



CHILD DEVELOPMENT SOCIETY

E-BULLETIN

Child Development Society Monthly Staff Meeting



Briefing Procurement process by Mr. Poshak Roka (SCM and Admin Officer)

On 27th December of 2021, a monthly staff meeting was held at CDS head-office Kapan. The meeting focused on sharing progress report by the staff on their respective programs along with challenges faced during the completion of their objectives. While, setting goals for their next month programs. Mr. P. Roka (SCM and Admin Officer) gave a brief description about the processing of procurements and purchase of orders, with the goal of a paper-free organization in the near future.

COMPLETION OF 13 DAYS TRAINING ON LIFE-SKILL & PROTECTIVE SKILLS



Trainees receive certificates in the presence of CDS Executive Director (Mr. Krishna P. Subedi) and CDS Program Manager (Mr. Pradip K. Shrestha)

A training for fellow teachers on life-skill and protective skills, selected from the local level took place at Bhaktapur Guest House. It was organized by Child Development Society and World Vision International Nepal in-collaboration with Kirtipur Municipality and KathmanduMetropolis Municipality ward no. 16. The training lasted from 11th Dec- 20th Dec, with effective facilitation by Mr. Prakash Sunuwar, (Protection Officer - Child Development Society). Over, 22 youth were able to participate in the training. This training is a part of the Child Protection and Community Based Sponsorship Project which has been effectively operating for the past two years.

The project's objective of empowering and protecting children, is highly valued and promoted with several training and sponsorship programs. The training comprised of both educational and practical demonstration on the thematic areas such as:- Orientation to self-awareness, Self-defense, nutrition, family respect, child-friendly environment, sexual and reproductive health rights, knowledge of issues such as identification and protection of gender based discrimination.

DAY CARE CENTRE

PRE-CHRISTMAS CELEBRATION/ DISTRIBUTION OF WARM WINTER WEARS



Toddlers engage in Pre-Christmas festive activities, while munching on sweets goodness.



A pre-Christmas Day celebration was conducted at the CDS Day Care Centre for Pre-schoolers, along with the distribution of warm winter wears. Around, 22 children were present on 24th of December participated in the celebration. Glenn Family Foundation (GFF) Helps Nepal teams organized the pre-Christmas celebration activity in assistancewith CDS Day Care staff and volunteers. Theabsentees will beprovided with winter wears once they join Day Care.

Joint Monitoring Visit



Monitoring of team interaction with Brick Workers



Monitoring of Day care center



A review meeting after Monitoring visit

A joint monitoring was organized for measuring the program outcome and support for improvement on further programs under the BRICKK project. In the first quarter of the program Joint monitoring was conducted by CDS/WVIN with MoLESS, Municipality, Ward, WVIN and CDS board under BRiCKK II project. The monitoring team sat for a short review and have prepared suggestion for further area for improvement.

The joint monitoring visit, was enlightening as several findings such as: Day care center decoration, food managements, hygienemaintenance and child participation have been very fruitful. Brick workers are aware about the child labor and also care about child educations. The Monitoring Team also had interactions with Brick-workers and bric-kowners about child labor and other issues.

On interaction with beneficiaries it was clear that the beneficiaries were happy with project intervention.

Development Assets Survey



Registered Children getting involded in the DAP survey.

Development Assets Progress (DAP) survey is the one of the tools which measure the impact of child wellbeing By World Vision International Nepal (WVIN). DAP uses widely for a reliable and valid assessment of the strengths, supports, and noncognitive factors that are essential for young people's success in school and life.

DAP is planned in integration approach with Child Development Society and Good Neighbors Nepal in the proportion of 60% & 40% respectively. DAP is organized in two phases, in the first phase of the survey was conducted at Kritipur ward 1 to 10, 25 Dec 2021. The second phase of the survey was conducted at Balaju area on 1st Jan 2022 and Kritipur ward number 6. DAP is targeted for 12 to 18 years Registered and Nonregistered children were successfully conducted.

Four short term staffs (enumerators) were appointed for DAP surveys, along with WVIN urban MEAL coordinator Sabita Gurung who facilitated a one-day orientation for them at Good Neighbors Nepal Head office Balkhu. The first phase was facilitated by four enumerators- Pratiksha Gautam, Saurav Gautam, Anjila Shrestha and Kalpana Ghimire. While, the second phase was facilitated by four other enumerators- Pratiksha Gautam, Saurav Gautam, Anjila Shrestha and Kalpana Ghimire.

TRAINING OF TRAINERS



The trainees assemble at the training ground while the trainers give instructions.

Terre Deos Hommes (TDH) organized a 10 days TOT (Training of Trainer) on case management to basic helping skills for case workers at Park Village Resort Budhanilkantha. CDS's Sakriya team along with other 15 partner NGOs were participated at the training. First five days of training was based on case management and its processing, whereas next five days was about basic helping skills. As it was TOT the training was run by trainers themselves which enhanced their basic skills.

CDS has been implementing the Sakriya project in Gokarneshwor, Suryabinayak and Changunarayan municipality in Kathmandu and Bhaktapur respectively with the support of World Education Inc.

DAY CARE AT BRICK KILNS



Children enjoying meal at Day Care Centre

Over, seven 'Day Care Centers' has been established in the brick industries of Kathmandu and Lalitpur district. The main objectives of Day Care is to provide- quality care, nutritious food and child friendly environment for children, whose parents work in brick kilns. The number of children have been increasing day after day with the current number being 150 children and counting. CDS has been supplying necessary playing equipments and stationaries for the children.



Brick kiln owner distributing stationaries



Children playing inside day care

EMERGENCY HEALTH SUPPORT TO REGISTERED CHILD



The cheque was handed over by Mr. Pradip Shrestha (Program Manger) and Surendra Maharjan (Social Mobilizer), for the ongoing treatment.

Illness being an unwanted health condition, where, cancer itself is a devastating reality for many today. Keeping in mind the upliftment of children so that they grow to have a better life.

Cancer treatment are expensive but not more than a child's life. A registered child (RC) from Kirtipur Municipality was diagnosed with this condition and needed an immediate relief. Therefore, to support this child's healthier future a fund with the amount Rs.60,000 was handed over to the RC's mother.

About us

Child Development Society, founded in 1991 A.D has been working for the overall development of the children through protecting and promoting their rights as enshrined in international conventions, national laws and policies. The major areas of interventions of CDS are child protection, quality education, mother and child health and livelihood.



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