

Developing Indigenous Resources - India <u>June 2020 - Monthly Report</u>







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CEO's JUNE REPORT: 2020

DIR-India had three major challenges to face in addition to Covid -19 Pandemic.

- Raising of funds
- Cutting down on the expenses
- Maintaining the health status of malnourished children and pregnant mothers.

On 30th June 2020, DIR-India vacated the sector 11 office of Chandigarh and the entire administrative wing was reorganized in the Basti building.

We are grateful to Mr.Ajit Singh and Mr. Lalit Jain who helped us in constructing a big store room on the rooftop of the Basti building to accommodate the surplus furniture and allied items. Developing Indigenous Resources India now has one office, where all four projects are controlled and run under one roof. This has enhanced our efficiency.



Dr. Asha Katoch

Google Maps has registered our NGO's location and has given us a 5-star rating. The DIR-India office can now be conveniently located by any visitor.

90 packages of groceries were donated by the Can & Will Foundation, which assisted DIR-I to take care of malnourished children and families of the Basti.

In addition to the above ration distribution, through personal liaison with the Divisional Commissioner and Administrative wing of the Punjab Government, grocery packages were provided to 254 families of Janta Colony, which included our Health Promoters, teachers, and two maids.

On 21st June 2020, the "THE INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY", PEP TURF owned by

Maj.Manoj Malhotra, his son Aryaman and a few other companies joined hands to raise funds for DIR-India, which were donated directly to DIR's instamojo account. We are extremely grateful to Maj.Manoj and Aryaman who are the main architects behind this noble cause of "Defeat hunger".

In the second week of June, the medical team started weighing the children in our SWAD school classrooms, with proper social distancing, and taking all precautions against the virus.

This program had to be shut after four days as one of the pregnant woman turned Covid - 19 positive, she had recently moved to Janta Colony on rent.

I am extremely grateful to the entire DIR-India team which includes our senior staff, Health Promoters, one Teacher, two maids and a driver, who worked very hard during this month, in helping and assisting in shifting, settling of stores, distribution of rations, academic assignments and working overtime to make all this possible.

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Dr. Asha Katoch, MD Chief Executive Officer



SHIFTING OF SECTOR 11 OFFICE GOODS.





NEW STORE ROOM UNDER CONSTRUCTION



CAN AND WILL FOUNDATION GROCERIES

STATISTICS OF MEDICAL PROJECT

Total # of Population	14467
# Males	7495
# Females	6972
Total # of children	1134
Red zone children	26
Gone to Village	10
Yellow zone children	52
Gone to Village	15
Green Zone	100
Gone to Village	24
Due to COVID-19 Pandemic, not weighed*	907
not weighted	G: 541
	Y: 308
	R: 63

^{*}Weighing of children stopped after 4days due to COVID19 positive cases in Janta Colony

STATISTICS OF PREGNANT MOTHERS AND NEW DELIVERIES

Number of deliveries	8
Births	Male: 3,
	Female: 5
Mothers who left Basti	13
Infant Death	0
Miscarriages	0
Number of women pregnant this month*	22

^{*}since there was no field work by DIR Health team, statistics of pregnant mothers were obtained from Government health workers (Asha Worker)



NUTRITION TRAINING

A low-cost, iron rich, high-calorie, high-protein recipe was demonstrated this month keeping in mind commonly available resources. This month **Dietitian Swati** took a demonstration class on **POHA CUTLET** in which all available seasonal vegetables can be added to make it much healthier and attractive for kids.

- **Date of nutritional demo:** 16th June 2020
- Ingredients: Poha, Mint, Potato, Spinach, Onion, Green chili, Oil, Other seasonal vegetables.
- 1 CUTLET include: Calories: 80 kcal, Protein: 2.8gms









INCOME GENERATION PROGRAM

In the month of June, DIR TEAM had made 500 wine bags. In several cultures, it is very common for guests to bring a bottle of wine as a gift to a host. Usually the bottle is gift-wrapped with decorative paper and tied with a ribbon. Several environmentally harmful activities are involved in this process.

The beautiful synthetic fabrics donated to DIR by cloth merchants. This product is very environmentally friendly.

Another product which our team had made: a carrying Tiffin bag. Also this month, we have sold 75 masks.











DIR-INDIA JUNE HIGHLIGHTS & VISITORS

❖ MEDICAL PROGRAM

The DIR-India team had started the routine work of weighing children under five years of age to check on their health status after the lockdown from 9th June 2020 to 12th June 2020. The weight recording of each child was done in the office by calling the families at different times.

Senior staff and HP's had followed the standard guidelines of all safety precautions of Covid-19. Unfortunately, the first case of Covid-19 was reported from Janta Colony, Nayagaon on 12th June 2020. Both husband and wife were positive, followed by two more positive cases on 14th June 2020. The cases in Janta Colony had forced us to stop this weight recording of kids until Nayagaon is declared a safe zone.











❖ COVID-19 RELIEF PROGRAM ACTIVITY

DIR-INDIA team distributed grocery packages donated by **CAN AND WILL FOUNDATION** to **90 households** on 19th June 2020.

Each package contained 5KG whole wheat flour, 1KG Tata salt, 1KG rice, 100GM Haldi (turmeric powder), 100GM red chili powder, 1LTR cooking oil and 1KG yellow lentil (tuhar daal). We are grateful for their contribution.

The distribution was conducted with discipline and by strictly adhering to protocols.















- ➤ DIR-INDIA team had also collaborated with the Punjab Govt. Our CEO had a personal meeting with the Divisional Commissioner of Mohali, Punjab.
- ➤ 254 families of Janta Colony were given grocery stores under "Prime Minister, Government of India's Scheme" in June 2020.



Evacuating Sector 11 office to Basti, Navagaon permanently

DIR-India, Chandigarh office in Sector 11 has been vacated and closed on 30th June 2020. A store room with Tin Shed roof of size 20 feet by 11 feet has been constructed on the rooftop of Basti office. This has been constructed and donated by Mr.Ajit Singh after prior permission from the Landlord Mr. Wadhera. The entire stores are shifted and adjusted onto the rooftop storeroom and the rooms on the ground floor and first floor are vacated to adjust and reorganize the entire office.





Funds generated by Pep-Turf

In this month, PEP TURF runs by Lt. Col. Manoj Malhotra had generated funds worth one lakh four thousand on "INTERNATIONAL YOGA DAY" 21st June 2020 to fight hunger for underprivileged families of DIR-India's project area. Funds poured directly into DIR-India SBI account and through Instamojo account of DIR-India.





LET'S MEDITATE TO DEFEAT HUNGER

DONATE MIN ₹10/-& Make A Difference





SUNDAY 21st June 8:00 - 9:15 AM Indian Standard Time You Tube LIVE
'YOGA & MEDITATION SESSION'
TEAM PEP TURF















TOP ACADEMIC PERFORMERS OF <u>DIR-INDIA</u>

Medical Test Results for June 2020:

FIRST TOPPERS





SECOND TOPPER





Nutrition Test Results for June 2020:

FIRST TOPPERS











SECOND TOPPERS





OUR TEAM

"Alone we can do so little; together we can do so much." – Helen Keller



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