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Executive Summary

Objective of Impact Assessment Study

- To measure the changes that can be attributed to the programs/ work through an independent evaluation.
- To assess accountability, sustainability and learning.
- To gather data about the effectiveness and impacts of the programs to make sure that the intervention was on track and fulfilled its objectives.
- To provide with an input for preparing further interventions.

Assessment Framework

Team has adopted Australian Development Authority (ADA) & OECD guidelines for the project evaluation which is widely used for CSR project assessment and some indicators were modified as per the project requirement. The indicators/criteria which were followed to assess the overall performance of the project are as follows:

Relevance

To know how important is the significance of the intervention regarding the target population needs/priorities and if the intervention has done the right thing?

Project Effectiveness

To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved, reached the target population and what was the effect of project intervention on target group?

Efficiency

Are the objectives of the project achieved in an appropriate manner? Has there been any cost-benefit analysis and if the service provided has been achieved within the given timeframe?

Performance/Impact

What was the impact or performance of the project intervention on the target population? Whether the project has achieved its outcome? To what extent the capabilities of the target population were enhanced? Whether the quality of life of the target group has been improved

Sustainability

To access if the effectiveness of the project intervention will improve or diminish in the near future? To what extent are the partner organizations as well as beneficiaries capable or prepared to maintain the positive effects of project intervention in long term?

Coverage

To investigate for how long the programme cycle was needed and whether the projects have reached the intended beneficiaries?

Research Methodology

The present assessment study was descriptive in nature through which assessment team has focused on the impact of the different activities taken up under CSR projects of SEWA-THDC. Team has collected the primary information directly from the respondents (affected families and beneficiaries) who were benefited from the CSR projects. Assessment team used numerous tools and techniques of data collection such as Semi-structured questionnaire, Focused Group Discussion (FGD), Direct Observation, Success stories, and Interview with stakeholders. Based on the information gathered via data collection, the assessment team has made use of Likert scale (01 to 05 which indicate worse to excellent) for each indicator in the assessment framework.

Summary of Assessment

Relevance

Out of 25 projects, the relevance indicator of 15 projects was found as excellent. Some of the projects were rated as good and average in relevance indicator because of the gaps found in some of the sub-sectors of the projects.

Sub Sector	Relevance Ranking (total no. of projects)					Total
	01 (Worse)	02 (Poor)	03 (Average)	04 (Good)	05 (Excellent)	
Health Initiative	-	-	-	02	07	09
Rural Development	-	-	-	-	07	07
Education Initiative	-	-	-	-	04	04
Livelihood & Skill Development Initiative	-	-	-	01	01	02
Environment Initiative	-	-	-	-	01	01
Empowerment Initiative	-	-	-	-	01	01
Capable Initiative for Disabled	-	-	-	-	01	01
Total	-	-	-	03	22	25

Project Effectiveness

Out of 25 projects, 15 projects were registered as excellent in this indicator. Left over 10 projects was accounted as good and average in this indicator as the implementation of the projects wasn't done in an appropriate manner.

Sub Sector	Project Effectiveness Ranking (total no. of projects)					Total
	01 (Worse)	02 (Poor)	03 (Average)	04 (Good)	05 (Excellent)	
Health Initiative	-	-	-	04	05	09
Rural Development	-	-	-	01	06	07
Education Initiative	-	-	-	01	03	04
Skill Development Initiative	-	-	-	01	01	02
Environment Initiative	-	-	01	-	-	01
Empowerment Initiative	-	-	-	01	-	01
Capable Initiative for Disabled	-	-	01	-	-	01
Total	-	-	02	08	15	25

Efficiency

Out of 25 projects, 12 projects were rated as excellent in this indicator. The remaining 13 projects were certified as good as well as average because most of the projects weren't found functional in the long run.

Sub Sector	Efficiency Ranking (total no. of projects)					Total
	01 (Worse)	02 (Poor)	03 (Average)	04 (Good)	05 (Excellent)	
Health Initiative	-	-	-	06	03	09
Rural Development	-	-	-	01	06	07
Education Initiative	-	-	-	02	02	04
Skill Development Initiative	-	-	-	01	01	02
Environment Initiative	-	-	-	01	-	01
Empowerment Initiative	-	-	-	01	-	01
Capable Initiative for Disabled	-	-	-	01	-	01
Total	-	-	-	13	12	25

Performance/Impact

Out of 25 projects, 15 projects were rated as excellent while 10 projects were rated as good and average. This shows that the projects have mostly achieved the said goals for which these were

Sub Sector	Performance/Impact Ranking (total no. of projects)					Total
	01 (Worse)	02 (Poor)	03 (Average)	04 (Good)	05 (Excellent)	
Health Initiative	-	-	-	04	05	09
Rural Development	-	-	-	01	06	07
Education Initiative	-	-	-	01	03	04
Skill Development Initiative	-	-	01	-	01	02
Environment Initiative	-	-	-	01	-	01
Empowerment Initiative	-	-	-	01	-	01
Capable Initiative for Disabled	-	-	01	-	-	01
Total	-	-	02	08	15	25

Sustainability

Out of 25 projects, 11 projects were catalogued for the excellent rating and 12 projects of the score for the good rating in sustainability indicator. This shows that the projects have achieved the goal but there were some of the projects which showed less sustainability for the future.

Sub Sector	Sustainability Ranking (total no. of projects)					Total
	01 (Worse)	02 (Poor)	03 (Average)	04 (Good)	05 (Excellent)	
Health Initiative	-	-	01	05	03	09
Rural Development	-	-	-	02	05	07
Education Initiative	-	-	-	02	02	04
Skill Development Initiative	-	-	-	01	01	02
Environment Initiative	-	-	-	01	-	01
Empowerment Initiative	-	-	-	01	-	01
Capable Initiative for Disabled	-	-	01	-	-	01
Total	-	-	02	12	11	25

Coverage

Out of 25 projects, 17 projects were certified for the excellent rating and 05 projects rated for the good rating. This reflects that the funds as well as interventions designated for the projects were utilized in an efficient manner to furnish the goals of the projects.

Sub Sector	Coverage Ranking (total no. of projects)					Total
	01 (Worse)	02 (Poor)	03 (Average)	04 (Good)	05 (Excellent)	
Health Initiative	-	-	02	02	05	09
Rural Development	-	-	-	-	07	07
Education Initiative	-	-	-	01	03	04
Skill Development Initiative	-	-	01	-	01	02
Environment Initiative	-	-	-	01	-	01
Empowerment Initiative	-	-	-	-	01	01
Capable Initiative for Disabled	-	-	-	01	-	01
Total	-	-	03	05	17	25

Overall Assessment

The overall crux includes 15 projects out of 25 projects rated as excellent and 09 projects rated as good. It reflects the exceptional work done by SEWA-THDC via the medium of these projects. The projects have been proved as fruitful for the target population as the selection of the projects was done in a well-planned manner by SEWA-THDC. There were projects for education promotion, health promotion, dental care, homeopathy medicine as well as for the promotion of livelihood in the targeted area. The beneficiaries have enjoyed the benefits of the projects to the fullest and are quite satisfied with the work done by SEWA-THDC.

Although the agency has done a lot of efforts in reaching the high level of efficiency but there were some of the projects which couldn't reach that level of efficiency as they were having some of the gaps which should be filled by SEWA-THDC to make them sustainable for the near future. The eye and health awareness camps were very beneficial for the people but were for the specified time period and the need of these projects was felt by the target population in the long run as well. Integrated livelihood program was put on hold as the farmers couldn't extract the required benefit from it. The homeopathy project was stopped due to the COVID situation, which also caused problems to the target population.

THDC-Utthan (Rural Development Initiative)								
10	Community Center, Jakhni	05	05	04	05	04	05	05 (Excellent)
11	Cleaning Work, Rishikesh	05	05	05	05	05	05	05 (Excellent)
12	Hopper Dumper Tipper	05	05	05	05	05	05	05 (Excellent)
13	Multipurpose Tin Shed, Deval	05	05	05	05	05	05	05 (Excellent)
14	Truck Mounted Water Tanker	05	04	04	04	04	05	04 (Good)
15	Model Village, Gujrada	05	05	05	05	05	05	05 (Excellent)
16	Restoration work	05	05	05	05	05	05	05
THDC-Jagriti (Education Initiative)								
17	Diploma in ITI course, Chopra	05	05	04	05	04	05	05 (Excellent)
18	Running Two School at PAA	05	04	04	04	04	04	04 (Good)
19	J. H. S., Koteswar	05	05	05	05	05	05	05 (Excellent)
20	Equipment for Girls Hostel	05	05	05	05	05	05	05 (Excellent)
THDC-Daksh (Livelihood & Skill Development Initiative)								
21	ILEP, Bhilangana	05	05	05	05	05	05	05 (Excellent)
22	Social & Env't. Centre, Jollygrant	05	04	04	03	04	03	04 (Good)
THDC-Prakriti (Environment Initiative)								
23	Herbal nursery, Rishikesh	04	03	04	04	04	04	04 (Good)
THDC-Samarth (Empowerment Initiative)								
24	Downtrodden Empowerment, Tehri Garhwal	05	04	04	04	04	05	04 (Good)
THDC-Saksham (Capable Initiative for Disabled)								
25	Bakery business for disabled, T.G.	05	03	03	03	03	04	03 (Average)

INTRODUCTION ABOUT THDC

THDC India Limited is a leading power sector and profit making public sector enterprise and registered as a public limited company in July-88 under the Companies Act, 1956. THDC India Ltd. is included as the Mini Ratna Category-1 Enterprise which is presently headed by Shri R.K Vishnoi. The company at present is handling four power plants named as Tehri Dam (1000 MW), Koteshwar Dam (400MW), Wind project in Patan, Gujarat (50 MW) and Wind project in Dwarka, Gujarat (63MW) and having the total installed capacity of 1450 MW. The equity of company was earlier shared between government of India and Government of Uttar Pradesh in the ratio of 75:25. Right from the commencement of Tehri Dam & HPP (2006-07), THDCIL is heading towards being a profit-making company. THDCIL has been facilitated in May 2012 by the "Power Line Award" under the category of Best Performing Generation Company in the Hydro sector. "SCOPE Meritorious Award" has been conferred to THDCIL in April 2012 for Corporate Social Responsibility and Responsiveness.

THDCIL has grown as a company having the sale of hydroelectricity and developed itself as a multi-project organisation sharing the deal of projects with the neighboring country Bhutan. Handling the 17 projects with the capacity of 6311 MW at present, THDCIL has come upon being the major company. THDCIL had also started the multi-purpose Tehri Power Station in 2006-07 which dispenses electricity to the Northern Region, supplies irrigation benefits to the Uttar Pradesh and Uttarakhand as well as provides drinking water to NCT of Delhi and U.P. In 2011-12, the Koteshwar HEP was started at the downstream of Tehri. The 1000 MW of the Tehri pump storage plant is to be used as the upper and lower reservoirs which would use the Tehri and Koteshwar reservoirs. THDCIL commissioned the 50 MW Wind Power Project at Patan, Gujarat the company has assorted some of the areas into the renewable energy areas. The "International Milestone Project" award of International Commission of Large Dam has been granted to Tehri Dam in 2009 at China because of the uniqueness in the design and the construction features. Koteshwar HEP has also marked its victory for the prestigious "5th CIDC Vishwakarma Award" in 2013. Koteshwar project also showed up as a winner in the category of "Best Construction Project" among more than 70 submissions from each and every sector of this category.

Apart from having 2400 MW Tehri Hydro Electric Project, THDCIL is implementing the 444 MW Vishnugad Pipalkoti Hydro Electric Project on the river banks of Alakananda, Uttarakhand. Numerous other hydro projects of THDCIL are under the survey process. A MoU has also been signed between THDCIL and Solar Energy Corporation of India for setting the Grid Connected Solar Power Projects having the capacity of 250 MW. Tripartite agreement with SECI and Kerala State Electricity Board has also been signed by THDCIL for developing 50 MW Solar project in the District of Kasaragod, Kerala. Updation of the work of DPR of Sankosh HEP (2585 MW) in Bhutan has also been undertaken by the company. A credit rating of A++ has been provided to the company by CARE on the borrowings. The company has made financial tie-ups with the World Bank, Nationalised Commercial Banks and some other foreign institutions for managing the funds for the ongoing capital projects.

THDC operates major 4 projects: Hydro, Solar, Thermal and Wind. Under the Hydro project, three projects are operational namely Tehri Dam & HPP (Stage 1), Koteshwar Hydro Power Project, Dhukwan SHP. There are 2 projects under the hydro section which are under construction: Tehri Pumped Storage Plant, Vishnugad Pipalkoti H.E. The remaining are the 5 projects which are under survey and investigation namely Jhelum Tamak H.E, Bokang Bailing H.E, Malshej Ghat PSS, Bunakha H.E and Sankosh H.E.

Under the Wind project, two projects are operational namely Patan Wind Power Project and Devbhoomi Dwarka Wind Power Project. VISION: The solar project of THDC comprises one project as operational being the Solar PV Power Plant (50MW) and one project under survey and investigation as Ultra Mega Renewable Energy Power Parks (Through JV). Under the thermal section, two projects are under construction: Khurja Super Thermal Power Project and

VISION

- A world class energy entity with commitment to environment and social values.

MISSION

- To plan, develop and operate energy resources efficiently.
- To adopt state of art technology.
- To achieve performance excellence by fostering work ethos of learning and innovation.
- To build sustainable value-based relationships with stakeholders through mutual trust.
- To undertake rehabilitation and resettlement of project affected person with human face.

CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY

Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) is a model which regulates the business making the company accountable to itself, to its stakeholders as well as the public. CSR is also termed as the Corporate Citizenship in which the company is conscious of the impact it is laying on all aspects of the society covering economic, social, and environmental aspects also. CSR is considered as the form of international private business self- regulation which has the contribution in the philanthropic, activist or charitable nature via engaging ethically-oriented practises. CSR has been bifurcated into the **four categories**:



The CSR can be defined as the responsibility which the corporates should show towards the society and the environment. It was in 2008, that THDCIL framed a policy on the corporate social responsibility which came to be known as the "Scheme for Corporate Social Responsibility" and its adoption was done in the financial year of 2008-2009.

VISION

- Socially responsible corporate, continuously enhancing value creation in society and community and promoting sustainable development.

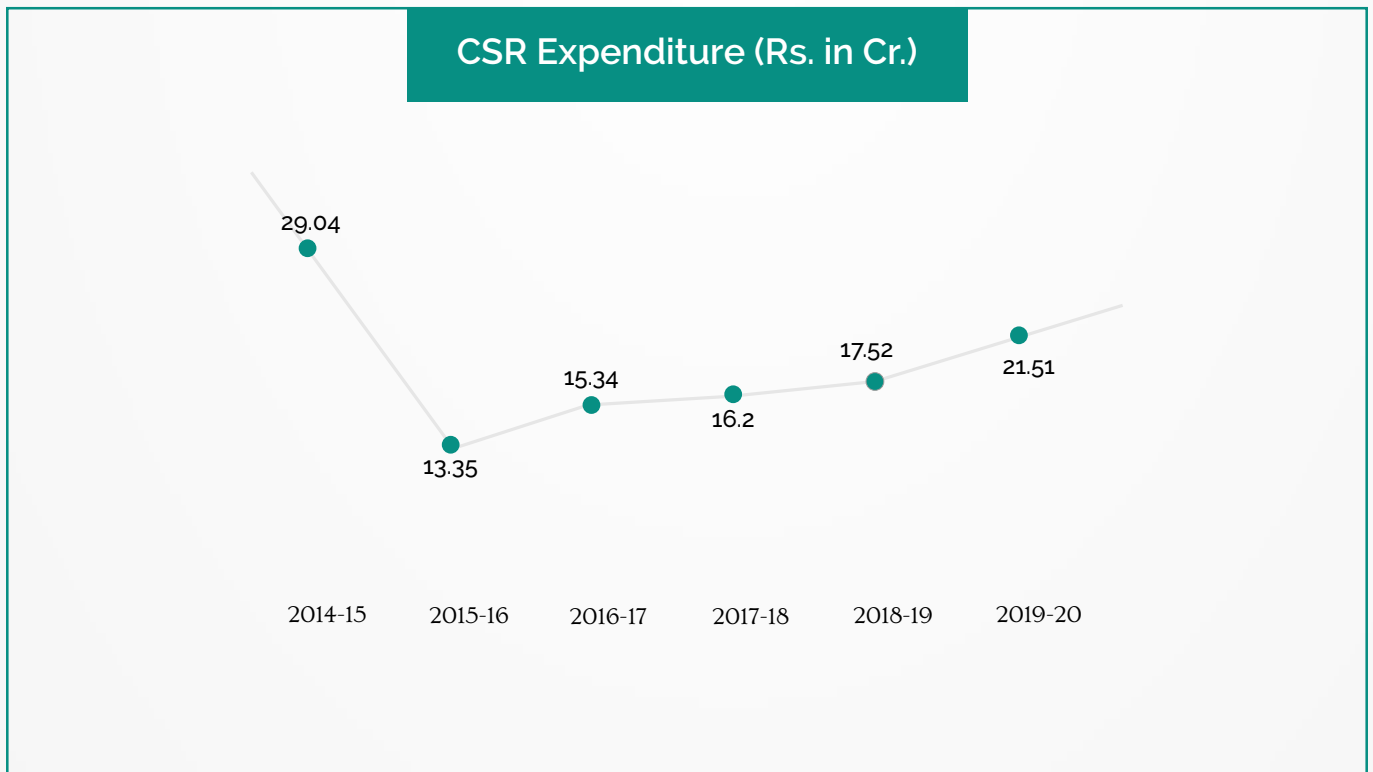
MISSION

- To build sustainable value-based relationship with key stake holders through ongoing two-way communication.
- To undertake CSR programmes with the human face.
- To transparently share CSR & sustainability initiatives with the stakeholders.
- To ensure increased commitments at all levels in the organisation to operate its business in an economically, socially and environmentally sustainable manner.
- To directly or indirectly take the CSR programmes that benefit the community in and around the work centres and over a time result in enhancing the life and well-being of the total populace.
- To promote inclusive growth and address the basic needs of the deprived, underprivileged, neglected and weaker sections of the society.
- To generate through CSR initiatives, the goodwill and pride of the THDCIL among stakeholders and help reinforce the positive and socially responsible image of THDCIL as corporate entity.

CORPORATE SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY COMMITTEE

- The CSR committee should consist of three or more board directors out of which at least one board member should work as an independent director.
- If there is a foreign company, the CSR shall have two persons amongst which one person who is residing in India and is authorised to accept notices or any other document on behalf of the company and the other person would be selected by the foreign company.
- CSR committee should provide recommendations to the board about the CSR policy which shall include the activities performed by the company in the specified areas as per the Schedule VII.
- CSR committee should also provide with the amount of expenditure which is to be incurred on the activities specified in the clause (a) as well as monitor the CSR policy at different time intervals.
- The board members would be responsible for disclosing the CSR policy on the website if any, as well as disclose the contents included in the CSR policy while providing the board report.
- The company is liable to submit the report explaining the reason regarding its failure to spend the amount on the activities of CSR in the board report of the prescribed financial year.

Approved Budget of SEWA-THDC under CSR Programme



SEWA-THDC and Its Major Projects

THDC India Limited. has formed a company sponsored Non-Government Organization, "SEWA-THDC" under Society Registration Act, 1860 on dated 17.03.2009; for implementation of the CSR-Sustainability activities of the Company. SEWA-THDC has started working since 2009-10, basing its aims and objectives on section 1 to 20 of Society's Registration Act 1860. The CSR activities of THDC have been planned to ensure that the impact and benefits should reach up to the smallest unit i.e. village, panchayat, block or district depending upon the operating location and resource capabilities of the THDC.

Projects/ works of SEWA-THDC are having the mandate to promote Health, Sanitation, Nutrition, Education, Skill Development, infrastructure creation and livelihoods of the people in a SHG and federation approach (to the possibilities) in conformity with inclusion and equity parameters. These programmes were implemented in five districts of Uttarakhand and one district of Uttar Pradesh in FY 2019-20, (Details of the projects and locations are enclosed.). These programmes are of different themes from infrastructural development to agriculture, health, sanitation, hygiene, skill development and education. SEWA-THDC is willing to carry-out Impact Assessment of the CSR works carried out completed during FY 2019-20, as per enclosed list.

THDC UTTHAN

(Progress)- Initiates for Rural Development

Rural people as well as the villagers are the backbone of our country. Rural development means helping the people in remote areas to develop themselves in all aspects which would ultimately lead to the development of the country as a whole. THDC with the help of its projects has enriched the rural areas, resulting into the rural development. The major initiatives which are launched under this section are:

- Cleaning work at Indiranagar, Nehrugram, Pragativihar, Rishikesh.
- Provide 03 Hopper Dumper Tipper for Pipalkoti (Chamoli) & Satpuli (Pouri)
- Provide one truck mounted water tanker for Uttarakhand Jal Sansthan Tehri.
- Construction of community centre at Jakhni, Block- Pratapnagar, Tehri.
- Multi-purpose tin shed at village devel, Pratapnagar, Tehri.
- Develop as a modal village to village Gujrada, (Narendar Nagar), Tehri.
- Restoration work near community Hospital at Chinyalisour.

THDC-NIRAMAYA

(Health, Nutrition, Sanitation, Drinking water)

Health is Wealth is the most famous phrase and the pandemic has taught us that nothing is more important than health, hygiene, sanitation. THDC has worked on many of the projects for improving the health conditions of the people of the selected areas.

(Under Nirmaya Project, following programmes were implemented in FY 2019-20

- Providing Doctor & Pharmacist for THDCIL dispensary Khurja, Bulandshahr.
- Health check-up & awareness camps, Rishikesh, PAA of Tehri & Koteshwar.
- Treatment and effectiveness of cardiovascular diseases by non-pharmacological in the selected rural areas of Rishikesh.
- To provide ambulance with life support/ventilator facility, Tehri.
- Running of Homeopathy dispensary at Pokri & Koteshwarpuram (PAA of Tehri) and Dhontary (Uttarkashi).
- To provide medical equipment (1 dental chair, 01 X-ray machine) for CHC Madan Negi, Tehri.
- Conducting 5 eye camps in project affected areas of Tehri Dam.
- Medicines for homeopathy dispensary at Shisham Jhari & Indiranagar, Ddun.
- Homeopathy dispensary at SemMukhem, Pratapnagar (Tehri).

THDC-JAGRITI

(Education Initiates for Bright Future)

Education is something which helps us lead our life with dignity. SEWA-THDC, with the help of its projects has extended a helping hand to enlighten the future of the children via education. Education is one of the fundamental rights required by each and every individual in the country.

- Diploma in ITI course for 9 candidates of Gram Chopra (Jakhnidhar), Tehri.
- Running of two schools through THDC Education Society.
- Running of J. H. School at Koteshwar, Tehri.
- Provide equipment for girls' hostel of Akhil Bhartiya Mahila Ashram, Dehradun.

THDC-DAKSH

(Skilled)- Livelihood Generation & Skill Development Initiative

Enhancing the livelihood would lead to the overall development of the individual which is quite for smooth functioning of life.

- Integrated livelihood enhancement project for Tehri Dam affected villages in Bhilangana Valley of Tehri District.
- Social & Environmental Centre Jolly grant as a centre of excellence for Agriculture & Livelihood Promotion.

THDC-PRAKRITI

(Environment Protection)-Environment Protection Initiative

Good environment leads to healthy surroundings which is required for the healthy lifestyle. THDC via its project has taken initiative regarding protection of environment.

- Annual maintenance of Herbal Nursery and plants, planted at various places in THDCIL Campus, Rishikesh.

THDC-SAMARTH

(Empowerment)- Empowerment Initiative

THDC project has proved to be a helping hand to provide the pleasure of dignified life to the SC farmers under this project. THDC via its project has taken initiative regarding protection of environment.

- Downtrodden empowerment & Livelihood enhancement project for SC Farmers of 4 villages in District Tehri.

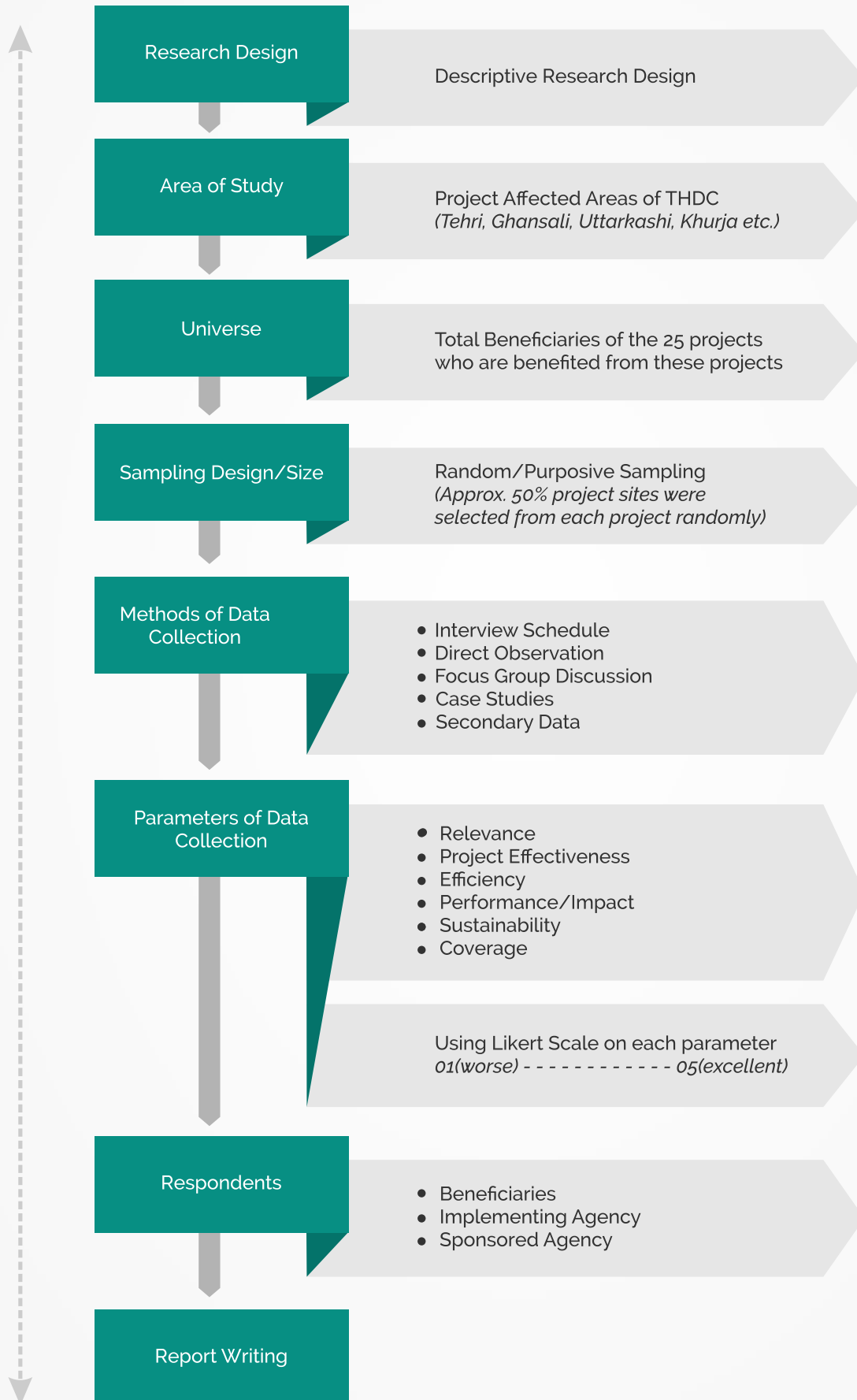
THDC-SAKSHAM

(Capable)- Care for the Aged & Differently Abled

The project gives the disabled a chance to earn for themselves and live dignified life under this head.

- Establishment of Bakery business for physically challenged persons at Chamiyala (Bhilanagana), Tehri.

Research Methodology



Sector wise lists of the projects and location of projects implemented in 2019-20 and details of sites visited by the assessment team:

S. N.	Project Implemented in 2019-20	Location	Location visited by Assessment Team
THDC-Niramaya (Health Initiative)			
1.	Medical Staff for THDCIL dispensary, Khurja	Village Dashara, Rukanpur, Jahanpur, Nypal of Tehsil Khurja, Bulandsahar, U.P.	Yes
2.	Health Checkup & Awareness Camp	Rishikesh: Krishna Nagar, Mayakund, Nandufarm Koteswar: THDC hospital, Kyari, Pokhri, Sautiyal Gaon, Mangaon	Krishna Nagar, Koteswar, Kyari and Pokhri
3.	Non-pharmacological Intervention for Cardiovascular Disease	Rishikesh	Yes
4.	Ambulance Service	PAA of Tehri Dam (T.G.)	Chamiyala
5.	Homeopathy Dispensary at PAA of Tehri Dam	Koteswar: Kyari, Dobhal Gaon, Payal, Jakholi, Sautiyal Gaon Pokhri: Pokhri, Galyakhet, Khalad, Banyani, Sinwal, Kuri, Pujiyar, Naugral Gaon Dhontary: Dhontary, Saud, kamad, Udri, Gongad, Satiyali, Dikholi, Saundi, Barkot, Bagi	Kyari, Sautiyal Gaon, Pokhri, Dhontary
6.	Medical Equipment for CHC, Madan Negi	Madan Negi, Jakhnidhar, T.G.	Yes
7.	Eye Camp	Kamand, Nambgaon, Nandgaon, Pilkhi, Koteswar	Kamand & Koteswar
8.	Homeopathy Dispensary, Rishikesh	Rishikesh	Yes
9.	Homeopathy Dispensary, Shem Mukhem	SemMukhem, Tehri Garhwal	Yes
THDC-Utthan (Rural Development Initiative)			
10.	Construction of Community Center, Jakhni	Jakhni Village, Pratapnagar, T.G.	Yes
11.	Cleaning Work	Indira Nagar & Nehrugram, Rishikesh	Yes
12.	Hopper Dumper Tipper		Satpuli, Pipalkoti & Rishkesh
13.	Multipurpose Tin Shed, Deval	Village Deval, Pratapnagar, T.G.	Yes

14.	Truck Mounted Water Tanker	New Tehri and nearby villages, Tehri Garhwal	Yes
15.	Agriculture & Horticulture Activities, Gujrada	Village Gujrada	Yes
16.	Construction of Damage Road, Chinyalisaur	Chinyalisaur, Uttarkashi	Yes
THDC-Jagriti (Education Initiative)			
17.	Diploma in ITI course for 9 candidates	Village Asena, Bhilangna Block, T.G.	ITI Chamba
18.	Running Two School through THDC Education Society	Risikesh & Bhagirathipuram, T.G.	Bhagirathipuram
19.	Omkaranand Modern Public School, Koteshwar	Koteshwarpuram, Tehri Garhwal	Yes
20.	Equipment for Girls Hostel, Dehradun	Akhil Bhartiya Mahila Ashram, Dehradun	Yes
21.	Integrated Livelihood Enhancement project, Bhilangna	Paukhal, Koti, Syalkund, Devri, Pilkhi, Vanchuri, Indrola, Patalgi, Thapla, Baur, Pipola, Silyara etc. i	Syalkund, Pilkhi, Patalgi, Silyara, Baur etc.
22.	Social & Environment Center, Jollygrant	Jolly Grant (Bhaniyawala), Dehradun	Yes
THDC-Prakriti (Environment Initiative)			
23.	Maintenance of plants and nursery, Rishikesh	THDC Rishikesh and Jolly Grant	THDC Campus, Rishikesh
THDC-Samarth (Empowerment Initiative)			
24.	Downtrodden Empowerment & Livelihood Enhancement	Village Jakholi, Garh Sinwal, Sailoor and Darsil of district Tehri Garhwal	Garh Sinwal, Sailoor and Darsil
THDC-Saksham (Capable Initiative for Disabled)			
25.	Establishment of bakery business for disabled	Chamiyala, Tehri Garhwal	Yes

HEALTH INITIATIVE under THDC-NIRAMAYA

ॐ सर्वे भवन्तु सुखिनः
सर्वे सन्तु निरामयाः।
सर्वे भद्राणि पश्यन्तु मा कश्चिद्दुःखभाग्भवेत्।

The above shloka used in Indian prayers means May all sentient beings be at peace, may no one suffer from illness, may all see what is auspicious, may no one suffer.

This Shloka is completely in sink with the WHO's definition of health which states that "health is a state of complete physical, mental, and social well-being and not merely the absence of disease or infirmity." Without good health, we cannot enjoy anything in life. It is the secret of happiness.

Preventive healthcare is an important dimension of health that needs significant attention and investment from all sections of society. it is a national health priority and a notified area under schedule vii of the CSR section 135 of the company's act. keeping this in view THDC under its Niramaya programme aims to promote health, nutrition, hygiene, sanitation, and drinking water. The services provided by THDC varies from providing doctors and ambulance to conducting health camps.

S. No.	Major Projects under Niramaya
01.	Providing Medical Staff for THDCIL dispensary, Khurja
02.	Health Checkup & Awareness Camp, PAA of Tehri Dam
03.	Ambulance Service, PAA of Tehri Dam
04.	Homeopathy Dispensary at PAA of Tehri Dam
05.	Medical Equipment for CHC, Madan Negi
06.	Medical Equipment for CHC, Madan Negi
07.	Eye Camp, PAA (Koteshwar Rishikesh & Tehri)
08.	Homeopathy Dispensary, Rishikesh
09.	Homeopathy Dispensary, ShemMukhem

Providing Doctor and Pharmacist for THDCIL Dispensary, Khurja



Discussion with Doctor, THDC dispensary, Khurja



Medical Shop along side the dispensary



Patient beds in dispensary



Project Name

Providing Doctor and Pharmacist for THDCIL dispensary



Location

Khurja, Bulandsher, Uttar Pradesh



Cost

01 Lac per month for one year



Objective

Providing premium medical and health-care facilities to the project-affected families



Beneficiary

Villagers of Dashara, Rukanpur, Jahanpur, Nypal/
Unchogaom of Tehsil Khurja

Background

The present day COVID-19 Pandemic has proven the phrase "Health is Wealth" right. Health is needed for living the life to the full extent. For increasing the longevity as well as regenerating the body and mind, a healthy lifestyle is quite important. The health care system in the rural areas works at three levels: Sub-centre, Primary Health Centre, and Community Health Center. The primary Health Center makes sure that the targeted population receives a comprehensive care which would cover promotion and prevention to treatment, rehabilitation and palliative care.

Social Impact

The medical and health-care facilities would lead to better treatment options, longer life expectancy and improvement in the quality of life despite the existing illness. Good medical facilities would help the chronically ill people to continue working as well as pursue their daily activities in an efficient manner. This has proved beneficial for the society in terms of health, productivity and value-creation.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The said project envisaged to provide health care to the project affected population, laying emphasis on preventive and promotive needs of the health care. SEWA-THDC provided the rural people with the required medical facilities not just for a specific set of diseases but for the whole-person health care which was quite needed at the village level.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

After the commencement of the project, the health of the targeted population has improved. Now, well-qualified doctors are available in the rural areas and they don't have to travel to the far away cities for their treatment. The village people felt grateful that such kind of work was done for them which have decreased their major tensions related to medical and health care.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The said project has proved to provide adequate services to the project affected population. Although the efforts of SEWA-THDC were quite fruitful as the village people now were able to get treated themselves at the village level resulting in the saving their transportation and other related expenses in the cities, but there was the need felt to have more doctors employed on regular basis in the village area so that the efficiency would be improved to a greater extent.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

By virtue of this project, the health conditions of the village people have boosted. The doctors are providing them with the required medicines as well as good treatment because of which the villagers are quite happy. Improvement in the medical care has even increased their life span and made them less dependable on anyone to take care of them.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Earlier, the areas which were near the project affected area weren't having any such kind of health care facilities because of which they used to face the health issues during different time intervals. But after the commencement of this project, the conditions of the village people have been upgraded, resulting in providing better health facilities to the target affected population.

COVERAGE

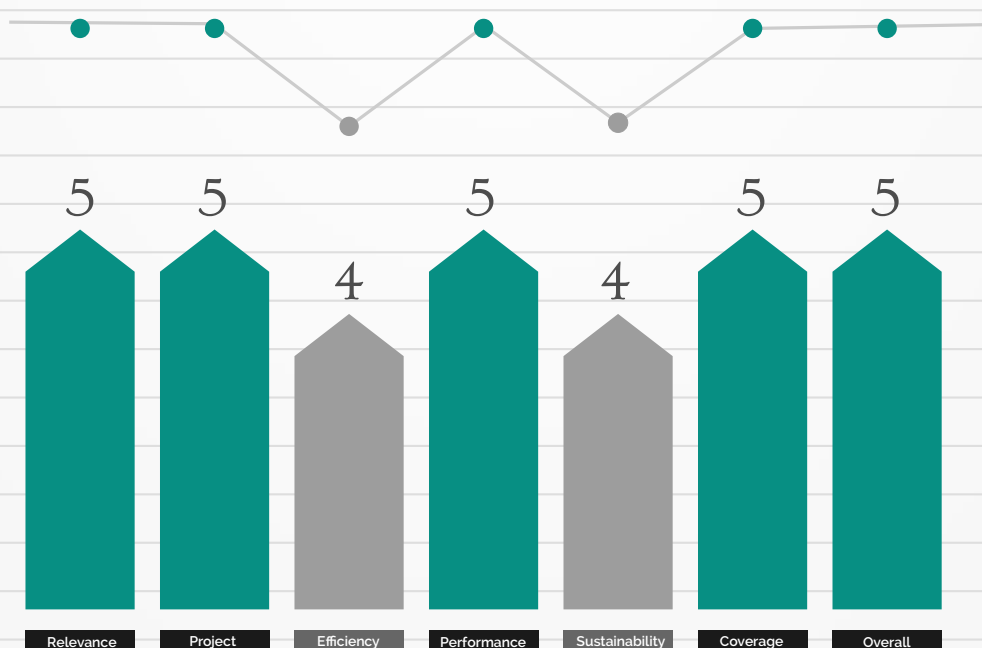
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The need of such kind of the project was felt in the particular area as earlier there were no such services provided. This project has covered the one year time period and fulfilled the needs of the targeted population in a very good manner and utilized all health care facilities in an efficient way.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

The Overall performance of the project was found excellent and satisfactory. Medical staff provided by the SEWA-THDC under the CSR project provided better health care facilities to the remote areas of Khurja and people were taking advantage of those services at local area which enhanced their health condition as well as minimize financial burden of medical expenses on the beneficiaries.

Suggestion

- More doctors with different specialization to be appointed in project affected areas.
- Health care services should be enhancing so that more people can reach out the benefit of the project.
- Medicine and other medical services should be provided at minimum cost in the rural areas.

Success Stories

Case-01

Mukesh (Name Changed), a resident of Dushara told that earlier they weren't having any such kind of dispensary in the village and the nearby areas because of which the people of those villages had to face severe issues. But, with the help of this dispensary, their problems have been solved to a large extent and they now needn't go to far places in search of the doctors and required medicines. The dispensary and doctors as well as other medical staff provided by SEWA-THDC have proved to be a great help for the people of those villages.

Health Check-up and Awareness Camps, Rishikesh, Tehri & Koteshwar



Discussion with locals regarding health services



Discussion about health services, Kyari



Project Name

Health Check-up and Awareness Camp



Location

Various location of Rishikesh and PAA of Tehri & Koteshwar



Cost

38,14,000/-



Objective

To provide free of cost health facilities and medicines to the vulnerable people of the area



Beneficiary

People of project affected areas of Tehri & Koteshwar

Background

The present day COVID-19 Pandemic has proven the phrase "Health is Wealth" right. Health is needed for living the life to the full extent. For increasing the longevity as well as regenerating the body and mind, a healthy lifestyle is quite important. The health care system in the rural areas works at three levels: Sub-centre, Primary Health Centre, and Community Health Center. The primary Health Center makes sure that the targeted population receives a comprehensive care which would cover promotion and prevention to treatment, rehabilitation and palliative care.

Social Impact

The medical and health-care facilities would lead to better treatment options, longer life expectancy and improvement in the quality of life despite the existing illness. Good medical facilities would help the chronically ill people to continue working as well as pursue their daily activities in an efficient manner. This has proved beneficial for the society in terms of health, productivity and value-creation.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Health checks up and awareness for the people of rural areas is important segment of health where the medical facilities are critical and in worse condition. Accessing such health facilities at villages level reduce their health expenses like hospital cost, travelling and staying cost in the cities.

Under the health check –up project of SEWA-THDC it organized various health camps and awareness camps regarding different diseases in the village level and tried to fulfill the health needs of the people at local level.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Assessment team discussed with villagers regarding the health camp, people said that Health camp was organized by the SEWA-THDC especially for eye checkup, joint pains, ashthma, diabetic, heart check-up and more. People have taken advantage of this entirely free health check-up to minimize their basic health problems at village level.

Number of Health Check-up and Awareness Camp organized by AIIMS Rishikesh and SEWA-THDC (2018-20)

Location	Area wise Health Camp	Total Nos. of Health camps	Total Nos. of Beneficiary	
			Male	Female
Rishikesh	Krishna Nagar	01	1064	1560
	Nandufarm	03		
	Sarvhara Nagar	02		
	Mayakund	01		
	Valmiki Basti	01		
	Chandreshwar Nagar	01		
	Haripur Kalan	01		
	Walmiki Bast, Raiwala	01		
Total Health Camps		11		
Tehri	Nagdev pathald	01	384	522
	Nageshwar Saun	01		
	Daangi	01		
	Changora	01		
	Total Health Camps			

Koteshwar	THDC Hospital	01	420	561
	Kyari	02		
	Pokhri	01		
	Total Health Camps	04		
Total Health Camps in PAA of Tehri Dam		19	1868	2643

Source: AIIMS, Rishikesh

Significant Achievement

The health check-ups and awareness camps at different places of Rishikesh, Tehri and Koteshwar have significantly improved the health conditions of people in the field of orthopedic, General medicine, gynecology, pediatric, dermatology, pulmonology, community & family medicine by the highly qualified and specialized doctors.

Amongst the 19 health check-ups and awareness camps, 4,511 patients (consisting 1868 male and 2643 female) attended and were benefitted from different health facilities at local level.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Improve the health condition: Free health check-up facilities improve the health condition and enhance the living standard of the people especially in those remote villages where medical facilities is in poor condition and people can't bear the medical expenses of the cities.

Reduce the treatment expenses: Such facilities at local level minimize the treatment expenses like travelling, staying in cities, operation and surgery cost, hospital expenses and so on which is quite high in hospitals.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
04 (Good)

By providing such health care facilities for the people in remote villages of hill areas who are economically poor and marginalized insure the productivity and equality in health. Good health conditions enhance the capability of the people and minimize the financial burden on the family. This project has minimized the poor health conditions of the target population through the different medical facilities.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

However, health condition of the target population has improved but only for certain time as it was a temporary service. It was observed that people were not prepared to maintain the positive effects of the project intervention for a long time. This is because these health check-up camps were providing the facilities for a certain time and there were no regular facilities available at local level.

COVERAGE

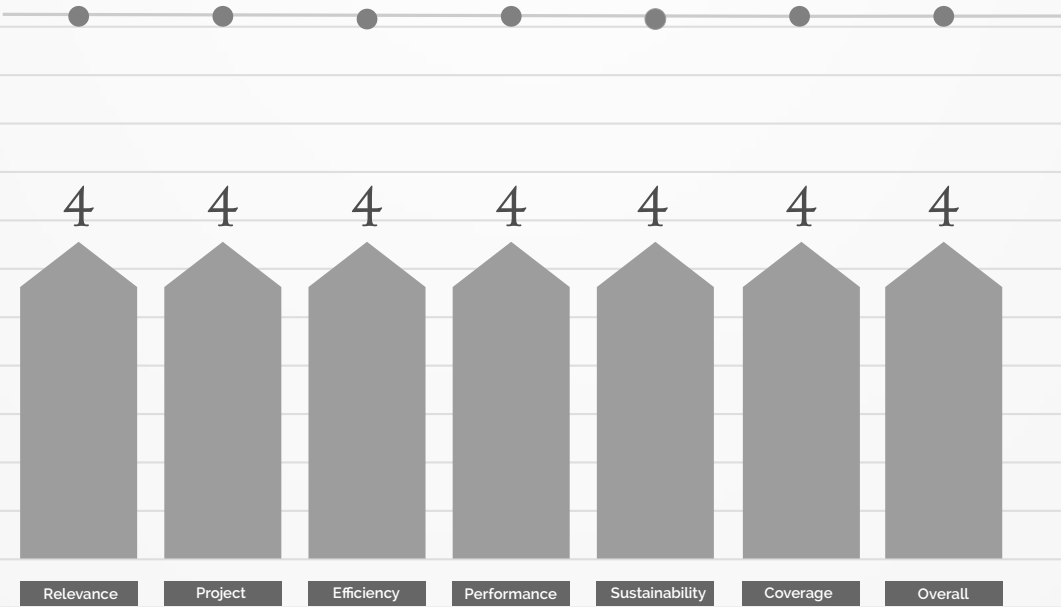
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The requirement of the said project is quite needed particularly in the remote villages of hill areas where health facilities are still in worse condition. But the project cycle to deliver health care facilities is needed on regular or frequent basis for the project affected areas. The services of the said project were received by the villagers in different health problems.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall

Remark

The said project has made significant and positive impact to address the basic health care of the project affected families. The overall rating of the project was observed good which shows the positive effects of the project on the target population. As per the implementing agency's report, more than 4,500 beneficiaries were benefitted from the different health facilities. The quality of health services was reported to be good by the beneficiaries.

Suggestion

As per the observation by the assessment team at project area, it was suggested that health check-up and awareness camp should be organized either on regular or frequent basis in the projected affected areas particularly in those areas where health care facilities are in worse condition. Due to this people are aware in advance about these health care facilities.

Success

Stories

Case-01

Rama Devi (name changed), a resident of Kyari Village stated that her son who was 10 years old has the problem of pigmentation due to over exposure to the sun. Earlier, she wasn't aware of the problem faced by her son as she had no prior knowledge regarding any such kind of disease because of lack of proper medicinal facilities at local level. The beneficiary was overwhelmed with the help provided by AIIMS doctors via this health check-up camp. At that camp, the doctor made the beneficiary aware of pigmentation problem faced by her son and prescribed required medicine, facial cream as well as guided the precautionary measures to be taken. The beneficiary stated that this camp had proof to be boon for her as she was quite stressful

Case-02

Neelam Bijlwan (name changed), age 17 years, resident of Pokhri village had a problem of over flow during mensuration cycle. She never shared her problem with anyone because of hesitation and social stigma. With the help of female gynecologist in the camp, she got a chance to share her problem with her. The gynecologist diagnosed her problem and council her how to tackle the problem during the mensuration cycle. The doctor also suggested her to use the sanitary pad rather than cloth which can cause some serious problem at her later life. Beneficiary was contended after having a word with the gynecologist and her earlier fear had reduced to large extent.

Treatment & Effectiveness of Cardiovascular Disease by Non-pharmological Interventions, Rishikesh



File Photo : Cardiovascular Intervention By AIMS Doctor



File Photo : Cardiovascular Intervention By AIMS Doctor



Project Name

Treatment & effectiveness of Cardiovascular disease by non-pharmological interventions



Location

Rural areas of Rishikesh



Cost

8,45,636/-



Objective

To provide free of cost medicines as well as treatment to the vulnerable people of the said areas



Beneficiary

People over 30 years of age in the selected rural areas of Rishikesh

Background

Cardiovascular Diseases are a group of disorders of the heart and blood vessels. Heart attacks and strokes are usually acute events & are mainly caused by a blockage that prevents blood from flowing to the heart and brain. The most common reason from which this diseases develops is fatty deposits on the inner walls of the blood vessels that supply blood to the Heart and brain. The main causes of the heart diseases are unhealthy diet, physical inactivity, tobacco use and excessive use of alcohol which can result in raised blood pressure, raised blood glucose, raised blood lipids and obesity.

Social Impact

Heart has the major role to be performed in our body and it is quite essential that we have a good as well as healthy Heart to live a long & durable life ahead. Cardiovascular diseases can reduce the living capacity of an individual as it impacts each and every part of the body in a slow and steady manner. Thus, having the treatment of any such kind of the disease at the proper time period would prove to be helpful for the society at large.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

There are various health problems but as per statistical data of government, cardiovascular diseases are common cause of death in India. Therefore, the relevance of this project is quite high especially in the rural area of Uttarakhand where medical facilities and awareness about such diseases are in worse condition.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The objectives of the project have been achieved in a very good manner as the awareness regarding cardiovascular disease is quite necessary at village level. As the Heart disease are very common in people and at village level they don't have the regular check-ups, thus this project will help them be known to the disease and if any problem arises in between, there would be time for curing it at an early stage.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The objectives of the said project were achieved in an appropriate manner that too in the required time frame. The funds which were allotted for the said project was utilized in a proper way. Such kind of projects is needed at the village level through which the village people can be saved from some of the non-curable disease which would have severe effect on the health of the target group.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The target group is satisfied with the project as it has helped them tackle various problems at an early stage in life. Providing machines to the hospitals in the village area has lowered the risk of cardiovascular disease which in turn helps lead a healthy life resulting in the improvement of the quality of life of the target group.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The need of cardiovascular disease awareness is very much needed and these kinds of projects would be needed in the near future as well. Although, the target group has stated about the positive effects of the project. The people are satisfied with the project and the work done by SEWA-THDC in this regard as target group feels that no facility of this type was available to them earlier because of which they used to suffer from heart disease and weren't even aware of that.

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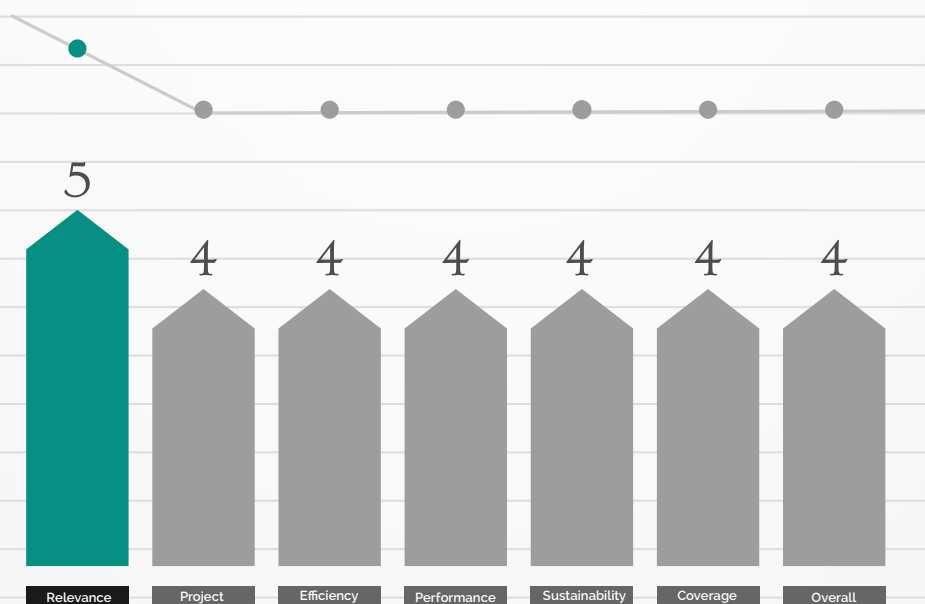
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
04 (Good)

These kinds of projects are very much needed in the long run. This project was started for the target group and its advantage was even enjoyed by the people for whom it was started. SEWA-THDC has started the awareness camps, provided machines to the target group so that they can lead a happy as well as healthy life in the future and get to know what is happening in their body at an early stage.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Awareness about cardiovascular disease is quite important in the village area as people there aren't in regular touch with the doctors and health officials. The overall assessment of the project was found to be good as it has overcome the major problems of the villagers.

Provide Ambulance with life support system/ventilator, PAA of Tehri Dam



Ambulance providing services nearby Chamiyala



Side photo of ambulance



Front Side photo of ambulance



Project Name

To provide Ambulance with life support system/ ventilator



Location

Project affected areas of Tehri Dam, Tehri Garhwal



Cost

15,69,500/-



Objective

To provide Ambulance with Life Support System to district Administration, Tehri



Beneficiary

People of project affected areas

Background

Health is considered as the state of being free from illness or injury. Health is considered as a resource to support an individual's function in wider society. A healthy lifestyle is responsible for providing means to lead the life to its fullest. Health is mostly divided into two types: Mental & Physical. The other types include Spiritual, emotional, financial health which is also the contributing factors to one's life. According to WHO (1984) health can be defined as, "the extent to which an individual or group is able to realise aspirations and satisfy needs and to change or cope with the environment. Health is a source of everyday life, not the objective of living. It is a positive concept, emphasizing social and personal resources, as well as physical capacities."

Social Impact

- Ambulance services are responsible for providing 24/7 response to the medical and trauma related emergencies.
- Ambulance crew is responsible for stabilising and treating patients quickly to prevent any kind of mishap before the patient reaches hospital for the actual treatment.
- Ambulance is responsible for providing immediate and effective life-saving care in a safe and clinical working environment with maximum mobility.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Ambulance is required for the provision of the first aid treatment to the individuals. Although the project of SEWA-THDC has done a beneficial work by providing the ambulance services to the rural areas. The people of the village area are now getting treated at the earliest level in case of the emergency as compared to the earlier time when no such service was available.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
04(Good)

The above said project has achieved the prescribed objective as the services provided by the ambulance proved to be quite fruitful for the target group. Ambulance helped the village people in providing them with the first hand help during emergency and saving the lives at the earlier stage.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04(Good)

The objectives of the project were achieved in an efficient manner as the ambulance had performed the role for which it was started in a very good way. The people in the target area were satisfied with the service as it was a life-saving service for them and they weren't having such kind of service earlier. As stated by the target population, SEWA-THDC has been providing their services and helping out people in a better way.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
04 (Good)

During the field visit, the ambulance was allocated in nearby Chamiyala where the ambulance was providing its services. As per the information given by the staff, ambulance is dealing with the problems of almost 200 patients in a month which represents an exponential work done. The people of the target area feel obliged to THDC that such kind of the service has been started for them.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The sustainability of the ambulance depends upon the staffs of the ambulance that are actually responsible for proving the services to the people. Although ambulance is considered to be the integral part of the hospital system which needs to be maintained as well as operated in an efficient manner for promoting the welfare of the patients but people in the area are facing issues because one ambulance can't fulfill the need of such a vast area.

COVERAGE

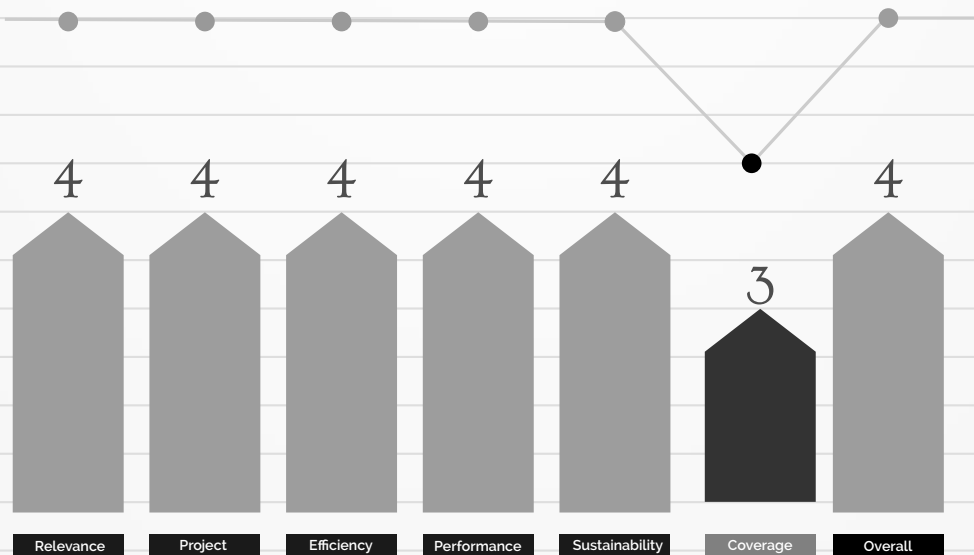
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
03 (Average)

As per the conditions of the rural areas, the requirement of the ambulance remains there every time because health system is quite weak in those areas and they even don't have good as well as flexible transportation to move from rural to city area. Services of such kind are always needed in the particular areas. Nearby village areas always take the advantage of such services.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

This project has helped in achieving the objectives of the said project and accesses the health care facilities through the ambulance. This project helps the villagers to get the immediate help during emergency need till they reach out to some good hospital

Suggestion

- More ambulances to be assigned for the project areas and its surroundings so that people can take advantage of the services in a full-fledged way.
- Ambulance should be upgraded with the latest medical equipment in order to minimize the risk of the patient who is in critical condition.
- Ambulance should also have a supporting staff on regular basis, having knowledge of operating all the medical equipment.

Success Stories

Case-01

Vimla Devi (name changed) a resident of nearby village of Chamilaya said that there is no medical facility and health center available in the village or its nearby places because of which; during any critical health problem we always faced issues. But the ambulance services have provided a relief to the people as they can reach the hospitals in time and get the required treatment. People in the village now have less fear of reaching out the hospitals as they know ambulance reaches their door step whenever needed. The women who are pregnant are also delivering their babies in the hospitals under the proper observation of the doctor. Ambulance service in the said area has given us the confidence to fight against the disease.

Running of Homeopathy Dispensary at PAA, Tehri & Uttarkashi



Running Homeopathy Dispensary at Dhontary



Getting information about dispensary



Project Name

Running of Homeopathy Dispensary at Project Affected Area



Location

Pokhri (Tehri) & Koteshwarpuram (Tehri) and Dhontary (Uttarkashi)



Cost

21,32,306/-



Objective

To Provided free of cost Health facility and medicines to the project affected areas



Beneficiary

Villagers of project area in Tehri & Uttarkashi

Background

Homeopathy is a system of complementary medicine in which ailments are treated by minute doses of natural substances that in larger amounts would produce symptoms of the ailment. It was conceived in 1796 by the German physician Samuel Hahnemann. This system functions on the belief that body has the power to cure itself in its own way. People practising homeopathy make use of tiny amounts of natural substances like plants & minerals with a belief that these resources help in stimulating the healing process.

Social Impact

- Homeopathy is a holistic science, which cure and healing, rather than mere alleviation of disease, and takes into consideration the minutes details of the ailing person.
- Homeopathic medicines are aimed at improving the level of health by stimulating the self-regulatory mechanism.
- Homeopathic treatment is considered as safe compared to allopathic as the medicines are non-toxic as well as harmless resorting to less side effects.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Due to the shortage of doctors and medical facilities in rural areas, homeopathic facilities can be a better source to improve the health condition of the people in the local areas. Treatment and medicine in homeopathy is cheaper than allopathic which will lower down expenses incurred on health by the village people resulting in lowering the overall economic burden of the people.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
04 (Good)

After having a word with the people of the said areas it was found that the quality of treatment as well as treatment outcome was very good. It was observed that the demand of the homeopathic treatment was quite high as maximum people wanted to get them treated at one clinic alone in day. This project has been closed in Koteshwar as the contract of doctor ended and wasn't renewed because of pandemic.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

It was observed in functioning clinic of homeopathic that it has improved the health condition of people in rural areas with minimum treatment cost. People are aware about the side effects of allopathic medicine so they often visited in homeopathic clinic. Intervention by this project was able to meet the health needs of target population and improved the quality of life appropriately.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
04 (Good)

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SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
03 (Average)

There were three interventional areas where homeopathic clinic was running. Assessment team visited two sites i.e. Koteshwar and Dhonry. Homeopathic clinic in Koteshwar was found closed due to the unavailability of doctors but there was high demand of this clinic in that particular area. The said project has immense sustainability in Dhonry area as the treatment in that particular area was going on in a well-planned manner.

COVERAGE

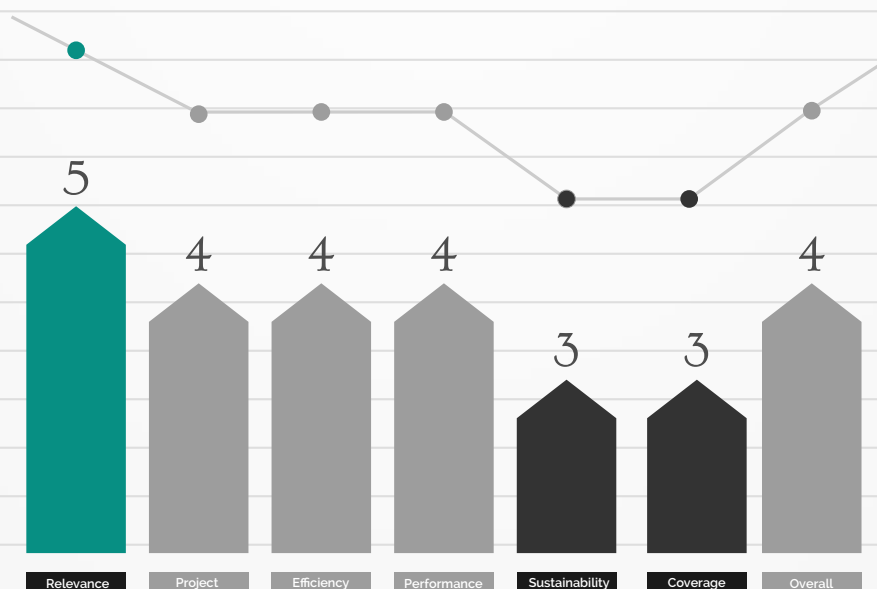
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
03 (Average)

The said project was quite needed in the present as well as will be needed in the future as well. The beneficiaries were the people at the village levels and they had taken full advantage of the project. Although the project has been closed in some area but it was still needed in all the prescribed areas as homeopathy is considered as one of the safest treatment method.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Homeopathy is one of the finest treatment methods and the demand for this has been on an increase in the present day society. This project has helped the people in the said area to fulfil their medical needs which have made their lives easier. Overall rating of the project seems to be good and beneficiaries have taken full advantage where ever the project is running.

Suggestion

- THDC should restart the project in the area where this project has been closed as its need is on rise in the said area.
- The contract of the doctors should be renewed automatically so that because of contract end issue, project isn't closed.
- Medicines should be provided on the demand basis so that the issue regarding the preservation of the medicines is also resolved.

Success Stories

Case-01

Bimla Devi (Name Changed), resident of nearby Dhontary visited in the homeopathic clinic and the assessment team at that time asked her about her experience of homeopathy medicine. She stated that she was suffering from joint pain from last 4 years and even undergoing the treatment of orthopedic doctor in the city area which was costly for them more than they earned. She took the medicine for almost 02 year but all in vain as the medicines were too heavy that it didn't suit her. She then got to know about this clinic from the other people in the village and decided to shift to homeopathy for the treatment. From last one year she has been visiting the clinic and the results she finds more suitable for her and even the medicine weren't too heavy for her. She was quite satisfies with the results and thankful to SEWA-THDC for such an initiative taken for them.

Provide medical equipment (01 Dental Chair, 01 X-Ray Machine) for CHC Madan Negi



Unused X-ray machine at CHC, MadanNegi



Providing dental treatment at dental chair



Medical Staffs along with field team at CHC, MadanNegi



Project Name

Provide medical equipment (01 Dental Chair, 01 X-Ray Machine) for CHC Madan Negi



Location

CHC Madan Negi, Block-Jakhnidhar, Tehri Garhwal



Cost

08.0 Lacs



Objective

To provide Procurement and handover the medical equipment for CHC Madan Negi



Beneficiary

Project Affected Families nearby Madan Negi

Background

Medical equipments are an instruments used for the specific purpose of diagnosis and treatment of disease or rehabilitation following disease or injury which can be used either alone or in the combination of various accessory. Medical equipments are quite essential as without these equipments treatment of the individual can't be done in a proper way. In the today's time, lot of medical equipments have been launched which provide qualitative and cost-effective treatment.

Social Impact

- Dental care is quite essential for the people as the mouth with healthy gums, strong teeth; neutral breath and a clean tongue are the revelation of the overall health & hygiene.
- A good oral hygiene is important for the prevention of many diseases and disorders.

It is the mouth, which shows up to be the first place of many illnesses including diabetes

- and village people are in more need of this as they don't approach for the check-ups on regular basis.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The assessment team found that the villagers were quite happy as their dental issues were resolved at one place and they didn't have to move to the city areas for getting their treatment done. Their dental problems were resolved and medicines were available to them free of cost as compared to the city areas where these medicines cost is very high, not affordable by the village people.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The objectives of the project were achieved and beneficiaries who were in actual needs of the project have taken full advantage in the project. The people there were very satisfied and happy with the facilities being provided. The doctors via the use of X-ray machine is checking 10 patients on daily basis and even treating 7-8 patients on average on daily basis who are having some of the dental issues.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The objectives of the project were achieved in an efficient manner and that too completed the work in the given time frame. Whatever funds were allotted to them was used for the purchasing of the dental chair as well as the X-ray machine. The project has proven to be very efficient for the village people as no such kind of facility was provided to them and this project has proven to be of great importance for them.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The said project has tackled the dental problems of the people in that particular area. Village people suffer from more dental issues as they don't take care of their oral hygiene but with the help of the work done by SEWA-THDC, they got to know the importance of the oral hygiene and maintaining a good dental health. The quality of life has automatically improved as the people over there have learned one new thing important for the health and hygiene sector.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Such kind of work is of high importance and is needed in the future as well. The villagers have considered this to be showing the positive sides of the intervention. Oral care is very important as it is the mouth from which the germs enter our body. This has been understood by the villagers by the help of the doctors after the start of the project in the target area. The target group is very happy and thankful for such an initiative. But there was no operating staff for X-ray due to this it was still unused and people are not able to taking advantage of X-ray machine which is needed in local level.

COVERAGE

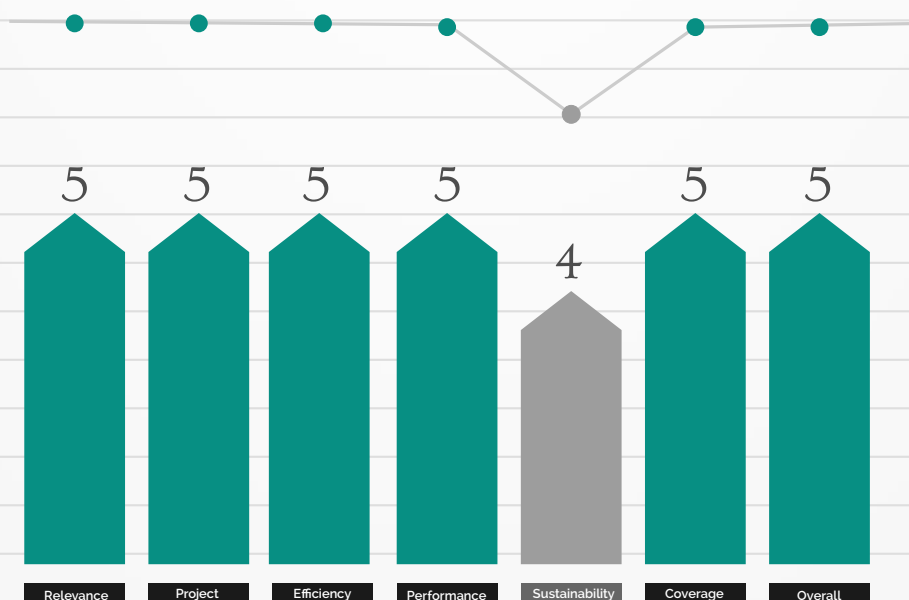
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

In rural areas, these kinds of project are always needed and people over there have been benefitted there with the help of this project. The people who were in need of it have in actuality received the benefit of this project and these kinds of the programmes are very much needed for the benefit of the said area.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Dental care and hygiene are important for the healthy life and this project has made the people over the said area aware about this. Project has also enhanced the quality of Community Health Centre (CHC) especially in rural areas where government doesn't provide such kind of equipment. The overall performance of the project was found excellent which means that such project was needed in that particular area.

Suggestion

- It was suggested that there should be availability of man power for the X-ray machine who knows the technical knowledge of how to operate the machine in an efficient manner.
- Staff for the operating dental chair should be appointed so the advantage of this can be taken effectively.

Success Stories

Case-01

Gulab Singh (Name Chnaged), a resident of Madan Negi village stated that he had started experiencing pain in the left side of the mouth but I couldn't know what was the main issue. Because of the lack of dental care in the village I kept on doing the home remedy for getting the tooth relief for almost one month. Later, when the pain didn't stop I went to the doctor and asked him for the treatment. The doctors at that time couldn't treat the problem as the proper machinery wasn't available to them. With the help of the facility of THDC, the doctors have now got the dental chair which was a great help at the time of need. I got cured by the doctor in the proper manner as well as got the prescribed medicines.

Eye camps in Project Affected Areas through Nirmal Ashram Eyes Institute, Rishikesh



Source: File photo (Eye camp in project affected area)



File photo (Eye check-up in Nandgaon)



Source: File Photo (Eye check-up during camp in Kamand)



Project Name

Conducting 05 Eye camps in Project Affected Areas through Nirmal Ashram Eye Institute, Rishikesh



Location

Nearby Tehri Dam, Tehri Garhwal



Cost

23.80 Lacs



Objective

To conduct eye check-up camps, to provide medicines and cataract's operation



Beneficiary

Approx. 918 beneficiaries from project affected areas

Background

A cataract is the clouding of the normally clear lens of the eye. Clouded vision which is caused by the cataracts make it difficult for the person to read, drive a car or see the expression on some others face. An eye camp is considered as to be the most effective way in which eye care service can be provided to a large number of people in a short span of time. Large number of people who have cataract are being identified with the help of these eye camps. These eye camps are organized free of cost for the patients and a lot of patients are being benefitted from these eye camps.

Social Impact

Conduction of eye camps are helpful in restoring the vision of the residents of the remote areas which in turn reduces the burden of blindness due to cataract and refractive error. These outreach camps help in detection of cataract, glaucoma and other eye related issues at the early stage and provide treatment to the people at the affordable prices which benefits the target population at that level.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The target group never takes interest on the health and hygiene of themselves and as a result they get into contact of various issues. Eye-problems in the old people as well as in the young generation are very common because of the excess use of new technologies. Thus, these eye-camps prove to be very essential for the target group to get themselves tested and have a knowledge if anything problematic is there, which can be cured at an early stage via these camps.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The project has proven to be very effective as the target group visits these camps which are organized free of cost having the well-qualified doctors and good machines, to get to know if there is any issue in their eyes. The eye tests as well as the eye medicines are quite expensive if they would move for any such thing in the city areas but because of the eye camps they get everything at local level without bearing very high costs. The target group is satisfied with the project.

Effectiveness of the Project: The Implementing agency has performed significant role in conducting eye camps in different location of remote villages of project affected areas. Approximately 918 patients were benefitted from these eye camps regarding their different eye problems by the Specialists in ophthalmologist and Optometry facilities. Implementing agency is certified by the NABH (National Accreditation Board of Hospital) and followed the guidelines of NBCP (National Blindness Control Program) with the permission of CMO. All the services were given by implementing agency for the beneficiaries was entirely free of cost.

Significant achievement through the eye camps: Approx. 918 cases were attended by the implementing agency and out of 918 eye screening, 171 patients were identified with cataract, 417 patients were distributed free medicines, some selected patients for surgery brought to the Nirmal Ashram Eye Institute on same day and after completion of surgery dropped at camp site through hospital vehicle.

Total number of patients benefitted from the different eye camps (2019-20)

Various services provided by the Implementing Agency under the project

Camp site	OPD		Medicine		Laboratry		Cataract		Surgery
	M	F	M	F	M	F	M	F	M/F
Kamaand	101	86	38	27	11	24	11	24	0
Lambgaon	130	112	71	67	30	28	30	28	0
Nandgaon	61	49	23	21	20	14	20	14	0
Pilkhi	85	70	35	10	15	10	15	10	0
Koteshwar	141	83	91	34	10	09	10	09	0
Total	518	400	258	159	86	85	86	85	0

Source: Nirmal Eye Institute, Rishikesh

Brief Introduction about Implementing Agency

Nirmal Ashram Eye Institute, a unit of Nirmal Mission for Vision Society, Rishikesh, is a 130 bedded state of the art eye hospital. The hospital is located in Rishikesh, around 50 km. from the state capital, Dehradun. This hospital has performed more than 1,23,000 Eye Surgeries since its inception in 2005. The hospital provides Eye Care services in the hilly districts of Garhwal region of Uttarakhand state, which include districts of Tehri Garhwal, Pauri Garhwal, Uttarkashi, Rudraprayag, Haridwar and Dehradun. The hospital also provides eye care services in certain districts of neighboring states of Uttar Pradesh, Haryana and Himachal Pradesh. Recently Nirmal Ashram Eye Institute gets NABH certification from National Accreditation Board of Hospital in the Field of Services & Facilities.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The project has achieved its said objective in an appropriate manner, within the given time frame. The funds allotted for the project were utilized in the efficient way. The target group was very happy and thankful to SEWA-THDC for organizing such camps in their areas as there were no such facilities available earlier. This has made the target group treat the major issues like cataract even in the appropriate time period.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The target group capability has been enhanced as because of these eye camps they get aware that how much care is needed for keeping the eyes healthy and even the doctors tell them what foods, drinks, fruits etc. should they take for healthy eyesight. The project is very much capable of tackling the different issues being faced by the target group. The awareness and the availability of medicines as well as doctors have improved their quality of life via the implementation of the said project in organized way.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Having healthy eyesight is important for an individual because eyes are considered the light of life which should never stop lightening. The effectiveness of such kind of project would improve in the future as well as prove to be helpful for the villagers. The target group has emphasized that the impact of such projects would be visible in the long term.

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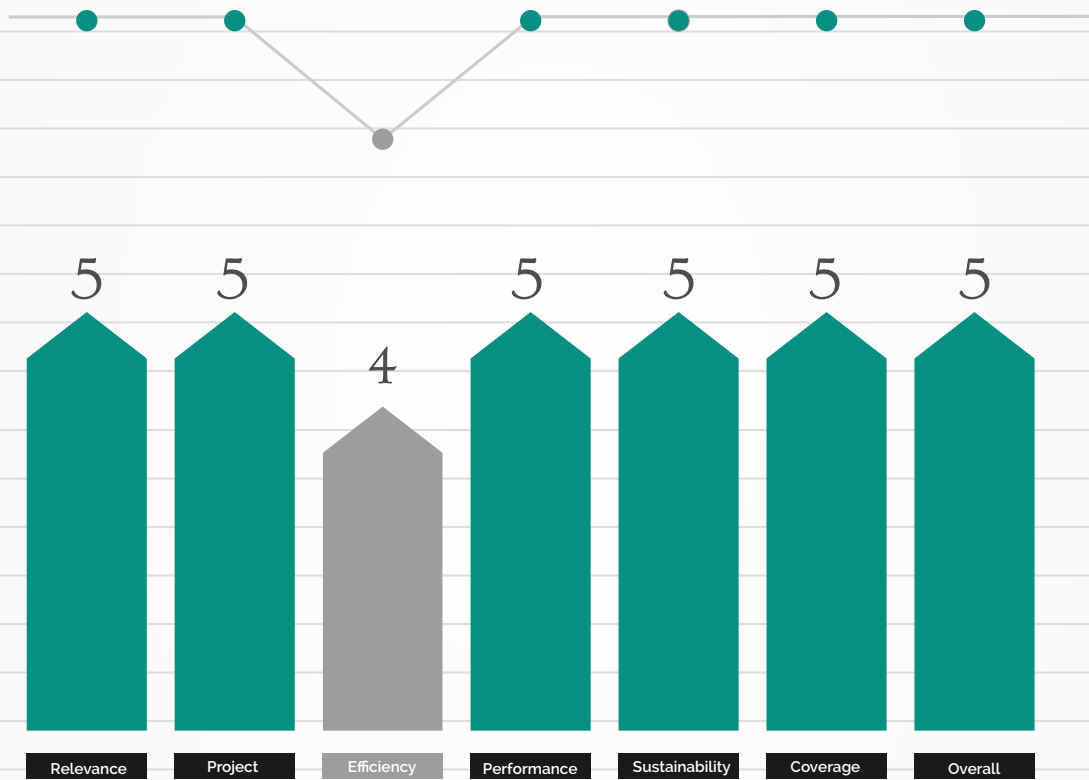
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

These kinds of the projects are needed for the long term. The project was started for the target group and the said people have taken great advantage of this project. The target group feels obliged to SEWA-THDC for having these kinds of projects started which are helpful for the overall growth of the individual. Healthy eyes are an important part of personality which needs to be preserved for long term.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Organizing eye camps is a method of providing eye care to those people who couldn't afford the same or who have never paid any attention to this part of the body. The overall assessment of the project was found to be excellent and that too of great importance for the target group and such kind of initiative should be taken in future for the well-being of rural people.

Suggestion

Seeing positive response from the people and significant performance of the project. It was suggested that number of such eye camps should be increased in the rural areas so that maximum numbers of people can get its benefit.

Success

Stories

Case-01

Vishambar, a resident of Koteswar stated that he started experiencing pain in the eyes as well as some sort of visionary difficulties for the last one year. He went to the doctor in the city and got to know that he was having cataract. The doctors in the city told him that this problem can be cured only by having the eye operation but the operation in the city was very costly although being a very small process. He then visited the eye camp organized in the village, where the doctors recommended him to shift to the Nirmal Eye Care Hospital for getting his cataract treated at minimum cost. He got his eyes operated on the recommendations of the eye camp doctors and was feeling better than the earlier. He stated that this eye camp has been quite beneficial for the village people as they never paid attention to the eye problems till it get molded into some big diseases.

Case-02

Supriya, age 20, a resident of Kamand stated that she started experiencing pain in the left eye 3 years ago but she never paid attention to it. She said that, she was having weak eyesight and thought that the pain may be because of demand for the change in the number of the specs. After a year, she started noticing some kind of blurriness in the left eye and even less vision from that eye as she couldn't focus properly on any target. She went to the doctor serving in the eye camp and got to know that she was suffering from glycoma which could even lead to loss of eyesight if not treated at the proper time. The doctors started her treatment on the immediate basis and recommended all the important medicines as well as tests needed for the proper treatment. She was thankful to the eye camp idea as it saved her from permanent loss of eyesight.

Medicines for Homeopathy Dispensary through Swami Narayan Mission Society, Rishikesh








Homeopathy dispensary at Indranagar, Rishikesh



Patients waiting inside dispensary



Interaction of assessment team with homeopathic doctor

	Project Name Medicines for Homeopathy Dispensary through Swami Narayan Mission Society, Rishikesh
	Location Shisham Jhari & Indiranagar, Rishikesh
	Cost 14.25 Lakh
	Objective To provide free of cost health facilities and medicines to vulnerable persons
	Beneficiary Approx. 62,094 people of said areas

Background

Homeopathy is a system of complementary medicine in which ailments are treated by minute doses of natural substances that in larger amounts would produce symptoms of the ailment. It was conceived in 1796 by the German physician Samuel Hahnemann. This system functions on the belief that body has the power to cure itself in its own way. People practising homeopathy make use of tiny amounts of natural substances like plants & minerals with a belief that these resources help in stimulating the healing process.

Social Impact

Homeopathy is holistic science, which cures and heals, rather than mere alleviation of disease, and takes into consideration the minutest details of the ailing person. Homeopathic medicines are aimed at improving the level of health by stimulating the self-regulatory mechanism. Homeopathic treatment is considered as safe compared to allopathic as the medicines are non-toxic as well as harmless resorting to fewer side effects.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Homeopathy is the only medical science where the medicines which are being used by the doctors for the patients aren't having any kind of side effect & even this is considered to be the best method of the therapeutic science as the people in the village area are suffering from different kind of diseases. Treatment via use of homeopathy provides them with long-term relief and even the medicines aren't too heavy for them to consume.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The project was started with the objective to provide homeopathic treatment to the target group and even provide the medicines free of cost. The said objective has been achieved by the project. Target group is quite satisfied with the project as their major problems have been resolved because of the homeopathic center. Now, they don't have to move to city areas in search of good doctor for getting them treated.

Number of Patients attended and treated in Homeopathic Clinic, (2019-20)

Total Number of Patients treated in Shisham Jhari						
Total Male	Total Female	Total Children	Emergency Case	Total Camps	Total patients in camps	Total patients treated
23,169	23,066	1,395	963	30	3,153	51,799
Total Number of Patients treated in Indra Nagar						
4,464	5,322	509	-	-	-	10,295

Source: Swamy Narayan Mission Society, Rishikesh

There were various health problems treated by the doctors in homeopathic clinic in both clinics such as heart disease, bone & joint pain, skin related problems, ENT, Gynecology, Respiratory, Neurology, Hormonal, Pediatric etc.

Project achievement

Throughout year 2019-20, approximately 51,799 patients were treated and attended in homeopathic clinic in Shisham Jhari and patients got health benefit with minimum cost of treatment.

Similarly, throughout year 2019-20, approximately 10,295 patients were treated and attended in homeopathic clinic in Indra Nagar for various health problems with minimum amount of treatment. Apart from that, the mission organized various awareness and treatment programme (For different kind of diseases) also at the countryside areas of Rishikesh. Through these programmes the mission makes the society aware about various diseases, how to protect themselves from diseases and medicines are also provided to them according to their problems in the camps, free of cost.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The objectives of the project have been achieved and that too in the prescribed time frame. The funds which were allotted for the project have been utilized in a proper manner. The target group is very happy as the doctors in the homeopathy center are well-trained and well-equipped to treat them in a better manner. The target group has found this project as the boon in their lives.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

In the village, a person suffers from lot of diseases and till these diseases takes some of the serious turn on their health, they don't care about its treatment. Setting up of homeopathy center by SEWA-THDC has resolved their problems to a great extent. Now, they can treat and even get to know about their sufferings at an early stage and get themselves treated if any problem gets diagnosed. This has improved the quality of life of the target group to a great extent.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Health is the major concern in today's time and it needs to be maintained in a good way. The need for these kinds of projects would be increasing in the future as well. Although, the project has closed now due to lockdown being imposed because of the pandemic, but still there is need of such project in the said area and even in the areas nearby it. THDC should restart these projects in the said area to improve the health conditions of the target group.

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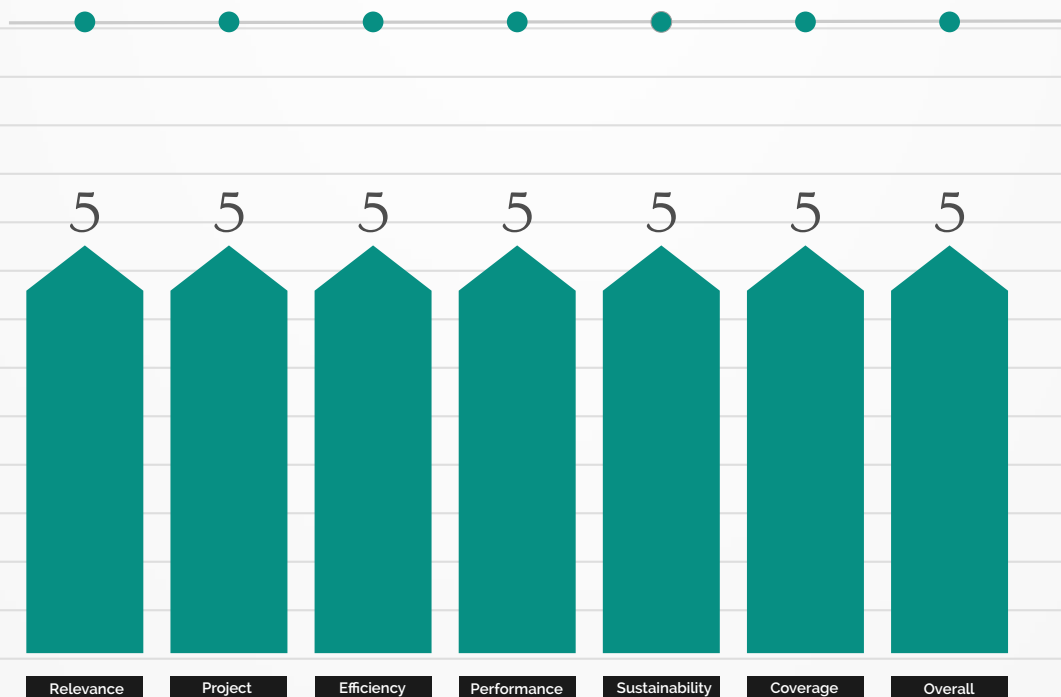
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

These projects are of high importance and are needed to be in the long run. The target group, for whom the project was started, has taken full advantage of it. The target group is quite happy with the said project and wants SEWA-THDC to take an initiative to restart the project in the said areas as the people there have been benefitted a lot from this Homeopathy center.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

When there is Health, there is everything. Homeopathy is a science which provides the people with safe medicines to be used to treat the major health problems. The overall performance of the project was found to be excellent as the target group has been benefitted to its full extent because of this project.

Suggestion

- Such kinds of the projects are needed and they should be restarted in the prescribed area as well as the nearby areas.
- People should be made aware about the importance of Homeopathy and they should treat in a more efficient manner using this method.

Success Stories

Case-01

Susheela devi, age 45, a resident of Indiranagar Rishikesh told that she used to get pain in the stomach at some time for many years but after taking some of the home remedy she used to get over the pain resulting that she never visited the doctor to know the actual cause of the pain. One day she had the severe pain and no remedy worked on it as well as it wasn't possible for her to reach the city hospital because the pain was unbearable. So, she decided to visit the Homeopathy center in the village, told the doctor over there her whole history as well as the home remedied which she used at that time of pain. The doctor told her that she was having ovarian cyst and home remedies can only stop the pain for some time and they aren't the permanent solution for the problem. The doctor provided her with some of the homeopathic medicines and even recommended her to change the food habit. The beneficiary was earlier confused, whether to opt for the homeopathy treatment but later on when she started expediting change in the trend of the pain, she was very happy. She told that homeopathy medicines are safe as well as less costly and she suggest her other friends and relatives to first try homeopathy to get treatment of any disease.

Homeopathy Dispensary at Project Affected Areas through Swami Narayan Mission Society, Rishikesh








Homeopathy dispensary at SemMukhem, Tehri Garhwal



Interaction of assessment team with homeopathic doctor



Paranomic view from SemMukhem

	Project Name Homeopathy Dispensary at Project Affected Area through Swami Narayan Mission Society, Rishikesh
	Location SemMukhem, Pratapngar, Tehri Garhwal
	Cost 6,30,528/-
	Objective Provided free of cost Health facility and medicines in project affected areas
	Beneficiary Approx. 13,616 people of SemMukhem

Background

Homeopathy is a system of complementary medicine in which ailments are treated by minute doses of natural substances that in larger amounts would produce symptoms of the ailment. It was conceived in 1796 by the German physician Samuel Hahnemann. This system functions on the belief that body has the power to cure itself in its own way. People practising homeopathy make use of tiny amounts of natural substances like plants & minerals with a belief that these resources help in stimulating the healing process.

Social Impact

Homeopathy is a holistic science, which cure and healing, rather than mere alleviation of disease, and takes into consideration the minutest details of the ailing person. Homeopathic medicines are aimed at improving the level of health by stimulating the self-regulatory mechanism. Homeopathic treatment is considered as safe compared to allopathic as the medicines are non-toxic as well as harmless resorting to fewer side effects.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The said area where the project was started is a remote area where such kind of project is quite needed. Homeopathy being the cheaper method of medicine than that of allopathic has been in use of the maximum number of the people in the project area. This medical treatment is also very safe than any other, which ensures the rural people of maximum results with less cost.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Homeopathy is used to treat an extremely wide range of conditions like asthma, depression, skin diseases etc. the project was capable of achieving the objectives for which it was started. The staff and the doctors available in this science possessed the required qualification, which helped improve the quality of work of the project. The target group was very satisfied by the work done by the project for their well-being.

Number of Patients attended and treated in Homeopathic Clinic, (2019-20)

Total Number of Patients treated & checked up in SemMukhem						
Total Male	Total Female	Total Children	Emergency Case	Total Camps	Total patients in camps	Total patients treated
4,100	2,403	268	04	-	6,841	13,616

Source: Swamy Narayan Mission Society, Rishikesh
Number of specific diseases:
 There were various health problems treated by the doctors in homeopathic clinic in both clinics such as heart disease, bone & joint pain, skin related problems, ENT, Gynecology, Respiratory, Neurology, Hormonal, Pediatric etc.

Project achievement:

Throughout year 2019-20, approximately 13,616 patients were treated and attended in homeopathic clinic in SemMukhem by the implementing agency (Swami Narayan Mission Society, Rishikesh).

Out of 13,616 patients, 6,775 patients were treated & checked up as general cases and 6,841 patients were treated & checked up as specific cases in particular disease. Apart from the check up, all the patients were provided medicine free of cost in the OPD, SemMukhem.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The objectives of the project were achieved in an appropriate manner and that too within the given timeframe. The funds which were allotted for the said project were clearly utilized for fulfilling the demands of the project as well as the target group. These kinds of projects are a part of appreciable work which needs to be carried in other places as well.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The target groups were happy that the diseases for which earlier they had to move to the city areas and keep searching for long for the best doctor to treat them, was now available at local level. The need of the target group was taken care of and this in turn improved the quality of life of the people over there in the villages as they now were facing less health issues.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Homeopathy would remain the best medical treatment as well as cost effective. Thus, such kinds of projects will only show improvement in the effectiveness in the near future. The target group stated that these projects had the positive impacts on the lives of the people. The target group is thankful to THDC for starting this kind of project for their development.

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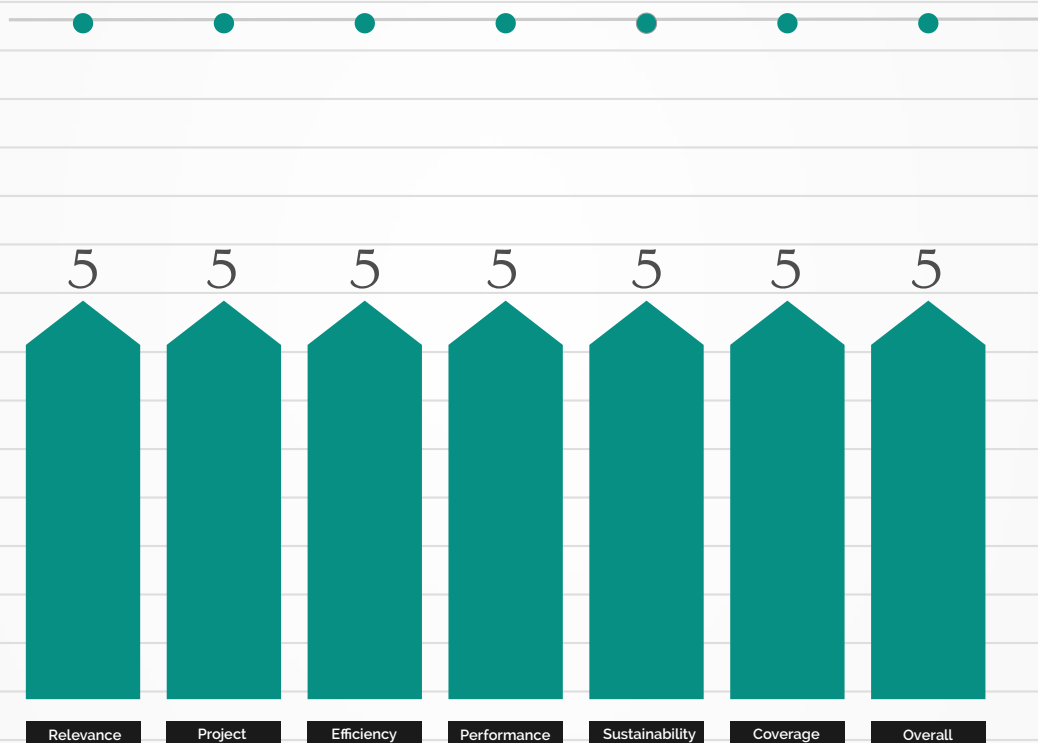
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

This project is needed for the development as well as good health of the target group which will improve their living standards as well. The project group was started for target group of the said area and they had taken full advantage of the said project. These kinds of project are of high importance and are even needed in the nearby areas of that village for an all round development of

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Homeopathy is showing good signs of treatment and safe medicines for the people in the village area. The overall performance of the project was found to be excellent as it is a praiseworthy work to open such a clinic in such a remote and needed area.

Suggestion

- SEWA-THDC should start such kinds of projects under the CSR activities in the other nearby areas for all round development of the people over there.
- The doctors should be appointed on permanent basis so that these kinds' projects never get stopped in the future as well.

Success

Stories

Case-01

Om Prakash, a resident of Semmukhem stated that he was suffering from the side pain for many years in the past but in that area the hospital as well as doctor facilities weren't available earlier resulting in the increase of the pain every day. With the opening of the Homeopathy center in the said area, he was able to reach the doctors for looking into the cause of the side pain. The doctors there told him that he was having stone in the kidney because of which he will experience some pain at some time. He took the homeopathy medicine for about a year and noticed that his pain was reducing and the stone in the Kidney was crushed automatically with the help of the medicines provided to him by the doctors in the center. He was very happy with the facility as such thing was much needed in that hilly area.

Case-02

A resident of same village seemed quite happy about such intervention of this project because of the shortage of hospital and doctors in that particular area. He said that earlier there was no hospital or clinic and medicine for any disease or health problem in that area. We had to go around 15 km far from their village even for minimum health facilities which was very costly for us in term of time and money. But after started the homeopathy clinic in this area, we often use to visit there and take advantage of health and medicine facilities and such kind of clinic was much needed in this area which helps to meet the health needs of the people with minimum cost.

RURAL DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE under THDC-UTTHAN

According to Gandhiji, "the future of India lies in its villages. If the villages perish India will perish too" this is not just the quote but a reality of India.

Rural environment due to increase in industrialization in the 21st century is somewhere neglected. Due to lack of infrastructure, public facilities and problems in retaining quality resources life remains challenging over there. Rural India is home to 70% of population therefore it becomes important to cater to the needs of rural India and work for its overall development in order to strengthen the development of India.

THDC endeavors to provide tools and means to the rural population to grow and prosper. under the programme THDC UTTHAN it is working for holistic development of around 60 remote villages on long term basis since 2009. Several rural interventions have been done in many villages in the domains of cleanliness, safe drinking water, building infrastructure, improving agriculture productivity and community led developments.

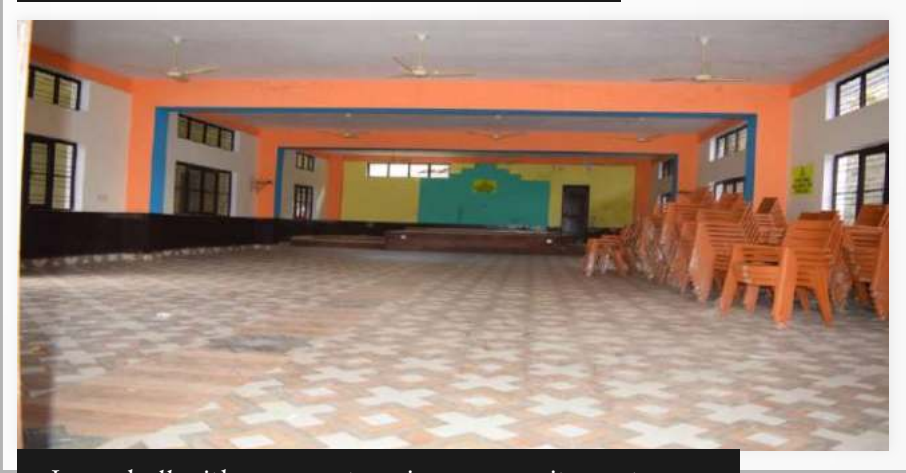
The glimpses of the projects THDC was involved in last year along with the result are explained further.

<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Major Initiatives under THDC-Daksh in year 2019-20</i>
01.	<i>Construction of Community Center, Jakhni</i>
02.	<i>Cleaning Work, Rishikesh</i>
03.	<i>Hopper Dumper Tipper, Satpuli, Pipalkoti and Rishikesh</i>
04.	<i>Multipurpose Tin Shed, Deval</i>
05.	<i>Truck Mounted Water Tanker, New Tehri (T.G.)</i>
06.	<i>Agriculture & Horticulture Activities, Gujrada</i>
07.	<i>Construction of Damaged Road, Chinyalisaur</i>

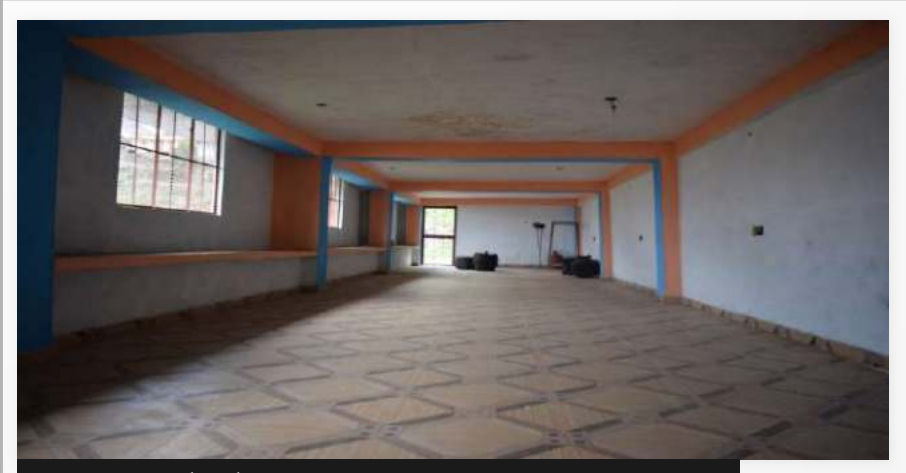
Construction of Community Center, Jakhni, Pratapnagar



Outer structure of community center



Large hall with proper stage in community center



Maximum kitchen space in community center

Project - 10



Project Name

Construction Of Community Center



Location

Village Jakhni, Block-Pratapnagar, Tehri Garhwal



Cost

56.85Lacs



Objective

To develop a Center to meet the needs of Villagers



Beneficiary

Villagers of jakhni

Background

The primary purpose of any community center is to establish a place, structure or other facilities where people from a particular neighborhood or members of a community can meet for social events, religious, fraternal, social welfare, cultural and recreational activities and other purposes. Community center provides wide range of development and tries to meet the social, cultural and recreational needs of the people at local level

Social Impact

- Construction of community center at the village level has helped people to meet their basic social & cultural needs at one place.
- Enhancing the community sentiments and bond via gathering during various activities
- Provide facilities with minimum cost within surrounding.
- Provide a place for conducting meetings related to community development programs.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

As per the ground observation, CSR project has complied with overall development through the construction of community center and addressed the needs of the people in an appropriate manner. The construction of the community center at Jakhni village was seen quite relevant in fulfilling their social, cultural and recreational needs at local level.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Objectives of the CSR project of construction of community center were achieved effectively in order to meet out the needs and problems of the people. As per the observation, the quality (physical) of the community center was found quite satisfactory in order to fulfill their needs at village level.

Major Facilities of Community Center at Jakhni Village:

Large Hall: In the community center, large hall was provided which had the capacity of covering more than 500 people for different functions organized at village level.

Main Stage: Community center has also constructed main stage which provides a space for guest of honor of the function and to address the audience.

Kitchen Space: Community center has also provided maximum kitchen space for different functions such as marriage, large gathering, community meetings and religious practices.

Sanitation facilities: Community center has also provided toilet facilities so that a proper sanitation is maintained during the different functions being organized over there.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The Implementing agency has designed and constructed community center as per the objective or scope of the project with appropriate budget, spending 56.85 lacs for the project and utilized funds appropriately. Implementing agency has completed the construction of the center within the given time period of the project.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

There are around 50 families living in Jakhni village. Before this project, there wasn't any community center in the village where they could celebrate their social, cultural, religious etc. activities. But after completion of this project, community center was handed over to the villagers and now they always perform all their activities in the community center.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Village Jakhni is situated in remote area of Pratapnagar. The provisions of community center at village level enhance the quality of life of villagers and prepare them to maintain the positive effects of the project on long term basis. Villagers are now performing all their activities such as marriage, political gathering etc. in community center and it is maintained by maintenance committee of the village.

COVERAGE

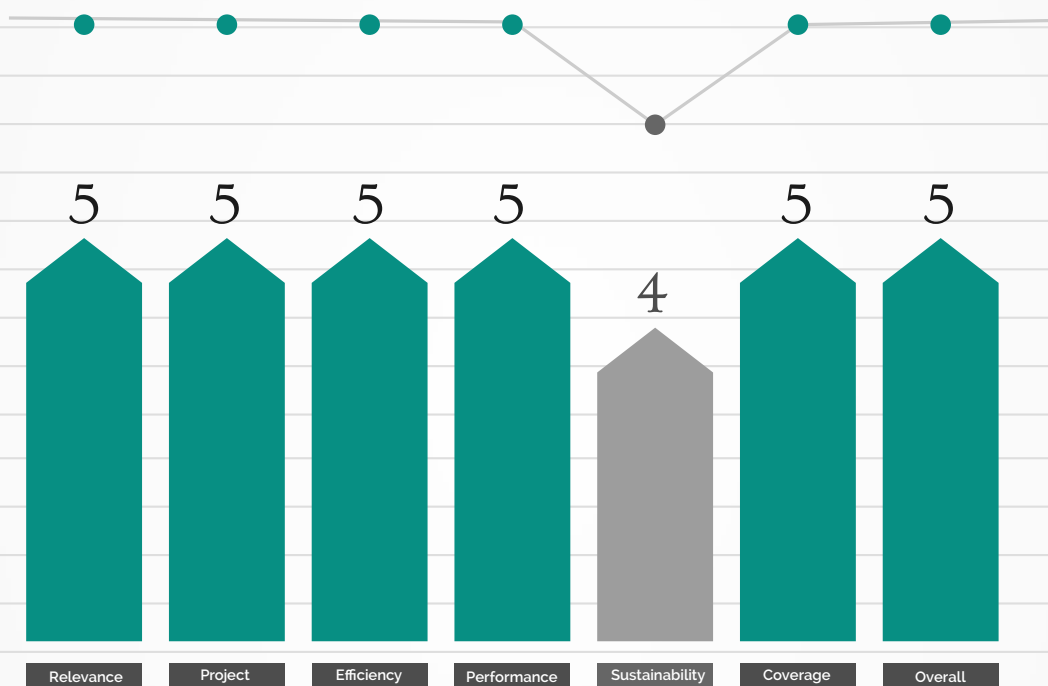
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The program was completed within given time frame and was completed by the external agency. Villagers agreed that it was needed in their village for a long time and THDC fulfilled their demand through this project. Villagers used this community center in carrying out every activity and program of the village.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

It was observed that community centre fulfils the requirement of villagers such as wedding ceremonies, cultural activities, social events, political discussion on community development programme etc. The overall rating of the project was found excellent which means project has achieved its objectives & fulfil the needs of villagers.

Suggestion

- Maintenance committee should be formed for the maintenance of the community centre at the village level.
- Sponsored agency should monitor the community centre in pursuit of the utilization and maintenance by the villagers.
- The sponsored agency should prepare the program planning while collaborating with the villagers so that they can easily understand the program outline and improve it further.

Success Stories

Case-01

Villager Jaiprakash, who oversees the community building, said that now all our activities like marriage ceremony, cultural program, customs, debate on community issues and work related to rural development are done in the community building itself. This community center has helped the villagers to conduct all their important programs at one center resulting in reduction of cost to be paid at different places.

Case-02

The village head told that the community hall built by SEWA-THDC is important for village development, so that the rural people can get the facility to carry out their various activities in the village itself. Village head stated that during the marriage ceremony, the groom side will pay 5,100/- and the bride side will pay 2,100/- as the maintenance/facility charges to be used for carrying out the various functions of marriage ceremony.

Cleaning work at Indrapuram, Nehrugram, Pragativihar, Rishikesh



Source: File photo (Garbage condition before intervention)



Hygiene condition after the intervention



Interaction of assessment team with locals



Project Name

Cleaning work at Indrapuram, Nehrugram, Pragativihar in Rishikesh



Location

Indrapuram, Nehrugram and Pragativihar of Rishikesh, Tehri Garhwal



Cost

6.99 Lacs



Objective

To clean the drain, Road and Dump all the collected garbage at designated place



Beneficiary

Community members of above location of Rishikesh

Background

Sanitation and neatness is considered to be the important part of everyone's life and it should be maintained on the daily basis. It is important as it results in the prevention of communicable disease like Dengue, Typhoid, Hepatitis, Plague and other related diseases. The importance of the cleanliness drive has also been focused by the "Swachh Bharat Abhiyan" of the government which raised the awareness related to the clean environment, health and hygiene. This project has proven to be beneficial in accomplishing the objectives set by Swachh Bharat Abhiyan.

Social Impact

- Cleanliness gives rise to good character by keeping the body, mind and soul clean as well as peaceful.
- It helps in maintaining the environment and natural resources.
- Effective cleanliness should be a part of life style to create a healthier indoor environment by complete elimination of the contaminants that can make the people sick.
- Proper methods of cleanliness should be employed for the safety of the people.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The said project has proven very important as the cleaning is one of the basic needs of the society which prevents us from numerous kinds of diseases. SEWA-THDC has done a tremendous work by providing the prescribed city, people with this kind of facility and this has improved the health conditions of the people over there.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The said project has changed the outlook of the people, now the people over there are more aware of having a clean surrounding. Earlier the case wasn't same as people used to throw their waste in the outer area but with the implementation of the project they have changed their way of behaving. The work done by SEWA-THDC has been quite effective in improving the lifestyle of the people over there.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The designed project of SEWA-THDC has achieved the goal set by them. The organisation has successfully completed the work in the given timeframe with minimum cost. Having a clean environment means having a longer life. The people over there are happy with the work done as their health moved towards the upward inclination, being a good sign for the happy life.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

In the earlier time, people used to throw their waste in one dustbin which wasn't sufficient for the whole area but the project started the cleanliness drive and dumping of the waste material made people breath clean air which is very important for the healthy body. The people were very disappointed in the past but after this project, their stress related to this issue was resolved to a large extent.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Cleaning drive has been most important part of our society. Thus, looking into the importance of the project it is estimated that the need of this project would be increasing in the near future as clean environment is the need of every time. People are now themselves doing some work on their own level as well as via taking help from the Nagar Palika, Rishikesh.

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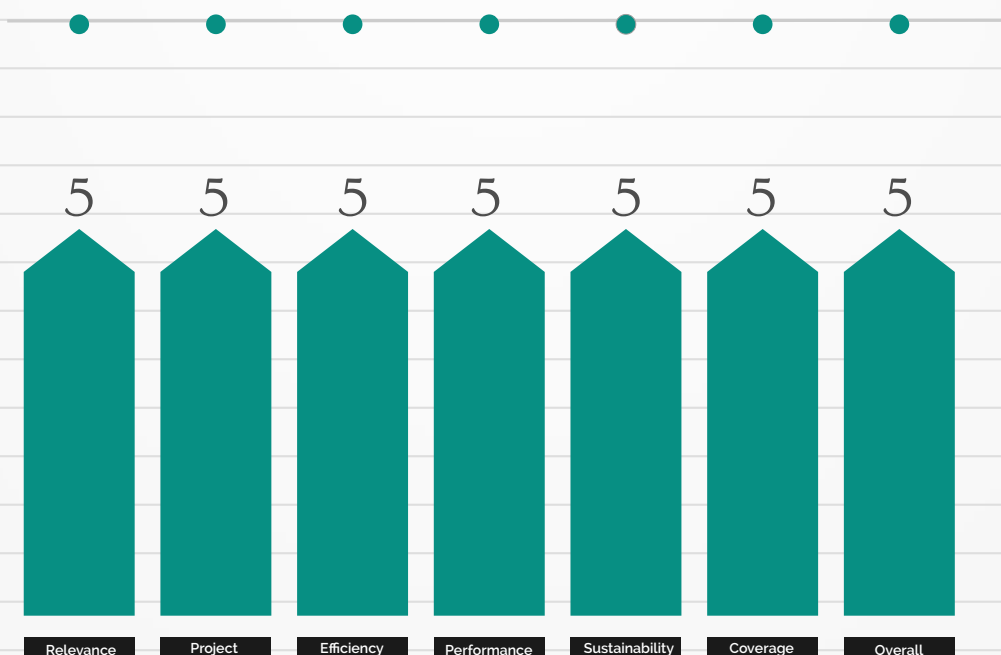
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

These kind of projects are very much needed at the said places because the waste material used to be there lying which led to the increase in various forms of diseases. The areas near the Pragati Vihar, Inrapuram and Nehrugram have taken the advantage of this above intervention in appropriate and effective manner.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall

Remark

It was observed by the assessment team that overall performance of the project was found excellent and project has achieved its objectives appropriately and timely. Intervention of this project has significantly impact on health and hygiene in the projected areas.

Suggestion

- The sustainability of the project should be maintained as such kind of work is needed in every sphere.
- An awareness related to health and hygiene should also be undertaken.

Success

Stories

Case-01

Predeep Kumar (Name Changed), a resident of Indrapuram, Rishikesh is running his shop in lane number 03. He has shared that earlier there was garbage and waste material lying in road side of Indirapuram. All the plastic polythene and bags were scattered everywhere in this area and people used to throw their household garbage here too. Due to that there was foul smell everywhere and it became difficult to walk over here. After the initiative by SEWA-THDC for cleaning work in Indirapuram and nearby areas all the garbage was picked up from there and it was shifted in the garbage dumping zone outside of the city. Now this area became quite hygienic and clean as well as people became aware about the positive practicing of health and hygiene. Now, they used to throw their household garbage in proper place or in Nagar Palika cleaning van.

Hopper Dumper Tipper for Nagar Panchayat of Pipalkoti, Satpuli & Rishikesh



Hopper dumper tipper at Nagar Panchayar, Satpuli, Pauri Garhwal



Hopper dumper tipper at Nagar Panchayat, Pipalkoti



High density market of Satpuli, Pauri Garhwal



Project Name

Hopper Dumper Tipper for Nagar Panchayat



Location

Nagar Panchayat Pipalkoti (Chamoli) & Nagar Panchayat Satpuli (PauriGarhwal) & Rishikesh



Cost

14.25 Lacs



Objective

To procure and handover the Tippers to Nagar Panchayat for collecting the garbage



Beneficiary

Approx. 30,000 people of Nagar Panchayat of three said areas

Background

Dumper Tipper also known as Dumping truck, dump lorry is used in the purpose of transporting materials such as dirt, gravel as well as some other waste material. It was thought that the tipper was earlier used in the farms in the late 19th century in the Western Europe. Removal of garbage from the said areas is very necessary for the maintenance of good health at that place. These tippers are proving to be very helpful in achieving this objective. Maintaining hygiene by the collecting garbage from Nagar Panchayat with the help of tipper and also focusing on fulfilling the objectives and mission of "Swachh Bharat Abhiyan".

Social Impact

It is well-known fact that nothing is more important than health and hygiene. The present-day pandemic has made us more aware regarding the hygiene maintenance. The waste material of the village was earlier laying there only leading to the pollution and creation of diseases in the areas but the tippers were used to remove the waste materials as well as garbage, recycling was also done which resulted in cleaning the environment and promotion of the hygienic facilities in the said areas.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The garbage collector tipper is very important in an area because the garbage is prone to attract the diseases and because of this it becomes an essential need that a garbage collector should be used in every area for keeping the surroundings as well as the environment clean. This tipper facility has helped the target group to survive in a clean as well as healthy environment.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The tipper facility was started in the said area for the purpose of garbage collection and dumping that in some area where it can be recycled or restored or used for making the fertilizer for the farmers. The project has achieved the said target and the target group has been benefitted a lot out of this project. The project has completed the agenda of "Swacchh Bharat Abhiyan" in that particular area. All the garbage are being collected in dust bins and Tipper collecting garbage from place to place and disposed in dumping sites.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The project has proven to have achieved its objective in an appropriate manner as well as in the given time frame using fewer funds. The efficiency of the said project is quite high because the target group became more aware about the hygiene and is now facing fewer diseases which were the result of garbage dumping at one place. The garbage dumping should be done away from the residential area so that the people over there don't get contracted with the local diseases.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The longevity of the life would depend on having the clean surroundings and charity begins at home. Starting from the target group this project has enhanced the capability of the people in the said area by making them more aware about the need to have the clean surroundings. Having clean surrounding results in having a clean environment which in turn results in having an improved quality of life.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The project is of high importance and would have more positive results in the near future. These kinds of projects are needed in the said areas as well as the areas nearby it. People over that area were happy with the effort of SEWA-THDC that was taken for their benefit. The target groups have become quite aware about the need of dumping the garbage at some places as well as became aware of the need of tippers for the collection of the garbage. Nagar Panchayat takes charges minimum charges from the users for the garbage collection from door to door which ensure the maintenance and sustainability of the project.

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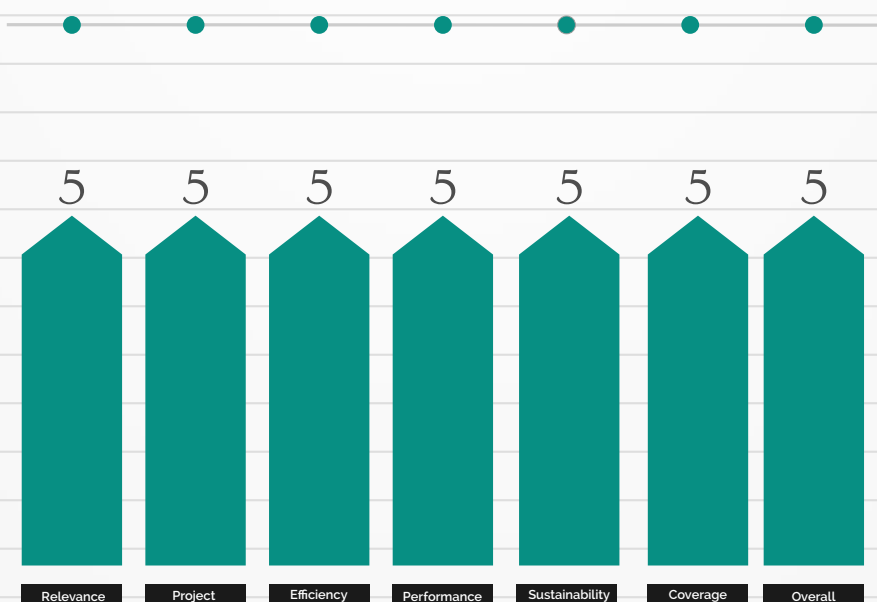
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The project is very much needed as it covers the area prescribed as well as the nearby area to help the target group live in the clean surroundings. The services of this project are needed for the hygiene development of the target group and it is the said group which has taken full advantage of the project. Such kinds of projects should be used in other areas as well because it is important for the people to know the importance of having and living in a safe and clean surroundings.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall

Remark

It is important for the development of the area that the environment and the surrounding should be hygienic. Providing a dumper and tipper facility has proven to be of great use for the target group. Thus, the overall assessment of the project was found to be excellent and quite needful in the said area.

Suggestion

- These kinds of the project should be started in the nearby areas of the prescribed or targeted area to maintain the healthy environment.
- The village people be made aware of using the waste material to make fertilizers so that their production would be increased and the garbage which can be used for making fertilizer, can be decomposed in a much better manner.

Success

Stories

Case-01

Ravinder, a resident of Satpuli stated that they were quite frustrated with the disposal of the garbage as well as the other waste material of the household at the side corner of the street. The street dogs used to shatter the waste everywhere in the streets which resulted in bad environment, bad odor in the area. The odor used to spread to the nearby places as well. At times of rain, the waste material used to be washed off to the houses of the people which created problems for them. They area wasn't having service of waste collecting and dumping somewhere far from the residential area. The dumper truck launched by the THDC helped the villagers to get rid off this problem. The the dumper truck comes early in the morning to collect the waste of each house and dump that at some far away place. The people of the area are very satisfied with this facility which helps in keeping their surroundings clean leading to a clean environment.

Case-02

Anjali, age-23 years, a resident of Pipalkoti told that the dipper facility was much needed in the village as earlier the women and the girls in the village used to face issues in disposing of the menstrual waste. The other waste of the house used to be dumped in the corner of the street which was disturbed by the street dogs but the menstrual waste couldn't be just kept there as it has a very bad smell if not picked after one day. It can cause health issues to the people inhaling the smell spread in the streets and even the male members of the area scolded them for this. This major issue was solved by the dumper truck as all the waste material was now taken by this truck and dumped at some place away from the area where people used to live.

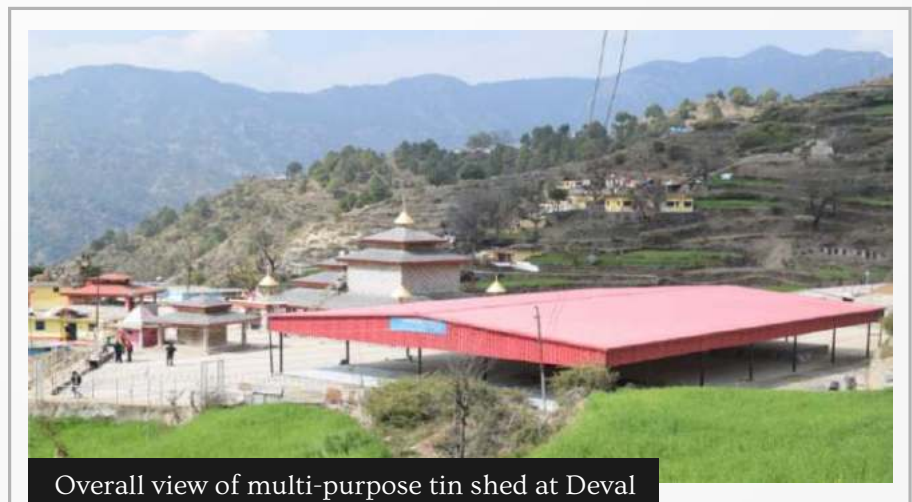
Construction of Multi-purpose Tin shed at village Deval, Pratapnagar



Multi-purpose Tin Shed by SEWA-THDC at village Deval, Pratapnagar



Structure of Multi-purpose Tin Shed



Overall view of multi-purpose tin shed at Deval



Project Name

Construction of multi-purpose Tin shed at village Deval



Location

Village Deval, Pratapnagar, Tehri Garhwal



Cost

23.66 Lacs



Objective

To Construct Multi-purpose Tin Shed for community development



Beneficiary

People of more than 15 villages

Background

The multi-purpose tin shed is used by the people as the community centre being the important hubs that provided people an opportunity to socialise, learn and access key services. People use these multi-purpose tin shed for the purpose of carrying of various activities like group activities, social support, public information and some of the other purposes. This tin shed helps them to carry out activities in a group which strengthens the social bond, social interaction, volunteerism in the people over the said area.

Social Impact

This tin shed is used for:

- Celebrations, public meetings of the citizens on various issues.
- Volunteer activities & Social gatherings.
- Organising cultural events, religious functions, fairs & festivals, wedding ceremonies.
- Organising local non-governmental activities.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

This project has proved to be of great relevance as such kind of the service was quite needed in the said areas as people used to face problems regarding the organization of various fairs, festivals, ceremonies etc. The people of the targeted area are happy with THDC that such kind of service has been provided to them which has resolved their issue of having community center for the organization of ceremonies.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Rural people are in need of having interaction with the related people which makes them remain active in that place. This type of the community center has proved to be effective for them as they gather there and carry on the meetings, have interaction with different people of the village, enjoy different festivals and cherish each and every gathering over there.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The objectives of the said project were achieved in good and planned manner that too in the given time frame. People utilize this multi-purpose tin shed in carrying out different activities. Early month, almost there are gatherings being organized related to religious functions, social gatherings, festival gatherings, meetings of the people without any charges. This has facilitated to use of multi-purpose tin shed in a better way.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The said project of THDC has a powerful as well as positive impact on the lives of the people in the target area. The problems which the village people had earlier when they weren't having any community center as such in which they could carry on their activities, was resolved by the use of this project. The people have cherished and enjoyed all the festivals to its fullest extent because of this multi-purpose tin shed.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Such kind of the projects, are of great use even in the upcoming future. The village people have very less or shortage of land space to organize big gatherings in any kind of functions at their homes and village. Thus, this multi-purpose tin shed provides them with help in resolving of this issue. The project has proven to show the positive impacts on the targeted people.

COVERAGE

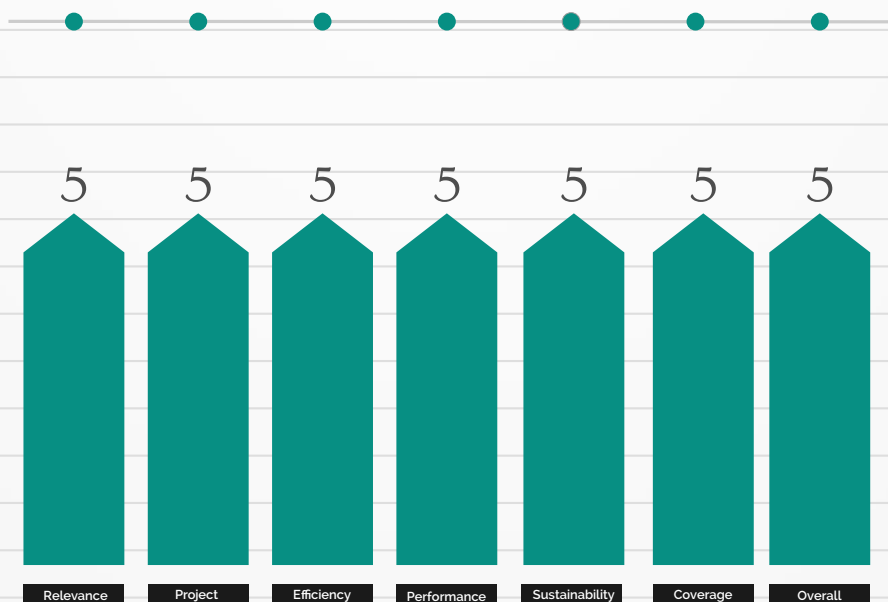
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

This said project was started for the benefit of the village people and its benefits have been received by the same village people. These kinds of projects are of great importance and should be carried on for long so that people never face any kind of issue in carrying out festivals or organizing any type of gatherings. This has been cost effective for them as well as the services are free of cost.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Overall performance of the said project was found to be excellent. The beneficiaries have taken full advantage of the project for which it was started. Maintenance of the multi-purpose tin shed was handled by the temple committee and they have done praise worthy work by handling in an efficient manner.

Success Stories

Case-01

Ramesh Prasad, a resident of Deval stated that every year in the month of March & July in this area fair is organized to worship Lord Shiva in Oneshwar temple with great enthusiasm and zeal. The villagers had asked the state for giving some of the space where the fair, religious and cultural practice can be organized in a smooth as well as cheerful manner. Although the voice of the villagers wasn't heard by the state but SEWA-THDC constructed a multipurpose tin shed in Deval village and land was provided by villagers. This tin shed provided the villagers an easy approach to celebrate any kind of religious, cultural, festivals as well as fairs in the manner which they want. The villagers were seemed happy and satisfied with the work done by the THDC.

Truck mounted water tanker for Uttarakhand Jal Sansthan, New Tehri



Mounted Water Tanker with 5,000 liters capacity



Assessment team inspecting water tanker



Project Name

Truck mounted water tanker for Uttarakhand Jal Sansthanl



Location

New Tehri & nearby areas, Tehri Garhwal



Cost

11.89 Lacs



Objective

To procure and provide water tanker with TATA LTPT 709 to Uttarakhand Jal sansthan, Tehri for water supply



Beneficiary

Approx. 15,000 people of said area

Background

Water supply service means the provision of water to the users upon processing and purifying the natural water. It includes all the services which would include provision for water intended for human consumption, provide storage, measurement, treatment or distribution of surface water, ground water or water supplied by Irish water, wastewater collection, storage, measurement, treatment and disposal. Water is very essential for the individual to survive. Every cell, tissue, organ in the body of an individual needs water to work properly.

Social Impact

Water tanker helps in fulfilling the need of water requirements of the people in the said areas at the time emergency. Water is one of the essential needs of the people and tanker helps in giving the people facility of safe drinking water. This facility has side-lined the earlier problem of shortage of water supply being faced by the people of the said area at that time.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Water is one of the essential basic needs of the society as we need water for doing each and every instance of our lives. The hilly areas have seen water scarcity and this is the reason why this project is highly needed for fulfilling the requirement of water in those areas. Safe drinking water, washing, bathing, cleaning, etc. need to be done on regular basis & this project has helped the target group to fulfill these needs.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Although the project fulfilled the need of water requirement but the requirement of the target group was that of 04 tankers but they were provided only 01 tanker with 5000 liters capacity due to which the target group faced some of the issues related to water scarcity. It was stated that SEWA-THDC should provide the target group with the required amount of water tankers in order to overcome their need of water.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The tanker which was provided by SEWA-THDC was capable of covering the needs of water of the New Tehri areas but the nearby areas of the target group were facing the issues. The target group has many times written to SEWA-THDC about providing of water tanker but no action was taken in this regard. As per the statement of the officials, the target group has stated that they are in need of 04 water tanker to fulfill their water requirement in an efficient manner in this particular area.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The structure of the water tanker isn't as per the suitability of the hilly areas as the water tanker is little bit tilted and there were chances of being stuck at some places and the drivers also refused to drive the tanker in the hilly areas. The target group had written to SEWA-THDC regarding this and then they had designed the structure of water tanker as per the need of the people in hilly areas. However, that one tanker fulfilled their need in a great manner.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Jal Sansthan has modified water tanked which was provided by SEWA-THDC as per the requirement to carrying in hill areas. Now they are using this water tanker within New Tehri town on daily basis and even nearby areas when needed. The needs of the people are being fulfilled by the use of this water tanker and the tanker makes 2 rounds per day to take water from one place to another. Such kinds of project are of great importance and are needed in the future as well. The target group stated that the project had a lot of positive effects on the lives of the people over there and they were happy that such kind of service is being provided to them especially when they face water crisis in their areas.

Sustainability of this intervention depends upon the maintenance and utilization of water tanker which was observed not so good during the assessment.

COVERAGE

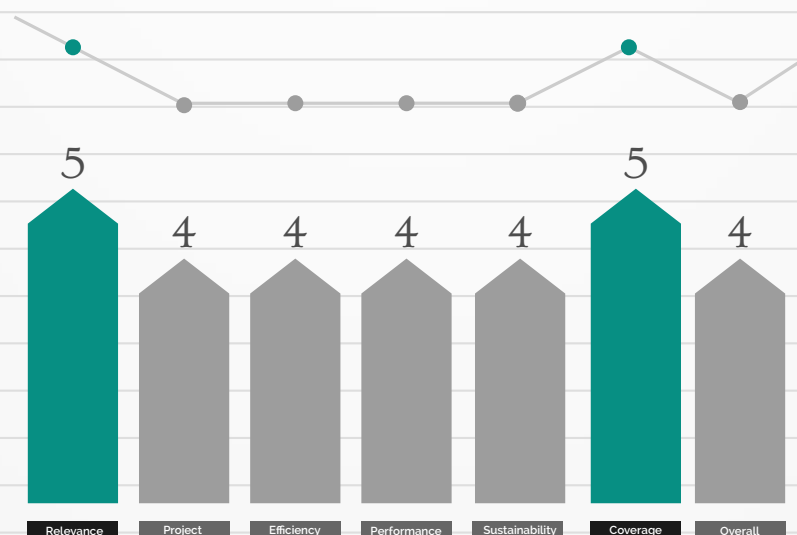
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The project was designed for fulfilling the need of water in the hilly areas and the target group has taken full advantage of the project. Water service is something which is highly essential for our survival & the target group is satisfied that someone has looked upon the need of the village people and even tried to do something for their betterment.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Water needs of the hilly areas to be procured in a good way so that they don't feel being cut from the mainstream society as the need of water service is same for the rural as well as the urban areas. The overall performance of the project was good as it has overcome the water scarcity problem of the target group in the particular area.

Suggestion

- The target group has the need of 04 water tankers but was provided only one which couldn't fulfill the needs of the people in the hilly areas in the efficient water. Thus, THDC should take some action in this matter and provide them with the required water tankers.
- Water tanker should be designed as per the condition and requirement of hill areas.
- Water tanker should be purchased by SEWA-THDC after negotiating with Jal Sansthan.

Success Stories

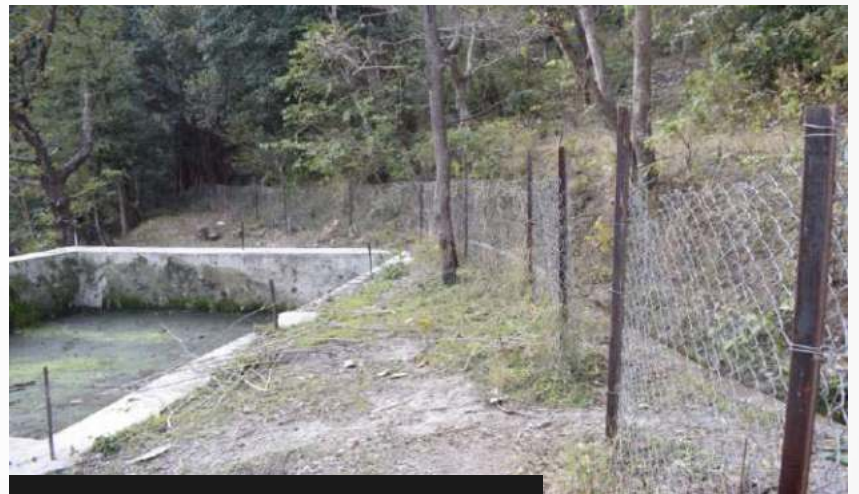
Case-01

An employee of Jal Sansthan said that in New Tehri town being the hilly area faces the water crisis especially in the months of April-June. The surroundings areas of the New Tehri also face the same problem and to supply water, the Jal Sansthan has to come 3-4 times for supplying the water to the areas. The Sansthan already had the crisis of supplying the water as they weren't having adequate number of tankers which can cover the areas. The water tankers provided by the SEWA-THDC proved to be of great help to the villagers because of which the water crisis in the said areas was lowered to a large extent. Although, the villagers do feel that there is need of more tankers in the area but still this much of number is also good. The villagers are quite happy with the facility and this has changed their life in a great manner.

Agriculture & Horticulture Activities as a Model Village, Gujrada



Irrigation tank with 38,520 liters capacity



02 KM fencing work for crop protection



Provide livestock and agriculture equipment



Project Name

Agriculture & Horticulture Activities as a Model Village, Gujrada



Location

Village Gujrada of Gram Panchayat Kodarna, Tehri Garhwa



Cost

7,33,000/-



Objective

To meet the agricultural and livelihood requirements of the villagers and develop a model village



Beneficiary

Approx. 35 households of Village Gujrada

Background

The literal meaning of Model or Adarsh is the design of an activity or situation which is considered an excellent example for replication and determines the positive aspects of any given situation by villagers as decision makers, partners and beneficiaries. The concept of Model village or Adarsh Gram is a sustainable community that is able to generate and maintain the resources necessary to improve its level as well as being by strengthening pillars of livelihood, agriculture, income generational activities at local level, infrastructure, Health & hygiene and different kinds of government and other services.

Social Impact

- With the help of Model village, increased awareness on health & hygiene habits.
- It provides social & civic engagement opportunities in community development.
- Influences personal and community behavior towards better health and environment.
- Contribute towards social empowerment by engaging all section of community for village development.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Model village can be considered as holistic approach of village development under “*Saansad Aadarsh Gram Yojana*”. The ideal village model is based on multidimensional aspects such as water issues, agricultural issues, gender and health issues etc. This project has focused the holistic approach of village development through the various activities such as livelihood opportunities; improve livestock management, proper land use and fencing work for crop protection.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Project has achieved its objectives and develop a model village with the help of various agricultural and livelihood promotional activities. It was observed that the interventions of the project have significant effect on the people in in order to enhance their productivity and income generational activities at local level.

The project was designed as a pilot project for village Gujrada in Tehri Garhwal. Major focus of this project was to develop as a model village to achieve the objectives of rural development such as livelihood promotional activities, improved farming and agriculture, scientific livestock management, crop protection, and ensure active participation of the local community in village development and so on.

Major Initiatives taken under the Project as a Model Village:

- **Fencing work for crop protection:** The implementing agency has significantly developed a 02 KM fencing wall around project area for crop protection from the wild animals. Because of this work it has enhanced the production of crops and improved the livelihood at local level.
- **Fruits Plantation in project area:** Under this project, villagers have received various types of fruits & plants which they have planted in their own land. But it was observed that most of the plants were either dead or surviving in critical conditions. Some villagers were taking care of these plants and these plants were growing in a positive manner.
- **Construction of LDPE Tank and Irrigation Tank:** In Gujrada, the implementing agency was constructed one 2 irrigation tank with 38,520 liters capacity and 2 TDPE tank with 13,000 liters capacity in project area which fulfill the irrigation requirement and demotic requirement of the villagers. After the construction of irrigation tank it has improved their livelihood production.

- ***Distribution of Goats to Farmers:*** To develop as a model village, SEWA-THDC with the help of implementing agency has distributed 75 goats (approx. 8-10 goats for selected families) to the farmers for livelihood promotion on 50% subsidy basis. It was observed that most of the families have enhanced their livestock as earlier they had only 8-10 goats but during visit there was approx. 15-20 goats where some of the families sold and earn around 15-20 thousands per goat.
- ***Distribution of different agriculture equipment:*** SEWA-THDC has distributed different types of equipment for the selected farmers to enhance the productivity and income. 05 sprinkle machines were distributed to selected 05 families, 07 Chaff Cutter Machine was distributed to selected families and 02 spray machines was distributed to the selected families at subsidized rate.
- ***Distribution of School materials:*** Under the CSR project of SEWA-THDC, school materials were provided to Government High School, Kodarna in which 03 computers, 03 RO and 06 dustbins were distributed.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Implementing agency has provided different kinds of activities through this project and achieved objectives of the project in appropriate manner. Distribution of goats at subsidized rate has increased their overall income while through the irrigation tanks it has enhanced the productivity of vegetables and crops which they sell in the nearest market and make good income from it.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Implementing agency has significantly performed in the project area in order to make them self-reient and enhance their capability in livelihood production and livestock management and make it as a source of income. It was observed that villagers of Gujrada were able to tackle their economic problem with the help of project interventions and they get benefit from it. Because of enhancing the income through different interventions, quality of life of villagers were also improved.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Project has achieved its long term goal and enhancing their capability continuously. Villagers received around 8-10 goats selected families but now it has increased up to 15-20 goats in each selected families and this population of goats will continue to grow. Earlier due to the scarcity of water and the damage created by the wild animals, they could produce very little crop (Pulses, rice and wheat). But now their production has doubled due to fencing wall and use of irrigation tank having more capacity.

COVERAGE

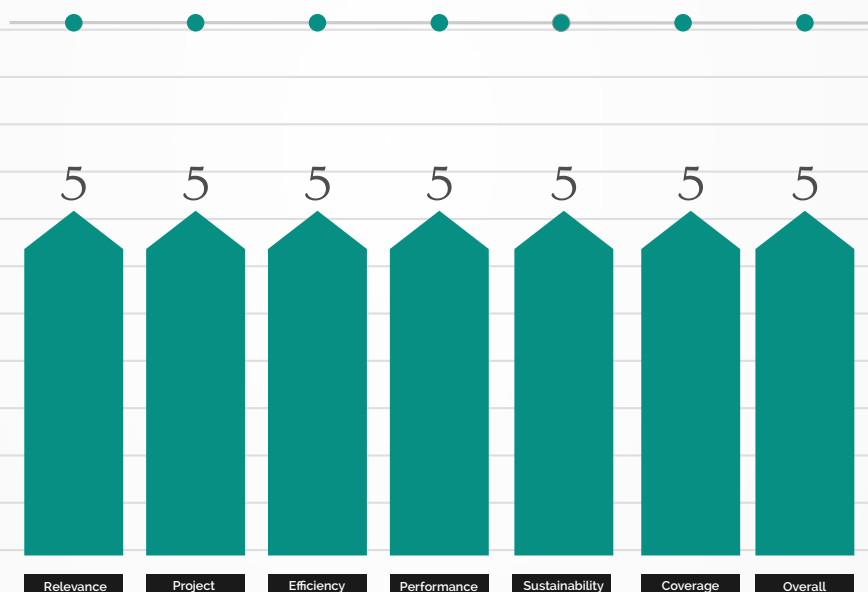
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

To develop a model village with optimum utilization of the local resources and enhance the capacity building of the villagers through such interventions are highly needed. The different interventions of the project which have been provided to the villagers of Gujrada have utilized this project in an appropriate and efficient manner to achieve the objectives of the project.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

It was observed that the overall performance of the project was found excellent which shows the significant impact of the project on the villagers of Gujrada. The interventions of the project have improved the quality of life through the income generational activities, livestock management, agricultural equipment and fencing for protection of crops and so on. The intervention of the project has tried to achieve the objectives of "Aadarsh Gram" initiated by the government at village level.

Suggestion

- It was suggested that these kinds of programmes should be implemented in the village area at large scale.
- Gujarada village has the high potentiality for the eco-tourism activities. Thus, a home-stay can be opened at this place which would help the people over there to earn more income via use of tourism sector.

Success Stories

Case-01

Satya Singh, villagers of Gujrada is a framer who is dependent upon agriculture for his earnings and whatever he used to produce was sufficient for feeding his family only, but sometimes his production was eaten up or disturbed by the wild animals over there which hampered his earnings as he had no control on this situation. After the intervention of the project, the implementing agency did fencing all around the village for the protection of crops from the wild animals. Now, the agricultural production of the said villager has been doubled as no turbulence is created by the animals and even he is able to sell some of his production in the markets leading to increase in his income. Apart from this he has received 8-10 goats from the project on subsidized rates and in totality he is having 15-20 goats, out of which he sold 2-3 goats earning a benefit of Rs.15-20K each.

Case-02

Santoshi Devi, villager of Gujrada has received 20 fruit plants & shaft chopper from the project. Now, she has 15 fruit plants alive while 5 damaged but these plants are very small as in the growing phase they will be receiving its benefit after some time when the plants will grow in a full-fledged way. She is using chopper machine for the fodder purpose which was given under CSR project of SEWA-THDC.

Restoration work of eroded road, Chinyalisaur



Constructed road wall in Chinyalisaur



River view from the constructed road



Road condition after the intervention



Project Name

Restoration work of eroded road, Chinyalisaur



Location

Near Community Hospital at Chinyalisaur



Cost

62,540/-



Objective

To construct damaged road



Beneficiary

People of Chinyalisaur

Background

A road is needed for movement from one place to another as an important form of infrastructure. As per the data of ministry of transportation, all cities and villages are well connected through an appropriate system of roads. A well constructed road provides all kinds of facilities such as easy accessibility to any place, providing accesses ability to important facilities like health care and other services. This project was designed to improve the transportation quality in project area which was damaged due to some natural calamity.

Social Impact

There are various positive significance of transportation and good quality road. All the economic and health development depends upon the quality of roads and transportation in that particular area. It enhances the education, health and other services useful for fulfilling the basic needs of the people. Effective and efficient road transport also leads to higher income and economic well-being of an individual.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Roads are considered to be the primary means of transportation and connection building factor needed to connect different places in any particular area. It improves the reach of humans to each & every place. Roadways are helpful in providing door to door services to customers. This project has also focused on the maintenance of eroded road nearby the hospital which will improve the access of health facilities in the hospital.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

People of the Chinyalisaur and nearby villages were facing difficulty in connectivity with hospital because most of the patients were not able to walk in that very bad area in which there always remained the danger of falling down. Intervention of this project has minimized the difficulty in connectivity with hospital and other places. The quality of construction work of eroded road was found good and satisfactory.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Due to the proper accessibility of road in hospital and surrounding areas people are now feeling safe in travelling over there which has resolved the issues being faced by the people regarding their travelling and other chores. Project has utilized its services and funds in an efficient manner with minimum cost of the construction within appropriate timeframe.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

It was observed that the project has tackled the said problems in project area and fulfilled the needs of people of Chinyalisaur. Project has also enhanced the capability of the people to reach out the hospital making the use of these roads which weren't there earlier. It has also improved the quality of life of the target population, by using the constructed road in project area.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The target population of project area are using constructed road which was damaged due to heavy floods in rainy season, for their daily needs to travel to different places. Intervention was able to maintain the positive effect in target population for long term and improved the condition of accessibility in the project area.

COVERAGE

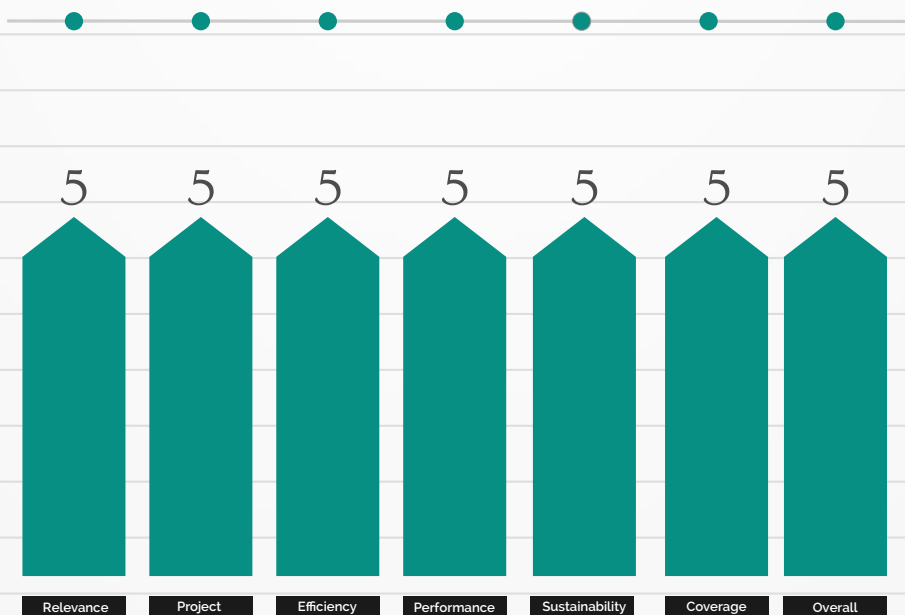
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Intervention has covered all the objectives of project which was needed for the betterment of community in that particular area. People of Chinyalisaur and its surrounding have received a significant impact of the intervention. It was observed that the intervention and cost of the project has been utilized in an appropriate manner which is quite important for target population.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Construction of eroded road in project area was actual need of the target population, through which they could travel to different places. It was also important because this road was connected with hospital due to which the people were facing problems. The overall performance of the project was found excellent and achieved the objectives of the project effectively as per the needs of people.

Suggestion

It was requested by the people of Chinyalisaur that a protection wall should be constructed from the riverside so that the possibility of damaging the wall can be reduced in future as the wall is adjacent to the river which is always prone to damage roads.

Success Stories

Case-01

Deewan Singh (Name changed), resident of Chinyalisaur stated that due to heavy rainfall and heavy flooding from the upper side, the wall on the side of the road also got washed away due to which half of the road was broken. Due to the breakdown of half the road, the movement of people and transportation was completely disrupted and there was always a danger of falling of wall because of which people going to the hospital had to face problems. But after the intervention of the project, this road was reconstructed timely, which facilitated the movement of people easily.

EDUCATION INITIATIVE under THDC-JAGRITI

Education is the most powerful weapon which can be used to change the world. Deep down every teacher knows the impact and importance of education. It isn't just about learning reading and writing at school. But it also means to gain knowledge and the skills needed to become a better person and create a better society to live in.

THDC under the branch of CSR initiative of SEWA-THDC have developed a profound understanding of the challenges as well as the needs in education across various places. It has invested in projects innovatively to apply their management expertise for greater goods. SEWA-THDC through its education society is dedicated to run two schools. Along with this it also caters the need of educational institutes by providing them equipment that makes accessibility of education for all.

Apart from societies and communities, SEWA-THDC has involved with individuals too. 09 candidates from Tehri were given help to enroll in ITI courses for their better future. Personal experiences of students and development through these projects is explained in detailed further.

<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Major Initiatives under THDC-Daksh in year 2019-20</i>
01.	<i>Diploma in ITI course for 09 candidates, Village Chopra (T.G.)</i>
02.	<i>Two Schools through THDC-Education Society (B.puram & Rishikesh)</i>
03.	<i>Omkaranand Modern Public School, Koteshwarpuram</i>
04.	<i>Equipment for Girls Hostel, Dehradun</i>

Diploma in ITI Course for 09 Candidates of Gram Chopra



Meeting With Principal of ITI, Chamba



Entry Gate of ITI, Chamba



Getting information about 09 candidates



Project Name

Diploma in ITI course for 09 candidates



Location

Gram Chopra (Jakhnidhar), Tehri Garhwal



Cost

6,52,500/-



Objective

Provide technical education to the youth of project affected areas for their sustainable employment



Beneficiary

Selected Youth from village of Chopra, Jakhnidhar

Background

Industrial Training Institution is a government training organisation responsible for providing high school students with industry-related education. ITI are the post-secondary schools in India constituted under Directorate General of Training, Ministry of Skill Development and Entrepreneurship with the objective of "Training imparted in institutions alone is not sufficient for acquisition of skills and needs to be supplemented by training in the actual work place". There are various trades being run under two categories (M-group and G-group) of ITI.

Social Impact

- It will enhance the skills about the different trades among youth.
- Enhancing the community sentiments and bond via gathering during various activities
- After getting diploma, they became self-reliant and entrepreneur.
- Providing technical education under this project improved the social life of candidates.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

ITI (Industrial Training Institute) focuses on skill development & entrepreneurship to train the students in various trades.

The ITI project helped the students to become self-reliant, empowered, developed. It has enhanced the students to increase their technical skills which are important in the present day world for the overall personality development of an individual.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

As per the telephonic conversation with the candidates, it was observed that the candidates were appeased with the work done by SEWA-THDC. This diploma course abetted the candidates to get employment opportunities in various sectors. Most of the beneficiaries were engaged in different sectors for employment such as motor mechanic, electrician and entrepreneurship.

Major Outcomes of the Industrial Training to the youth of PAA, Tehri:

Current status of the beneficiaries (information was collected telephonically)

S.N.	Name of the Beneficiary	Course trade	Current Status	Income
01.	Madhav Singh	Electrical	Working in Shivalic	Around 15,000/-
02.	Dinesh Singh	Electrical	Driver (own four wheeler)	Around 16,000/-
03.	Sanjay Prasad	Electrical	Working in Mother Land Project	Around 13,000/-
04.	Vikash	Electrical	Working in Hindustan Company	Around 16,000/-
05.	Mahesh	Electrical	Further study	-
06	Ravi Lal	Electrical	Self-business	Around 10,000/-
07	Rakesh Singh	Civil Draftsman	Preparation for SSC Exam	-
08	Naveen Singh	Electrical	Unemployed	-
09	Praveen Singh	Electrical	Number was not in use	-

As per the information given by the beneficiaries, most of the candidates have benefitted from this industrial training which has increased the income and employment among the youth of project affected areas.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The project has proved to be quite beneficial for the candidates as it conditioned them to make a place for themselves in the society using a minimum amount and leading to high results. SEWA-THDC has used the funds in the pertinent manner to make the candidates earn a better living for themselves as well as for their families.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The project has garnished the candidates to fulfill their dreams as this diploma course helped them to have a good job, have a small business, go for the further studies and even to reach the other related sectors. SEWA-THDC has enhanced the capability of the target group in an appropriate manner.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The intervention of the project has improved the effectiveness of performance of the candidates. Some of the beneficiaries were working in some other sectors which weren't related to the trade in which they had taken training. While, there were some candidates who were still struggling to get jobs and now they are preparing for the competitive exams which is quite different from their industrial training.

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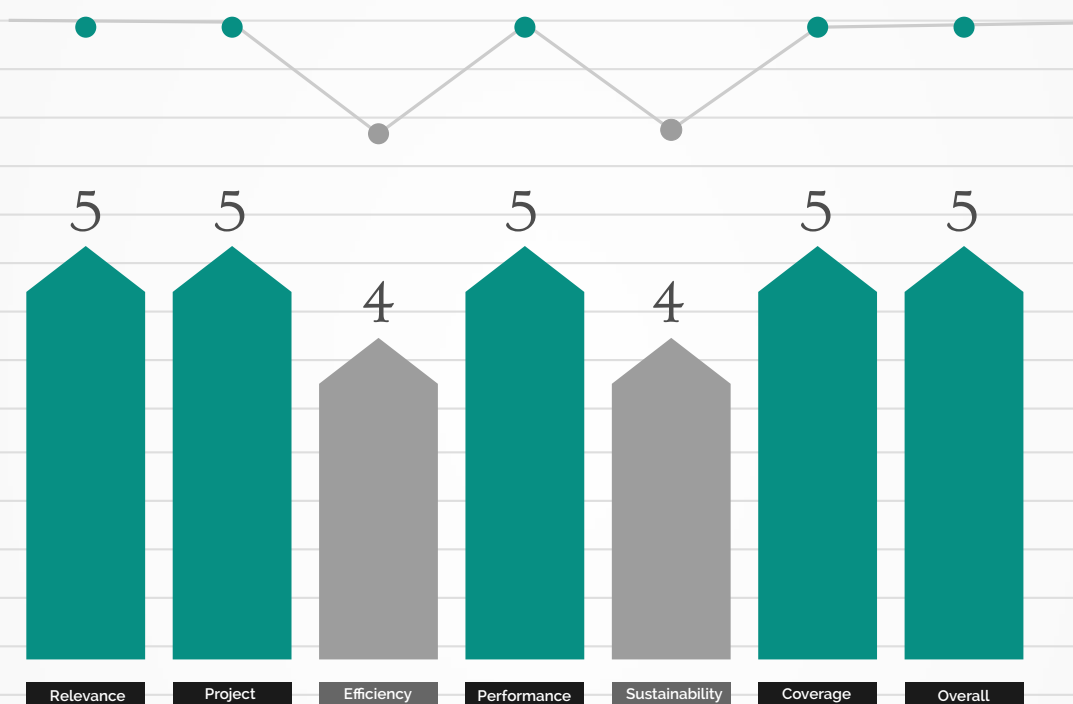
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

SEWA-THDC has provided financial help to those 09 candidates from the project affected areas which in turn has helped those candidates to develop in a better manner. SEWA-THDC has bore all the hostel fees, educational fees, mess fees of those candidates. The benefit of the interventions was received by the beneficiaries in an appropriate manner.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Education in ITI diploma enhances the technical skills and makes students self-employed. Overall rating of the project was observed as good, which means the project has achieved its objectives in an appropriate manner and makes the beneficiaries self-reliant and independent in different sectors.

Suggestion

It should be the responsibility of SEWA-THDC that the candidates should get job in that trade in which they have gained their earlier diploma as it has been witnessed that the candidates aren't getting job from the respective trades which makes them less stable in life as they don't get to know which sector will help them fetch a good job.

Success Stories

Case-01

As per the telephonic conversation with one candidate who has passed out in electrical trade from ITI, Chamba. He stated that before taking admission in ITI, he was very confused about his career and employment. But after taking admission in ITI with the financial help of SEWA-THDC he has completed this course and now he is working with Hindustan Company earning around 16k-17k salary per month. This financial help of SEWA-THDC has not only enhanced the employability but also developed the capability in the youth.

Case-02

One of the candidates discussed about his negative experience after getting ITI diploma from Chamba. After completed ITI diploma he tried to search for job in many companies but couldn't find suitable job or job fetching him good salary as per his expectations. He is still struggling to find a suitable job in same trade. At present he is preparing for SSC exam with the support of his family. He stated that there are no placement facilities provided by ITI or SEWA-THDC after doing the diploma in different trades.

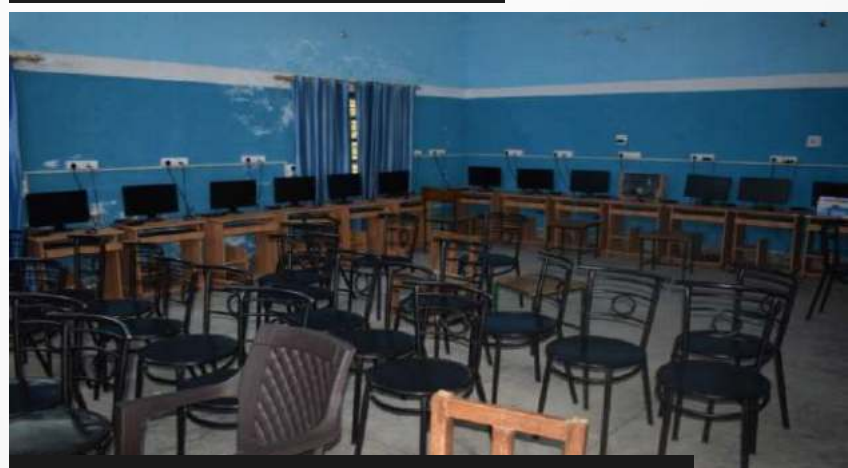
Running two schools through THDC Education Society



Entry gate of Intermediate College, B.puram



Interaction with students during visit



Basic facilities provided by school and SEWA-THDC



Project Name

Running two schools for the project affected families through THDC Education Society



Location

Bhagirathipuram & Rishikesh, Tehri Garhwal



Cost

4.65 Crore



Objective

To provide basic facilities like mid-day meal, stationary, dress etc at the nominal prices to the vulnerable children



Beneficiary

Children of project affected areas & Children of SC, ST, OBC & BPL

Background

"Education is the most powerful weapon which you can use to change the world"- Nelson Mandela. Education is regarded as the first step for gaining knowledge, improving the critical thinking power, empowerment creation as well as skill development which help an individual to be a better person to live in this world. The proper education will help the people improve their understanding of the world around them, making them less susceptible to the influence of others. An educated person better understands their purpose in society as well as knows very well their rights and duties to be fulfilled for the betterment of the society.

Social Impact

- Education styles the basis of all human behaviors in a society.
- Education is considered as the engine that helps in broadening the prospective of our wisdom with respect to other constraints.
- The behavior pattern of any society depends upon the literacy level of the individual.
- Education is important for the societies because they not only secure the lives with correct decisions but make us learn to deal with the situation in a logical way.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The School was established under the Tehri Dam Rehabilitation project in the initial phase of Tehri Dam project for the children of employees of Their Dam Project. Later on it was transferred to THDC Education Society. At present, SEWA-THDC proving financial helps to the school for the improvement of education standard for the students of class 6-12. Currently there are around 600 students studying in different classes.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Junior High schools of Rishikesh and Bhagirathipuram which is running by SEWA-THDC Education Society ensure to deliver quality education to the students nearby the villages in project affected areas. As per the school record there are around 630 (390 in Rishikesh school and 240 in Tehri school) students enrolled in current academic year.

Classroom Learning Assessment

Assessment team interacted with the students of class 6th and 8th to have the understanding of the subject and asked them some questions related to general knowledge. The responses to some questions from the students were summarized as :

- *Questions related to basic mathematics*
- *Questions related to Uttarakhand perspective*
- *Questions related to general knowledge*
- *Questions related to English*

Total 09 students participated from 6th class and 11 students from 8th class in this interactive session. Out of 09 students of 6th class, only 05 students responded positively on the above questions. While, Out of 11 students from 8th class, only 07 students responded positively on the above questions related to different subject. The score of the students in classroom learning assessment was found to be good but improvement is needed at every level.

Infrastructure Assessment

Assessment team visited the classrooms and observed that there were separate classrooms for each class but the condition of the classrooms was scary. Windows and doors were damaged and even some of the walls were broken. Library was in short of books and reading materials. Laboratory was well equipped.

School administration had reported to the higher authority regarding the shortage of classroom furniture as well as need of teachers in some subjects but the solution to this problem wasn't achieved till date.

Computer Lab Assessment

Assessment team also visited the computer lab of the school. It was observed that there were very less computer systems available as per the ratio of the students in the school. While some of the computers weren't working properly. Students from 6th to 10th had computer period in which they acquired the training regarding learning of the basic application of the computer.

Staff Assessment

As per the strength of the students and government norms regarding the teacher-student ratio, there were 12 permanent teachers and 01 contractual teacher but there is still exists shortage of teachers in some of the subjects. At present, there is a Principle that too is on-deputation.

Extra curricular activities assessment

As per the record and information given by the school administration, school celebrates every social, cultural, awareness events such as environment day, Independence & Republic day, Annual functions, drawing and speech competition.

Health and Hygiene Assessment

Assessment team observed that every student was in their school uniform and they had maintained proper hygiene. Toilet and drinking water condition wasn't good as per the health and hygiene standards.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Schools charged fees of rupees 50-150 per month from the students, which is nominal as compared to other private schools. Along with this, well qualified teachers were also appointed in the school. Despite of this, the performance of the students in most subjects showed average. Therefore, teaching staff should focus more on the performance of the students and achieve the objectives of project.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
04 (Good)

As per the assessment of the school and students, it was observed that learning outcome of the students was average due to the lack of positive efforts of teachers towards the improving learning quality among students. Higher authority should resolve the problems of school such as infrastructure, classroom furniture and shortage of teacher for improving learning outcome.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

Sustainability of the project is determined by the effective performance of concerned people. Management schools are facing high competition with the private schools in order to achieve better standards of education. It was observed that school failed to maintain or enhance the quality of education as compared to nearby private schools which will hamper the enrollment of students in near future.

COVERAGE

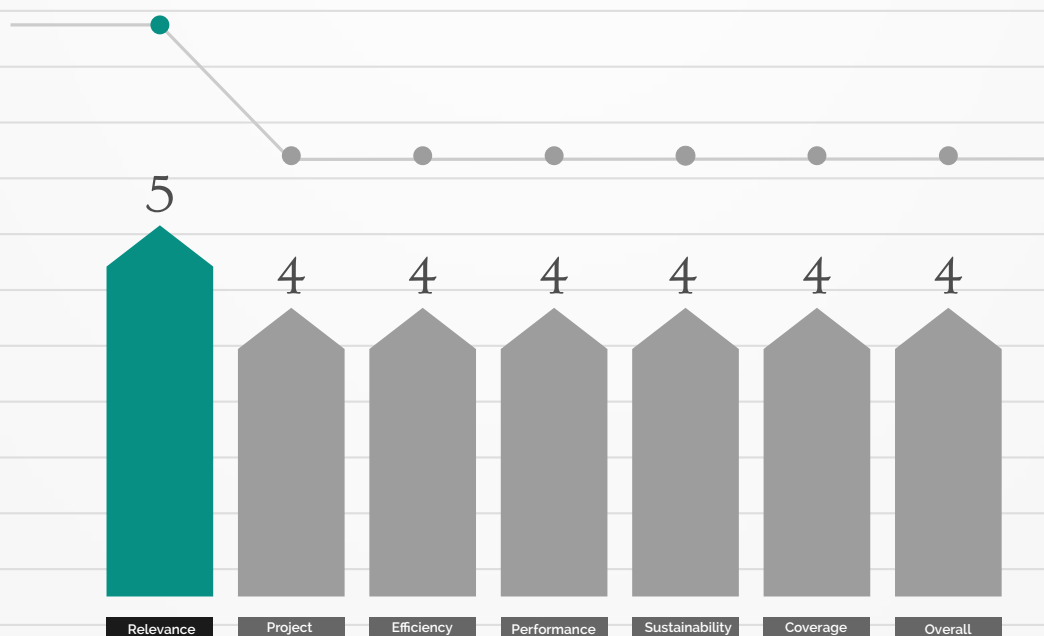
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The said project has covered the financial aid given to the school by SEWA-THDC Education Society regarding their basic requirement to provide quality education for the students of nearby villages. Most of the students come from marginalized background and they receive the project services such as books, clothes and other facilities.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Providing education to the children of marginalized section of the society will increase productivity among them and ensure a significant impact for improving the learning level of the students. Due to the COVID situation, offline mode of education has disturbed. Therefore, the school must ensure the online teaching & classroom learning effectively and design suitable assessment tools for the improvement of student's performance which will enhance the overall performance of the school as a whole.

Suggestion

- Infrastructure facilities should be improved and monitored frequently.
- Shortage of teachers in some particular subjects should be resolved.
- Performance of the students and effectiveness of teaching should be monitored by the authority.

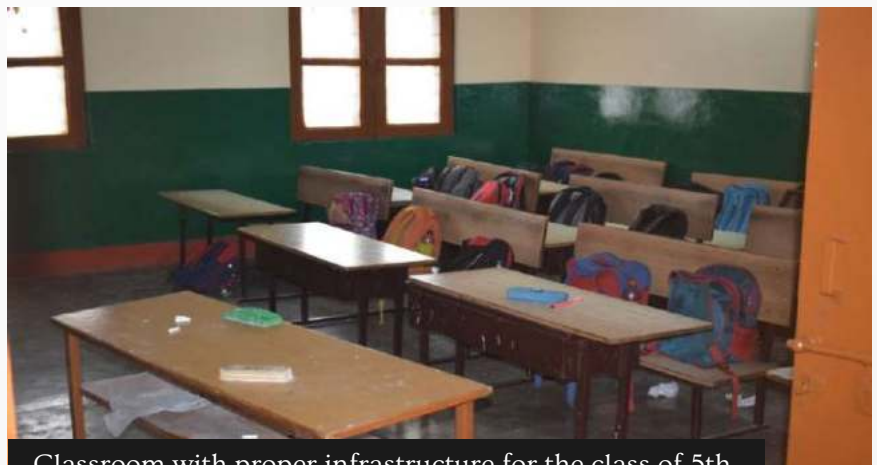
Running Swami Omkarananda Saraswati Public School, Koteshwarpuram



Morning Assembly in Omkarananda School



Bus service provided by SEWA-THDC



Classroom with proper infrastructure for the class of 5th



Project Name

Running Swami Omkarananda Saraswati Public School



Location

Koteshwarpuram, Tehri Garhwal



Cost

33.17 Lacs



Objective

To provide education, midday meal, dress, stationery etc. at nominal charges



Beneficiary

Children of nearby villages of Koteshwarpuram

Background

Education refers to the process of facilitating learning or also acquisition of Knowledge, skills, values, morals, beliefs, habits and personal development. The root word education has been taken from "Educare, Educere" which means to nourish or to bring up. The origin of education was the result of the transmission of cultural heritage from one generation to the next. In primitive times, education denotes to the process of "Enculturation" which refers to the process of cultural transmission.

Social Impact

- Education helps in the creation of more employment opportunities.
- Education results in securing a Higher Income.
- It helps in developing problem-solving skills.
- Education results in the improvement of the economy.
- It results in providing a prosperous and happy life.
- The society changes its outlook because of the education.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

As per the information by the principal of school, the school (English medium) was started here in 2014 as per the need of present day, because there were no school facilities nearby the Koteshwarpuram. School is providing quality education for the students from class 1st to 8th and takes nominal fees because most of the students come from poor economic background. Under this project some of the facilities like books, dresses and learning materials are provided to students free of cost.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Under the said project, the sponsored school has marked positive effects on the learning outcome of the students who come from poor economic background. School provides a significant environment to the students for learning and performing like other English medium schools. There is only one English medium school in that area where the enrollment is quite high but due to the COVID situation enrollment decreased in this academic year.

Classroom Learning Assessment

Assessment team interacted with the students of class 5th and 6th to have the understanding of the subject and asked questions related to some general knowledge. The responses to some questions from the students were summarized as:

- Questions related to basic mathematics
- Questions related to Uttarakhand perspective
- Questions related to general knowledge
- Questions related to English

Total 08 students participated from class 5th and 09 students participated from class 6th in this interactive session. Out of 08 students of 6th class, 05 students responded positively on the above questions. While, Out of 09 students from 8th class, 08 students responded positively on the above questions related to different subject. The score of the students in classroom learning assessment was found to be excellent which shows the significant impact of education & learning.

Infrastructure Assessment

Infrastructure of the school was set up as well as fully funded by the SEWA-THDC. The Assessment team observed that the condition of the classrooms was in good condition and each class has their separate classrooms assigned. The ventilation system was good in the classrooms. During the visit, Library was undergoing some repairing work. The furniture was in average condition. SEWA-THDC has provided 01 bus and 02 taxis for the transportation of the children.

Computer Lab Assessment

Assessment team also visited the computer lab of the school. It was observed that there were very less computer systems available as per the ratio of the students in the school. While some of the computers weren't working properly.

Staff Assessment

As per the strength of the students and government norms regarding the teacher-student ratio, all the teaching positions were filled.

Extra curricular activities assessment

As per the record and information given by the school administration, school celebrates every social, cultural, awareness events such as environment day, Independence & Republic day, Annual functions, drawing and speech competition.

Health and Hygiene Assessment

Assessment team observed that every student was in their school uniform and they had maintained proper hygiene. Toilet and drinking water condition was found to be average as per the health and hygiene standards.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

School administration charged nominal fees from the students especially from those who belonged to economically poor background. Because of this particular facility the poor children are coming to the school and receiving education which enhances their development. SEWA-THDC has properly used the funds as well as completed the work in the given timeframe. Enrollment ratio of the students remains high in the schools as the education system operates in a good manner.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

As this school is the only English-medium school in that particular area because of which most of the families send there children to this school for better education and their overall development. Via this project of SEWA-THDC, the needs of the school are achieved in an appropriate manner without creation of any disruption in the working system of the school. The school provides for the extra-curricular activities which improves the overall personality of the students.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

As the project has done its work in an efficient manner its sustainability has increased to a great extent. The target population has received the positive effects of the said project. These kinds of project would be having a fruitful future as it increases the education of the students which in turn would increase the development of the country at the larger end.

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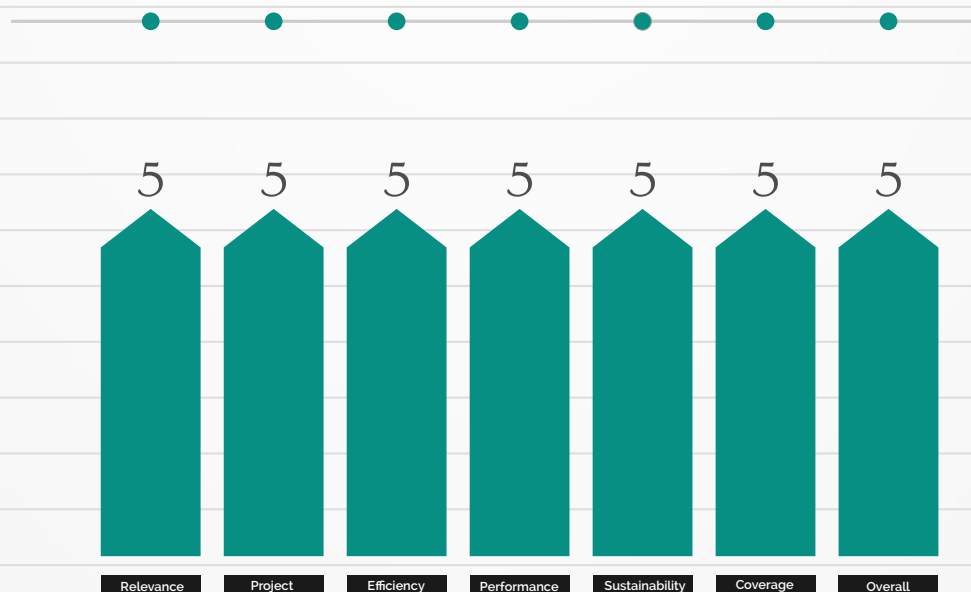
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Education is the prime need of an individual which promotes the overall development of the person. Implementation of such kind of projects is quite required in the remote areas as the children taking advantage of this school are from the economically poor background and these projects provides them a hope to do something good for themselves as well as for their family.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Education being one of the prime requirement needs to be accessed in a better manner. Overall performance of the school such as infrastructure, educational quality, play ground, sports activities, extra curriculum activities was found excellent.

Suggestion

THE ACHIEVEMENT OF THE SCHOOL

S. No.	NAME OF THE STUDENT	FATHERS NAME	ADMISSION TAKEN TO
1.	Kade Vaske	Sh. Dula Vaske	NV Pokhal, Tehri, Garhwal
2.	Gaurav Rawat	Sh. Shoorvir Singh	KV, New Tehri, Tehri Garhwal
3.	Mahima Sajwan	Sh. Dheeraj Pal Singh Sajwan	KV, New Tehri, Tehri Garhwal
4.	Gaurav Singh	Sh. Rajendra LaJNV,	NV Pokhal , Tehri Garhwal
5.	Ayush Chouhan	Sh. Sovan SinghJNV,	NV Pokhal , Tehri Garhwal
6.	Piyush Chouhan	Sh. Sovan Singh	
7.	Kumari Shivani	Sh. Vinod Chouhan	
8.	Kumari Shakshi Chouhan	Sh.Ummedh Chouhan	

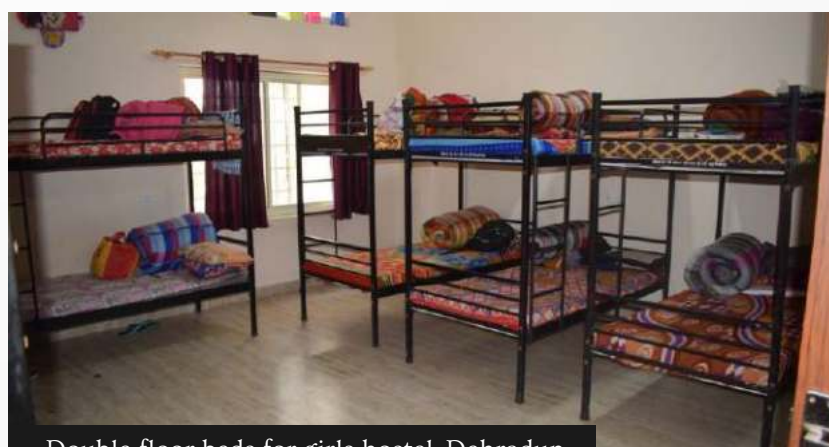
To provide equipment for Girls Hostel of Akhil Bharatiya Mahila Ashram, Dehradun



Entry Gate of Akhil Bhartiya Mahila Ashram, Dehradun



Beds facilities provided by SEWA-THDC



Double floor beds for girls hostel, Dehradun



Project Name

To provide equipment for girl's hostel of Akhil Bharatiya Mahila Ashram



Location

Girls Hostel, Dehradun



Cost

3,42,540/-



Objective

To Make the stay of girls better in hostel by providing new beds



Beneficiary

Female students in girls hostel

Background

Akhil Bhartiya Mahila Ashram was started in 1945 by Mrs Saraswati Soni with an aim of empowering girls through education and providing them environment that enables them towards nation building. From the date of establishment around 500 girls have benefitted from the ashram. The girls living in ashram have come from different rural areas to complete their studies. Along with stay the ashram also strives to provide basic necessities to the girls.

Social Impact

- Girls require more hygienic conditions as they suffer from various issues which need the more suitable conditions to lead life comfortably.
- Having clean beds is essential as cleaning is the basic requirement of a person to remain healthy especially when the girls are going through their menstrual cycles.
- Good bedding provided them comfort as they spent maximum of their time there only and having personal and clean made them feel having privacy in their lives which is quite important.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The beds were in bad condition with termites all over them, the mattresses weren't changed since 15 years. Girls were complaining about unhygienic conditions of beds regularly. SEWA-THDC's procurement and provision of new beds were relief for the girls. It also helped in renovating the old beds.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The staff and the girls were very satisfied with the quality of beds provided and they also appreciated the time bound service provided by THDC. Providing such kinds of services, project has achieved its objectives with good quality of work. The interventions of the project have positive effect on the target population.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The beds were procured and handed over to the ashram staff within time frame of their request. As soon as the beds were provided, they were brought in use because of their need. The mattresses were provided in equal number of beds.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

After talking to the girls it was found that they are using bed not only for sleeping but for late night studying as well. The new beds and the mattress have relieved them from the back pain which they had to bear earlier. The new beds met their demands to every extent.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The beds provided are made of iron frame along with the good quality plywood attached to it. This shows how rigid and strong the beds are and just with regular painting there quality can be maintained for longer duration.

COVERAGE

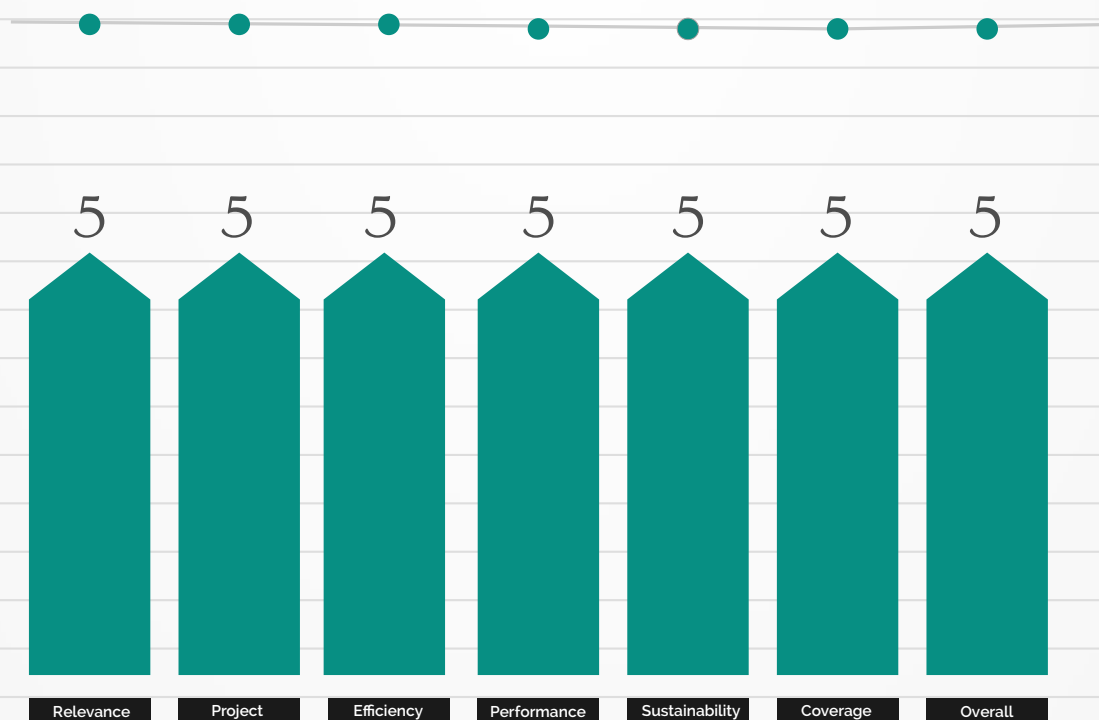
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Service of the project was very much utilized by all the girls staying in the hostel as well as it will continue to be utilized by further incomers in the future who choose to stay in the hostel.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

It was observed that the overall performance of the services given by the project found excellent and quality of the materials was quite satisfactory. The staffs as well as beneficiaries were delighted with the quality of bunker beds provided by SEWA-THDC.

Suggestion

The hostel staff was further interested in seeking the help of SEWA-THDC under the CSR initiative in constructing the boundary wall for the ashram which is prone to outsiders. From security perspective it is very much needed.

Success Stories

Case-01

Nikita (name changed) resident of Akhil Bhartiya Mahila Girls Hostel, Dehradun is living there since 2018 and she belongs to a very poor family from Vikash Nagar. She stated that earlier they had sharing beds with bad conditions because those were old and damaged. But after getting new beds from SEWA-THDC we are more comfortable with sharing beds. These beds are stronger and no odor comes from it. The mattresses were also changed and the new good quality mattresses were provided to them. They were feeling very good on those beds as well as the bedding. These beds were more comfortable for their study purpose as well.

SKILL DEVELOPMENT INITIATIVE under THDC-Daksh

Under THDC-Daksh programme, SEWA-THDC aims to promote and enhance rural livelihood opportunities of the rural people to earn more and live better lives. Through livelihood such as farming and non-farming activities will also enhance their income and generational capacity to make them more empower in sustain basis at local level.

Livelihoods of rural communities are primarily dependent on agriculture, livestock, non-farming and forest products. Livelihood development programmes aims to help improve the quality of life for marginalized people by providing them with access to livelihood opportunity and protection. Enabling people with skills and new technology has given a way to improve livelihoods of people.

Under the initiative of this project, the glimpses of the projects of SEWA-THDC were involved in last year along with the result are explained further.

S. No.	Major Initiatives under THDC-Daksh in year 2019-20
01.	<i>Integrated Livelihood Enhancement project, Bhilangna block</i>
02.	<i>Social & Environment Center, Jollyg</i>

Integrated Livelihood Enhancement Project (ILEP) for affected villages in Bhilangana Valley through VARDAAN



Interaction with VARDAAN staff about project, Pilkhi



Distribution flour mill to SHG in Pilkhi



Demonstration of Nursery at village Level



Project Name

Integrated Livelihood Enhancement Project (ILEP) for affected villages in Bhilangana Valley



Location

Paukhal, Koti, Syalkund, Devri, Pilkhi, Vanchuri, Indrola, Patalgi, Thapla, Baunr, Pipola, Silyara etc. in Bhilangana Valley



Cost

50.00 Lacs



Objective

To look into the enhancement of Livelihood in the said area



Beneficiary

More than 2000 households in Bhilangana Valley

Background

A person's livelihood refers to the means of securing the basic necessities like food, water, shelter and clothing of life. Livelihood can be defined as the combination of activities which are required in the day-to-day life over a period of time. For the existence of humans, livelihood is very important. In order for a population to survive there is a need for livelihoods that would sustain and support their households. The major sources of the livelihoods are financial resources, Human resources, Natural resources, Physical resources ,Political resources etc.

Social Impact

- Via livelihood the local people can enhance their income generational activities at the local level.
- It will improve the employment opportunities at local level.
- It will provide a place for villagers to promotes the local products in the market.
- With the help of livelihood, people will not be forced to go to the other areas for the purpose of earning resulting in the reduced migration.

Project: Livelihood Project, Bhilangana Valley

Sub-project Assessed

1. Formation of SHG Groups
2. Formation of Federation
3. Construction of Vermi Compost Pit
4. Construction of Polyhouses
5. Construction of LDPE Tank
6. Formation of Farm Machinery Bank
7. Construction of Rain Water Harvesting Tank
8. Procurement of Fruits and medicinal plants
9. Establishment of production collection center
10. Vocational training

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Livelihood means providing the people with basic necessities needed for the survival. The project has provided different sources to the target group through which they can increase their livelihood capabilities which would in turn help them earn a handful income. The target group was happy with the initiatives being taken for their development by this project and stated this was quite needed in that particular area.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The objectives of the project have been achieved to a large extent. A greater as well as the better source of livelihood has led to the increase of the efficiency of the people over the said area. The target group felt great as they were now able to fulfill the demands of the family in a more efficient manner. This project has proven to be very effective for the target group.

The project has focused on enhancing livelihood opportunities for the local community of 20 villages in Bhilangana Valley of district Tehri Garhwal. Under this project, various activities were organized by implementing agency such as promoting integrated farming, community mobilization, promoting sustainable agricultural growth, formation of SHGs in order to make them self-reliant and so on. The intervention of project has significant impact on the farmer's families as well as on community as a whole through the different activities and utilized the resources in their capacity building.

Major Achievement of the Project through the different activities

Formation of SHGs Group

Under the CSR initiative of SEWA-THDC, implementing agency has formed around 150 SHGs in 20 villages in Bhilangana and Jakhnidhar Block of Tehri Garhwal wherein 198 villages were selected from Bhilangana block and 02 villages were selected from Jakhnidhar block. It was observed that SHGs have significant impact on enhancing livelihood promotion through the production of local products and purchasing it through the SHGs in different areas.



Formation of Federation

In the two blocks of project area, 02 federation have been formed among 100 SHGs. Sewa Jaagriti Swaayatt Sahakarita Samiti was established in Pilkhi in Bhilangana block and another was established in Paukhal in Jakhnidhar Block of Tehri Garhwal. These federations are playing a significant role in the coordination and cooperation among the different 100 SHGs and giving a platform to sell their local products at one center. Apart from that, the major function of these federations is to make collection and packaging center. The raw materials are received from the different SHGs, manufactured and then packaging is done.



Construction of Vermi Compost Pit

Implementing agency has developed vermi compost pits in every village. It was observed that most of the vermi compost pits weren't working or being utilized properly. Although some of the families were using this fertilizer in organic farming but lot could have been done which went unused.

Soil Testing and Soil Health Card

Implementing agency has done soil testing in 20 villages of project affected areas of Tehri Dam to know the quality of the soil and enhance its quality for the better production. Apart from that, project has prepared soil testing card for 2000 farmers in project areas. It was observed that farmers have their own soil testing card, where they can test their soil in laboratory and get the information about the quality of soil, which crop will be beneficial on that soil, shortage of nutrients in the soil and more. Farmers are getting knowledge and awareness about soil and its importance to boost the livelihood activities.

Construction of Polyhouses

Under this project some of the families were selected for the construction of polyhouse in 20 villages of project areas. It was observed that people are using the polyhouses in developing nursery and growing off season vegetables which enhance their productivity and way of income generation activities at local level.



Farm Machinery (SHGs of 20 villages)

Under the CSR project of livelihood enhancement, Project has taken an initiative to establish and distribute 20 farm machinery banks to the SHGs of two blocks- Bhilangana and Jakhnidhar for modernizing farming and reducing farm drudgery in the village of project area where people were using this machinery in the agricultural field to enhance the income via production. Through this machinery, people are capable of saving their extra time in agricultural field in an efficient manner.



Construction of Rain Water Harvesting Tank

Project has constructed around 200 Roof Top Rain Water Harvesting Tank for individual families in selected villages of the project area. It was observed that the intervention of the project has enhanced the quality of life and minimized the problem of water crisis at local level. People were satisfied after using the intervention of the project and felt more empowered in livelihood

Establishment of Production Collection Center

Project has established adequate infrastructure for collection, storage, packaging and marketing of farm products. Two production collection centers in two block one in Bhilangana block and other in Jakhnidhar block. It provides a platform to the farmers as well as SHGs members to sell their local vegetables, cereals, pulses and many more products in these collection centers.



EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The objectives of the target group were achieved in an appropriate manner and in the available time frame. There was proper utilization of the funds which were allocated for the said project. This project has resulted in increasing the efficiency of the target group as now they have multiple sources of earnings and a better livelihood which would help them to face the society with dignity.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Earnings would be better, than ultimately the capability as well as the quality of life of the people over the said area would be better. Their major problems regarding the earnings were fulfilled because of the implementation of this project. The project was capable of solving the issues which were being faced by the target group in the said area. The target group is satisfied with the work of SEWA-THDC for having started such project.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

Having an increased income and a dignified life, is what is needed by all the people in life. Thus, this project has provided the target group with both these necessities and the need for such projects would be increasing in the near future as well. The target group has felt the positive impacts of the project over their lives. These kinds of projects are capable for being implemented for the long run as well.

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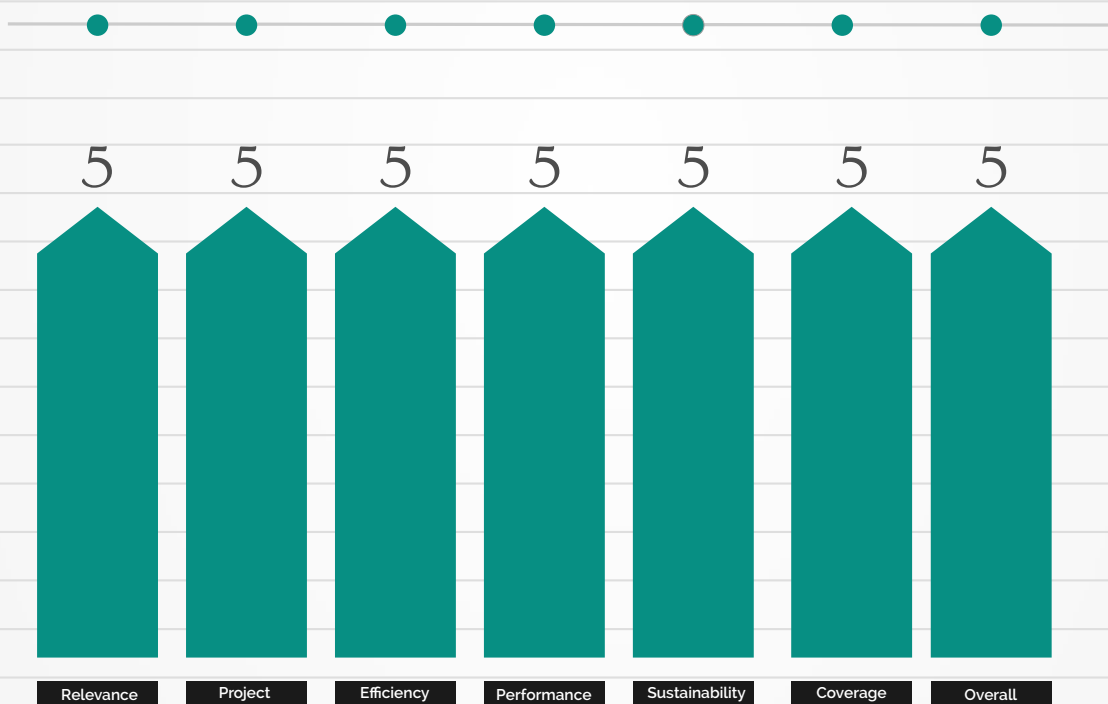
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The project was implemented for the target group of the said area and they have taken the advantage of the project in a full-fledged manner. Livelihood programs, livelihood sources, livelihood earnings, awareness is something which is needed by all the people in life especially in the rural areas as people have no idea other than agriculture regarding increase of their income. Thus, these projects are needed for making the target group aware of the need of livelihood.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

There were various interventions of the project which was implemented in different villages of project area. Project has significantly changed the quality of life of villagers and enhanced livelihood by using the different interventions of the project. The overall performance of the project was found excellent and people were quite satisfied about the work done by the implementing agency.

Suggestion

Such kinds of projects must be started by SEWA-THDC in the nearby areas as well, so that their lifestyle and quality of life will be enhanced and they would become at par with the said areas. Nevertheless, a distinction in between two areas would be created on the basis of development as one area would grow more than the other.

Developing Social & Environment Centre for Agriculture & Livelihood Promotion, Jollygrant



Entry Gate of Social & Environment Demonstration Centre, Jollygrant



Demonstration of social and agricultural awareness



Demonstration of bamboo's production section

	<p>Project Name Developing Social & Environment Centre Jolly grant as a Centre of excellence for Agriculture & Livelihood Promotion</p>
	<p>Location Jolly Grant, Bhaniyawala, Dehradun</p>
	<p>Cost 3,42,540/-</p>
	<p>Objective Developing Social & Environment Centre- as Agri & livelihood promotion Demonstration Centre for the farmers of nearby villages</p>
	<p>Beneficiary Villagers of nearby project area</p>

Background

Agriculture along with its allied activities is considered to be the largest source of livelihoods in India. It is estimated that 70% of the rural households are still dependent on agriculture for their livelihood. Agriculture is responsible in contributing to the economic growth, to better livelihoods and to provide a provision for environmental services which are important to poor people in urban and rural areas. It is one of the essential sectors of the Indian economy which gives the contribution of about 17% to the total GDP & generates employment for at least 60% of the population.

Social Impact

- Integrated approach has provided farmers various facilities at one centre such as training, education, livelihood promotion, employment opportunities and so on.
- Through the integrated training farmers can utilise their skills for the betterment of agriculture and livelihood at local level.
- Integrated training centre demonstrates the farmers how to enhance livelihood and income generation activities.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

For the promotion of livelihood and capacity building of the farmers through the technologies well as training, demonstration center is very essential as they will acquire the understanding about the livelihood and rural technology in a better way at one place. They have made a small center and all the activities which can help in income generation are placed at that particular center.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The demonstration center was designed for the promotion & enhancement of livelihood but due to the pandemic and lockdown situation, the center was completely closed and they couldn't render their services as a result of which farmers weren't able to get the required training for the livelihood promotion & capacity building. They couldn't get any of the agencies which can help it in the operation which can provide training to the farmers over there.

Various activities under Demonstration Center

Project has taken initiative for the betterment of farmer's condition in order to enhance livelihood opportunity, uses of rural technology, income from various resources at one Center. Some of the activities in demonstration Center are as follows:

Demonstration Nursery Center

In the demonstration Center, the farmers are given training about the importance of poly houses. In the demonstration Center at Jolly grant, there were some of the poly-houses which were made for the maintenance of the growing plants under controlled temperature. There is less chances of crop loss and damage as well as provide protection from pests and insects because of the help of these poly-houses.





Production of Fisheries

Small-scale fisheries and aqua-culture make critical contributions to development in the areas of employment. With most capture fisheries worldwide considered fully exploited or over-exploited, aquaculture will be central to meeting fish demand, which will continue to increase with population growth, rising incomes and increasing urbanizations. The project has established a demonstration Center regarding fisheries which would train the farmers how to increase their production as well as income from a small place.

Demonstration of Fast Cash Crop

Demonstration Center has set up a training camp for increasing the production of fast cash crop like grains, spices, different vegetables. Fast cash crops are playing a major role in developing countries to increase food security and generate income for the farmers.



Developing Vermi Compost Pit

It was observed in the demonstration center, that the vermi-compost pit was in the poor condition because demonstration center wasn't working for the last one year but demonstration of Vermi compost pit is useful for the farmers in order to improve the agricultural productivity as well as encourage them to go for organic farming.



Developing Horticulture

Horticulture provides sustainable production, marketing, use of high value intensively cultivated food such as fruits, vegetables, and ornamental plants. Demonstration Center has potential to provide training on how can they upgrade the production of these crops at one Center.

Demonstration of Rural Technology:

Technology is capable of providing reliable power at comparatively low cost in decentralized manner. Demonstration center has developed a set up of application of rural technology in Agro-based cultivation in rural areas. Through this, farmers can learn the use of these rural technologies in boosting production and make them self-reliant. Mushroom cultivation center was one of the main demonstrations which can enhance the livelihood in local level.



EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The project has failed its objective in an appropriate manner because the utilization of the project hasn't been done in a proper manner due to the lockdown imposed. The demonstration center has been developed in a planned manner but via this center the villagers nearby the project area weren't benefitted from this project.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
03 (Average)

As per the COVID situation, the center couldn't work in the prescribed manner as it should be and was unable to tackle the problem of the people in the said area. The needs of the people weren't fulfilled as the project had to be closed in the early stage.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The project isn't in the working condition but its importance is in the said area. Thus, SEWA-THDC should consider in starting the project again providing adequate training to the farmers. After having a word with the project co-coordinator over there, it was found that an agency is needed in the area which would help in running the demonstration center very efficiently.

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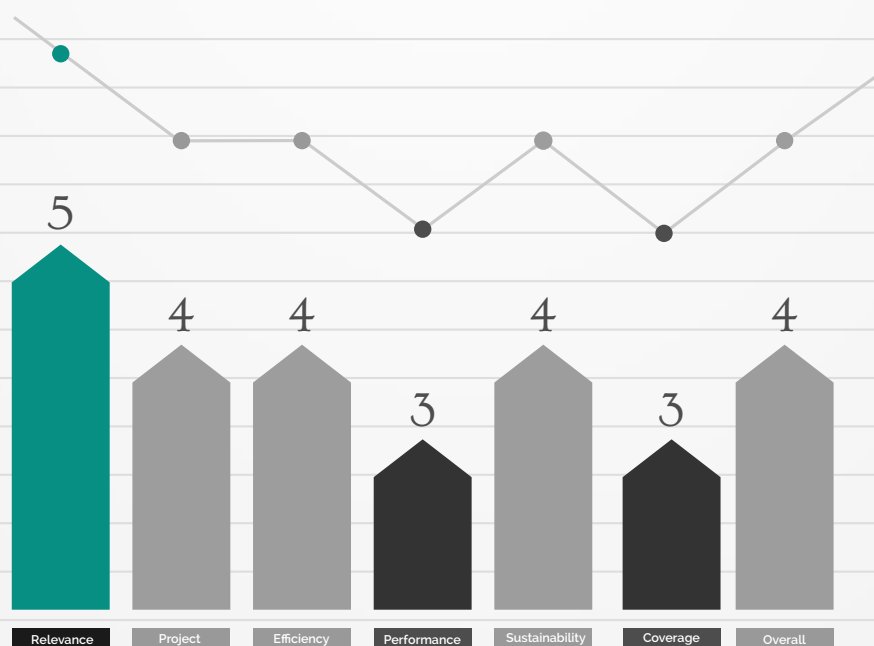
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
03 (Average)

The said project has utilized the funds to the fullest but when they were about to provide training, the situation of lockdown arised which changed the whole scenario making them handicapped by not being able to utilize the project interventions in an efficient manner.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

It was observed that the overall performance of the project was found good which means that the project hasn't achieved its objectives in appropriate manner. This is because the restriction of movement during lockdown, the farmers couldn't take the advantage of the project and the implementing agency was not able to find out any way to regulate & maintain the demonstration centre effectively. Due to this, most of the sections in the social & environment centre were either destroyed or unused. This demonstration centre has high potential to educate and aware the farmers regarding the adoption of an integrated approach in agriculture and livelihood promotion at the local level with a limited land space.

Suggestion

- SEWA-THDC should restart the project with proper demonstration of the livelihood.
- An expert in agriculture and rural technology should be hired during the training and capacity building of the farmers in the center.
- An agency should be hired to monitor and run this project in an efficient manner.
- Some of the experts from the agriculture and horticulture department should be invited to provide training and skills of using agricultural technology on a sustained basis.

ENVIRONMENT INITIATIVE under THDC-PRAKIRTI

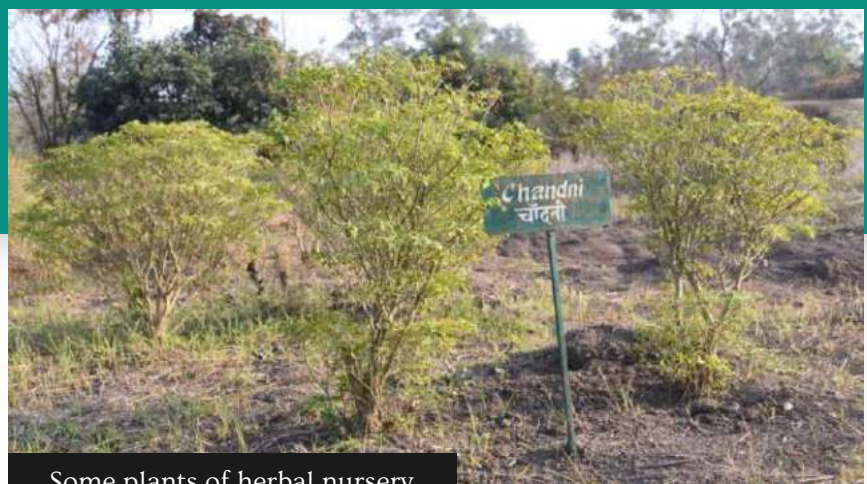
Prakirti or environment refers to the natural surrounding in which we live. The environment gives us countless benefits that we can't repay in our entire life. Unfortunately, due to our activities the environment has come under serious threat. This has caused serious damage to the environment. Most noteworthy, this damage risks the survival of living on earth. Therefore, there is urgent need to protect environment.

THDC through its Prakirti programme focuses on restoration and conservation of environment. THDC-Prakirti- environment focused initiatives are working with three objectives soil and water conservation, green energy generation and technology promotion and environment protection.

It is working on various projects like water treatment, solar street lights installment and water harvesting. To promote plantation of different fruit, fodder, fuel and medicinal plant THDC planted saplings and also created nurseries. The responsibility didn't end with plantation, THDC also continues to strives for the annual maintenance of these plants consistently.

<i>S. No.</i>	<i>Major Initiative under THDC-Prakirti in year 2019-20</i>
01.	<i>Maintenance of plants and nursery, Rishikesh</i>

Annual Maintenance of Herbal Nursery and Plants, THDC Campus, Rishikesh



Some plants of herbal nursery



Medicinal herbs in poor growth & maintenance



Some herbal plants in damaged nursery house



Project Name

Annual Maintenance of Herbal Nursery and Plants



Location

Gangotri Bhawan & THDC Campus, Rishikesh



Cost

3.62 Lacs



Objective

To ensure the maintenance of plants and nursery in a well-organised manner



Beneficiary

Locals of Rishikesh and nearby villagers

Background

The existence of an individual in the society is based on the surroundings in which they are breathing. Environment has become an important part and parcel of our lives which leads to a healthy living as well as it has made the existence of humans possible on the Earth. Herbal plants have a long history in treating the diseases of various kinds. These plants have a quite visible status in Ayurveda and thus it has become very important that these herbal plants be planted in a larger number. Even in the context of present day pandemic situation, these herbal plants are proving best medicine to boost the immunity of an individual.

Social Impact

The modern-day society is the technology prone society. Day-by-day we are moving far away from our nature and natural things. But escaping from nature is next to impossible as we are the part of nature. Herbal plants are the natural products being free from the side-effects, quite safe, eco-friendly and easily available. These herbal plantations were used in the traditional times as the ailment for various diseases. The modern day synthetic drugs are harming our body as well as internal systems which is diagnosed after a long period of time but the Herbal plants still hold the same importance and safety which makes their plantation necessary.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To assess the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
04 (Good)

As the synthetic drugs are important, likewise the Herbal plants and tree plantation is important. These plants have reduced the risk of disease and have proven to be the first hand medicine for treating disease. Boosting immunity is responsible for the healthy living of an individual and these medicinal plants have a long history of being an immunity booster.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
03 (Average)

The above said project has proved to be very effective as the village people are now shifting towards the use of Herbal plants from their synthetic drug. But due to lockdown, the maintenance of the Herbal nursery wasn't functioning properly and its staff was not also able to do anything in maintaining the nursery.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The main goal for the said project has been achieved as the target population is facing fewer difficulties in approaching the required plant. Due to the lockdown Project failed to achieve its objectives in appropriate manner. But some medicinal plants in herbal nursery are still surviving. The remaining medicinal plants should be taken care of so that a new nursery can be created & previous damage can be compensated.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
03 (Average)

During the lockdown, the herbal nursery was completely closed due to which the project was not able to enhance the capabilities of the people to tackle their problems with the help of project intervention. Project is failed to meet the needs of target population.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The present day pandemic has reflected that Ayurveda and its importance for a good health. Thus, plantation of Herbal plant has been proved as good move by the SEWA-THDC and its use would continue for the upcoming years. The village people feel this as the positive step towards achieving a better health.

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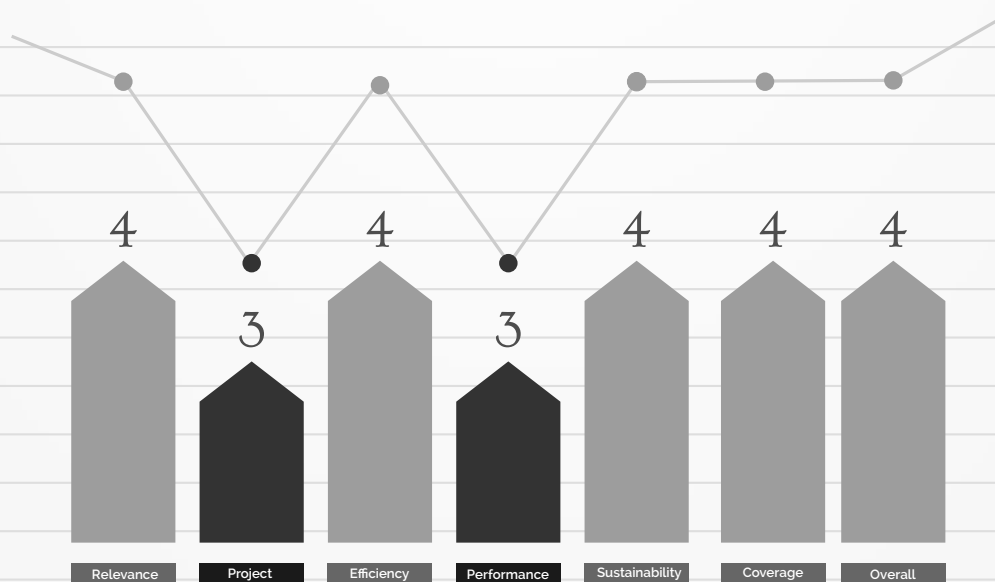
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The said project time period was for one year but because of the lockdown the programme cycle couldn't complete properly. However, the project would restart after the situation become normal and people will take the advantage from this herbal nursery

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

Overall performance of the project was found good which reflects that the project has failed to achieved its major objectives in an appropriate manner and not able to fulfil the needs of the people effectively due to the lockdown. There should some alternative for the functioning

Suggestion

- Integrated approach has provided farmers various facilities at one centre such as training, education, livelihood promotion, employment opportunities and so on.
- Through the integrated training farmers can utilise their skills for the betterment of agriculture and livelihood at local level.
- Integrated training centre demonstrates the farmers how to enhance livelihood and income generation activities.

Downtrodden Empowerment & Livelihood Enhancement project for SC Farmers, Tehri Garhwal



Flour Mill operating by villager at her home



Tractor and other machine in village Darsil



Thresher machine provided by SEWA-THDC



Project Name

Downtrodden Empowerment & Livelihood Enhancement Project for SC Farmers



Location

Village Jakholi, Garh Sinwal, Sailoor and Darsil of district Tehri Garhwal



Cost

07.00 Lacs



Objective

To distribute Farm Machinery, soil testing, micronutrients, HDPE pipe and bio-fertilizers to the SC farmers



Beneficiary

SC farmers of selected 04 villages of Tehri Garhwal

Background

Empowerment means authority or power given to someone to do something. Our country is a democratic country and all the people as per the Indian constitution are to be treated alike. Empowerment of the downtrodden community can help in bringing the needed change in the society. A country could visualize the concept of development when the downtrodden people will be given equal rights as well as they will be empowered, to be able to speak for themselves. Agriculture is the main occupation of the rural people. Thus, it is the agriculture as well as the production would serve as an income earning source for the farmers. Empowerment of the SC farmers is very important as when a farmer would be leading a dignified life, then only we are able to eat smoothly. If a farmer stops doing hard work, we won't have anything to feed ourselves with.

Social Impact

- Farmers are the most essential community of India as our major source of food is being fulfilled by the help and hard work of these farmers.
 - The farmers need to be provided good fertilizers, good machinery, latest high quality yielding seeds, good facilities etc so that their productivity in agriculture would increase which would increase the development as well as growth of the country.
 - Soil testing is needed and for this the farmers must be having the technical know-how. This soil testing would tell the farmers if their production in that particular soil would be possible or not that too on prior basis which would save their crops to get damaged.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The said project was very essential in the area as maximum of the people over there had their earnings from the agriculture as well as the production which they produced from their lands. The project provided them with good machines, technical support, good fertilizers which in turn would lead to high productivity. High productivity would result into high income leading to the development of the farmers over there.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The objectives of the project were achieved and the farmers were happy with the services being provided by SEWA-THDC as these services helped them make use of their seeds in a more efficient manner using the latest technologies. The earnings of the farmers in the said increased, which even increased the quality of work being done by them in their lands. But it was also observed that some of the equipment in agriculture and livelihood wasn't in use properly in some villages.

The project has focused on the empowerment and enhanced livelihood of SC farmers of 4 villages (Jakholi, Garh Sinwal, Sailoor and Darsil) of district Tehri Garhwal. The intervention of project has significant impact on the SC farmer's families through the different activities and utilized the resources in their capacity building.

Major Achievement of the Project through the different activities

Soil Testing and Soil Health Card (200 farmers)

Under the CSR initiative of SEWA-THDC, Project has done soil testing in 4 villages of project affected areas of Tehri Dam to know the quality of the soil and enhance the quality for the better production. Apart from that, project has prepared soil testing card for 200 farmers in project areas. It was observed that farmers have their own soil testing card, where they can test their soil in laboratory and get the information about the quality of soil, which crop will be beneficial on that soil, shortage of nutrients in the soil and more. Farmers are getting knowledge and awareness about soil and its importance to boost the livelihood activities.

Farm Machinery (4 village)

Project has taken an initiative to establish 2 farm machinery banks in the village of project area where people were using this machinery in the agricultural field to enhance the income via production. Through this machinery, people are capable of saving their extra time in agriculture field in efficient manner.

Distribution of micro nutrients and bio-fertilizer (200 hac)

Project has distributed micro nutrients and bio-fertilizer to the farmers of 04 selected villages of project affected area of Tehri Dam. The intervention of the project has enhanced the quality of soil as well as livelihood production by using the bio-fertilizer. People were satisfied after using the intervention of the project and felt more empowered in livelihood and agriculture sector.

Distribution of Micro sprinkle (04 set)

Under this project, 04 set (one set for each village) of micro sprinkle were distributed to 04 villages of project area. These sprinkles were used by the farmers in agricultural land to minimize the consumption of water or to avoid the wastage of water.

Distribution of HDPE pipe (6370 mtr)

Project has distributed approximately 6,370 meters of HDPE pipe to the SC farmers of 04 villages of the project affected areas of Tehri district, Garhwal under the water management program. The intervention of the project has strengthened the irrigation facilities and minimized the wastage of water in agricultural field by using the HDPE pipe.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The objectives of the said project have been achieved in an appropriate manner and within the provided time frame via making the proper use of the funds being allotted for the project. The project did the soil testing in the 4 villages of the Tehri area, which enabled them to enhance the quality of soil for increasing the production. Soil testing card has been made by the SEWA-THDC for the 200 farmers so that they can approach this testing whenever they feel required in future.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The capability of the target group has been enhanced by the project as they were provided with soil testing card, farm machinery for 4 villages, distribution of 200 hac. of bio-fertilizers and micro-nutrients, 04 sets of micro-sprinkle distribution, distribution of 6370 meters HDPE pipeline. All these facilities have led to tackle the problems of the target group and ultimately led to the improvement in the quality of life of the target group as their production has been increased because of these services. But it was observed that people in some villages haven't utilized most of the farm machinery & HDPE pipeline in agricultural land.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
03 (Average)

Empowerment of the SC farmers is needed in the rural areas. When the farmers would be empowered, the country would be empowered. The utility of such kind of projects is quite essential and this will improve in the near future as well. It was observed that although the project has provided all the machinery and equipments to the farmers but they were not having technical knowledge regarding operation of these equipments. Because of this most of the machines are unused in some villages.

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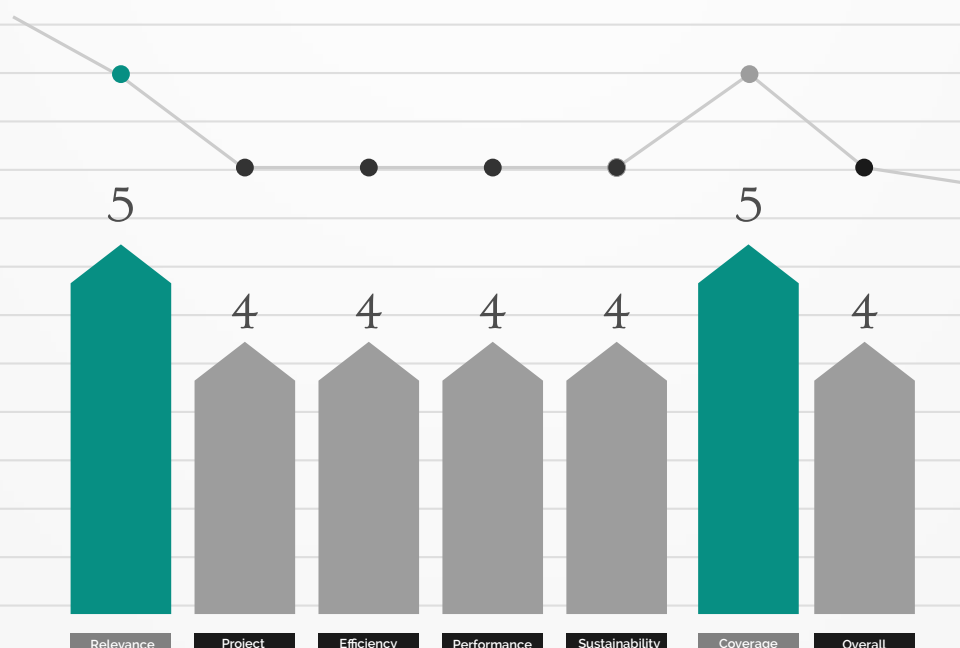
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
04 (Good)

The target group which was in actual need of the project has received the benefits of the said project. The SC farmers feel that this project has helped them led a dignified life and even made them more aware about the latest technologies and machinery available through which they can enhance their productivity in an efficient manner. They demand more projects of such kind from SEWA-THDC so that other areas also become developed.

Overall Assesment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall

Remark

Empowerment means to provide someone respectful lives by helping them earn a living for themselves. The said project has helped the SC farmers to walk having their head straight in the society as their earning and living standards have increased. It was observed that the overall performance of the said project was found good. The intervention given by SEWA-THDC under this project was quite effective but the efficiency and sustainability of the intervention was not found as per the expectation of the project.

Suggestion

- Before providing machinery and equipment to the farmers, training regarding its operation should be insured.
- SEWA-THDC should make sure that such kinds of projects never stop doing their work in the said areas as this project has given a new ray of hope to the SC farmers.
- Whatever latest comes in the market related to agriculture, SEWA-THDC should make that particular information available to the SC farmers as well.
- Such projects should even be started in the other villages, so that those people do become empowered as in the case of the target group.

Establishment of Bakery Business for physically challenged persons, Chamiyala, Tehri Garhwal



Training & Production center for disabled under social welfare department



Disabled trainers with bakery products



Provide equipment of bakery production by SEWA-THDC



Project Name

Establishment of Bakery Business for physically challenged persons



Location

Chamiyala (Bhilangana), Tehri Garhwal



Cost

8.01 Lacs



Objective

To enhance the income generational activities of physically handicapped persons for self employment



Beneficiary

Physically challenged persons nearby Chamiyala, Tehri Garhwal

Background

Respect, dignity, social status is needed for all the people even for the persons with disability as well. Employment which provides an individual with some sort of earning will increase their social status in the society. Employment is considered as the important part of the economic, social and environmental development process. A financial freedom as well as the decision making power is enhanced by the employment. The persons with disability do have the caliber to achieve whatever they want in life, but a helping hand is needed for motivation.

Social Impact

Opening of the Bakery for the disabled people in the said area provided these people to have a good life. This employment helped people with disability to increase their income, living standards as well as provided them with financial independence. Employment contributes in providing the identity sense and self-worth to the people which would have a positive impact on the physical as well as mental health of the individual.

ASSESSMENT OF THE PROJECT

RELEVANCE

(To access the importance of intervention for the target groups)

Rating:
05 (Excellent)

The said project has been quite relevant because the disability in India is considered as someone who is good for nothing but with the help of this project of SEWA-THDC, the disabled people were able to get something for increasing their social status in the society. The target population has acquired some skills needed for running a bakery.

PROJECT EFFECTIVENESS

(To what extent the objectives of the project have been achieved)

Rating:
03 (Average)

The said project hasn't been impressive as the beneficiaries weren't satisfied with the initiative being taken for them. The disabled people weren't able to move far away to the cities and weren't even able to get money from this Bakery even after having the required skills. The people have complained that the pension being provided to them is very nominal and not sufficient for feeding their family.

EFFICIENCY

(to what extent the objectives of project achieved in appropriate manner)

Rating:
03 (Average)

Although the beneficiary are having the required skill being provided by THDC , they are utilizing their skills in Social Welfare Department which doesn't provide any salary to them and were totally dependent on the pension received by them. They weren't satisfied with the work they were doing with the particular department.

PERFORMANCE/IMPACT

(to what extent target group able to tackle their problems with the help of project interventions)

Rating:
03 (Average)

The target population has been provided training by SEWA-THDC because of which their working capability has been enhanced but they aren't getting any good amount out of this work which has resulted in lowering their quality of life. Their capability is of no use when they can't afford to earn a handsome amount from it.

SUSTAINABILITY

(To what extent is target group capable or prepared for the positive effects of intervention)

Rating:
03 (Average)

Sustainability depends upon the performance of the beneficiaries in particular business but in this project the beneficiaries weren't able to show their performance to the great extent which resulted in the worsening situation. Beneficiaries are skillful in bakery production but project has failed to prepare the positive effects of project intervention appropriately.

COVERAGE

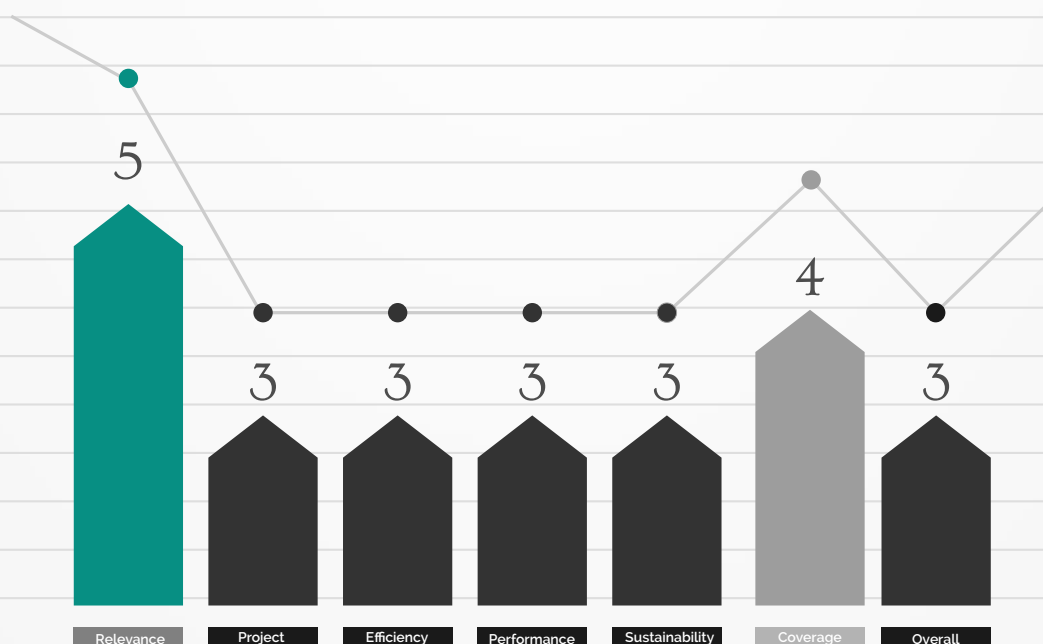
(Who needed this intervention and who actually received it)

Rating:
04 (Good)

As per the requirement of the project and information from the beneficiaries, Training for the said project was completed within time but more training was required for enhancement of their skills and employability. As per the observation, resources of the project were utilized appropriately but the efficiency and sustainability has not been achieved.

Overall Assessment

Overall Rating of the Project



Overall Remark

It was observed that the overall performance of the said project was found average because the intervention given by SEWA-THDC under this project was quite effectively but the sustainability of employment and income from the bakery production was poor. Social Welfare Department is taking their services (without any incentive) and providing them disability pension benefit which is nominal as per the present living cost.

Suggestion

- Sponsored agency should take initiative for the production of bakery for persons with disability to enhance the sustainability in production and provide good amount of income to the beneficiaries.
- Some other thing can be started for those who want to work but don't have skills for running a Bakery.
- Advance training should be provided to the people regarding running a Bakery independently at local level which would enhance their skills and income as well.