

Risk Education Support report

2015 to 2017

During the travelling to different parts of the country and meeting many social workers, we have realized that social workers need support in meeting certain personal and family needs. Some times the need is of monetary support for treatment of health issue of a family member or an accident or it could be child's education. Sometimes it is to clear some legal issue. All that they need is modest support at the right time. At times, the lack of this minimum support discourages them and their belief in social-work erodes. Keeping these needs in mind, a corpus fund has been setup at **Manav Jeevan Vikas Samiti-Bijauri Katni M.P.** with the help of **CESCI Support Association**. The funds generated are spent solely on Social Workers' safety, health and child education. In past 2-3 years, we have been successful in delivering timely assistance to 67 fellows. Although it is a humble assistance, it makes a huge impact on their lives.

We are grateful to **CESCI Support Association** for their tremendous amount of trust in us and support in setting up this fund. Our sincere efforts are to assist social workers and their families through this fund. To take this initiative forward and help us in benefitting more people, we welcome organizations and individuals who would like to contribute to this fund. In this booklet, we are sharing stories of people whom we could help through this fund. We hope to receive more aid and encouragement in taking this process forward.

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1	Bijoy Pardhan – Bijoy Pardhan, an active social worker from Bhubaneswar (Odisha), had a paralysis attack. The treatment cost was estimated to be Rs. 20-25 thousand. His meagre income did not allow him to afford the treatment. The funding committee had supported him and today Vijay Pradhan is living a happily with his family	
2	P Raju (Tamilnadu) - P Raju is a Sarvodaya worker. In 2015 he was helped with funds for his daughter's health treatment.	
3	Tangraju BMK (Tamilnadu) -Tangraju's family was rescued from indentured labour from Hamirpur Charkhari near Jhansi (UP) in 1989. They were rehabilitated in Trichy, Tamilnadu. Due to sudden illness he wasn't able to take care of his family. Being poor he couldn't afford the treatment. The committee had supported him with his medical treatment.	

4	<p>Late Bhavesh Chandra Prasad Sinha – He was former MLA of Machagar Prakhand, JP activist, member of JP Advisory Committee and Founder President of Sampurna Kranti Manch. Famous as a Bhojpuri Bihari folk singer, Bhavesh Bhai was suffering from cancer in his later life. The treatment was becoming expensive and on request the committee supported him. Unfortunately, even after putting up a long fight with cancer, he couldn't survive.</p>	
5	<p>Kuldeep Tiwari – Married in Jaura Morena district, he was actively contributing to the collective through photography. His wife had suffered with cancer and was supported by the fund. Even after a long fight, his wife couldn't be rescued. Now he takes care of his son and daughter.</p>	
6	<p>Pavitrn ji (Kerala) – Working in social sector, there was a lack of funds. Unable to afford medical treatment, he was supported twice in recovering from his illness. After which he rejoined the organization's work.</p>	
7	<p>Tahir Bhai (Bhopal) – From the age of 25, he drove an auto, taking passengers to their destinations. In old age, neither the auto nor any other income source survived. He couldn't afford medical treatment during the times of his illness. After receiving support from this fund for medicines, he is now healthy.</p>	
8	<p>Biju Paalghaat (Kerala) – Working with Sarvodaya movement in Kerala, he didn't have any income sources. When his health deteriorated he couldn't afford medical treatment. Supported by this fund, he was able to take medicines and his health improved.</p>	
9	<p>V Chandrashekharan (Andhra Pradesh) – He established Chatti Ashram in Vishakhapatnam district. It was becoming difficult to run the ashram in the jungle. His financial condition and that of his co-workers' families were becoming worse. For this reason, all the needy coworkers were given small assistances. The ashram is running once again.</p>	
10	<p>Raghuvir Das Sarguja; (Chattisgarh) He was working with a Non-Governmental Organization from a long time. One day he suddenly had a toothache. On consultation, the doctor diagnosed that the situation was critical. Immediate medication & tooth removal was necessary. But he was short on money. On receiving his application, he was given support. He got his tooth removed and got healthy. He has continued working in the social sector.</p>	
11	<p>Rukmani Bhargav (Bhopal) – After the demise of her husband Ramchandra Bhargav, with whom she lived in Gandhi Bhawan, she faced money shortage for her health needs. After receiving support from the fund she was able to get good medical treatment and get healthy. Now she works at Gandhi Bhawan.</p>	

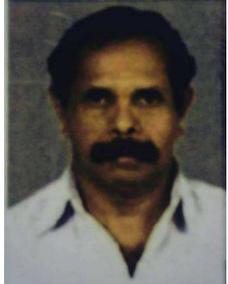
12	<p>Ramesh Chandra Sharma Delhi (GPF) – He has been working dedicatedly to spread Gandhian Thought at Gandhi Peach Foundation. Due to a sudden problem, he temporarily lost his ability to travel outside. A small aid helped him get back to his health, now he is back to active service to spread Gandhian philosophy.</p>	
13	<p>Raghunath Sen (Majhgawan; Katni) – Though he is mute, he takes care of his family. He runs a small barber shop but the revenue was not enough to support his family. During difficult times, he was supported for his daughter’s post-accident medical care.</p>	
14	<p>Mukesh Shakya (Katni) – Being unemployed, Mukesh Shakya didn’t have any source of income. On receiving his application, Rajajji had given him financial support.</p>	
15	<p>Anita Singh (Vijayraghavgarh) – A message floated on Whatsapp and Facebook in October that 29-year old Anita Singh, who comes from a poor family in Vijayraghavgarh, has suffered heart attack. Her bypass surgery would cost 2.25 lakh rupees. She was admitted in a hospital at Nagpur. Everybody was requested and given account details of Anita’s brother. People from Katni supported Rs.500 to Rs.1000 each. I also received the news and made up my mind to support Rs.1000 through our people in Vijayraghavgarh on 7 November. 21 days later, the news came that Anita Singh had raised sufficient funds and her operation was successful. She had returned home and was living with her family at peace. After recovery she expressed her gratitude through thank you letter to everyone.</p>	
16	<p>Ravi Kumar Yadav (Delhi) – Ravi Kumar Yadav suffered serious injuries in a motorcycle accident back in his village in UP. His jaw was snapped out of place. He was admitted into a major hospital in Lucknow. A big amount was required for treatment. After speaking to Ravi’s brothers, Nirbhay Singh and Aneesh Kumar discussed the matter with Raja ji and support was provided. Ravi recovered and returned to organization’s Delhi office. He once again started serving hot tea and kheer to everyone, which made us happy.</p>	
17	<p>Prashant Kumar PV – During childhood, he moved from Kerala to work in the social sector in Chattisgarh. He got married and continued working. He was unable to afford medical treatment for wife’s sudden illness at one point. On the basis of application and medical report, assistance was provided by our fund. Now the couple is healthy.</p>	
18	<p>RK Sundaran (Kerala) – Working in the social sector, Sundaran wanted to help for the education of girls from poor families. He made a request to Raja ji for the same and the due assistance was provided.</p>	

19	Gyaneshwari (Kerala) – Gyaneshwari requested help to get medicines for the poor elderly women of the SHG group in her block. After receiving the support, the elderly women are healthy and back to their work in SHG groups.	
20	Santosh Bharti (Damoh) – After a snake bite, his lower leg was severely infected. Due to poor financial conditions he wasn't able to afford the medical treatment. His daughter's marriage was also pending. Support was given for leg's treatment. Now healthy, he plays dholak for EktaLok Kala Manch.	
21	Swati Kapoor (Delhi) – Living with her mother, Swati Kapoor works and studies alongside. Unfortunately, both mother and daughter became ill. A request was made to Rajaji for help. After receiving support for medical treatment, both of them are now healthy.	
22	Ramesh Anjaani (Tikamgarh) – A bundelkhandi poet, Ramesh wasn't able to afford treatment for leg fracture after an accident. He was supported in the treatment and now he has recovered. He has returned to share his poetry in the collective's work regions.	
23	S Dhanraj (Madurai) - Dhanraj handles the work in Tamilnadu. His daughter's condition was critical after illness. He wasn't able do collective's work focusedly. Life was difficult. On request, support was provided for medical treatment. After recovery of his daughter's health, he rejoined the Sangathan's work.	
24	Harbansh Singh (Madai; Katni) – With growing age the worry of children's marriage was looming. During those times, he met with an accident which made him weak. He had poor health and couldn't lift his hand. The support helped the family and their life is now back on track.	
25	Vinod Kumar Singh(Bhopal) – Suffered injuries in a motorcycle accident in Meerut. His hand was fractured and wasn't able to work much in the Bhopal office. On request, support was provided for medical treatment and his health recovered. Now he continues the youth leadership work.	
26	Sunil Kumar(Bhopal) – Sunil Kumar performed rituals at a temple and also engaged in social work. Sudden financial tensions and poor health, life became difficult. Timely medical support helped him recover and return to his work.	

27	<p>Prashant Paikra (Odisha) – Everybody is aware of Odisha’s Malaria. Prashantji was also infected from the most difficult malaria. Thanks to timely help from his family, he was taken to hospital. But lack of money troubled the family. On request, support was provided for medical treatment and prashant’s life was saved.</p>	
28	<p>R Anvadgan(Tamilnadu) – As family expanded the needs also increased. Anvadgan’s wife became suddenly ill and medicines were expensive. Her health was deteriorating every day and the social work in his area was also lagging. A sincere worker, he fell in dilemma. He requested for help to everyone and Rajaji assured support. His wife was supported twice for treatment and she recovered her health.</p>	
29	<p>Arvind Shrivastava (Jabalpur) – Fighting court cases of Baiga families Arvind came under financial stress. Slowly his health gave up and money became difficult. On receiving medical support, he recovered and is back to work in supporting the tribals.</p>	
30	<p>KV Biju(Kerala) – Biju wanted to help a woman in his village whose bank account had been shut due to lack of funds. Through his account, the woman was provided support for medical treatment. She recovered her health.</p>	
31	<p>Venugopal (Ernakulam Kerala) - A family in which parents were ill was in trouble for not paying school fees of the daughters. All the money went to treatment of the parents. Receiving support from the fund, the family became stable. They were very grateful.</p>	
32	<p>Suresh Babu (Kerala) – Suresh Babu works on Sarvodaya ideology. Both wife and daughter became suddenly ill and medical treatment was difficult. On request, support was provided for medical help, and both of them became healthy. They now help Suresh ji in his work.</p>	
33	<p>Late Purnachand Bhopa (Banpur; Odisha) – Mayby God’s grace, no one suffer the disease Bhopaji went through. Suffering from Blood cancer, family’s wealth was spent on medicines. His wife, Sandhya was very troubled. Receiving support from the fund, Bhopaji could survive some more days but eventually lost the battle of life to death.</p>	
34	<p>KoduLal Vishwakarma (HataDamoh) – He had contributed to the foundation of social work in Bundelkhand.Brain fever had made KoduLalji bedridden. His condition was becoming critical. Thanks to God, a small support helped him recover. He is back to writing applications for people in Hata court.</p>	
35	<p>Sunni D(Kerala) – Engaged in social work, he wasn’t able to spend time with his family. He didn’t have money for treatment of his wife and daughter’s sudden illness. On request, support was provided for medical treatment and now both</p>	

	mother and daughter are healthy.	
36	Birendra Kumar (Jharkhand) – He wanted to help many people from tribal families who had illnesses. Immediate aid was needed to save life of 10-12 people. On request, support was provided for medical treatment and everyone was saved.	
37	Prabhashani Raut (Odisha) – She was living with husband and children. Sudden illness made life her difficult and she requested for help. Aid was provided and the medication improved her health.	
38	Udayan G (Kerala) – Health of a girl at school was becoming worse. On Rajaji's Kerala trip, school administration requested help from him. Due support was provided and the girl became healthy and returned to her studies in school.	
39	Kamlesh Rathore (Sehore) – Kamlesh was working for the Sangathan and had to leave work suddenly. Financial condition started becoming worse. One day his daughter became very ill. A small support in medication brought his daughter back to good health.	
40	Dhannuram Jayate (Korba) – During a night meeting with the villagers in Jayate Village, a lean and weak man was discovered calling for help. It was found out that he was suffering from Tuberculosis, and didn't have money. Dhannu Ram was supported from the fund, his health recovered and he started living happily with his family.	
41	Vishnu Nishad (Tilda; Raipur) – He had been working at Tilda Ashram for a long time. Due to poverty he wasn't able to afford proper medication for his wife and daughter, and their health was becoming worse. On request, aid was provided for medical treatment and now the family is healthy.	
42	Janki Bai (Tilda; Raipur) – After death of husband, the situation at home was in crisis. Due to working in social sector for long, her financial situation wasn't strong enough so that she could take proper care of her family. On request, support was provided and now the family is doing well.	
43	Shahbuddin Khan (Hindoria; Damoh) – An active member of Ekta Loka Kala Manch. His father had become ill. At the same time, his marriage was due. Unable to fulfill financial needs of both the situations, he requested for help. On receiving support, he gave priority to his father's health over his marriage and got him proper medical treatment.	

44	<p>TPR Nath(Tamilnadu) – Engaged in social work in his district, one day his daughter became severely ill. Being a social worker, he was unable to afford proper medication for his daughter. His own health was weak and he was ageing. Due support was provided; now the daughter is healthy and is continuing her school studies.</p>	
45	<p>Jabbar Bhai (Bhopal) – Living in Bhopal he built a strong team of volunteers for the organization and strengthened the work in the city. But the situation turned such that financial situation of volunteers started becoming worse. They were expecting help and he wasn't able to support them. On the basis of the application, support was provided to all the volunteers and the team stands strong today. They are sincerely carrying out the work in Bhopal.</p>	
46	<p>Punnukale (Madurai) – He was taking care of the work at CESCO centre from the beginning. His son became ill and after some time it was difficult for them to afford the medication. He sent an application for help in Tamil. Due support was provided, which helped the son to recover. Punnukale got back to taking care of the centre sincerely.</p>	
47	<p>Tirumalai; Tamilnadu) - In his youth he used to travel extensively in his region to mobilize people for the organization. Sudden illness and low income made life difficult. On request, support was provided for medical treatment and he is back to the work of mobilization.</p>	
48	<p>Jagdeeshan(Madurai) – A perpetual traveler carrying the vision of Sarvodaya, jhola-carrying youth inspiration, Jagdeeshan's wife became ill and he wasn't able to get proper medication. After coming in contact with Rajaji, he applied for help and due support was provided to him.</p>	
49	<p>Venugopal (Chittur; Kerala) – Venugopal is regularly helping out women and girls in his district. His capacity was reaching limits to helping out and he requested help from Raja ji. Adequate support was provided and all the girls are now in good health.</p>	
50	<p>Unnikrishnan (Calicut; Kerala) – Volunteers working with Unni were facing health and education problems. He requested Rajaji for help. Due medication was provided to all the volunteers and now all of them are healthy.</p>	
51	<p>JameshLukka (Kerala) – Workload was increasing and kids were growing up. During these times, the family faced health difficulties. Lukka requested for support, which was provided and the family restored their health.</p>	

52	<p>Suresh George (Kerala) – Suresh has been working selflessly for the society around him from a long time. He runs around helping children and teenagers and it has almost become his full time job. He requested health support for some these kids. Sufficient support was provided to Suresh ji to help out everyone. Now everyone is healthy and engaged in regular education.</p>	
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1	<p>Srishti Saragam (Bihar) – It is an important achievement that daughter of a great Sarvodaya volunteer of Bihar, SristhiSargam chose IAS as her career. But she was facing difficulties due to lack of funds. Her father discussed the matter with Rajajji and requested for help. She was supported and other people were also requested to support her. Sristhi is now in Bhopal preparing for her exams and also studying Ayurveda medicine. Our best wishes are with her.</p>	
2	<p>Sunil Sharma (Jaura; District Morena) – Working in Gandhi Ashram, his children grew up in the ashram. His daughter has talent for higher education but college admission was proving unaffordable. So she was supported from the education fund. She is continuing her studies with good grades.</p>	
3	<p>Mohd. Khan and Birohin (Rajnandgaon) – Long years into social work, native of Balaghat district, Mohd. Khan made Rajnandgaon as his work place and settled down. Due to financial difficulties, he wasn't able to continue his children's education. On receiving support, now his children are progressing well.</p>	
4	<p>Devendra Singh Bana (Sheopur) – Famous in Chambal valley as 'Banaji', travelling to villages has become his lifestyle. Helping people is his main work. Ashis children grew up, one day his daughter shared her intention to go for higher studies. Due to lack of funds Banaji was unable to support her. On receiving support from education fund, she got admitted into college and is continuing her studies.</p>	
5	<p>SuryakantBharti (Nabada; Bihar) – Sarvodaya volunteers in Supaul region of Bihar are always under financial stress. Suryakantji also faces the same fate and today's expensive education is becoming impossible. He thought of getting his children good education and requested help. Now his children are continuing their studies with support from the education fund.</p>	 <p style="text-align: center;"> <small>POOJA BHARTI VED PRAKAS BHARTI</small> <small>POOJA BHARTI</small> </p>

6	<p>Surendra Kashyap (Bilaspur) – After getting good scores in class 12th examination, his son’s college admission was pending in Raipur. The fees was Rs.50,000. He didn’t have the money, so he was helped as per the norms. After receiving aid from the fund and other sources, his son took admission and is now continuing with good scores.</p>	
7	<p>K Bhanupriya (Tamilnadu) – Geeta was rescued from indentured labor and now she works for the same cause in Chennai. According to her, the families there hadn’t been properly rehabilitated and their children were struggling in education and health. They stay sick for long periods and need significant help. Adequate aid is being provided to all of them through Geeta.</p>	
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9	<p>Sheetal Kashyap (Janjgeer; Champa; Chattisgarh) – My niece, she was studying in Indore. Fees notice was due from college and she didn’t have the funds. This would have meant all year’s hard work would have gone to nothing, as she wouldn’t be allowed to sit into examination. She was helped out in time and she passed with good scores.</p>	
10	<p>K Yadav Raju (Andhra Pradesh) – Daughters were studying, but the family was too poor to get them admission into good college. Supported by this fund, K Yadav Raju was able to get his daughters K Saishree (B com II year) and K Thejashree (M com II year) admission into good college. Now the daughters are doing well in their studies.</p>	
11	<p>Jhalakram Yadav (Tilda; Raipur) – Jhalakram Yadav grew up working as a cook in the ashram. His kids weren’t able to get good education. On request, support was provided, now the kids are studying well. Jhalakram is happy.</p>	
12	<p>Krishna Subridhi (Banpur; Khurda; Odisha) – For pursuing higher education Krishna wanted to take admission into college, but financial situation was tight at his home. During Odisha tour of Rajaji, he met him and gave his application for funds with photocopy of his bank passbook. His request was accepted and due aid was provided. He is now studying in a good college.</p>	
13	<p>Radha Singh (Maihar, Satna) – Shivanarayan Singh, son of Radha w/o Badan Singh had filled college forms and was selected. But he was falling short of money to pay the fees. On request, education fund support was provided; he took admission and is now studying to become a competent engineer.</p>	

14	Kranti – She is very aware about her career and has chosen the path of IAS. She is doing her coaching for exams in Mumbai. The fees isRs. 1lakh and 80 thousand. With support of Ravi ji, people were requested to help this girl. People have started sending her money; we believe she will be successful in future.	
15	Shubham – Shubham is doing M.Sc.(Chemistry) from IIT Bombay. He requested support as the fees was too high. Ravi ji shared this request to other people and people from different levels have sent money for help. Shubham’s studies are slowly progressing; we believe he will be successful in future.	

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