being encouraged by the organization. This year being implemented in eleven villages of Wathoo Block of Shopian Distt. 29 SHGs have been got started by the Organization Among these financial assistance has been provided for the activities like flour grinder, poultry, farming, welding machine, etc. for this purpose necessary training has been got imparted to the groups by the Organization with its own resources. In these groups 6 SHGs has been Organized in these bangle trade goat rearing preparation of Dona- petal (bowl, Plate made of leaves) flour grinder incense stick making worth mentioning.



9. Promotion of Folk Art and Cultural Activities

To encourage folk arts, the program has been organized by the organization this year also under which puppet shows

through folk artists have been got organized by the organization this year also inter-school folk dance on district levels.

Folk dance folk song and traditional dress competitions of children have been organized in which a large number of rural children has participated with great zeal.



10. Reproductive & Child Health Programme

Society Conduct RCH Awareness Program at Shopian District for increasing access and quality of RCH services. A great deal of effort has gone in raising awareness at the community level regarding small family care during pregnancy infant care prevention and management of childhood diseases prevention of unwanted pregnancy among other RCH issues however this has not been matched by increasing the availability of PF products information and services, and quality RCH care by the existing government health infrastructure especially in remote and far-flung areas.



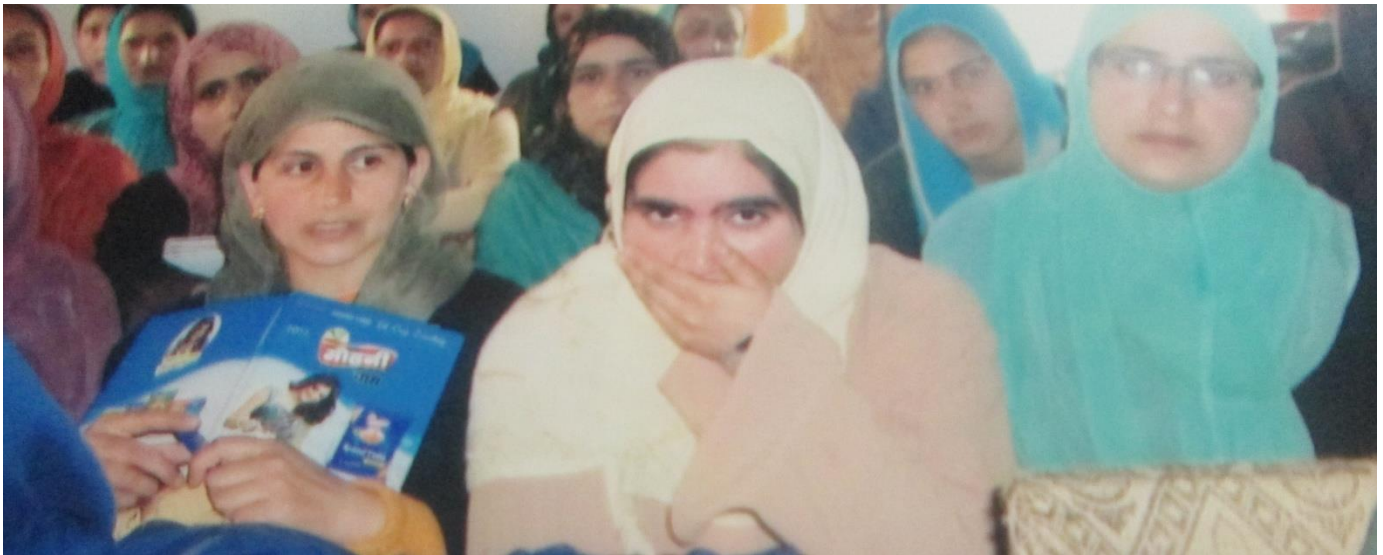
11. Basic Sanitation & Personal Hygiene

People's Welfare Forum is striving hard to create an environment that is unpolluted hygienic and conducive for the proper development of human being. We came to conclusion through our experiences and analysis that there exists a direct relation between cleanliness hygiene and health.

To provide minimum basic sanitation faculties to the underprivileged and vulnerable sector and society to bring out the desired change in the present scenario. We are conducting programmes to educate masses about ways and means of keeping cleanliness hygiene and sanitation in and around their homes.

We are also promoting structures that help in safely disposing of solid/Liquid waste garbage human and animal excreta etc. To achieve this we are constructing pits, and provision for keeping drinking water source clean. These structures, on one hand, help in keeping cleanliness in and around homes thereby reducing the vulnerability of its inhabitants to disease like diarrhoea, gastroenteritis cholera malaria, TB on the

other they provide useful by-product in the form of organic fertilizer and groundwater recharging.



12. Community Empowerment Programme

People's Welfare Forum believes in the philosophy that "beneficiary community should not be kept at the receiving end" For sustaining the impact of any development programme rather they should be empowered to be the real executors and able to help themselves Empowerment of the people is inherent part of all projects carried out of People's Welfare Forum. We organize the beneficiaries in various groups i.e. youth group, women group, user group, self-help group, committee and provide them training that is need-based and project specific. We have established a Panchayati Raj training centre to train Panchayat members about their duty, right, various welfare schemes, about their role as a facilitator so that they can serve the rural masses to best of their capacity. We are in the process of setting up a Panchayati Raj information centre at each block level, which works as a coordinator between Govt. and beneficiaries,

dissipate information on Panchayati Raj and update knowledge and perception of the masses.



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