

APPLE

ANNUAL REPORT

APRIL-2023 TO MARCH -2024

WEST GODAVARI DIST.



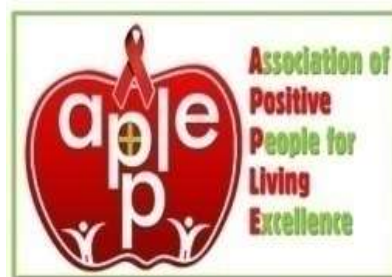
ASSOCIATION OF POSITIVE PEOPLE FOR LIVING EXCELLENCE (APPLE)

21ST Division, Kothuru Road, Beside Electrical Sub Station,
Vangayagudem , ELURU -WEST GODAVARI PIN-534001.

Annual Report April-2023 to March-2024

APPLE Stands for: -

**Association of
Positive
People for
Living
Excellence**



Introduction of the Organization: -

Association of Positive People for Living Excellence - Apple is a non-profitable community-based organization for people living with HIV/AIDS in West Godavari District. Ten people living with HIV/AIDS who experienced the stigma and discrimination and other related consequences came together and started working collectively with common vision in West Godavari District during the year 2002 and got registered under the Societies Registration Act 35 of 2001 on 15th September 2003 named as “Association of Positive People for Living Excellence” (APPLE).

APPLE has merged as a district level network, affiliated to Telugu Network of People Living with HIV/AIDS [TNP+ State level network of Andhra Pradesh, and to the National Level Network INP+.

J. Siva Krishna is the President of the organization. **APPLE** created a floor for voicing and advocating various issues related to People Living with HIV/AIDS in West Godavari District and extended its support services through providing counseling, medical treatment, positive living, support group meetings, Advocacy meetings with stake holders, and capacity building etc....

PRESIDENT MESSAGE:-



I am very pleased to say that, our organization gave a good scope for working with PLHIV Community. APPLE created platform to raise our voice on various issues raised to people living with HIV/AIDS in West Godavari District Mandal floor provides lot of space for asserting our rights through Advocacy and extended its support Services through providing counseling, medical treatment, positive living, Support group meeting, capacity building etc...

I am glad to submitting our annual report of APPLE for the year 2022-23. It witnessed that the APPLE provided better strengthening of the project activities in the district by providing information and propagate on HIV/AIDS Epidemic and its treatment Adherence (including ART) with a number of PLHIV in the community and organizing of Support Group Meetings and Advocacy meetings to make a link from community to society. In this context APPLE played a catalyst role for positive living and reliance among the community.

I am happy to express my heartfelt warm thanks to the board Members for their team effort and support to implementation of projects.

President

JAGARLAMUDI SIVA KRISHNA

LIST OF BOARD MEMBERS.

S.NO	NAME OF THE BOARD MEMBERS	DESIGNATION
1	J.SIVAKRISHNA	PRESIDENT
2	M.VEERABHADRAMMA	VICE PRESIDENT
3	Y. PRAVEENA	SECRETARY
4	D. MADHAVI	JOINT SECRETARY
5	K. RAMA DEVI	TREASURER
6	P. RAMESH	EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER
7	A. BHIMA RAJU	EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER
8	K. VENKATA LAKSHMI	EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER
9	G.PAVITHRA	EXECUTIVE BOARD MEMBER

1. Organizational Profile:

Name of the organization	: Association of Positive People for Living Excellence
Short Title	: APPLE
Address	: Beside Electrical substation, Kothuru Vanagayagudem, 21st Division, Eluru, West Godavari District, Pin -534001
Phone numbers	: 08812-246385 & 243269
E-Mail Address	: appleorg5@gmail.com
Date of Formation	: 15 th September 2003
Registration Number	: 348
Status of the organization	: APPLE, Community Based Organization
Affiliated to	: Telugu Network of People Living With HIV/AIDS
Total Enrolment	: 16640
Area of operation	: West Godavari District

VISION:

To improve the quality of life of people living with HIV/AIDS in West Godavari District.

OBJECTIVES:-

- To access free medical treatment for people living with HIV/AIDS.
- To provide Psycho social support.
- To provide capacity building for people living with HIV/AIDS through training programs.
- To advocate the issues of people living with HIV/AIDS.
- To support for PLHIV with Government Linkages
- To conduct support group meetings for people living with HIV/AIDS.
- To form self help groups for HIV infected women.
- To provide services to HIV infected/affected children.
- To create greater involvement of people living with HIV/AIDS.

To conduct Advocacy meeting with various departments to solve the PLHIV issues.

APPLE- ACTIVITIES: -

- ☞ Every Monday participating in “Spandana” Programme at Collectorate for PLHA’s Legal, Advocacy & Any other Issues.

- ☞ Providing necessary information on HIV/AIDS.
- ☞ Organizing Get- to- Gather meetings.
- ☞ Providing referral services to care and supporting centers ART centers and also referring to Government programs.
- ☞ Identifying the infected children's and providing necessary needs with the help of other NGO's.
- ☞ Referral services are provided to STI, T.B.
- ☞ Infected Children referred to Infected Children's Home.
- ☞ Organizing Emergency meetings.
- ☞ Affected Children referrers to Hostels for Care and Support.
- ☞ Providing peer counseling facilities for PLHA'S.
- ☞ Helping Fund Boxes are mobilized in varies public places for Infected and Affected Children School Fees & Medical Support Purpose.
- ☞ Mobilize local community resources to meet PLHIV and their children needs.
- ☞ Mobile community to conduct the Advocacy meetings on need based with stake holders.

No. of Running Projects: -

APPLE is present working on below project:

1. Vihaan CSC

Project: 1

VIHAAN –CSC Back ground: -

The *Vihaan* project developed by Alliance India is based on the guidance provided by NACO for the care and support component of a well synchronized treatment, care and support focused intervention; where treatment is managed by NACO (including that of O. Is) and care and support by civil society interventions. The strategy of implementation of the project is being completely revamped to ensure cost effectiveness and appropriate services to the community, as well as to ensure integration within NACP IV at the end of the project.

According to NACP IV, Care Support Centers (CSCs) will be set up across the country to respond to the care and support needs of PLHIV. A longer-term aim of the proposal is also to set up an enabled and competent system of civil society organizations and local government system partnership which can take over care and support activities much beyond the project time frame.

As per instructions of the NACO from June 2022 onwards the vihaan programme is going under APSACS (Andhra Pradesh State Aids Control Society) level for monitoring. In this purpose in our state 12 Care and Support Centre's are under control of APSACS. Every month they are reviewed with all data and given performance report to csc and they said that salaries based on performance reports. So that all the Care and Support Centres are doing their work promptly and also reports send to Higher authority before check all data.

Project Goal:

“To improving the Survival of Quality of Life of People Living with HIV/AIDS “

Objectives:

1. Early linkages of PLHIV to Care, Support and treatment services
2. Improved treatment adherence and education for PLHIV
3. Expanded positive prevention activities
4. Improved social protection and wellbeing of PLHIV
5. Strengthened community systems and reduced stigma and Discrimination.

Staff Details under the Project:

From April 2023 to March 2024

S.No	Name	Designation	Trained/ Not Trained	Staff Turnover Details
1	J.Siva Krishna	Project Director	Yes	No
2	P. Srinivasa Rao	Project Coordinator	Yes	No
3	P. Ramesh	Peer Counselor	Yes	No
4	S. Adilakshmi	Accountant Cum M&E	Yes	No
5	O. Dhara lakshmi	ORW - 1	Yes	No
6	A. Bhimaraju	ORW - 2	Yes	No
7	K. Srinivasarao	ORW - 3	Yes	No
8	P. S. Naidu	ORW - 4	Yes	No
9	G. Padmaja	ORW - 5	Yes	No

Indicators	Total
No. of ART Centers	6
No. of LAC	5
No of STI Clinics	4
No of PPTCTs	3
No of TI's	4
No of Blood Banks	10
No of PLHIV's in the District	35196
No of PLHIV ever ON ART	12654
No of PLHIV currently ON ART	18896
No of PLHIV ever on Pre-ART	26262
No of LFU in the district (if two CSC are in the same dist. Plz write respective ART LFUs)	Eluru-58 & Bhimavaram-102 &Jangareddigudem 0

ENROLMENT IN PROJECT: -

1. Registration:

A) Client Registration							
Indicator No.	A) Registration during reporting Year	Male	Female	Transgender	Male Children (<15 Yrs.)	Female Children (<15 Yrs.)	Total
A.1	Pre ART	0	0	0	0	0	0
A.2	On ART	252	273	8	4	4	541
A.3	Total registration	252	273	8	4	4	541

Description: During this year the registration of Pre ART is **0** and ON ART registration is **541**. Total registration is **541** is the **outcome** of the Vihaan programme. We have registered all clients those who are shared from the ARTC's.

1. In Referrals:

B) Referred From (In Referral)							
Indicator No.	In Referral	Male	Female	Transgender	Male Children (<15 Yrs.)	Female Children (<15 Yrs.)	Total
B.1	ART Centre	246	264	8	4	3	525
B.2	Link ART Centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.3	ICTC Center	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.4	PPTCT center	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.5	DOTS Centre	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.6	NGO/CBO/PLHIV Network	0	2	0	0	0	2
B.7	Government Hospital	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.8	MSM TI	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.9	Walk In/Self	6	7	0	0	1	14
	Grand Total	252	273	8	4	4	541

Description: During this year we achieved total **541** in referral in the in-referral registration.

Mechanism of Registration:

Indicator No.	Mechanism of Registration	Male	Female	Transgender	Male Children (<15 Yrs.)	Female Children (<15 Yrs.)	Total
C.1	Counselling in CSC/Helpdesk	236	249	7	3	4	499
C.2	LFU tracked back to ART	4	1	0	0	0	5
C.3	Missed case follow up	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.4	Pre-ART Registration	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.5	CD4 follow up	2	4	0	0	0	6
C.6	Testing of partner/spouse, children and family member	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.7	Hospital /clinical referrals (OI management, side effects, general ailment, TB, STI treatment)	10	19	1	1	0	31
C.8	Social Protection	0	0	0	0	0	0
C.9	Social entitlements	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Grand Total	252	273	8	4	4	541

During this year we registered total **541** clients by providing service delivery to the clients.

Out Referral during the year:

D) Out Referral during the year							
Indicator No.	Places to where the PLHIV are referred from CSC during the reporting Month	Male	Female	Transgender	Male Children (<15 Yrs.)	Female Children (<15 Yrs.)	Total
D.1	ART Centre	12	26	0	0	0	38
D.2	LINK ART	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.3	DOTS Centre	98	95	7	6	5	211
D.4	NGO/CBO/PLHIV Network	1	1	0	0	0	2
D.5	Govt. hospital	11	15	0	0	0	26
D.6	STI Clinic	0	4	1	0	0	5
D.7	Other Health Care	2	3	0	0	0	5
	MTH	0	0	0	0	0	0
D.8	Others	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Grand Total	124	144	8	6	5	287

Total out referral during the year is **287**.

INTERNATIONAL AIDS CANDLE LIGHT MEMORIAL DAY 2023

Date : 21st May 2023

Venue : APPLE Care and Support Centre Office, Eluru.

The International Aids Candle light Memorial Day Celebration Program started at 6 PM at APPLE Care and Support Centre Office, Eluru on this day. First of all, as per DAPCU Team instructions (they sent through mail communication) will celebrate at Care and support centre office. At 5.30 PM we have gathered at APPLE Office for PLHIV Community more than 50 members and sitting in the office. First of all, Project Director Mr. J. Siva Krishna explain about this day importance. He said that we need to create awareness about HIV/AIDs and also, he said that every year 3rd Sunday of May Month we observe as an International Candle Light Memorial Day and we remember all those who died due to HIV/AIDS. We pray them their soul may attain moksha. Also, he said that now HIV is decreasing but still we need to bring awareness so that we get a society without HIV. As per government instructions every year they have given one slogan for this purpose. For this year "**Spread Love and Solidarity** (to build stronger community)" it means in Telegu as "హెచ్ఐవి తో జీవిస్తున్నవారి పట్ల ప్రేమ, ఆప్యాయత, సంఘీభావము చూపుతూ వారికోసం బలమైన సమాజాన్ని నిర్మిద్దాం అని అర్థం".

Project Director said that in every year in the international wide celebrate of this event and spoke saying that we need to create awareness and we need to bring down discrimination towards People Living with HIV/Aids. And said that for every HIV Client should have nutrition benefit from the NGO's and CBO's. We have mobilized the nutrition from the donors those who are given for them. We invite clients to distribute the nutrition at our level and also, we have always given moral and mental support to HIV Clients to strengthen their life in the society compare with all others. And also Alfred State Advocacy officer talked with those are participated clients, if need any support from the Network for any community member inform our staff and also intimate at

CSC office. Based on that we will do the accompanied service support for any client.

Then we are all with Lighted Candles in the hand made a rally from APPLE Care and Support centre to Good Samaritan Cancer Hospital on the road with all participated members and then return back and then go to Vangayagudem Centre with all members and at that return back to APPLE Office and then went back to same place we started the rally and kept all the candles in a Red Ribbon symbol and kept silence for 5 minutes praying for all those who died living with HIV. And then disburse all of them from that place.





RALLY ON THE GOOD SAMARITAN CANCER HOSPITAL ROAD, ELURU

RALLY ON THE VANGAYAGUDEM CENTRE ROAD, ELURU



SIVA KRISHNA TALKED WITH PARTICIPATED CLIENTS AT RED RIBBON SYMBOL

KEPT THE CANDLE IN RED RIBBON SYMBOL AND PRAYING FOR THOSE WHO ARE DIED WITH HIV/AIDS.

1.... On today (08-06-2023) we have conduct Support Group meeting in Southern Street, Nr Venkanna cheruvu at Anjaneya swamy temple in Eluru under Outreach Worker 01. At 5.00PM. All the group members are attended and introduced to them. From the csc PC also participated. First of all, discussed on Safe sex education and taking precautions to avoid the other infections. discordant couple doing tests for every six months and take the precautions. As well concordant couple also taking precautions when participate in sex. whatever it may be all clients are using condom when they participate in the sex. And then we have discussed on Education support for CLHIV's in the group members. If need any support for education in the group members children. And then they had discussed in the Group by the participated members.

And finally said them regarding next month meeting which was conduct in the same place and then distribute the snacks for all participated members and then close the meeting.

2.....On today (14-06-2023) we have conduct Support Group meeting in Madepalli Village in Eluru under Outreach Worker 02. At 5.00PM. All the group members are attended and introduced to them. From the csc PC also participated. First of all, discussed on Safe sex education and taking precautions to avoid the other infections. Discordant couple doing tests for every six months and take the precautions. As well concordant couple also taking precautions when participate in sex. Whatever it may be all clients are using condom when they participate in the sex. And then we have discussed on Education support for CLHIV's in the group members. If need any support for education in the group members children. And then they had discussed in the Group by the participated members.

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SUPPORT GROUP MEETING IN ELURU



SUPPORT GROUP MEETING IN MADEPALLI



SUPPORT GROUP MEETING IN PALAKOLLU



ADVOCACY MEETING IN BHIMAVARAM

CASE STUDY-1

Date: July 2023

Name of the Client : Siyadri Rajani
Age : 38Yrs
Sex : Female
Client ID : '012201000980/16-05-2023
Status : On ART NO:19143, Aadhar No:7362 8812 1620
Address : W/O (L) Ganesh,, Kobbarithota, Ganukakottu Lane,
Western Street, Eluru; Eluru District. M.NO:93946 40371

DESCRIPTION ABOUT THE CASE:

Siyadri Rajani Aged about 38 years from Eluru Mandal and the client's name has been given in the April 2023 tracker sheet as Newly Initiated on ART in Eluru ART Centre with On ART No:19143 dated 19-04-2023. When we have received case data from ARTC we will follow up by phone contact because of client will be newly initiated ART. So based on that first of all we have taken client willingness for physical visit of their home visits. In the part of Field visit we will call her in the month of May 2023. But client cannot reply, and also, we make another on the same day in the evening time and she lift the call and replied and then we are asking her welfare and her address, but client said that I am not in the given address now in Visakhapatnam district of Tagarapuvalasa at my daughter's house.

Before that we have field follow up for her address, but she is not there, neighbours said that they came in to the Kobbarithota, Western Street and then we will follow up there, at also not available and then we make a call her and then she lift the phone on the second day of the follow up. At the same time why don't you take the medicine on due date. At that time, she told to us medicine not working proper for me, when use the medicine cannot do the work due to giddiness. Without working daily not maintain the family. So client said that write a letter for not willing. We have given counselling to her and once came to Eluru and met to us and then follow.

Client has two daughters and eldest daughter got married and living in Tagarapuvalasa of Visakhapatnam district, and another daughter along with her and she worked as AAYAA in school. Before that client husband sick and then died, when they died client also sick

and admitted in Eluru hospital and then done all routine tests and getting HIV Positive on 19-04-2023 and then enrolled in Eluru ARTC for new case and then given for follow up in the May month. When getting positive and died of her husband client went to Parental House of Tagarapuvalasa of Visakhapatnam district along with her daughter. We had followed up of the case after taking from the ARTC for follow up, client not available in the given address and mote times to call her and then she lifts the call addressed our notice where she has available now. As well we are asking about health condition and how to use the medicine, they said that not use the medicine properly because of suffering from giddiness when use the medicine and also, they said Not use the medicine and not come artc Eluru.

Again, we talked with her and convince to them to come artc Eluru for taking medicine and then follow up continuously when -came back to artc Eluru. On 5-6-2023 client came to Eluru ARTC for taking medicine at their counsellor and medical officer also counselled to them and put the transferred to Tagarapuvalasa GHCCD (Chest and Communicable Disease Government Hospital) And then we will continue follow up of that case, client not going to actual artc at Tagarapuvalasa in time. But frequently we have followed up the case and then client went to ARTC on 11-7-.2023 and transferred the case from Eluru to Tagarapuvalasa ARTC and also update the status in Eluru centre. Now client using art at there with Pre ART-NO:4377 and On ART NO:4188 as on 11-7-2023, and then we will continue the follow up of that case after completion of 7 months.



WORLD AIDS DAY—2023

Date : 1st December 2023

Venue: Indore Stadium, Eluru,
Eluru District.

Participants: DLSA, DM& HO, Adm & Ho; DCHS; DPM and staff, APPLE P.D and Staff, LWS Staff, ARHEADS Staff; Saathi Staff; ART Centre staff, red cross staff and other NGO's staff....

Today at 8.30 AM we had gathered at Indoor Stadium grounds to participate in World Aids Day program. After some time, District Medical & Health Officer Mrs. Dr. Sarmishta; In charge Addl DM& HO (Aids & Leprosy) Mr. M. Nageswarao; DLSA Secretary Mr. K. Ratna Prasad came on Dias. District Program Manager Mr. Samson; DIS Mr. Harinadh; Share India Program Officer Mr. G.N. Jagadish; APPLE Network President Mr. J. Siva Krishna; and other NGO's staff are also participated. All the nursing students from Government College, Eluru; Kunthidevi Institute Nursing Students; Red cross students and college students and ANM's are participated. First of all, when they came to stadium and sitting on Dias and then DHMO Madam talked with all participants. Need awareness on HIV/AIDS in the society for every citizen and how to living together with them. And then spoke to DLSA (District Legal Service Authority) Secretary if the client facing any legal issues approach our team and then sat both teams and counselled them for issue redressable. After that distributed to Mementos for best services holders those who are working in PLHIV Field by the hand of DLSA and DM & HO. And then put the red ribbon for all of them and other participated members and then they had talked about this program explain that which is the theme for

this year "**Let Communities Lead**" It means "**n»²R» ,Ájb¼¶**

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And then we had met to all staff and put the red ribbon for all of them. They said that every year we have meet in the rally program with district officials like DM & HO Staff and other NGO's staff and also participate from some college students to bring the awareness to them with official speech. DM & HO said that during this year we have celebrate this program without any precautions like maintain social distance, wearing masks and using sanitizers. Government given pension for infected client to protect them and also giving nutrition and also supplied ART Medicine for free of cost for all clients in the state. And then rally began from Indoor to Court premises through Fire station centre with all participated members and came back to stadium. At that they had given Biscuit Packets, Bananas and Water Bottles for each participated member and then they had disbursed.



OATH AT ON STAGE BY DLSA, DM & HO, ADM & Ho, DCHS, DPM AND OTHER MEMBERS



DH & HO TALKED AT STAGE



MEMENTOES DISTRIBUTED BY DLSA AND DH & HO





PRESS MEET AT INDOOR STADIUM



RALLY BEGAN AT STADIUM BY DH & HO MADAM



NURSING STUDENTS AT STADIUM



PLEDGE AT STADIUM

RALLY PHOTOS





APPLE CSC STAFF PARTICIPATION



APPLE CSC PD TALKED WITH DLSA K. RATNA PRASAD

DISTRICT AIDS PREVENTION & CONTROL UNIT, ELURU



WORLD AIDS DAY - 2023

2023 THEME: "LET COMMUNITIES LEAD"



ప్రతిజ్ఞ (Pledge)

మన ఆరోగ్యమే మన భాగ్యం. నేను తెలివైన తీరులో HIV వ్యాధి కట్ట అవగాతన చేస్తాను. అపోకలను తప్పించి, నాకు పాటుగా ఈ ప్రకటనలో నాకు వీలైనా విధానాన్ని HIV బారిన పడకుండా చేస్తాను. అలాగే HIV ఉన్న వారిని కట్టలను గుర్తించి, వారిని గౌరవించి, స్నేహించి ఉంటాను. నేను క్రమం తప్పకుండా మందులు తీసుకుంటూ మందులలోని జీవనం కొనసాగిస్తూ ఆరోగ్యంగా, ఆనందంగా ఉండి ఇంకా నా కంటకు కృషి చేస్తాను. నా ప్రియమైన వారిని కట్టలను తప్పించి, ఇతరులు కూడా వారి హెచ్.ఐ.వి HIV ప్రికలి తెలుసుకోవడానికి నా కంటకు ప్రయత్నం చేస్తాను. అంతే కాకుండా HIV తో జీవిస్తున్న వారి సాధారణ ప్రాధాన్యతలను "ప్రకటన" సాధించేందుకు మరియు "ఎయిడ్" ముగింపును అవ్వడానికి అవకాశాలను అంకం చేయడానికి వికసన ప్రయత్నం చేస్తాను.

[Handwritten signatures and names in Telugu script, including names like Karunada, ABB, and others.]



SIGN BOARD AT STADIUM

హెచ్ఐవీపై అవగాహన అవసరం

ఏలూరు టూటాన్, న్యూస్టుడే: హెచ్ఐవీ, ఎయిడ్స్ వ్యాధిపై ప్రతి ఒక్కరూ అవగాహన కలిగి ఉండాలని డీఎం హెచ్ఐవీ శర్మిష్ట అన్నారు. ప్రపంచ ఎయిడ్స్ నివారణ దినోత్సవం సందర్భంగా జిల్లా ఎయిడ్స్ క్షయ నియంత్రణ శాఖ ఆధ్వర్యంలో శుక్రవారం నగరంలో అవగాహన ప్రదర్శన నిర్వహించారు. ఇండోర్ స్టేడియం వద్ద ప్రదర్శనను డీఎం హెచ్ఐవీ శర్మిష్ట, జిల్లా న్యాయ సేవాధికార సంస్థ కార్యదర్శి రత్నప్రసాద్ జెండా ఊపి ప్రారంభించారు. ఆనంతరం డీఎం హెచ్ఐవీ మాట్లాడుతూ ఎయిడ్స్ రహిత జిల్లాగా ఏలూరును తయారు చేయాలన్నారు. అందుకు ప్రతి ఒక్కరూ సహకరించాలని కోరారు. జిల్లా ఎయిడ్స్, టీబీ నియంత్రణ అధికారి నాగేశ్వరరావు మాట్లాడుతూ యువత, విద్యార్థులకు హెచ్ఐవీపై విస్తృత అవగాహన



జెండా ఊపి ప్రదర్శన ప్రారంభిస్తున్న డీఎంహెచ్ఐవీ శర్మిష్ట

కల్పిస్తున్నామన్నారు. విభిన్న ప్రతిభావంతులు శాఖ ఏడీ రాకడ మణి, క్రీడల ముఖ్య శిక్షకుడు శ్రీనివాసరావు, పలు స్వచ్ఛంద సంస్థల ప్రతినిధులు, కళాశాల విద్యార్థులు, రెడ్ క్రాస్ సిబ్బంది, అశా కార్యకర్తలు పాల్గొన్నారు.

EENAADU PAPER CLIPPING

ఎయిడ్స్ రహిత సమాజానికి కృషి

ఏలూరు రూరల్: యువత, యువకుల సహకారం తో ఎయిడ్స్ రహిత సమాజం నిర్మించగలమని కలెక్టర్ వెంకటేష్ తెలిపారు. ప్రపంచ ఎయిడ్స్ దినం సందర్భంగా జిల్లా ఎయిడ్స్ నియంత్రణ శాఖ ఆధ్వర్యంలో శుక్రవారం ఏలూరులో ర్యాలీ నిర్వహించారు. స్థానిక ఇండోర్ స్టేడియం వద్ద జరిగిన కార్యక్రమంలో కలెక్టర్ మాట్లాడుతూ ఎయిడ్స్ నివారణ సుందరి పాఠశాలకు యువత ముఖ్య పాత్ర పోషించాలన్నారు. హెచ్ఐవీ తొలిదశలో గుర్తించడంతో పాటు ఎయిడ్స్ నియంత్రణపై ప్రజల్లో అవగాహన కల్పించాలన్నారు. హెచ్ఐవీ వాచిన సడిన వారిని సమాజం నుంచి వెలివేయకుండా వారిపై ఆదరణ చూపేలా కృషి చేయాలన్నారు. సామాజిక రుగ్గుతలపై యువత వ్యక్తి నిరీతి ప్రజలను చైతన్యపరిచి సమాజ వురోలి వ్యక్తి తోర్చుదాలన్నారు. ఈ కార్యక్రమానికి విచ్చేసిన రెవెన్యూ సామిటీ వలంబీర్లు, సీఆర్ఐఆర్ ఎన్.సి



ఏలూరు ఇండోర్ స్టేడియంలో అవగాహన ర్యాలీని ప్రారంభిస్తున్న కలెక్టర్ ప్రసన్న వెంకటేష్

క్యాబెట్లతో పాటు కళాశాల విద్యార్థులను ఆయన అభినందించారు. ముందుగా ఎయిడ్స్ నిర్మూలనపై అధికారులు చేపట్టిన సంతకాల సేకరణ, ర్యాలీలో విద్యార్థులు ఉత్సాహంగా పాల్గొన్నారు. ఈ కార్యక్రమంలో ఆర్డీ ఎన్.ఎస్.కీ జాజావలి, డీఈఓ క్యామె సుందర్, జిల్లా ఎయిడ్స్ నియంత్రణ అధికారి నాగేశ్వరరావు, విభిన్న ప్రతిభావంతులు సంక్షేమ శాఖ ఏడీ రాకడ మణి పాల్గొన్నారు.

SAKSHI PAPER CLIPPING



NUTRITION PROGRAM IN APPLE OFFICE BY RETIRED DYE GARU

In the APPLE CSC Office, we have conducted the nutrition program with the support of Retired Deputy Educational Officer Mr. k. Bucchiyya garu and their family members. In the part of field visit in the Eluru by outreach staff they met them in the Sanivarapu Peta field and ask them nutrition for PLHIV/CLHIC Clients. And then Project Coordinator went to their home and explain about program and activities for HIV Clients. They assured to give the nutrition for 100 PLHIV/CLHIV Clients. In the next day they are calling for PC and arrange the nutrition at office. We have gathered 100 clients from the different villages from Eluru, Bhimadolu, Denduluru and Pedapadu mandals.

All the clients gathering at 11.00 AM and then they came to office with nutrition packets. Before that PC and other staff has talked with clients and asking their welfare after introduced themselves. After that donor also talked with them and asking their welfare and take the good

nutritional food for healthy and also use the art medicine in correct way and correct time to avoid other infections in the body. And then they had distributed the nutrition for all participated clients and also given snacks and drinks for all participated members. Nutrition given in a packet and contain more than Rs.500/- for each packet. All the participated members are very poor and needy persons. After taking the nutrition they said that gratitude to them and came back to their home with the nutrition.



NUTRITION PROGRAM AT PALAKOLLU BY N. RAMANAYUDU MLA





MONTHLY REVIEW MEETING IN APPLE OFFICE

WEEKLY REVIEW MEETINGS:

As per our CSC Program guidelines every week ending on Saturday, we had conducting weekly review meeting with the all-outreach staff in the office. If the holiday on Saturday will conduct the meeting on Friday. In this meeting we had discussed what outreach staff doing in the week like old cases follow ups and Ifu's (9 categories line list) follow up and eligible for ictc testing's clients follow up, TB Testing's clients follow up, case studies which the client has bring to our notice for issues and wrote the letter to us and try to immediately to solved it. As well as in the forth coming week we have given the micro plan for all outreach to reach our program activities.

And moreover, in the meeting we had taken data from all staff those who have done the activity for this week and then also given

suggestions for them to do the work in better way. And discussing & planning on program activities like Support Group Meeting and Advocacy Meeting (twice in a Month), for Local Resource Mobilization to follow up Local Donors and also taking registration data from the staff to update in the website of Client Management and Information System. And more over we have conduct in house training mode meetings those who have low performance in the staff.

MONTHLY REVIEW MEETINGS.

We had conducted Monthly Review Meeting in Every Month. In this regard we have conduct 12 monthly review meetings From April 2023 to March 2024. In that meeting we had checked all program related documents for the month of that and also, we had verified all program related documents from all Out Reach Staff. As well as we have physical verification of all staff diaries, Ifus feedback details, Referral books, data updating in their daily diaries of all our staff, Registrations for all, ICTC Testing details, RNTCP details, Regular support group meetings and Advocacy meetings (Twice in a month) will be organized and information on various themes will be provided to build skills of PLHIV to lead quality life. And reviewed all the ORW's performance According to that we have given feedback and this year we have to improve in registrations and counseling.

Particularly in the month of March we have conduct Review Meeting on 25th due to SR instructions because of Program ending of this month. So that they said that all activities are complete the end of the month and moreover given 3 months transition period for all CSC's. We have reached all activities and updated in the CMIS (Client Management and Information System). While we have under APSACS from June 2022 onwards we have updated the data in Google spread sheets. We have all the Android mobiles and data updated in the mobiles by outreach. The following registers are updated by Care and Support Centre staff on daily basis and also weekly basis and the same data will be send to SACS, DISHA and related art centre through mail communication and as well as we have updated in the input module regarding outreach data like TB Screening Register, ICTC Screening Register and Counselling Register etc.... by outreach wise. We have taken all diaries, Ifu's line lists, follow up formats and common format for newly initiated On art cases, Plasma Viral Load > 1000 copies cases, CD4

< 200 cases, 2nd line and 3rd line cases line list and TB Co-infected cases line list are followed up and data updated in the google spread sheet by Project Coordinator and Accountant cum M & E on weekly basis taken from outreach staff. And every month we have given performance data for all outreach staff to do their work based on the same month in all categories of the program. And then again reviewed them and push up them those who are in low performance and also Project Director and Coordinator has been given instructions to them for better perform in the coming month.

Local Resource Mobilization for the -2023-2024

SI . No .	Name of the CSC	No of PL HIVs benefited	Date of supported	Name of the Donor	Type of support Life Time /One Time	Type of material	Each Person benefited Worth of Rs/.	Total worth of mobilization by your CSC	Remarks
1	APPLE	20 25 35 20 30 100 10	every month	Pastor Peter New Hope Org Pastor Vijay Bhasker Pastor Kishor K. Bucchiyya garu DyEO	Life Time	Ragi Floor – 2 KG, Jaggery - KG, Peanuts Nuts Packet – 1kg. Dates packet - 1kg	25*500 35*500 20*1200 30*500	69000*12 =828000	
		One Time			Horlicks 1kg packet, Corn flour 1kg, mixed fruit flour and drink bottles	100*500	50000		
		One Time				250*500	125000		
						TOTAL		10,03,000/-	

During this Year we have mobilized resource mobilization of worth **10,0,3000/-** for the welfare of PLHIVs

Stigma and discrimination for PLHIV Clients:

K) Incidents of Stigma and Discrimination during Year							
Indicator No.	Source of Incidence	Male	Female	Transgender	Male Children (<15 Yrs.)	Female Children (<15 Yrs.)	Total
K.2	Family members		4	0	0	0	4
K.3	Neighbours		1	0	0	0	1
K.11	Grand Total		5	0	0	0	5

During the period we found total **5** stigma and discriminations from family members **4** and Neighbors **1** . We effectively solved **5** Cases and reported with the help of DRT Team.

ART-CSC COORDINATION MEETINGS.

As per instructions of APSACS every ART Centre will be conducting ART CSC Coordination meeting with related Care and Support Centre in every month and discussed priority clients line list (9 categories line list) share and get feedback to ART Centre with definite outcomes and at the meeting time both (ART & CSC) staff are sitting and discussed with various topics and also reduce the lfu's in art centre. And also, meanwhile DAPCU also participate and discuss on difficulties at field level and they had given solutions for issues and also on behalf of CSC all the ORW's spoke their issues at ground level identifications and ask them at meeting. As well we have discussed on Viral load due lists and CD4 due lists in the meeting and instructed to Outreach to get back them for eligible clients for testing's.

Date :
Place : **ART Center, Bhimavaram.**

Today we have attended for ART CSC Coordination Meeting in bhimvaram ART Center at 12.00 PM. Senior Medical Officer Mr. Govind Babu and Medical Officer Mr. K. Rambabu is presided over of this meeting. All the APPLE Vihaan staff under working of this ART is attended. And also, all ART Staff are participated in this meeting. First of all, Doctor asking Ifus feedback by Out Reach Worker wise. They gave to be initiated cases, Miss Cases, lost to follow up cases, newly or initiated cases, Viral load cases, CD4 cases, 2nd and 3rd line cases and HIV-TB Co-infected cases for this month. Firstly, asking ORW wise data and review in depth about Ifus because of more cases are having Incorrect Address. We said that we have also verified with white cards at Center, but in that also the same address will be there. After that they had asking.

. We had given for all cases data those cases with complete feedback. And then Doctor asking outreach staff what you faced any problem in the field level when tracing Ifu clients in the middle of the meeting they asking opted out cases, we said that we have follow up these types of cases in this month. If write the data format put the separate when they came back. Meanwhile DPM asking about old Ifu's data, if it is not traced in the field in the address and verify at ART Centre in green card and also verify at ICTC Centre (those who are client testing centre). Because of some times address will be change at ICTC and ART Centre. So that we have focused on this to reduce the number and at the same time all the Ifu cases are become back.

Finally, SMO Satisfied with the feedback of all cases because of more cases bring back for this month and also, we will try to next month onwards to given more cases bring back. Again, they are asking about to be initiated cases put the medicine for these two cases (Those who are willing to come) Apple vihaan staff sharing their field level issues. So that based on this so many problems we will not traced and get back

more cases for art. And moreover, again asking 9 kind of Priority client line list for follow up. For this month they had given CD4<200 cases and HIV-TB Co infections line list.



ART CSC COORDINATION MEETING AT BHIMAVARAM ART CENTRE



ART CSC COORDINATION MEETING IN ELURU ART CENTRE

<i>Name of the Organization</i>	Association of Positive People for Living Excellence (APPLE)
<i>Name of the event</i>	ART- CSC COORDINATION MEETING
<i>Date of Event Conducted</i>	15-07-2023
<i>Place of event Conducted</i>	SAFE Care Centre, ELURU.

Name of the Participants with designations: M O's Jagadeeswararao and Buelah Florence and Dapcu DPM Dr. Samson garu, all counselors, data managers and other staff at Safe Care Center; APPLE Project Director Mr. J. Siva Krishna, & Project Coordinator Mr.P. Srinivas, Peer Counselor Mr. P. Ramesh & outreach workers ; YRG Staff, SAATHI , TINGO's and Share India staff are participated.

Today we have attended for ART CSC Coordination Meeting in Eluru ART Center at 3.00 PM.. Medical Officer Dr. Buelah chaired of this meeting. All the APPLE CSC staff under working of this ART is attended. From the Dapcu DPM are attended and also all ART Staff and all NGO's Partners are participated in this meeting. First of all Doctor asking all kind Ifu's feedback by Out Reach Worker wise. They gave Miss cases, Lost to follow up cases, Newly or initiated cases . Firstly, asking ORW wise data and review in depth about MIS—2 and 3 Cases. We had given for all cases data those cases with complete feedback. And then Doctor asking outreach staff what you faced any problem in the field level when tracing Ifu's clients. We request them regarding new cases follow up, inform to client when given Counseling at Safe Care Centre in the first time some outreach staff are visit to home for address verification and talking smoothly and will given the information, because of the same cases will be follow-up up to 7 months and retained in treatment.

Meanwhile DPM Said that regarding Priority clients line list all the partners are attended for this meeting and share the data all of them those who are working their mandals and villages. These cases will follow up promptly and will be given correct feedback at Safe Care Center with supportive document based. At the same time instructed to al field staff, not meet to client at their premises place without their willingness. All the data has been filled with definite outcome and also we prepared Death Format for define the death reports. When take the death report at field level and then attach this format with filled and also submits at SCC for SMO to write the correct medical term for cause of death. Because of identify which reasons for more deaths and prevent. And then discussed on LAC's and medicine distribution and Testing's for ANC and Non-ANC Cases. As well discussion on Agreed to come cases, these cases always agreed all the partner given orientation for client and get them back. And one more thing regarding ART Staff will be given respect for clients when they came to Safe Care Centre for taking medicine and given more counseling for them to not avoid from the treatment.

And then they had given MIS -2 and MIS—3 Cases will be shared for follow up and also all these cases may identify during field visit and take the picture through location APP and share the same picture when its need and finally said that all these cases came back not going to Lost to Follow up, when its go to Ifu program will be failure. So based on this every partner will take the initiation and given the good feedback at Center. And finally, Apple staff sharing their field level issues. So that based on this so many problems we will not traced and get back more cases for art.

MAJOR EVENTS.

Support Group Meetings:

As per CSC guide lines and SR Instructions we have conduct two Support Group Meetings in Specific areas for every month under APPLE CSC Outreach Workers Working mandal premises. And also, we follow S R instructions every month and given one topic for discussing on it at the time of Meeting conducted those who attend the meeting at their premises. First of all, we introduced to them and we had explained our topic and then they had discussed on it in the group meeting and finally they asked what they need and how fulfill their accomplishment through our program. The same process will be continued in every month at the movement and also do the accompanied services for clients on need based.

As per instructions of our higher officials at least 15 to 18 members should participate in the group meeting and discuss on necessity topic and also csc has been given how to solve the issues at their level. As well as we meet to stake holders to solve this issue at an early stage without delay. And at the same time, we explain our csc activities and expand to positive prevention services to all HIV/AIDS Clients. In this year we have conducted 24 meetings in our csc working premises area on those topics and solved it. Totally we have 5 outreach workers and one Peer Counsellor, so we have conduct 4 meetings per head in every financial year and we invite DISHA Team for this meeting.



APPLE CSC ORW-01 CONDUCTED SUPPORT GROUP MEETING IN ELURU WITH CLIENTS



ADVOCACY MEETINGS.

Place: Satya Sai Kalyana Mandapam, Bhimavaram...

Sub: To create awareness in clients on social welfare/Entitlement schemes and Nutrition support regarding...

On today we have conducting Advocacy meeting with Satya Sai Ram committee members in the Satya Sai kalyana mandapam in Bhimavaram under local outreach worker of K. Srinivasa Rao. In this regard we had follow up of the donors and then met them we explain about our program activities and nutritional and educational support for needy clients from those donors in the Erstwhile district.

In this view yesterday local outreach worker Mr. K. Srinivasa Rao met to Satya sai kalyana mandir committee members and explain our program activities and given accompanied service for PLHIV/CLHIV clients on need based. Whatever it may be ultimately get the result for PLHIV and their family members. So that we have follow up them firstly and we need identified which is the most need for them and how to collect it and how to distribute all of them. We discussed in every weekly and monthly review meeting in the office and discuss on welfare of clients and their family needs.

On this day Our Project Director Mr. J. Siva Krishna and Project Coordinator Mr. P. Srinivasa Rao went to Bhimavaram for conducting the meeting. At 11.AM we meet them in the mandir, before that we have follow up for nutrition and support for PLHIV's calling and gathered at Mandir for 35 members. These clients related to different villages in the Bhimavaram mandal. All the clients gathered at 11.30AM and sit there and introduced to them from csc Project Director and asking welfare of them. And then donors are coming to the dais with their family members. The donor has Gudivada Krishna garu Rice mill and merchant owner in Bhimavaram.

We discussed on the social welfare and social entitlements of clients those who are need for them and their family for getting government benefits and other welfare schemes. In the participate members are noticed to us to get the documents for schemes. We assured to them which they need and apply with them and do the accompanied service to them while they receive

the documents. Meanwhile our local outreach talked to them and how to approach donors for asking nutrition and educational support for clients. After that PD has noticed to donors for educational support for those who are needy and interested students for continue their study in future plans. They listened carefully all the voice from our csc staff and they assured to give the support for need and poor family students

And then they had distributed the nutrition by on their hand of Gudivada Krishna garu for all participated members and they had given snacks and drinks also supplied for all members. Taking of the snacks all the clients said that gratitude to donors for giving good nutritional packets for them and they all the clients went to their home with packets happily.





NACO TEAM VISITED TO ELURU ART CENTRE AS ON 23-01-2024



APSACS PD and Sacs staff and CSC PD's and Outreach staff at Vijayawada as on 02-02-2024.



OUTREACH TRAINING IN VIJAYAWADA AS ON 29-02-2024



CSC REVIEW MEETING AT VIJAYAWADA ON 19 & 20-03-2024

WORLD TUBERCULOSIS DAY PROGRAM-2024

Place : **Government Medical College Hall, Eluru**

Date : **24-03-2024**

On this day at 9.00AM We have participated in the World Tuberculosis Day program at Government Medical college Hall at Eluru General Hospital. Program was started at 9.30AM under the chaired of District Immunization Officer and District Aids and Leprosy Officer Dr. K. Nageswarao garu and Resident Medical Officer Dr. Durga Reddy; Paediatrician Dr. Durga Kumar; Medical officer, ART Centre, Eluru Dr. K. Jagadeeswara Rao; RNTCP Staff, Red cross staff, Government hospital staff, TB Drug users and APPLE CSC Staff are participated.

First of all, Dr. Nageswarao said that regarding this day all the Tuberculosis patients are very careful with society, because of TB is the infectious disease from one person to another person through Air while sneezing of tb patient. So that patient always careful and put a kerchief across mouth when cough, and all the family members are very careful with tb patient and also taking some precautions to avoid it and also patient premises and house ventilators are very deeply and free air pass from doors and windows to outlets. And another thing is patient using medicine in correct way and conditions are follows those who are follow up by the patient

and using medicine complete dose while negative result in the TB Test. As well as taking good nutritional food for patient to recovery at an early due to resistance power is high. And he said that there is no rally and not invite to all departments due to Election code implementation. And also explain about Father of Tuberculosis Dr. Robert Koch (1843—1910) and he is finding the TB Symptoms in human body in 1882. As part of the program every year government declare a slogan. For this year slogan is **“Yes We can End TB”**. Before going to meeting “National Anthem “was sung by red cross students.

And then Resident Medical Officer Dr. Durga Reddy said that regarding Tuberculosis, it came mainly droplet infection and spread another person in the society. So, we have referred all suspected cases for TB Testing to avoid spreading of the disease. And then Paediatrician Dr. Durga Kumar said that all the Children are given for BCG Vaccine to come in future. And then given awards for best workers in the field and Nutritional packets distributed by them those who are given by government for TB Drug users for 6 months.





PARTICIPATED IN WORLD TB DAY PROGRAM AT GOVERNMENT MEDICAL COLLEGE, ELURU

