

Programme No.	01	Topic of the Programme	Awareness Programme on Technological Abuse
Date	01.11.2022	Resource Persons	Dr. P. Jeyanthi Centre Consultant (Psychiatry), BHEL, Trichy

The Department of Social Work Ist year MSW students conducted Rural Camp – 2022 at Edumalai, M.R.Palayam, C.R.Palayam, Thirupattur, Irungalur, Purathakudi, Sirupattur and Periyar PURA village Siruganur, Terichy District from 12.12.2022 to 17.12.2022.

Day – I - Legal Awareness programme

In the first day evening Ist year Social Work Students and Staff A.Gregory, Founder Director, VOICE Trust inaugurated the rural camp and planted tree saplings in the Periyar World, Siruganur, Trichy District. Following that the Social Work students were conducted Legal Awareness programme at St'Xavier Church at Siruganur. Dr.S.Gnanaraj, Assistant Professor, Department of Social Work gave introductory address about the Rural Camp – 2022. He explained Periyar PURA activities and mentioned the significance of Social Work Students Rural Camp. Ms.Sumathi, Inspector of Police, Siruganur Police station delivered talk on “Crime against Women and Child”. She said that women and children’s need more protection from the distress situation. She urged the parents to spend quality time with their kids and also asked them to teach safe touch and unsafe touch. Dr.P.Vijayalakshmi, Dean, Faculty of Humanities Science and Management, PMIST presided over the program. She acknowledged the social work student’s activity and motivated the children to concentrate on education. She also distributed the prizes to who gave cultural performance in that programme. Dr.A.Anand Jerard Sebastine, Director i/c, Centre for Rural Development, PMIST highlighted the Priyar PURA village extension activities and mention this is the first Periyar PURA extension activity in the Trichy District. The Centre for Rural Development will contribute the knowledge resource and liaisioning with the government department wherever is required said Dr.A.Anand Jerard Sebastine. A.Gregory, Founder Director, VOICE Trust felicitated the programme. He explained

Organic Farming and Sunday Agricultural School which started by voice trust to educate village children. He motivated and encouraged the social work students to promote green social work. In this programme 150 members participated.

Day – II – 13.12.2022 - INTEGRATED VILLAGE DEVELOPMENT PLAN CLASS

The first event of the second day was a class on integrated village development program at voice trust for social work students. Dr .A .Anand jerard sebastien in his introductory address, explained the importance of integrated Village Development and explained in detail about some techniques to develop the village. Mr. Karthikeyan , Agricultural Coordinator of voice trust ,gave a clear explanation about the importance of organic farming . He also had a discussion with the people about why this plan was started. ASSESSMENT OF RURAL POPULATION PARTICIPATION As the second event . Village panchayat assessment was held in front of the Panchayat Union Middle School, varadharajapuram, edumalai. Panchayat President Mr. Palaniandi graced the occasion . This event helped the students to learn about the resources, the village ,the existing problems and building development in the village . More than 50 women and primary school students took part in this event. CHILD WELFARE IS THE WEALTH OF THE NATION In the third event ,an awareness meeting about Sunday Agricultural School was held in Varadharajapuram temple complex in the evening . Mr Silambarasan , Program Manager of Voice Trust , as the special guest he highlighted the importance of agriculture. Cultural performances by first year social work students where held. The drama conveyed the importance of children’s safety and education and it was well received and enjoyed by the audience. A debate was also held on the topic “Natural Agriculture Vs Artificial Agriculture”. More than 100 people including parents, children and elderly people participated. Memorable gifts where given to the children who participated in the event.

DAY – III - 14/12/2022 Life Skill TRAINING

Morning Programme : At Siruganur Voice Trust, Social work students were given Career Development Training. Introductory address was given by Dr.S.Gnanaraj. Life skill development training was given by Mr. Silambarasan, Program Manager of Voice Trust. In his speech he elaborated the three important life skills namely, emotional intelligence , thinking intelligence and social intelligence . This exercise was stimulus for social work students to self examine the

abilities and investigate the main reasons and factors that hinder their development and do their work effectively with social awareness.

Afternoon Programme: Health and mental health awareness program was held at MR.Palayam, (Government Aadhi Dravidar Nala High School in the theme of Soil fertility and Human health. The event was presided by Mr.Mohan, Head Master of the School. Dr. S. Gnanaraj delivered the Keynote address. In his speech, he discussed the dangers of cell phones, the internet and how to use it safely. Finally saplings were planted by the Social Work students and the school students. Teachers also participated in this event.

Evening Programme: In ThirupatturPillayar Temple complex, an awareness program and cultural performances were held on the theme “Rise of the women is the Development of the Society”. Introductory address was given by Dr. S .Gnanaraj. Keynote address was delivered by Mr.Murugan, President of Thirupattur Panchayat council. In his speech he said that when the women’s rights are established, then not only the family but the village also will be developed. To ensure this ,everyone in the panchayat should give opportunities to women and children to participate in all developmental projects. Dr.A.AnandJerard Sebastien delivered the special address. In his speech he explained clearly about the duties and responsibilities of women . He also explained that the women will think emotionally and men thinks critically. Following that cultural programs of social work students such as drama,solo song ,poetry recitation and debate were held. The performances of the village children were also held. More than 150 people including parents , children’s and elderly people took part in this program .

DAY - IV - 15/12/2022

Morning Programme :

For the first event we went to seed lab centre, P.K Agaram. Dr .A .Anand Jerard Sebastine gave introductory address. Mr.Ramasundaram forest Seed lab technician and seed organizer helped us in how to plant trees and explained about the seed selection techniques and germination and viability of seeds are explained. I-MSW students are benefited greatly by the rare

opportunity to learn about seed germination and their procedures for increasing, grading and seeing hands on experience.

Afternoon Programme :

For the next event I-MSW students went to Naddu Irungalur, there they got divided into pairs and took survey on organic farmers and consumers and also did crowd mobilization for evening cultural event. Students interacted with many people and got more information on farming.

Evening Programme:

In the evening event, the awareness meeting on Lets honor the parents! Let's protect the elderly! Was held at Naddu Irungalur. The panchayat president Mr.Vincent headed the overall program. The special address was given by Trichy Athma hospital Mind club project director and community mental health worker Mr. Karan Louis expressed the importance of mental health and child rearing techniques and methods to handle elders are explained. Cultural program includes song, dance are done by I-MSW students. More than 110 people were benefited.

DAY V – 16/12/2022

Morning Programme:

The I-MSW students visited, centre of dark forest project and integrated farm at Irungalur. In the presence of panchayat president Mr.Vincent, he explained about the miyawaki dark forest project, how he got inspired and now how its reaching great heights. He explained about upcoming projects.He asked us to develop extracurricular activities which are highly beneficial for social work students. Then we went to an integrated farm which is under developing. There we got hands on experience on natural fertilizer, earthworm fertilizer, azolla and saw many plants.

Afternoon Programme :

Next we went to Purathakudi to do survey and collect herbal plants for creating herbal garden. There we went got divided into pairs and collected herbal plants. Nearly 28 species were collected.

Evening Programme :

For third event we went to FCH Voice trust, Siruganur and gave awareness program for children on the theme of you can do it. The special address was given by Mr. Sheikh Farheeth, Assistant professor, Jammal Mohammad College. On his note, he motivated the children to do hard work so that we can break the obstacle that lies in our path. Then he includes children in many game activities to teach problem solving skills. Then, I-MSW students' cultural program as dance, awareness song and students dance program are also conducted. Nearly 50 persons were benefited.

DAY – 6**Morning Programme:**

In order to celebrate the “International Day of Disability”, special program was held as the morning event at Sirupattur village service center. Dr. S. Gnanaraj delivered the keynote address. In his speech, he explained the reasons for the Birth of disabled children and the ways to avoid it in a simple manner. “Can’t is Superstition, Can is Pessimism and Can is self belief”, he encouraged everyone through his motivating speech. Following this various game competitions were conducted for the disabled people and prizes were awarded. Incentive prizes were also given to the differently abled people who took part in the competition by Social Work Students. District Coordinator Ms. Ramani expressed her sincere gratitude to the students of Social Work Department and she delivered the felicitation address. More than 60 Disabled people took part and benefited.

Evening Programme :

An awareness program on alcoholism and Prevention was held at CR.Palayam as an evening event. In this event Dr.A.Anand Jerard Sebastian delivered the Introductory address. Citing Abdul Kalam's thought that villages should remain villages and all facilities should reach the villages. He also highlighted the merits of rural camp. The Vice Chancellor of our University, Professor S.Velusamy presided over the address. In his address, he highlighted the special features of the rural camp and the contribution of Social Work Students. Voice Trust's HR Manager Godwin and Executive Trustee

Janet Preethi also presided over the felicitation praising the full scale involvement of the Social work Students. After that Dr.S.Parameshwaran congratulated the Social work Students saying that they have greatly developed their learning skills in their village camp. The main component of the program was that the artistic performance of Mr. Gandhi and Mr.Thangavelu team. They sang songs on the topic of eradication of alcoholism and created awareness among the people about the consequences of alcohol addiction. The Social Work Students also gave their enthusiastic performances which attracted the gathering. Subsequently the report of 6 days of the village camp was also read out by the Social Work Students. The closing function of the program was completed successfully in the presence of Siruganur President Mr. Manimaran and his committee member Indira. More than 300 villagers and children participated in the closing ceremony of the event and witnessed the artistic performances.

1. Department of Social Work Rural Camp – 2022 from 12.12.2022 to 17.12.2022



Ist year Social Work Students Rural Camp at Periyar World, Siruganur, Trichy on 12.12.2022



Rural Camp Inauguration Awareness Programme on Crime against Women and Child at Siruganur on 12.12.2022.



Social Work Students planted 25 tree sapling at Adi Dravidar Government Higher Secondary School, MR Palayam on 13.12.2022



Dr.S.Gnanaraj, Assistant Professor, department of Social Work delivering special address on Mental Health and Psychological Wellbeing on 13.12.2022.