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SHRUSHTI SEVA SAMITI

'An NGO Dedicated to Social Transformation'

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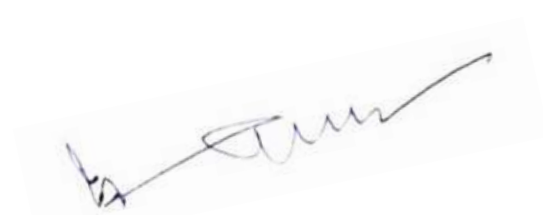
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MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN

Shrushti Seva Samiti is committed to unlocking the potential for change that lies within every individual and channeling it toward the betterment of society. Over the past year, we have expanded our impact by strengthening existing partnerships, forging new alliances, and mobilizing greater resources to reach more communities in need. This year, we proudly set a record by assisting the highest number of beneficiaries to date, reflecting the trust placed in our ability to make a difference.

Our approach blends proven strategies with innovative solutions to address evolving challenges. Through initiatives like “Ratri Chaupal,” the “Amrit Drishti Urban Eye Health Program,” and training under “Social Inclusion,” we have focused on empowering vulnerable groups and promoting financial independence through capacity-building efforts. Our swift action on climate-related challenges demonstrated the power of collective community response, providing critical support to healthcare workers, anganwadi centers, daily wage earners, and persons with disabilities.

Women’s empowerment and environmental sustainability remained central to our mission. This report showcases the tangible results of our impact-driven work, reminding us that every statistic represents a transformed life. We are deeply grateful to our partners, donors, and supporters whose commitment fuels our journey to create lasting positive change.



SHYAM SUNDAR BHATT

Chairman

ABOUT SHRUSHTI...

Shrushti Seva Samiti is a 26-year-old leading non-profit organization dedicated to advancing education, health, women's empowerment, and sustainable development across India. With a presence in 20 offices spanning 5 states and outreach to over 1.2 million rural households in 36 districts, Shrushti has positively impacted more than 6.1 million lives. Recognized for its transparency and credibility, the organization holds consultative status with the United Nations ECOSOC, ISO 9001:2015 certification, and compliance with 12A, 80G, FCRA, and CSR regulations. Backed by a strong team of 200+ dedicated employees, Shrushti has extensive experience in research, baseline surveys, and impact assessment studies that inform evidence-based program design and policy advocacy. Collaborating with governments, multinational corporations, and international agencies, the organization combines grassroots presence with research expertise to drive sustainable and equitable development.



CONTRIBUTION TO SDGS



VISION

An inclusive society where marginalized communities drive their development and manage their resources.

MISSION

To empower underprivileged communities for sustainable development and self-sufficiency.

OUR OBJECTIVES

- To promote the cause of universalization of primary educational, especially girl education.
- To empower women by promoting literacy and employment generation programmers.
- To support the farmer in agricultural activities leading to economic growth and modernization.
- To generate awareness to health, sanitation, family welfare and develop scientific temper in the rural folk.
- To promote awareness to environment related issues such as forest conservation, rain water harvesting, alternative energy resources, and pollution control.
- To promote social justice by extending help to physically handicapped, child-laboures and orphans.
- To promote information and communication technology in rural sector.
- To conduct research and create reliable database to support development strategies and activities.

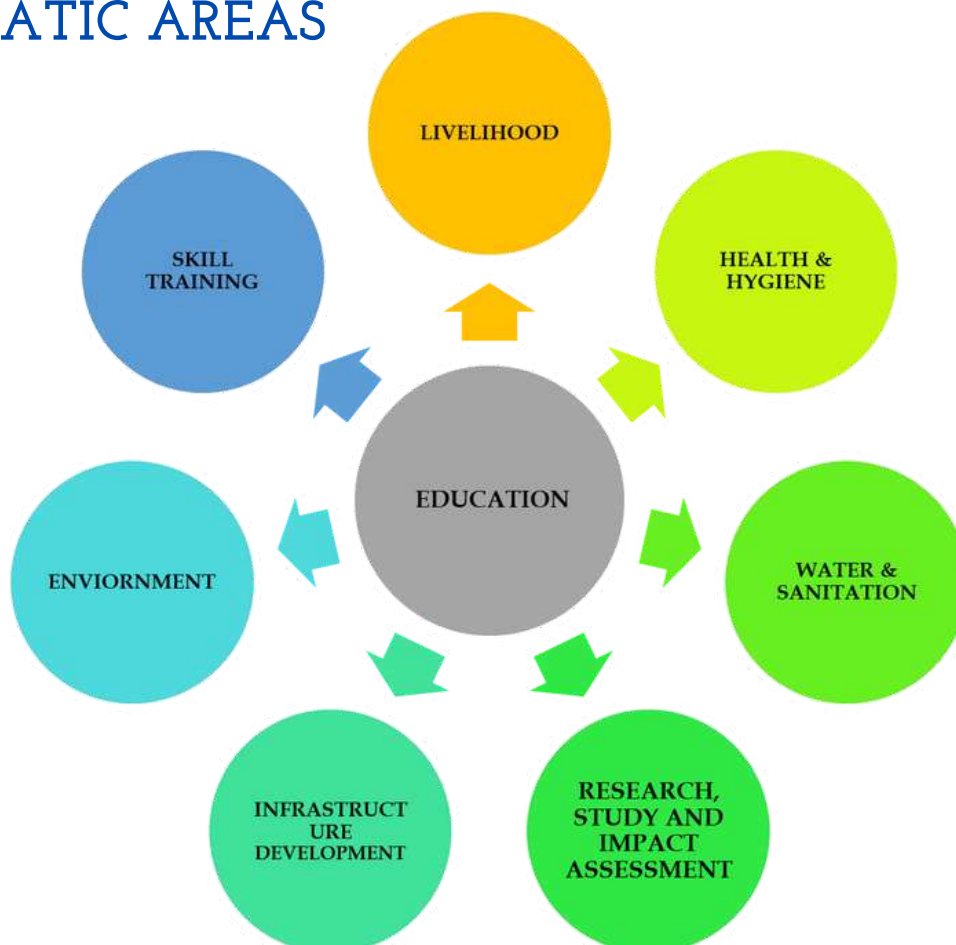
CORNERSTONES OF SHRUSHTI PHILOSOPHY

Over the years our experience has helped us create long-lasting solutions to the challenges we have faced as a community. This has involved a process that centers on the three pillars Design-Implement-Measure.

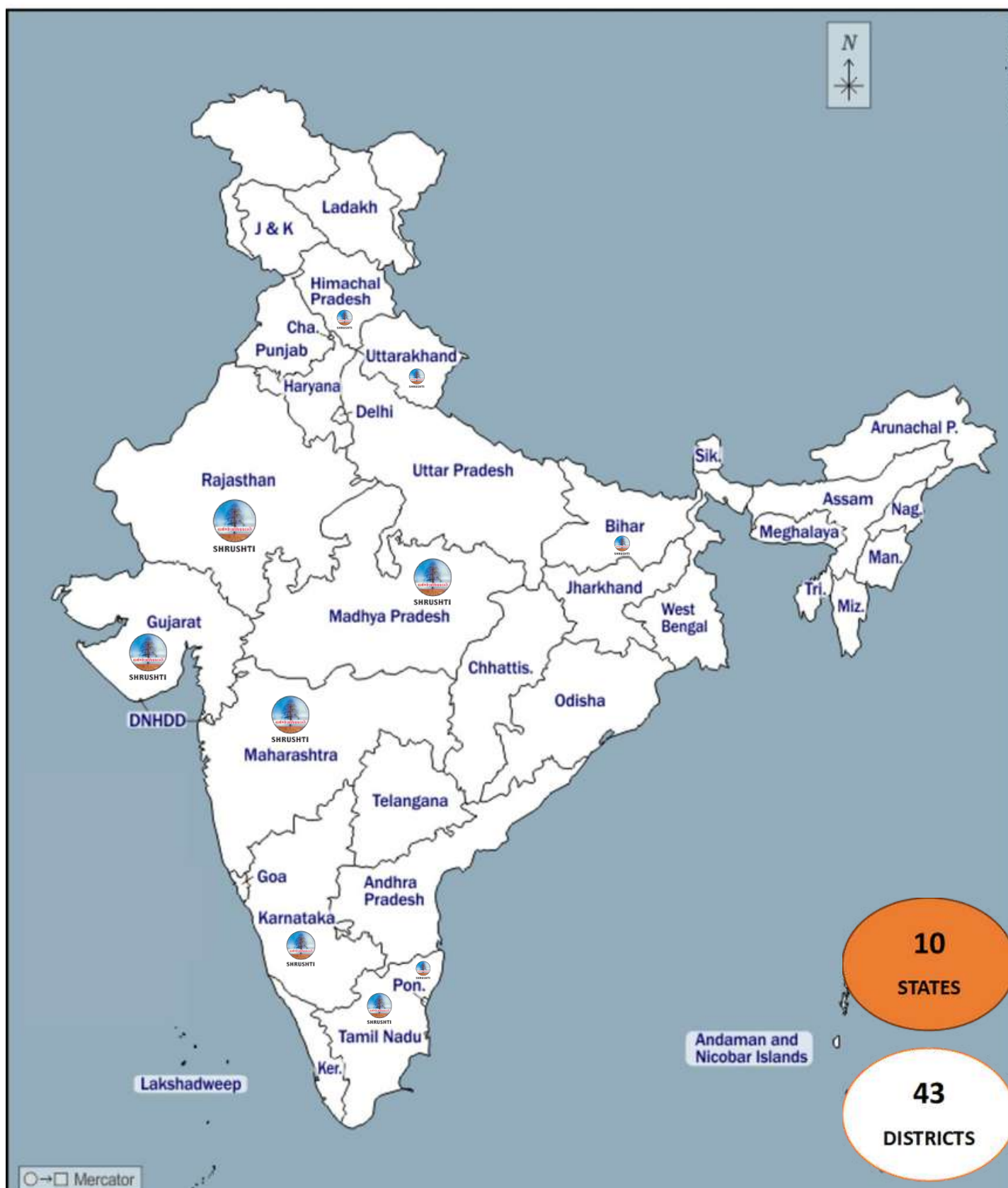
Our projects are designed after in-depth research and interaction with community stakeholders. These projects are then implemented after a thorough study of various alternative interventions, keeping in mind best practices in the sector. Lastly to ensure that our programmes are creating the impact envisioned we measure our impact, so as to be accountable to ourselves, the community and our donors.



THEMATIC AREAS



OUR REACH



ORGANIZATION PROFILE

Name of the Organization	-	Shrushti Seva Samiti
Legal Status a. Whether Trust or Society b. Society Registration No. c. Date of Registration d. Place of Registration	-	a. Society b. 142/Udaipur/98-99 c. 26th March 1999 d. Udaipur
PAN No.	-	AAETS6279D
TAN No.	-	JDHS09560F
NITI AYOOG	-	RJ/2009/0005971
Business Registration No. (Dept. of Planning, Directorate of Economic & Statistics Rajasthan, Jaipur), GOR	-	1061360000000150
FCRA Registration No.	-	125690085
Availed 12(A) and 80 G Certificate	-	Yes
Registration with MCA for form CSR-1	-	Yes, Approved Registration No.- CSR00000736
GST	-	Yes, Available GST No- 08AAETS6279D1Z6
PF & ESI	-	Yes
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YEAR AT A GLANCE



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Individuals Eye
Check-ups

23285

Students
Benefited with
Education

3295

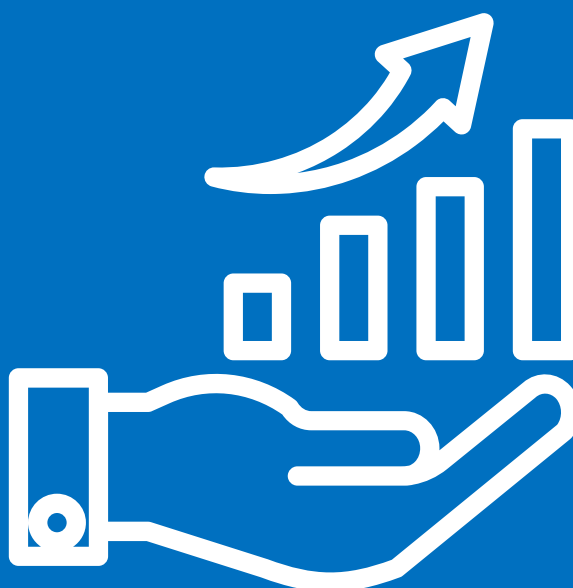
Women engaged
in livelihood
activities

57542

Pregnant and
lactating women
served

2663

Farmers
Benefited



KEY INITIATIVES

SAKHIYON KI BADI

Operating in 319 villages across seven districts of Rajasthan, the 'Sakhiyo Ki Badi' initiative runs 500 community learning centers, reaching 14,993 children. Focused on bridging learning gaps, it supports dropouts' reintegration, ensures holistic development, and has successfully mainstreamed 10,913 students into formal education systems.

IIMPACT: GIRLS EDUCATION PROGRAMME

Shrushti has embarked on a significant initiative, establishing 84 community-based learning centers in the tribal-dominated Kumbhalgarh block of Rajsamand. This project reflects our commitment to enhancing educational opportunities within tribal communities, with a particular focus on girls who face unique challenges due to high migration rates and domestic responsibilities. These learning centres offer flexible schedules, proximity to homes, dedicated local female educators, and active parental involvement. So far, the program has positively impacted over 2,517 girls, primarily from tribal backgrounds, catalysing transformation in their lives.

17,510

Girls benefited with
quality education



JAIPUR URBAN EYE HEALTH PROJECT

Shrushti Seva Samiti partnered with Sightsavers (Royal Commonwealth Society for the Blind, UK) to implement an eye health program targeting urban poor communities living in slums. This initiative aims to address the lack of accessible and affordable eye care services. 04 Vision Centres were established in slum areas, equipped with screening, refraction, spectacle dispensing, referral, and cataract identification facilities.

Trained Optometrists and Ophthalmic Assistants provide these services.

In this year, the project has screened 15843 patients, provided spectacles to 2746 individuals, and facilitated cataract operations for 499 people through affiliated hospitals. Additionally, the program emphasizes raising awareness about eye care among the slum residents, ensuring that no one goes blind due to treatable conditions like Refractive Errors (RE), Cataract, and Diabetic Retinopathy (DR).



ENSURE ACCESS TO EYE CARE SERVICE

Shrushti Seva Samiti, in collaboration with JUMIO India Pvt. Ltd., is spearheading a vital initiative aimed at providing essential eye care services to underserved communities in Jaipur. Focused on improving the ocular health of school children and individuals residing in slum areas, this project targets those from disadvantaged socioeconomic backgrounds.

Over the course of a year, our mission is to reach out to approximately 7000 individuals within Jaipur's slum communities, ensuring they have access to crucial services pertaining to refractive errors and cataracts. By offering these services, we aim to alleviate the burden of vision impairment among the less privileged, empowering them to lead healthier and more productive lives.



ACCESS TO JUSTICE



The 'Access to Justice' project operates in Dungarpur, Balotara, Baran and Kota to protect children from abuse, trafficking, and exploitation. It strengthens child protection systems, ensures legal and emotional support for victims, and promotes institutional synergy. Our team has supported 155 child sexual abuse cases securing INR 73,20,000 in compensation for victims. Additionally, 235 child laborers were rescued, rehabilitated, and linked to education, 1216 child marriages were prevented, and 20,789 pledges were taken against child marriage, creating a safer environment for children across 4 Districts.

SUPPORTIVE SUPERVISION

In our continuous commitment towards fostering impactful Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) initiatives, we are engaged in providing supportive supervision to Hindustan Zinc Ltd. (HZL) for their ongoing CSR projects. Our methodical approach involves engaging with diverse stakeholders, gathering essential insights, assessing feasibility, and presenting community expectations to the HZL CSR team. Additionally, our involvement extends to visiting projects funded by HZL, implemented by NGOs, obtaining beneficiary feedback, and submitting comprehensive third-party reports to HZL. Our contribution is instrumental in creating heightened

project impact and fostering widespread visibility. The Shrushti Seva Samiti operates diligently across 174 villages of 6 locations including Debari & Zawar (Udaipur), Dariba (Rajsamand), Kayad (Ajmer), Rampura Agucha (Bhilwara), Chanderiya (Chittorgarh) with a team comprising 33 field coordinators, 5 field engineers, and 1 project consultant. Over the last four years, our efforts have been dedicated to elevating economic, social, and well-being parameters within communities surrounding HZL operations. Our approach encompasses supportive supervision, robust coordination, and fostering collaboration among partners, government entities, PRI representatives, and relevant stakeholders.

REVITELIZATION OF ANGANWADI CENTERS

Shrushti Seva Samiti, in collaboration with NICSI, is revitalizing Anganwadi centers in Sirohi district to combat malnutrition and promote early childhood development. The project includes infrastructure upgrades with BALA painting, sanitation, water, and electricity improvements, along with kitchen facilities. Focused interventions include follow-up support for SAM/MAM children, capacity-building sessions for pregnant and lactating mothers, and establishing kitchen gardens to encourage dietary diversity. Age-appropriate Teaching-Learning Materials (TLM) and interactive spaces are introduced to create engaging learning environments. Together, these efforts aim to ensure safe, well-equipped centers that nurture healthy growth and holistic development for children aged 0–6 years.



RAJPUSHT

In Rajasthan, where one in three newborns is underweight, IPE Global and Shrushti Seva Samiti work across 3,358 Anganwadi centers in Pratapgarh and Banswara to support pregnant and lactating women with cash benefits. This ensures access to nutritious food, strengthens PMMVY and IGMPY schemes, and promotes healthy newborn development.

RajPusht promotes nutrient-rich diets among Pregnant and Lactating Women (PLWs) and children aged 6–24 months through financial aid, strategic programs, and community engagement. This year, 290,763 counselling sessions supported 55,546 women, guiding them toward better nutrition and holistic well-being for a healthier future in Rajasthan.



IMPROVING THE SELF- RELIANCE AND RESILIENCE OF RURAL COMMUNITIES IN BANSWARA DISTRICT

Implementing The Rural Transformation BIJ (Bharat-India Jodo) program by Reliance Foundation operates in over 146 villages of Banswara District, fostering climate resilience and empowering communities to adapt to climate change. It focuses on sustainable natural resource management, increasing water supply for livelihoods and drinking purposes, and promoting climate-smart agriculture. Aligned with the National and State Action Plans for Climate Change, the program addresses vulnerabilities and develops strategies for climate action. Additionally, it supports Sustainable Development Goals 6 (water management) and 13 (climate action), offering a comprehensive approach to enhance community resilience against climate change.

RAJKVIK

A project under the Rojgar Adharit Jan Kaushal Vikas Karyakram under the Mukhya Mantri Kaushal Vikas Yojana (MMKVY) focuses on the Healthcare sector in Sikar, Rajasthan. The initiative involves managing a Skill Development Center (SDC) that provides employment-oriented healthcare training. The SDC, operating over a 6-month period, aims to enhance the employability of 60 beneficiaries by equipping them with essential, practical skills for careers in healthcare. This program offers comprehensive, job-ready training to support career development in the healthcare field.



NABARD: BHADOLI WATERSHED



The Capacity Building Phase (CBP) of Bhedoli Watershed in the Chauth Ka Barwada block of Sawai Madhopur District, Rajasthan, aims to enhance watershed management through targeted capacity-building initiatives. This project focuses on reducing soil erosion, improving surface water retention, and optimizing overall physical conditions within the watershed. In addition, it addresses the socio-economic and livelihood aspects of local communities, ensuring holistic development. By implementing Watershed Development Programme activities, the project seeks to foster sustainable environmental practices and elevate the well-being of the residents, thus contributing to the long-term resilience and productivity of the watershed area.

COLLABORATION WITH NATIONAL INSTITUTE OF MSME (NI-MSME)

Over the past two years, Shrushti Seva Samiti has been empaneled with the National Institute for Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises (ni-msme), Hyderabad. During this period, we have successfully undertaken and completed key assignments, including the preparation of Detailed Project Reports (DPRs), an End-line Study of the SVEP programme, and a study on the functioning of specialized technical training centres of KVIC across Maharashtra, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka, Madhya Pradesh, Gujarat, and Himachal Pradesh. These collaborations have enabled us to contribute to evidence-based planning, capacity building, and strengthening of micro-enterprise ecosystems across multiple states.

ATAL BHUJAL TRAINING



Under the Atal Bhujal Yojana, a one-day training on "Efficient Water Use in Right Crops" was organized at District Parishad, Rajsamand to promote sustainable water management. Farmers were guided on selecting low water-intensive crops, adopting drip and sprinkler irrigation, and constructing farm ponds to conserve groundwater. Experts emphasized community participation as essential for reversing groundwater depletion. Information on financial assistance available under the scheme was also shared. Officials from Agriculture, Horticulture, Water Resources, Panchayati Raj, and Rural Development departments motivated farmers to adopt water-saving techniques. The program successfully encouraged collective action, aiming to balance agricultural productivity with groundwater conservation.

ONE DISTRICT ONE PRODUCT (ODOP) DESIGN WORKSHOPS

This year, four ODOP Design Workshops were successfully conducted to build awareness among cluster craftspeople on the importance of design in enhancing their products. Each two-day workshop, facilitated by design experts, focused on practical learning and discussions around product improvement, communication, diversification, quality enhancement, packaging, and branding. The sessions helped craftspeople explore new possibilities for innovation while strengthening the market readiness of their traditional crafts.

#	Place	Block	District	State	Product	Training Date
1	Patna	Patna	Patna	Bihar	Tikuli Painting.	28-29.09.2024
2	Haldwani	Haldwani	Nainital	UttaraKhand (UK)	Aipan Art.	03-04.10.2024
3	Chamba	Chamba	Chamba	Himachal Pradesh (HP)	Chamba Rumal	15-16.10.2024
4	Kangra	Kangra	Kangra	Himachal Pradesh (HP)	Kangra Paintings	18-19.10.2024

OUR PARTNERS

Partnership with GOI	Partnership with State Government	Partnership with Corporate CSR	Partnership with National Agencies	Foreign Partnership
•Ministry of Jal Shakti(GOI) • Dept. of Science & Technology ,GOI • Ministry of Women & Child Development, (GOI) •Ministry of Earth Science, GOI	•Water & Sanitation Support Organization (GOR) •NABARD • Dept. of S & T, GoR. •RSLDC •Rajasthan youth Board • Department of Industries, GoR. •Public Works Department, Rajasthan •PHED, Rajsamand, Dungarpur,Chittoargarh •PHED, Bhopal (M.P) •Atal Bhujal (Ground Water Dept.)	•IIFL Foundation •Vedanta Foundation •Hindustan Zinc Ltd. •Signify Innovation Pvt. Ltd. •Jumio India Private Ltd. •IIMPACT, Gurgaon •Reliance Foundation •CSR BOX •SIDBI, India •IIMPACT, Gurgao •JSW Cement Ltd. •JK Lakshmi Cement •Crystal Crop Protection Ltd. •Save Solution Pvt. Ltd. •Rajasthan State Gas Limited. •Aditya Birla Education Trust	•UNDP India •NAB Foundation •KSCF •IPE Global Limited •Sightsavers India •NIMSME, Hyderabad •Azim Premji Foundation •National Institute of Design	•Sightsavers International •Kailash Satyarthi Children Foundation, US. •Solidaridad Network Asia Limited, Hong Kong •Access to Justice •Educate Girls, US

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