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- ABOUT NGO:** We are working with tribal communities in the interior forest habitations (IFHs) & rural villages of the Bhadradi Kothagudem district, Telangana. Tribal communities comprise 37% of overall population in the district. Bhadradi Kothagudem shares its boundaries with Khammam, AP & Chhattisgarh. Majority of tribal communities do not have access to universal healthcare services & due to poor economic status they cannot afford healthcare, nutrition and access to education.
 Inspired by the philosophy of Sri. APJ Abdul Kalam and humanitarian works of Dr Hanumappa Sudarshan, Dr Prakash Amte and Dr Abhay Bang, Dr Narendar (Founder) in 2016-17 started to visit various regions to understand the needs of communities & finally came across the Bhadradi Kothagudem district in Telangana. After looking at the challenges faced by tribal communities, he decided to work for them & started staying with them since then.
- OUR MISSION:** We work with marginalized communities – tribal, rural, women and children – bringing health awareness, providing access to healthcare services, nutrition and education, bringing in community empowering models to address those challenges. The model focuses on reducing deaths, diseases, malnutrition & illiteracy.

- Indigenous Development Organisation strives to achieve its objectives through following programs:
 1. Health Centre at Gattumalla village
 2. Monthly Training sessions for Community Health Workers
 3. Home-based maternal & newborn care
 4. Seemantham monthly event for pregnant women
 5. Nutrition program & Nutritional assessments
 6. Bridge schools

As interior regions of the district have poor access to healthcare & the tribal community has poor health seeking behaviour, owing to this the maternal and child health indicators are poor in the district. Infant mortality rate is very high. Malnutrition, Anaemia & Malaria prevalence is also very high.

HEALTH CLINIC:

- The health clinic was setup at Gattumalla village, Lakshmidvipally mandal, Bhadradri Kothagudem district with an aim to establish a channel where the patients requiring further diagnosis/ interventions can be brought-in by our trained CHWs and also for over 25000 population around this clinic to reach us conveniently.
- Primary healthcare services (Allopathic & Homeopathic), Antenatal screening & routine lab investigations are done at the clinic.

IDO HEALTHCARE INTERVENTION FOR FY 2022-23	
Total Patients	20531
No. of Antenatal Checkups done	1936
High-risk pregnancies identified & treated	104
Total safe deliveries conducted by CHWs	58
Total Institutional Deliveries	176
Home Deliveries conducted by TBAs (Vadde)	164
Total Post Partum Checkups	768
No. of HBNC & HBYCC	1545
Total SAM & MAM children referred to NRC	14
Total SAM & MAM children treated at habitation	27
Total Malaria screening done	957
Total Malaria cases identified & treated	484
Total Tuberculosis patients identified	25
Total Snake bite cases/Animal attacks referred	23



Patients Referred to Higher centre	824
No. of surgeries supported at Govt/Private Facilities	193

GATTUMALLA HEALTH CENTRE - PATIENTS VISITS & SERVICES – FY 2022-23	
Total outpatient visits	8783
Patients' re-visits	5094 (58%)
New patient visits	3689 (42%)
Antenatal Checkups done	436
High-risk pregnancies identified & treated	104
Patients Referred to Higher centre	552
No. of surgeries supported at Govt/Private Facilities	193
Patients availing blood investigations	3108
Iron Sucrose Transfusion done	76
Medical camps conducted	27
Patients reached through medical camps	708
Total Blood investigations done	5842



COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKERS MONTHLY TRAINING:



To address the challenges in interior habitations, we have identified one community member from each habitation. These individuals have been motivated & regularly trained by our team to provide much needed healthcare services at the door-step (Home Based) to their community members. These individuals are called “Community Health Workers” (CHW).

Each CHW has been provided with medical kit to provide the health services within the habitation & early identification of high-risk cases which need referral to institutions. The whole idea of this CHW program is to empower the local youth to take charge of their health & also of their community.

Now our trained CHWs can identify high-risk newborns & high-risk pregnancies. They can also do malaria tests and within minutes identify the type of malaria, provide treatment and also refer high-risk cases to higher centre if needed.

COMMUNITY HEALTH WORKER REPORT	
PARTICULARS	TOTAL
TOTAL PATIENTS	7674
MANDALS COVERED	11

HABITATIONS COVERED	64
POPULATION COVERED	12500+
PYREXIA	2035
TOTAL ANCs	899
MODERATE ANAEMIA ANC	618
SEVERE ANAEMIA ANC	47
HIGH-RISK PREGNANCIES	67
MALARIA DURING PREGNANCY	0
TOTAL ANTENATAL RAPID TESTS AT DOORSTEP	3033
M.A.P (Malaria+Anaemia+Pneumonia)	6
HBNC & HBYC	1427
CRITICAL HBNC & HBYC	337
HBNC & HBYCC UNDERWEIGHT	547
HBNC & HBYC PNEUMONITIS	245
PNC	490
PNC-ANAEMIA	250
TOTAL MALARIA SCREENED	704
MALARIA POSTIVIE & TREATED	372
ANAEMIA SCREENING	1651
GRBS	329
BP	1294
TB POSITIVE	4

STORY:

**SEEMANTHAM (BABY SHOWER EVENT):**

To effectively screen all the pregnant women across the tribal habitations, a baby shower event is conducted every month in our health centre premises at Gattumalla village. A group of 25-30 pregnant women from various habitations are invited to our centre on 7th of every month for this event. As a ritual, all the participating pregnant women are provided with new sarees, bangles & fruits. A complete Antenatal Check-up (ANC) is done for each pregnant woman.

Our team conducts health education session for these pregnant women explaining the importance of taking supplements, mentioning Do's and Don'ts as well as motivating them to go for institutional deliveries against the more common tradition of home deliveries.

Traditional tribal songs in their local language & dance are performed by our community health workers at the end of event making the pregnant women experience the moments of joy.



NUTRITION PROGRAM & NUTRITIONAL ASSESSMENTS:

Malnutrition & Anaemia prevalence in Under-5 age children and pregnant women is highest in tribal population.

According to our study, 70.2% children are underweight & 62.4% of them have wasting. 99% pregnant women and 98% under-5 age children have anaemia.

I-DO has started providing them our own formulated nutrition powder which has to be consumed every day. To ensure this, spot feeding program has been planned in all the habitations covering over 2000+ beneficiaries.

In Under-5 age children, nutritional assessments are done by our team once in 6 months.



BRIDGE SCHOOLS:

In the interior habitations there are no anganwadi centres or schools which made education inaccessible to the tribal habitation children. Sending children directly to mainstream schools also was challenging.

To fill this gap we have established 12 BRIDGE SCHOOLS in 12 habitations itself, where they get basic education & mid-day meal. After identifying potential students we motivate them to join into mainstream schools.

No. of children in our bridge schools	340+
No. of children joined to residential mainstream schools	250+



We are thankful to..

OUR PROGRAM PARTNERS: (Alphabetical order)

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