

- With the support of Johnson Control, **Child Activity Resource Center (CARC) was established** in the Shanthinagar slum in Jawaharnagar Municipal Corporation.
- The center has been functioning since 15th January 2023. **Two teaching facilitators** named are recruited to teach the children in this center and **conducts classes for IX to X grade and VI to VIII grade**
- Total of **45 children enrolled in the CARC center** so far. Among them 31 are children are studying in the 4th and 5th grades. Remaining children (11) are in the 6th to 10th grades. 6th to 10th grade wise children enrolment in the center was mentioned below.

6 th Grade			7 th Grade			8 th Grade			9 th Grade			10 th grade			Grand Total		
B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T	B	G	T
2	0	2	4	0	4	1	0	1	2	0	2	2	0	2	11	0	11

- Mentors and Teachers are planning to organize community engagement activities in the Shanthi nagar slum with the objective to **increasing the enrolment of children in the center by 80 in the next two weeks.**

Important observations made by the Teachers:

1. Children in 4th and 5th grade are unable to read and write basic Telugu and English.
2. Children studying 6th to 10th grade are find difficult in writing the simple sentences and solving the simple mathematic problems.
3. The majority of the children are hyperactive and showed less interest in completing the home work.
4. Some of the children are very shy and it takes a while to actively involve them in the various activities organized in the center.
5. The lack of discipline is mainly due to the slum environment and socialization factors.

Subject classes conducted by the Teachers so far:

1. Basics in Languages, Science and Mathematics
2. 8th and 9th grade children: Preparation for examination in Maths, physics subjects and doubts clarification.
3. 10th grade children: Mathematics and Science subjects doubts clarification.
4. Motivational classes and importance of time punctuality and Importance of discipline.

Other Activities organized by the Teachers:

1. Assessment of children basics by giving simple tasks.
2. Quiz competitions.



JCIL Gurugram Project- Monthly Updates (Village Meoka, Baskoshla, Gairatpurbas)

Project Duration- Feb-Mar 2023

- **114 (M-44, F-70) children are getting education support to improve** quality of education through **3 Children Activity Centre (CAC) working in 3 villages.**
- 30 children (M-11, F-19) are getting digital education from Digital learning center in Bass Kushla .
- **Women’s cricket team was made of 12 adolescent girls in Gairatpurbas.** The girls are doing practice on regular basis to improve their skills and also motivating other to participate in sport and education.
- **Monthly meeting was held with 49 (M-20, F-29) children of children collective (CC) on the issue of Right to Education act(RTE)**
- Monthly meeting with **46 girl of Adolescent collective (AC) on the issue of menstrual hygiene**
- **1 community bases organization (CBOs) meeting was organised with 13 women** to identify issues. Major issues identified were cleanliness and streetlights in Gairatpurbass area. The group has taken up the issue with the concern
- **Awareness campaign was conducted in one of the school of the area. Over 300 children were aware about child rights.** It was a nice initiative to create awareness in collaboration with school.



Figure 1: Adolescent group meeting in project area



Figure 2: Meeting with CBO

JCIL Tigri Project- Monthly updates
Project Duration – Oct 2022 to Feb. 2023

1. **Sessions on Cyber security were organised for children** wherein simple social engineering scams, like phishing and other security attacks like ransomware and other malware, which are designed for stealing personal data or intellectual property, were taught. **About 80 children were part of the sessions.**
2. **Digital Literacy Classes on certificate course in active basic is being conducted with 60 children with the curriculum support from NIIT.**
3. **10 students (age group 15-18) have been identified and enrolled in NIOS** (The National Institute of Open School). These were the **drop out students** who had the will to continue education but were either not supported by their families or had financial constraints.
4. **Coding classes for 25 children are being conducted.** Coding is one of the most constructive skills since it can help them develop persistence, communication, creativity, and higher-order thinking along with setting them up for potentially lucrative career opportunities.
5. **92 out of 99 identified child labour have been mainstreamed in school**, 45 are from 14-18 yrs age group and 47 are from 6-14 years age group.
6. This month **immunization camp of Measles (New MMR) was organized at all Anganwadi centres** in SWATI's intervention area. And through these immunization camps one and a half year old children were benefited.
7. **The vacant rooms have been repaired and a new CAC has been initiated for children of age group 14-18 yrs.** 35 children have been enrolled in the CAC. Currently, economics and Mathematics is being taught in the CAC.
8. **A period shame campaign was executed in the target areas where lot of activities were done with all the children (including boys).** Role plays, slogan writing and picture competition was conducted for children. Menstrupedia comics were also distributed and discussed with children. Children especially girls shared their experience and myths were also discussed. **Approx. 650 children were reached out through the campaign.**
9. The **second session on Menstrual Stigma and Child Sexual Abuse was organized in the community (D-Block) and MCD Primary School** in which we covered **75 children** and adolescents. We tried to loud our voice regarding menstrual myths and protection of the children.
10. **Six Mental Health Sessions were conducted with 30 children of CAC at Swati.** It helped them gain skills necessary to manage stress and conflict now and far into the future. Studies indicate that counselling for children can improve self-confidence, self-esteem, and overall social skills. Another place that counselling helps is in transitions.



Street play on Menstrual Health and Hygiene



Mental Health Session In project

- **Monthly meeting was conducted with the 10 vigilance groups.** In these meetings total 113 members participated. During the meeting follow up of missing children was discussed and action plan made for pending cases.
- **The life skill session was conducted with 48 adolescents on self-confidence and positive thinking.** The objective of the session was to help the adolescents build self-confidence and think positively. The adolescents were made aware of the importance of self-confidence and positive thinking in achieving success in life.
- **One to one meeting conducted with 20-whistle blowers.** They have been oriented about the protection and missing children issues. And also explained about their roles and responsibilities.
- **A group of CAC Nangloi children prepare a street play on education and hygiene.** The purpose of the play is to create awareness among the people about the importance of education and good hygiene practices.
- **A session on menstrual Hygiene was conducted with 40 girls.** During the session, girls were shown a video on the same topic and discussed about individual cases face by girls during menstruation.
- **An intern helped the 10th and 12th class children to prepare for the exams by providing classes in math and English.** This helped to ensure that the students were well-prepared for the exams



JCIL Shahbad Dairy- Monthly Updates
Project Period- Jan-Mar 2023

- **Life skills session were conducted in government schools** on self-identity and positive thinking with 110. Through these sessions, children learned that it is important to have a good self-identity and to have positive thoughts about themselves. They also learned how to set goals and make decisions that will help them reach their goals.
- **A Nukkad natak was presented on Child sexual abuse by 17 community children.** The natak began with a discussion on the different types of child sexual abuse. It was explained that child sexual abuse can be physical, emotional, or sexual. The purpose of the natak was to sensitize people about child sexual abuse.
- **2 Sessions were conducted with children and adolescent groups on Menstrual health and digital safety**
- **An interface meeting (Mahila Sansad) was conducted in the community.** The meeting was attended by the representatives of the Women and Child Development Department, the ward councilor, MLA, the police, the Child helpline, and other stakeholders, etc. The purpose of the meeting was to share the issues related to basic amenities and protection in the community.

