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(Brief Overview)



SRIJAN FOUNDATION

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GENESIS

SF was founded in 1995 by a group of socially committed youngsters. It was noble expression of their concern for the welfare of the disadvantaged and the underprivileged and a positive response to build capacity of the community and the grass root organizations. It was formally registered on 7th February 2001.

Vision -To promote egalitarian, empowered and self-reliant society through tangible efforts of the voluntary organizations

Mission: To build the capacity of the community in general and the grass root organizations in particular to take up the responsibility to further enhancing the capacities of the most marginalized and vulnerable section for its empowerment.

Goal: Establishment of an empowered, gender sensitive and just society

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

Name	Designation	Gender	Year of experience
Ms Pooja	President	F	19 Years experience
Mr Swapan Manna	Secretary	M	23 Years experience
Ms Pushpa Sharma	Treasurer	F	13 Years experience
Ms Manisha Mishra	Member	F	17 Years experience
Mr Gautam Halder	Member	M	21 Years experience
Ms Sonam Devi	Member	F	3 Years experience
Mr. Nitesh Kumar	Member	M	23 Years experience

About Srijan**BACKDROP**

Srijan Foundation is a professionally managed progressive organization which initiated its effort from 2001. SF is a registered organization making its endeavour to serve the most marginalized and the vulnerable communities by building the capacity of the community in general and the grass root organizations in particular. Through the experience gained in the past years and through joint intervention with community, the organization realized to adopt multifarious activities exclusively for the well being of the community. It strives to make a change in the lives of the most disadvantaged through meaningful partnership with like-minded agencies and communities.

Srijan Foundation Units

Srijan Foundation works through its decentralized and independently operational branch offices in its project area for ensuring quality execution of the projects.

OPERATIONAL AREA (GEOGRAPHICAL)

District: Hazaribag, Ramgarh, Ranchi, West Singhbhum, Palamau, Garhwa and Gumla of Jharkhand State

Staffs

Experts	Full Time	Support/ Part Time	Volunteers
11	55	64	25

Community Level Groups

SHG	Youth/ Adolescent Group	Farmers Group
521	260	40

Features of SF

- Managed by a team of young rural development professionals having experience of managing various developmental projects.
- Successfully executing various developmental projects for more than fourteen years with the support of national and international agencies.
- A team of 119 members with a blend of grassroots workers and rural development professionals ensuring quality execution through direct field intervention of evidence based need and area specific programs.
- Operational in 7 districts covering more than 500 villages through its decentralized and independently operational offices.
- A team well recognized as a “Technical Resource Group” by various agencies / organizations

Honorary AUDITOR
Avinash Jain & Co., Chartered Accountants,
Hazaribag

Bankers
 State Bank of India, Main Branch, Hazaribag
 Bank of India, District More, Hazaribag
 Jharkhand Gramin Bank, Korrah Branch, Hazaribag

THEMATIC AREAS

Women Empowerment

Sustainable Agriculture & NRM

Livelihood Promotion

Promoting Community Based Health (RCH, YARSH, HIV/AIDS), Nutrition

Rural Sanitation

Child Protection & Education (Tribal/ Child Labour/ Girls)

Safe Mobility & Anti Trafficking

Disability

Research & Studies

Technical Support Services for NGOs

MAJOR Activities during 2015-2016**Child Rights & Protection**

Education is considered as the core issue for the empowerment of community on social/ economic and political fronts. In this arena, childhood is the main area to focus to get complete benefit and result. The rights of child need to be focused to bring change in one's life. The support and assistance from supporting agencies has played a vital role to accelerate the initiative. The child development programs run during the year were:-

❧ **National Child Labour Prevention** program has been ongoing in Kuju area with the support District Administration, Hazaribag/ Ramgarh.

❧ **Child Labour Prevention program** is being implemented in 30 villages near Kuju coal mine area. 50 children (child labour) from poor and downtrodden families have been recovered and provided with primary education through joyful teaching-learning techniques.

❧ **Alternative Child Care Program** covering 75 children was implemented to ensure that the children in need of care and protection from the mining area of Mandu block of Ramgarh district have access


to opportunity and services that promote their right to survival, development, protection and participation in family and community based care.


Task Force on Alternative Child Care Program in Jharkhand State


Children produced in front of CWC for approval and placement and Meeting with Care Giver


Disability- Addressing the issue of disability is one of the major concerns of Srijan.


CHILDLINE 1098 services in Hazaribag and Gumla districts

 **Cluster Facilitation Team – NRLM-MGNREGA-CFT Convergence** Program of Srijan is being implemented in Ichak block of Hazaribag district and Manoharpur block of West District. During the year a total of 34 Gram Panchayats has been covered to ensure effective implementation of program. Yojna Banao Abhiyan (YBA) was done effectively in both the districts with the CFT team and community level personals. During the year focus was paid to work with Community Based Organizations (CBOs) such as labour groups and women collectives i.e. self-help groups, village organizations and federations of the block. The focus of the program was to facilitate annual planning of MGNREGA works. Community mobilization had been done towards MGNREGA entitlements, Bank linkage, etc. Regular trainings to Gram Panchayat members, MGNREGA functionaries, local resource persons, SHG Mates and workers for better participation of women and rural community had been done. Regular handholdings have been provided. This program is being implemented jointly with the block/ district and state administration. Regular reviews and constant guidance has helped to achieve the result in an effective manner.


 **Women Empowerment:** Under Women Empowerment initiative, SF is accelerating its efforts to mainstream women groups in developmental sector through all of its program initiatives.


 **Women Leadership Development through Sustainable Livelihood Initiatives** is being implemented in 12 villages of Mandu block where 50 women SHGs have been formed and given training on the issue of group management, documentation, issue specific trainings, skill trainings. **Gender Resource Centre established in Ranchi.**


 **Women Empowerment through Sustainable Livelihood Initiatives** have been implemented in **Kimo area of Mandu Block of Ramgarh district covering 12 villages.** Women SHG formation and Strengthening through training, exposure and livelihood initiatives have been done. 8 Adolescent groups formed and given training for their learning and empowerment.


 **Mahila Kisan Sashaktikaran Pariyojna** is being implemented in Hazaribag and West Singhbhum district. The aim of the project is to enhance productive participation of women in agriculture and creating sustainable agriculture livelihood opportunities towards food and nutrition security of poorest of poor and needy families. 3600 Mahila Kisan (383 SHGs) have been covered towards Sustainable

Agriculture, Small Ruminant Promotion (Goatry, Back Yard Poultry), NTFP (Lac) with an aim to improve their socio-economic status. Regular Training and Exposure is being provided to the Mahila Kisan through CRP/ Pashu Sakhi approach.

 **Reproductive and Child Health (RCH) Care Program** - With the support of C3 India, Reproductive and Child Health (RCH) Care Program is being implemented among tribal & minority population in the 10 villages covering 2 Sub Health Centre's of Bero block of Ranchi district (Jharkhand). The goal of the "Safe Motherhood Reproductive Child Health (RCH) in Community" program is to improve the health status of women and men in the community. The project empowers and equips community members with information for informed decision making on health services and entitlements. The Objective of this program is to Increase awareness and health seeking behaviors of communities of ten villages of Bero Block of Ranchi regarding prevention of maternal mortality and morbidity, reproduction, and other major health concerns as well as enhance the capacity of health service providers' to deliver quality health services.

 **Safe migration of women**-Under the networking of JATN (Jharkhand Anti Trafficking Network) program with its 13 network partners led by Srijan, safe mobility is being implemented in the state. Srijan is also facilitating by serving as a resource center. The objective of this project is to provide information, promote safe mobility of women and counter trafficking. Under this program, the focus is on setting up a strong network to work on the issue of trafficking and safe mobility in Jharkhand to build a shared understanding on migration, displacement and trafficking from a feminist human rights; and build an action plan based on this learning, to ensure movement for better life option or other reasons, in safe and secure environment. **Jharkhand Resource Centre Established on Safe Mobility in Ranchi.**

 **Training of adolescents' group** : This program has been initiated for both school going and non-schooling adolescent girls, to create awareness about the physical and psychological changes in body during adolescence with scientific reasons, menstruation cycles, myths' and misconceptions associated with it, nutritious food, vocational training, functions of reproductive organs, HIV/AIDS and mirages of migration etc.

 **Safe Motherhood and Adolescent Reproductive & Sexual Health-** With the support of CREA, **It's My Body** Program is being implemented in 10 villages of Ichak block of Hazaribag district. The emphasis of the project is to sensitize adolescent girls on the issue of their sexual and reproductive rights through games and sports. During the year, trainings and regular meetings with different stakeholders like parents meeting, liaison with schools and meetings with health service providers were organized besides celebrating 2 big events i.e Women's Day and National Adolescent Day. Through the project more than 125 adolescent girls (12-16 years) have been given rigorous trainings and theme specific group based sessions were organized to make them well informed and empowered on the issue of SRH Rights so that they could take decisions about their own mind, body and health related issues.

HIV/ AIDS Prevention : Targeted Intervention program (under NACP-III) on HIV/AIDS prevention is being implemented in Gumla and Khilari districts covering 830 FSW towards awareness generation, sensitization of safe sexual behaviour, social marketing of condom, and referrals towards ICTC, etc are being carried out. Transit Migration Program on HIV/ AIDS prevention is being implemented in Ranchi and Hatia station as intervention points to sensitize and aware migrating population on the issue of safe sexual behavior and faithfulness towards their own family.

Forum to Engage Men (Network) for Gender based initiative and community sensitization through Network of CSO is being implemented in Khilari region of Ranchi district. During the year, PRI Meetings were organized towards gender sensitization, School based event to create awareness/ sensitization among school children on the issues related to child abuse / violence etc. and community level events were organized to prepare a child friendly and gender sensitive society.

Our Supporters

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India • Labour Department, Government of Jharkhand • Jharkhand State AIDS Control Society- JSACS • NABARD • C3- Catalyzing Centre for Change • Family Planning Association of India (FPAI) • KFB/ DKA 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • CREA • Centre for Health & Social Justice (CHSJ) • Kinderpostzegels, Netherlands • MRDF- All We Can • Oak Foundation • Action Village India
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Appeal: Support/ Guide/ Assist Srijan Foundation to Serve the Society (poor, destitute, disabled, unserved, under developed, etc) to become Self Dependant in all spheres of life.

TEAM SRIJAN

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