

30-31st March 2016 at Hotel Hampi International, Hospet, Karnataka

Sasakawa-India Leprosy Foundation, New Delhi & www.jankalyana.org initiated an intervention with leprosy affected communities of Raichur, Ballari, Hospet and Gadag to empower them so that the service deliveries to these communities are ensured. The 1st phase of the workshop was held on 30th & 31st March 2016 at Hotel Hampi International, Hospet with the participants from all the 4 colonies of North Karnataka. Janakalyan conducted the workshop as resource organisation in addition to mobilising the communities for the said workshop.

The Objectives of the Phase I workshop:

1. *Need Assessment of each colony (individual) about various social security schemes*
2. *Orientation about prevailing social security schemes of state and central governments*
3. *Prepare a plan of action for 2 months to fill the gaps in availing social security schemes*

Mobilization: In order to make it a successful intervention, 2 rounds of colony level meetings were conducted as per the following table-

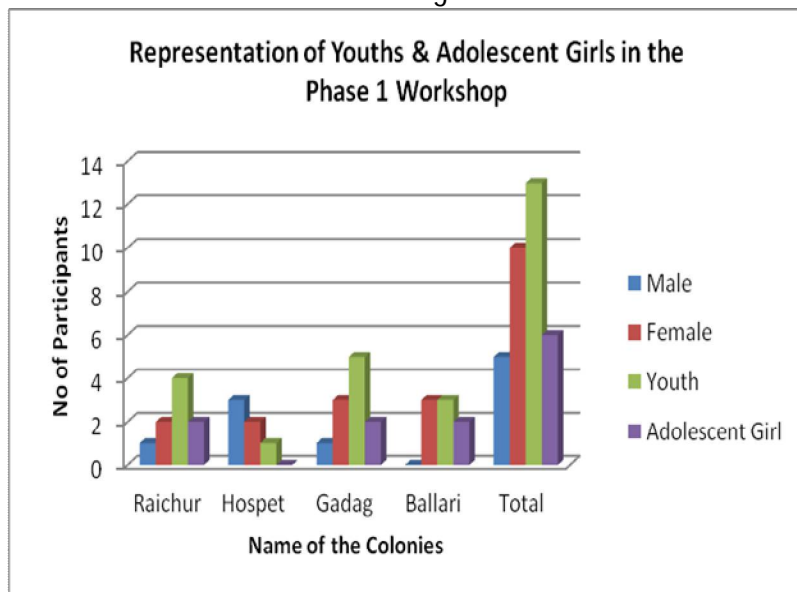
Visit Date	Name of the Colony	People Present	Outcomes	Remarks
09.03.2016	Kashi Vishwanath Colony, Raichur	> 50 male, female & youths	Voluntarily expressed their willingness to participate and 10 participants shortlisted (3 youths (male), 3 women, 2 girls and 2 elders)	Mr Aftaab Pasha, Sri Hanumantappa & Prasen Raptan participated
10.03.2016	Mukti Ashrama, Hospet	All the colony dwellers	They agreed to participate in the workshop and decided to give their list of volunteers in the next meeting.	Mr Aftaab Pasha & Sri Hanumantappa participated; Prasen Raptan visited Ballari for preparatory meeting.
10.03.2016	Rajiv Gandhi Leprosy Colony, Gadag	About 30 male, female and youths	They decided to participate in the workshop and shortlisted only 5 names of youths. No female and girls expressed their willingness. Later, house to house motivation was done by Prasen to ensure women participation.	Mr Aftaab Pasha, Sri Hanumantappa & Prasen Raptan participated
11.03.2016	Day Kendra, Ballari	About 25 male, female and youths	They also decided to participate and finalised the list of volunteers including male, female, youths and adolescent girls. They also expressed that they are now ready to take up the livelihood project.	Mr Aftaab Pasha, Sri Hanumantappa & Prasen Raptan participated
29	Kashi	All the	Discussed about the workshop,	Sri Hanumantappa

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	Vishwanath Colony, Raichur	shortlisted volunteers	their travel plan, told them to reach latest by 9.30 am on 30 th March 2016 at Hotel Hampi International. Instructed them to carry their photo identity card. Collected their complete details along with cell phone numbers. Emphasised them to ensure women and youth participation.	was incidentally present in the colony.
23.03.2016	Daya Kendra, Ballari	All the shortlisted volunteers and few leaders		Prasen Raptan
24.03.2016	Mukti Ashram, Hospet	All the shortlisted volunteers and few leaders		Prasen Raptan
25.03.2016	Rajiv Gandhi Leprosy Colony, Gadag	Few shortlisted volunteers and few new faces	Discussed about the workshop, their travel plan, told them to reach latest by 9.30 am on 30 th March 2016 at Hotel Hampi International. Instructed them to carry their photo identity card. Collected their complete details along with cell phone numbers. Emphasised them to ensure women and youth participation. They were reluctant to take women with them. However, finally decided to go to the houses of these women and girls to talk to their guardians and finalised the list.	Prasen Raptan

Final list of volunteers: The list of participants was thus finalised as under-

Name of The Colony	Participants				
	Male	Female	Youth	Adolescent Girl	Total
Kashi Vishwanth, Raichur	1	2	4	2	9
Mukti Ashrama, Hospet	3	2	1	0	6
Rajiv Gandhi Leprosy Colony, Gadag	1	3	5	2	11
Daya Kednra, Ballari	0	3	3	2	8
Total	5	10	13	6	34

The representation of male, female, youths and adolescent girls could be graphically presented as under for better understanding-



In addition to the above participants, other stakeholders who also participated in the 2-days workshop are –

- 1) Mr Aftaab Pasha, Communication Officer, SILF, New Delhi
- 2) Mr Hanumantappa, State Leader, Karnataka
- 3) Sri Siddhu Poojari, CEO, Pawar, Bijapur
- 4) Sri M Basavarajaiah Swami, Janakalyan
- 5) Sri Prasen Raptan, Janakalyan

There were also 7 children (including 2 kids) participated in the workshop

Day 1 (30.03.2016): While the schedule for 2-days workshop is annexed to this report as Annex 2, the schedule for the Day-1 tabulated here for ready reference–

Day 1: 30th March 2016		
Time Period	Subjects	Facilitator
09.30 – 10.00	Registration of Participants	JANAKALYAN
10.00 – 10.30	Inauguration – why & what to achieve thru this event?	SILF, New Delhi
10.30 – 11.30	Creating a learning environment – an exercise to identify the need of each participant (pair & share)	JANAKALYAN
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11.45 – 13.00	Creating a learning environment – an exercise to identify the need of each participant – continued	JANAKALYAN
13.00 – 14.00	Lunch break	
14.00 – 15.30	Macro scenario around us – an exercise to understand the prevailing schemes and mechanisms to avail these	JANAKALYAN
15.30 – 15.45	Tea break	
15.45 – 17.15	Presentation on social security schemes and social welfare schemes (to fill the gaps) <i>(land, water, sanitation, electricity, banking, Health, etc.)</i>	JANAKALYAN
17.15 – 17.30	Group Exercise – Classification of the needs/issues identified during the day & ranking them (Home Work)	Participants

The program commenced at 10.30 am as arrival of Ballari team delayed while Gadag team joined at 11.30 am. The outcomes of the sessions are documented below-

Session 1: Why & What to achieve through this event?

Sri Hanumantappa, State Leader, Karnataka welcomed all the participants and SILF representative to the workshop. Mr Aftaab Pasha, Communication Officer, SILF briefed the purpose and objectives of the 2-days workshop in his keynote address. Requested all the participants to actively participate and take benefits out of the workshop.

Session 2: Creating a learning environment – an exercise to identify the needs of each participant (pair & share exercise):

An exercise was conducted with all the participants to assess the felt needs of the participants; the pair and share exercise was around the following questions-

- 1) Ask name of your partner
- 2) Which colony does s/he belong to?
- 3) What are the issues in his/her colony?
- 4) What is his/her most important problem?
- 5) How long s/he is living with this problem?
- 6) What efforts did s/he put to overcome it?
- 7) What were the difficulties in overcoming the problem?
- 8) Does s/he want solution this problem?
- 9) What should be done to overcome this problem?
- 10) Who should be doing it? (Issues could be of any type)

All the pairs then shared their learning about their partners; the major issues came out of their discussion were-

- 1) Entitlement to land
- 2) Leakage from roof top
- 3) Employment

However, all of them agreed that though we have put some efforts to resolve these issues but we were not consistent; further, it would be our responsibility in future too to resolve these issues.

Session 3: Macro scenario around us – an exercise to understand the prevailing schemes and mechanisms to avail these:

A group work was conducted to know the following from the participants after the lunch-

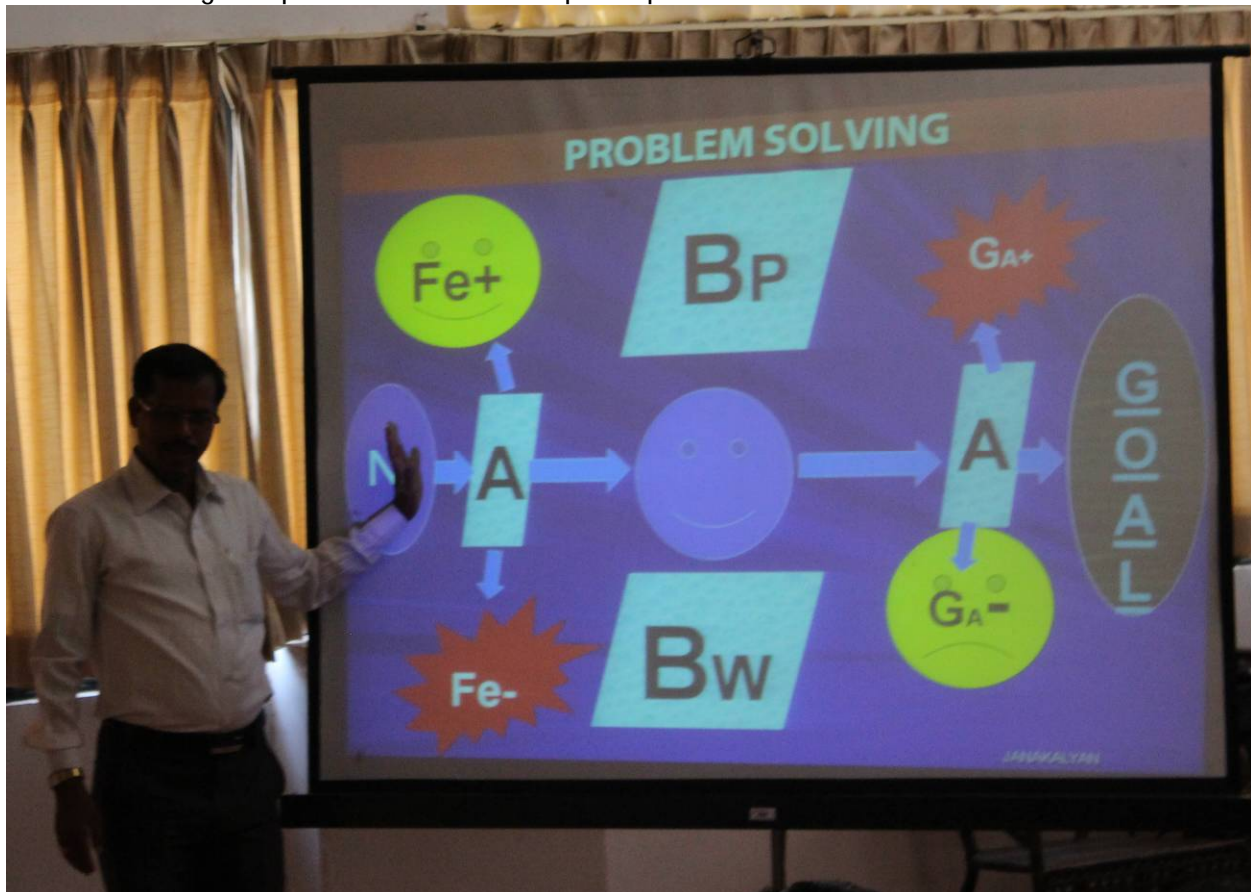
- 1) Name any schemes you know, come across, heard about in your place
- 2) Identify for whom the scheme is meant for
- 3) Implementing authorities for these schemes?
- 4) What are the criteria to be eligible for these schemes?
- 5) Are we eligible as per these criteria?
- 6) Did anybody in the group avail the benefits from these schemes?
- 7) Why didn't we avail these benefits?

During the exercise, the colony-wise groups identified almost all the schemes of Government of Karnataka as well as Government of India. It came out that most of them know the schemes guidelines, eligibility criteria but none of them are covered by these schemes. They realised that,

though the schemes are meant for them, it would not automatically come to them but will have to put efforts to avail the benefits of these schemes.

It was also tried to do a matching batching of the issues identified in the previous exercise and the schemes available in the market; it is also realised that for all the issues, there is one or more schemes available. It is only the question of putting efforts and avail the benefits.

Session 4: Presentation on social security schemes and social welfare schemes (to fill the gaps): A brief presentation was made on the schemes social security schemes and welfare schemes of Government of India and Government of Karnataka. Also, the 10-point formula on Problem Solving was presented before the participants as under-



It was planned that after this exercise, a home work shall be given to the participants to do classification and ranking of the identified issues. However, the participants were so enthusiastic that they requested to complete the exercise before break for dinner. Accordingly the classification and ranking exercise was done as the next exercise.

Session 5: Group Exercise – Classification of the needs/issues identified during the day & ranking them:

Colony-wise groups were formed for Raichur, Bellary, Hospet and Gadag to classify the issues identified in the morning exercise into small, medium and big problems. They identified 20 issues in to 3 groups as under –

Small Problems

- 1 Cleanliness
- 2 Play Ground
- 3 Old Age Pension, Widows Pension, Physically Handicapped Pension
- 4 Street lights
- 5 Drunkard problems
- 6 Ration Card
- 7 School bus

Medium Problems

- 8 Leakage from roof top
- 9 Drainage system
- 10 Health Problems
- 11 Community Hall

Big Problems

- 12 Drinking water
- 13 Drainage system
- 14 Toilet
- 15 Land rights/ entitlement
- 16 Anganawadi
- 17 Houses
- 18 Employment
- 19 Compound

All these 20 issues/problems they categorised into 3 groups; then each of the participants were asked to vote any 3 major issues of their choice on the board. The following 3 issues came up as the most important issues with maximum votes-

- 4) Entitlement to land
- 5) Leakage from roof top
- 6) Employment

With this, the day was called as a good day with a request to think how to resolve these issues.

The schedule for the day-2 was as under-

Day 2 : 31st March 2016

08.30 – 09.00	MILLY – Most Important Lessons Learnt Yesterday	Participants
09.00 – 10.30	Whom to approach for what? (keeping the classification & ranking as base)	JANAKALYAN
10.30 – 11.30	Strategies to achieve these in 2 months – Mock Exercise	JANAKALYAN
11.30 – 11.45	Tea Break	
11.45 – 13.00	Team Building, Responsibility & Resource sharing plan	JANAKALYAN
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14.00 onward	Kiskindhya Darshan	

But the day started at 8.00 am when all the participants assembled in the workshop venue. After sharing the most important lessons learnt yesterday, the 1st exercise was started.

Session 6: Whom to approach for what? (keeping the classification & ranking as base):

Based on the classification exercise done yesterday, Sri Basavarajaiah Swamy of Janakalyan started with whom to approach for what and how to address these in due course of time. The groups were formed mixing the participants from all the colonies in each group. There were 3 groups to discuss small, medium and big problems each. The following table was the outcome of the exercise –

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Sl	Issues	Department	Responsibility	Time required	Resources required	Action Date
Small Problems						
1	Cleanliness	CMC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sarmas Martandappa H Jyoti Shanta 	Continuous	Vehicle, dust bins, bleaching powder, etc	2-3 months
2	Play Ground	Youths & Sports Department	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Krishnamma Arati Huligamma 	1 year	Sports materials	1.4.2016 to 1.4.2017
3	Old Age Pension, Widows Pension, Physically Handicapped Pension	Tahasildar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Manunath Nagesh 	1 year	Death certificates, medical certificates	2 to 10 months
4	Street lights	CMC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Nagaraj Hanumantappa 	1 month	Electric polls, bulbs, wires	1.4.2016 to 1.4.2017
5	Drunkard problems	Excise Dept Police Dept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Mounesh Nagesh 	Continuous	Help of Govt of India	Continuous
6	Ration Card	Food & Civil Supply Dept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Arati Mahadevi 	1 year	Money and certificates	1 to 12 months
7	School bus	Education Dept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Jyoti Shanta 	6 months	Vehicle and money	1 to 6 months
Medium Problems						
8	Leakage from roof top	CMC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bheemesh Raichur Hazarath Ballari Narayanappa Hospet Nagaraj Gadag 	1 -3 months	Ration card, Adhaar Card, 80% contribution	1-12 months
9	Drainage system	CMC, Mahanagar Palike	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Girijamma Raichur Mahadevi Ballari Swami Hanumantappa Hospet Durgappa Gadag 	1 -3 months	Money, documents	1 year from now
10	Health Problems	District Hospital &	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Basamma Raichur Rajma Ballari 	Continuous	Medicines, Health Insurance	As per requiremen

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11	Community Hall	Health Dept CMC Mahanagar Palike	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Hanumanth Hospet Muniswami Gadag Dyamakka Gadag Mallamma Ballari MLA & CMC members 	1-3 months	premium, yasashwini Money	t 1 to 12 months
Big Problems						
12	Drinking water	PRED	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Raju Raju 	3 months	Money, vehicle	10.05.2016- 10.08.2016
13	Drainage system	Slum Board	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ravi Shankar 	6 months	Money, vehicle	13.5.2016- 13.11.2016
14	Toilet	Slum Board	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gouramma Pushpa 	7 months	Money, vehicle, patience	15.4.2016- 15.11.2016
15	Land rights/ entitlement	Slum Board	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ayyappa Venkappa 	1 – 2 years	Money, vehicle, unity	3.7.2016- 3.7.2018
16	Anganawadi	Women & Child Development Dept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Netra Yallamma 	3 – 6 months	Money, vehicle	10.4.2016- 10.10.2016
17	Houses	Slum Board	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Devappa Yasashwi 	3 years	Money, vehicle	16.6.2016- 16.6.2019
18	Employment	Bank, hospital, Post Office, Police Dept	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Geeta Raju 	Temporary	Money, human resources	
19	Compound	Mahanagar Palike	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ayyappa 	4 months	Money, vehicle	18.8.2016 – 18.12.2016

Session 7: Strategies to achieve these in 2 months – Mock Exercise:

The participants shared their outcomes through a mock exercise through role play. The target was how to address their issues even if the officer harasses them time in again. The groups were very innovative in getting their works done though the officers were also playing difficult. They even invited the officers/ public representatives to their colonies to felicitate them so that they can get their works done through him/her. They also used many other tools and techniques to get their issues resolved. They got confidence that now they know how to address their issues and promised that at least 10 issues they will resolve in next 2 months. The mock exercises were played as under -

- 1) Assume role of a public servant, beneficiaries, public representatives, family members, etc.
- 2) Round 1: Share your experience of getting a small work done from public servant (may be failure also)
- 3) Round 2: How it could have been done better to achieve faster and easier results in case of medium issues
- 4) Round 3: How to resolve the common issues/ big issues

Session 8: Team Building, Responsibility & Resource sharing plan:

Team building presentation and exercise was done in the following session to tell them about the situational leadership concept by understanding the core competencies of each other. All of them need to help others to realize their common goals. Each one of them shall assume one role and resolve that with the help of all others. Resources need to be shared by all of them.

The workshop was concluded with the concluding remarks of Mr Aftaab Pasha followed by Sri Siddhu Pujari, Smt Prema Pujari, Sri Basavarajaiah Swamy, Sri Hanumantappa and vote of thanks by Prasen Raptan.

After the lunch at 3.00 pm, the participants were taken to local site seeing at Pampa Sarovar, Anjana Hill and Virupakshi Temple of Kiskindhya.

Annex 1: List of Participants

Raichur – Kashi Vishwanath Leprosy Colony					
SI No	Name	Father/ Husband	Sex	Age	Mobile No
1	Bheemanagouda	Vankatesh Vadru	M	17	9986621935
2	Manjunath	Hanumantha	M	18	8951877150
3	Mounesh	Sharanappa	M	18	8951502616
4	Girijamma	Hanumanta Pujar	F	40	7795728105
5	Basamma	Manjunath	F	35	9743348514
6	Nethra	Hanumanth Pujar	F	20	8904210789
7	Yallamma	Venkatesh Vadru	F	19	7259828869
8	Nagesh	Krishna	M	17	8050189218
9	Devappa	Basappa Vadru	M	35	8904220060
Hospet – Mukti Ashrama Leprosy Colony					
SI	Name	Father/ Husband	Sex	Age	Mobile No
10	Nagaraj	Devappa	M	32	9972957569
11	Hanumantappa	Galappa	M	60	8694077470
12	Swami Hanumantappa	Bheemappa	M	70	8971485830
13	Narayanappa	Homanasa	M	55	
14	Kusuba	Vasantappa	F	40	
15	Gouramma	Hanumantappa	F	55	
Gadag – Rajiv Gandhi Leprosy Colony					
SI	Name	Father/ Husband	Sex	Age	Mobile No
16	Venkappa	Narayanappa	34	M	7026853454
17	Raju	Maruti	26	M	8197789138
18	Raju	Shivaram	26	M	7090988357
19	Nagaraj	Kottrappa	34	M	9743076051
20	Durgappa	Dharmanna	55	M	
21	Dyamakka	Venkatesh	36	F	
22	Jyothi	Tippesh	20	F	
23	Geeta	Krishna Maruti	35	F	
24	Muniswamy	R Jalagar	33	M	
25	Shanta	Shanker Kale	24	F	
26	Savitri	Panchayya	60	F	
Bellary – Daya Kendra Leprosy Colony					
SI	Name	Father/ Husband	Sex	Age	Mobile No
27	Huligamma	Anjanappa	38	F	
28	Mahadevi	Krishna	29	F	7795919434
29	Mahadevi	Aninappa	16	F	
30	Rajma	Gouse Peer	32	F	9972955765
31	Hajarath	Fakrusab	33	M	9731939194
32	Shekshavali	Srinivash	31	M	9900128653
33	Ayyappa	Mariyappa	27	M	9036086112
34	Arati	Phakirappa	23	F	9620804710

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