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Sustainable intervention and Low cost diagnostics were introduced.

Two-day training for 28 Community Health Volunteers (CHVs) were organized at Kripa Training Centre, Ujjain, Madhya Pradesh, on 1st and 2nd February 2018. The training program was inaugurated by Fr. Thomas, Director of Kripa Training Centre, Ms. Indra Rani, APM CHAI and Fr. Kiran Olakkengil. The participants were oriented towards the new phase of the project and the use of low cost Diagnostics Equipments. Volunteerism was promoted and key measuring indicators of model villages were discussed.



Presence of Ms. Beatrice doubled the Joy of MP Forum



Two days visit was done by Ms. Beatrice from Misereor, Germany on 5th and 6th February 2018. Fr. Kiran, Forum Director, MPSSS welcomed Ms. Beatrice. The objective of the visit was to have interaction with the MP Forum and its Partners and Community Leaders on progress of the PLD process. First day interaction was held with the MPSSS Director, Staffs on PLD progress. On the second day, the entire PLD team shared about the learning's of

PLD. Ms. Beatrice shared on the impressions of second phase and introduced PLD III Phase. The key focus of new phase will be reducing Malnutrition and Hunger Alleviation.

RRT Member conducted training for Coordinators

On 12th & 13th February 2018, Madhya Pradesh Samaj Seva Sanstha hosted a two days Forum Meeting entitled "Samanvay - Coordinators Forum Meeting". The two day training was conducted on Sustainable Development Goals in the perspective of partner's intervention themes. All SDG's explanations were made very contextual to the field intervention of 9 partners, so that it does not become an alien concept but widen the perspective.



Exposure visit of PLD team to Warrangal, Andra Pradesh



A three day exposure visit was organized for PLD team from 17th to 19th February 2018. MPSSS Director, DSSSs Directors, Zonal Coordinators and Coordinators were part of the exposure visit. Visit was organized at Balavikasa Social Service Society, Warrangal, Andra Pradesh. First day participants were oriented on ABCD (Asset Based Community Development) model by Mr. Shoury, Director, Balavikasa. The other two days

field visits were organized for the participants at the model village named Gangadevi Palli where interaction was held with the community leaders and visited the places where organic farming practices are adopted to make the participants aware of the benefits of organic manure. Community Water plant was visited at the village level and city level which is providing safe and pure drinking water to the entire community.

Partner Profiling was initiated in Pragati Jhabua & GCSS Gwalior

Two days visit was done at Jhabua and Gwalior on 23rd and 27th February 2018 by Ms Mamta, Program Officer, MPSSS. Discussion with field staff was for improvising the reporting by looking for changes in the field and documenting the results, rather than mentioning only activities. Brainstorming done to assess' perception of villagers towards Pragati & GCSS. Liaison and networking with district officials and Issue based media coverage could be means for better visibility.



Supporting MIs through Monitoring visit

Visit was done by Regional Program Officer, Balendra Singh Kaurav from 15th to 16th February at Ashta & Hosangabad and from 20th to 23rd February 2018 at Khandwa, Sanawat, Sendhwa, Dhani and Betma. Objective of the visits was to have discussion on FICTC (Facilitate Integrated Counselling and Testing Centre, a HIV testing scheme), Janani Sahyogi Yojna, RNTCP and Cataract operation schemes and to have the implementation of the same at the hospitals (MIs) under the Public Private Partnership (PPP) schemes.



PSC and Forum Directors meet at Caritas India, Delhi

Forum director represented the region in both the activities organized by Caritas India on 21st to 23rd February 2018. On first day the new strategic plan of Caritas was discussed in detail. The chairman and the team facilitated the sessions. On the second day various projects from different parts of the country were discussed. On the third day different forums presented their activity reports in detail.

Forthcoming Events

- Media Workshop, NISCORT Delhi- 9th to 14th March 2018
- Monitoring visit to Sagar by RPO- Health-15th to 17th March 2018
- Disha Meeting- 16th & 17th March 2018
- PLD Monitoring visit, Gwalior- 20th to 21st March 2018
- BMS- Proposal Orientation at Coimbatore- 19th to 23rd March 2018
- Monitoring visit to Chattisgarh by RPO- Health- 20th to 23rd March 2018