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Covid-19 epidemic food distribution

Gramin Vikas Sanstha (GVS) Chicholi Betul with the financial support of Paul Hamlyn Foundation U.K. London, with the help of Post Covid Relief Fund, during and after the Covid-19 pandemic, some works were done for the benefit of the community, Affected economically weak families, whose economic condition was weak and who were living their lives by doing daily wages, the source of income of such families had suddenly ended. In such a situation, food items were distributed to destitute, widowed, abandoned, single women, disabled and needy families by Gramin Vikas Sanstha Chicholi in collaboration with Paul Hamlyn Foundation. For this, efforts were being made by GVS for natural farming, livelihood and public welfare at the village level, a list of families belonging to such villages was prepared and food grains were distributed to them. In order to enable them to get food in this crisis situation, the work of distribution of food grains to 112 families of 25 villages was done by GVS.





Pond deepening

During Covid-19, people did not have any work, so it was a big challenge to provide work to people in this odd situation, in this situation, the work of digging and deepening of ponds was done by the organization, due to which people got employment and water resources and water conservation work was done by deepening the pond for conservation, this work is still being used for irrigation by the villagers. Due to pond deepening work, 350 man days were available in 07 ponds.



Tree Plantation

Tree plantation for employment and environmental protection in the villages of the project area and fruit and timber saplings were made available for planting horticulture crops in people's fields during the rainy season. Tree plantation was done on the community land. Tree plantation work was done in 20 villages of the project area, out of which 2000 saplings were planted in Anganwadis, schools and cremation grounds.



Soak pit near hand pumps

In the villages of the project area, for the prevention of water borne diseases and water conservation, a soak pit was constructed near the hand pump, so that the water flowing near the hand pump does not collect in the drain, because where there is contaminated water, the ponds living together at the same place. There is a fear of spread of diseases like malaria and other water borne diseases due to breeding of mosquitoes. 65 soak pits were prepared near 65 handpumps in 20 villages to recharge the ground water level with water released from handpumps. Along with this, the water coming out of the hand pump which used to create dirt and mud on the way, now it became ground water from the sockpeat and helped in increasing the water level.



Kitchen Garden with rain Shelter

For the livelihood and health, nutrition of 80 families of 20 villages of the project area, under the kitchen garden with rain shelter, the families were supported in the seeds of vegetables, materials for the rain shelter, so that the family members received nutritious vegetables and the rain shelter. The production of vegetables increased and the people of the village became aware of the techniques of modern vegetable production. Even after the project, people from other villages have also started using rain shelters for vegetable production because of these people. For this people are getting benefits from the scheme of Horticulture Department.





Agriculture seed support programme for Kharif & Rabi Crop

Crops to be sown in kharif season in 20 villages of the project area, mainly seeds of maize, soybean, tur etc. were provided as well as vegetables taken in kharif season including bottle gourd, pumpkin, gilki, cucumber, bitter gourd, chili etc. Seeds were provided. Crops sown in rabi season, mainly gram, wheat, and in vegetables, seeds of tomato, bhatta, chilli, etc. were provided.

Due to this, the farmers of the area got crops as well as vegetables for their use. By selling the extra left over vegetables, pesos were helped for household expenses.



Dry Ration Distribution to Vulnerable Families

Dry ration was distributed by the project to the economically weaker families of the project area, in which edible oil, spices, pulses, rice, tea leaves, sugar, flour etc. were made available, so that these families could get food security. Later, due to the low purchasing



power of the people, dry ration was distributed to the needy families by identifying such families by the project. Along with this, continuous efforts were made by the organization to connect these families with the free ration scheme of the government and they were

provided ration from the government.



Village level Training on MNREGA work plans

In the villages of the project area, training was organized at the village level for making MNREGA work plan at the village level. In this training, the work plan of various works to be done under the MNREGA scheme was prepared and presented in the Gram Sabha with the people of MNREGA Mate and Panchayat. Information was given to the

people regarding doing so that by preparing the work plan of MNREGA scheme at the village level, people can get employment in the village itself by creating work and employment opportunities under MNREGA in their village. And some works can be done under MNREGA at individual and community level. Such detailed information was given in this training. In this village level training, 400 people from 20 villages were trained on MNREGA action plan.



Distribution of nutrition food in 15 Anganwadi Kendra

In the 15 Anganwadi centers of the project area, nutrition, food items were made available under the project, under which pulses, oil, sugar, jaggery, legumes, spices, etc. were made available, nutritious food was prepared from these nutrients by the Anganwadi centers to the registered women, Anganwadi centers But regularly coming adolescent girls, children were made available, which increased their immunity to Covid. and efforts were made to reduce malnutrition



Watermelon Plantation.

In 15 villages of the project area, seeds of good quality were made available to the people for cultivation of watermelon for additional income in summer season. In which farming in organic way, making own organic fertilizers, providing seeds of high yielding varieties, use of rain shelter to protect crops from kit disease, sale of produced fruits in local market and district from time to time. Information given.



Mere Ghar ki Shala Village Level Special Coaching Classes



Children who were distracted from studies during the Corona period in Betul district, Chicholi district, run by my home school, were prepared for re-education through special classes, children who completed 5 years of age during the Kovid-19 epidemic Had taken. And the studying children were suddenly deprived of education, to continue the

education of the children from classes 1 to 5, 15 education volunteers were selected from among the educated youth of the village and entrusted with the task of teaching the children. , Children were given training to study with social distancing. With the efforts of the organization, out of 860 children of 15 villages of the project area, 442 boys, 418 girls, education

volunteers regularly conducted preliminary moral and practical studies from 10 am to 2 pm.



