



# 2023-2024

## Annual Report

The Full Gospel Trust of India



“To Ensure a smile on every Face”

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# FROM THE DIRECTOR'S DESK

Dear Friends, It is a great joy for me to present the Annual Report of our trust for its 28 years of official existence. Though our official existence came into being 28 years ago, we have been active since 1992 in India. So, this year we had a grand celebration of 30 years of our existence in India. We could also open our second office for North India (after our East India office) on the Dhori Road, Akarabad, Aligarh District of Uttar Pradesh state in India. For this great feat of achievement, I, first of all, wish to thank each of you who have stood with us during these years to enable us to actualize our dreams and vision for our people and our nation, India. This reporting year has been the most challenging as well as rewarding of all the years we have witnessed in our organization. Our board, together with our team was determined to face the gigantic challenge of unemployment, hunger, and health issues together with many more uncertainties. As a responsible and responsive NGO, we stood together with our government, other NGOs, and members of the public to steer our country out of this crisis in our target areas. It is a great pleasure for me to state that we are now an ISO Certified Unit in India. We had provided financial assistance to hundreds who were affected by COVID so that they could start small businesses to support their families and these included support for Kirana shops, poultry, piggery, and goat projects etc., These petty businesses are yielding results and families are coming out of their dire situations. Our work among the tea garden workers in the Jalpaiguri district and tribals of Simdega district in Jharkhand on abetting human trafficking went on very successfully. Apart from the above, we continued to carry out our various projects such as Nari Maryada, Nai Umang, Redeemed, Haqq, Hifazat, and WASH, uninterrupted. These projects complemented the global SDG goal. In achieving the same we could muster the support and prayers of each of you and we remain thankful to you for the same. I thank God first and then my fellow trustees and all our committed staff, volunteers, partner NGOs, supporters, trainers and The Full Gospel Trust of India team for all their hard work.

God bless all



**Rev. Dr. Abraham  
Sahu National  
Director, The Full  
Gospel Trust of India**

## OUR VISION

The vision of our TFGTI is “TO ENSURE SMILE ON EVERY FACE”. This is best done by establishing a redeemed, regenerated, and progressive society, which will be free from exploitation, injustice, and disparities—where the overall development and dignity of every person will be secured, where people can live in peace, with solidarity, co-operation & brotherhood and where the rights and dignity of each one will be protected.

## OUR MISSION

- To work with communities to end hunger, poverty, and social injustice and care for the Earth.
- To serve individuals and families in the poorest communities throughout India with a special focus on women’s empowerment and growing their entrepreneurship skills.
- To ensure that children growing up in challenging financial conditions get excellent education, sound health care, and protection of their basic human rights
- To abet human trafficking and empower women so that they live a life of dignity.
- To bring clean, safe drinking water to all people in India – especially those who lack it and to conserve and restore natural ecosystems.
- To provide training and generate employment for youth, adults and women while providing business and education loans and scholarships to the deserving.
- To spread networking with NGOs and Go’s for better impact and development of the communities in India.

## OUR CORE VALUES

- **We are committed to the poor**

Every person is of equal value and worth. Therefore, we are committed to working with and for poor people and communities, irrespective of their caste, language, or religious affiliations, and supporting them as they strive to meet their basic needs, overcome injustice and fulfill their dreams during their lifetime.

- **We are committed to the whole person**

We are committed to working with people in the context of their family, community, and environment, with concern for their physical, mental, social, and emotional well-being. We always adopt a holistic approach in our call and commitment.

- **We are committed to excellence**

We are committed to working with our partners, supporters, co-workers, and volunteers in a professional manner. We will strive for excellence, encouraging creativity and innovation.

- **We are committed to learning from others**

We are committed to learning from others in humility and will seek to respond well to constructive criticism, and the changing needs of those we serve.

- **We are committed to collaborate**

We are committed to working with other organizations in a spirit of collaboration rather than competition, locally, nationally, and internationally.

- **We are committed to accountability**

We are accountable to our partners, members, well-wishers, and supporters, striving to be honest, trustworthy, and transparent. We are accountable to them for the time and resources at our disposal. We are committed to fulfilling all government and SDG requirements.

# INTRODUCTION OF TFGTI

The Full Gospel Trust of India is a registered charitable organization under the Indian Trust Act in India. It was established in 1992 but got itself registered in 1995. It is also registered with the Home Ministry of the Government of India to receive foreign funds under the appropriate FCR Act and with the Income Tax Department of the Government of India (12A & 80G) and is allotted an FCRA registration number and a Permanent Account Number (PAN). It has never been blacklisted, changed its name, or moved its head office but has expanded to different state offices. Its priorities and objectives have remained the same. The Full Gospel Trust of India has targeted its development effort through projects designed to impact the lives of underprivileged women, men, and children. It seeks to empower women and work towards providing them with a safe and secure surrounding where their rights are not crushed and they are not abused. TFGT India emphasizes checking the traffic of human beings and especially girls and women and rehabilitation of victims. Top on our agenda is to make potable drinking water available to all dry areas and people living there. It works in pandemic situations and on disaster relief, rehabilitation, and mitigation project in various disaster-prone areas like Orissa, Bihar, Bengal, Gujarat, and Kashmir. It works for all Indians irrespective of their religious, linguistic, and ethnic differences.

The Full Gospel Trust of India is committed to serving the poor and needy of India, in compliance with the SDG goals of the United Nations and in a manner that is holistic.

**Rev. Dr. Abraham Sahu** is the Founder and President of the organization. He has initiated the work from rubbles and is a highly qualified and experienced person. He is a graduate of the science stream. Thereafter, he pursued his master's in social work and Personnel management. He has served World Vision India, an international NGO for 14 years. His responsibilities included initiating, monitoring, and evaluating development programs and human resource issues in the whole of North India. He also has been a consultant to United Nations Drug Control Program (UNDCP) for 5 South East Asian countries in their New Delhi office. He also holds various honorary positions in other institutions and organizations.

# INTRODUCTION OF TFGTI

The Full Gospel Trust of India has a large number of Full-time and part-time Staff along with many volunteers who serve the poor and marginalized people of the community irrespective of their caste, creed, or religion. The Trust is motivating and partnering with other NGOs and Government Organizations in uplifting the poor and marginalized. TFG Trust's relief and development programs provide a model for involvement in the development process, which is equitable, sustainable, and value-based. Lately, it has been involved in caring for supporting victims of COVID-19 and the migrating population of 16 North Indian states. It also assisted the victims of the Amphan and Fani cyclones that devastated the landscape of Bengal and Orissa.

The Full Gospel Trust of India is determined and committed to serving the people of India together with the state and central government and **“ENSURING SMILE ON EVERY FACE”**

# OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST

The ongoing activities and achievements of The Full Gospel Trust of India during this fiscal year 2023-24 have been in line with the Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) of the United Nations. It has been able to achieve remarkable success in its efforts to achieve the target set by its board of Trustees and within the approved budget for the year. Some of our achievements during the year are listed below;

## A. FIGHTING POVERTY

The Full Gospel Trust of India works towards making a multipronged attack on poverty. It equips the poor to have the hands-on skills to earn a respectable living, save for future and family needs, and connect them with banks and financial institutions to avail loans and start with petty businesses and expand from thereon. It engages and empowers women from the community through its Projects such as Nari Maryada, Hifazat, Haqq, Nai Umang, Redeemed and Nai Roshnis. The main aim of these projects is to empower 5000 women and their families by engaging them in Self Help Groups. More than 250 Self Help Groups have been formed under these projects and they have been synchronized with income generation programs. Under these projects, small loans are given to members of the groups, especially the most deserving ones. The loans are thereafter repaid with a low rate of interest in instalments. This has been instrumental in uplifting their social and economic conditions and pulling them out of their poverty situation. These projects are operational in the slums and resettlement colonies of Delhi and a host of villages in the district of Aligarh in the state of Uttar Pradesh and East Singbhum district of Jharkhand in India. To fight poverty, it also provides rural and urban women and boys with income generation skills through the impartation of various pieces of training so that they can start some small businesses and make themselves and their families financially strong. The TFG Trust organized various Income Generation skill Training such as candle making, phenol making, washing powder, Vaseline making training, beauty culture, cutting and tailoring Nutrition and food making training, etc. under different projects such as Nari Maryada, Hifazat, Nai Roshni and COVID CARE. After successful training, they avail of loans and thus come out of their poverty.



# OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST

## B. FIGHTING HUNGER

Our organization fights hunger that exists amidst all our target areas going unabated. We ensure that no one (especially children) goes to bed hungry. In our efforts, we provide mid-day meals to hundreds of children in various states in India, we teach their mothers to cook a nutritious meal with the available items in their kitchen and with minimum expenditures. If needed we supply raw food materials to hungry families too. During COVID we supplied dry rations to thousands of families so that no one remains hungry.

TFGTI also distributed cooked meals for one whole month to many hundreds of families and also supplied cooked meals to fleeing migrating labourers. More details can be found in the COVID care program.



# OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST

## C. HEALTH AND EDUCATION FOR ALL

One of the major areas of focus of TFGTI has been education. We wish to ensure that each child is enrolled in a nearby school, those who have dropped out are assisted to continue their education and those who have not been going to school are prepared and assisted in admission to a school. Apart from this, Adult Education for men and women and Employment related training is provided. To carry out these activities, we have various projects running in various parts of India. The details can be found in our project titled a) Nari Maryada, b) Hifazat c) Nai Umang and d) The Redeemed.

TFG Trust has been focusing on SDG Goals and among them is the work on community health and hygiene. TFG Trust has been carrying this activity for over two decades. The chief programs among them have been the Child Survival Program for Pregnant and lactating mothers, Reproductive health care for young adult girls, Immunization of children and mothers, Menstrual health care for women and girls COVID Care, and Post-COVID care. Our tailoring centers produce masks and sanitary pads for girls who have reached puberty. We distribute this at cost price and that is very low. Public awareness is also raised on these issues and seminars and community teachings are done too. We also focus on hygiene and sanitation matters.

Our organization also carries out health camps, health talks, and regular medical checks of children than their mothers. Details of our engagement can be found in our project activities enlisted under

- a) Nari Maryada,
- b) Hifazat
- c) Nai Umang and
- d) The Redeemed.



# OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST

## HEALTH AND EDUCATION FOR ALL



# ***OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST***

## **REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH CARE FOR WOMEN AND HEALTH CARE FOR YOUNG GIRLS & CHILDREN**

RCH approach is defined as “People have the ability to reproduce and regulate their fertility”. in this program, women are able to go through pregnancy and childbirth safely. The outcome of pregnancy is successful in terms of maternal and infant survival and well-being.” Through this program, the women are assisted to lead a healthy life so that they and their babies stay healthy and live longer. In this activity of ours, Pregnant and married women are given training on how a mother can stay healthy by eating healthy and nutritious food which is good for both mother and child. Special focus is given to adolescent girls through this program, who need to be given proper education on sexual life and activities so that in the future they do not face any problems when married. Various health talks are conducted by doctors and experts to give them knowledge on various health aspects. Special attention is given to their nutrition, vaccinations, etc. Every pregnant mother and lactating mother is under our observation till their children attain the age of 5.



# OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST

## Health Camps for all

TFGTI, for the last many years, has been engaged in conducting regular health camps in rural and urban India. These camps are organized to create a healthy lifestyle in the community. Around three health Camps were organized this year before COVID struck the nation. These health camps were organized to provide health services in gynaecology, eye, dental HIV, and cancer care. Health Checkups by qualified doctors are held on a weekly basis and medicines are distributed free of cost to all who come for check-ups. TFG Trust also has been organizing comprehensive health information dissemination programs, to impart health education and sensitize communities on various preventive and curative health care including COVID-19 CARE.

## D. CHILD DEVELOPMENT

Children are the future of any nation. We, therefore, pay a lot of attention to Children and their holistic growth. Our main focus is on the education and health and career guidance of children in our target areas.



# *OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST*

## **D. i. EDUCATION FOR ALL**

We ensure that no children in our target area stay unschooled or remain a dropout. We chiefly focus on girlchildren. To achieve our goal, we carry out preparatory classes for children who do not go to school or are getting ready to go to school. We visit houses and identify such children, invite them to our centre and prepare them for school enrollment. We contact the local schools and enrol children thereafter fulfilling all the requirements. We also guide children about their careers and invite experts to guide them from their early school days. We also care for children with special needs and like those affected by Cerebral palsy, Autism, and other forms of disability. We have special classes for them. In addition to the above, we provide mid-day meals for children to ensure they are not malnourished. We measure their height and weight and monitor their progress. Apart from these, various nutritional camps are organized to sensitize the community about nutrition and malnourishment-related issues. Thousands of children benefited from it and did not go to bed empty stomach. We need to work more in this field. All these activities are carried out in our project entitled Nari Maryada, Haqq, Nai Umang and Hifazat.



# OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST



## D. ii. COMPUTER EDUCATION

The Full Gospel Trust besides emphasizing secular education also gives importance to education that is related to income and employment generation, such as computer education for children as well as youth. TFG Trust is running various computer centres for the benefit of residents of Suraj Park, Badli, and Raja Vihar in Delhi. TFG Trust is looking forward to making the children and women computer literate. Rehma Computer Center of TFG Trust is a centre that provides computer skills to children from slums who are school dropouts, boys and girls. There are few circumstances where these boys and girls have not been able to complete their school education for various reasons. TFGTI after making a survey has identified these boys and girls who have the interest to take computer training. We provide basic course skills training such as Typing, MS Office, MS Paint so that they get the basic knowledge of computer and its functions and operating system. This makes them competent to look for some job in the future and earn a decent earning for themselves and their families. All boys and girls get an authenticated certificate on the completion of their course.



# ***OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST***

## **D.iii. VOCATIONAL TRAINING CENTER (VTC) CUTTING, TAILORING & BEAUTICIAN**

These two programs were carried out during the lean period of the COVID pandemic and they targeted underprivileged children, girls, and women from different slums of Delhi. The vocational training centre is developed by keeping abreast with the latest market where the students are given training on different vocational pieces of training. The women are given training on tailoring, and beauty culture so that they can become self-independent and can run their own business tailoring institute or a boutique or a beauty parlour. A total of 25 students have been trained in tailoring and around 10 students have been trained in beautician courses during the reporting period. Our focus is to empower girls as well as housewives and also boys and youth to get the basic Income generation skills so that they become competent to get some small job or get some hands-on skills and earn a respectable income for themselves and their families.



# OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST

## E. WOMEN EMPOWERMENT

Indian women have been vying for a respectable and dignified position in their families and communities where their voices will be valued and appreciated. She wants to live a life without fear - fear of being abused, raped, or trafficked for obvious reasons. To help women achieve their dreams and desires, the TFGTI has been engaged in ensuring a safe, dignified, and respectable life for each woman. To this end, it has been educating them and creating legal awareness amongst them so that they know and exercise their rights and are no more abused or allured into trafficking. Various projects have been put in place to actualize it. This is achieved through our Nari Maryada Project.



# OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST



## F. FIGHT HUMAN TRAFFICKING

TFG Trust has been engaged in creating awareness among women, young girls, and members of the public regarding the danger and evil consequences of Human Trafficking. Human Trafficking abounds in and around the tea gardens in the Jalpaiguri and Darjeeling districts of north Bengal as well as in the tribal belt of Simdega in Jharkhand. Our organization is engaged in educating people on how to safeguard their young and adult girls and boys. This is done through public meetings, the display of IEC materials, house-to-house awareness, and street plays. We also engage religious leaders to educate their congregations about the ills of such trafficking. The result of our intervention has been very encouraging and we are able to note the result. Our future plan is to expand our awareness scheme and cover more areas in partnership with other NGOs and government schemes in these states in India. We also look forward to rescuing and rehabilitating the victims in the days to come. More details of our intervention can be found in the details of The Redeemed.



# ***OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST***

## **G. CLIMATE ACTION, MITIGATING DISASTER and COVID CARE**

For over two decades, TFGTI has been actively engaged in national emergencies, be they natural or man-made calamities. It has risen to the occasion and assisted millions of victims with emergency needs and thereafter in rehabilitating them. It is also working towards mitigating the same. In this reporting period, India suffered from the COVID-19 pandemic. The second wave of COVID spread rapidly and took the entire country in its grip. On 25 March 2021, India announced that a new variant of the coronavirus had been detected from samples collected from different states. It is the worst ever and has taken the entire country in its grip. 2.5 Crore have been infected and nearly 2.75 lakh deaths. Responding to this great challenge, TFGI has started distributing

- a) Dry ration of one month to thousands of families,
- b) Provided medical kits to check the spread and contain the infection,
- c) Provided financial assistance to cash help to people in need of medical care in hospitals and at homes.
- d) Provided financial assistance to many families including those that lost one or more members of their families,
- e) Provided small business funds to hundreds of families,
- f) Provided hands-on training to many women so that they can earn and support their families during these tough times,
- g) Provided financial support to carry out the last rites of those who were deceased,
- h). It was also our target to assist at least 5000 families in various states of India.



# OBJECTIVES OF TFG TRUST



THE GLOBAL GOALS

## H. BUILDING PARTNERSHIPS FOR ACHIEVING THE GOALS AND NETWORKING

TFG Trust of India works hand in hand with other GOs/NGOs and works in a planned and effective way for the development of any community and the country as a whole. The TFG Trust enjoys a very healthy relationship with the local bodies and all GOs, NGOs, International NGOs, and world bodies. During this reporting year, it has worked together and by connecting with 15 local and national NGOs on issues of national concern. TFG Trust has always stood for the voiceless, the oppressed, and the weaker section of the community. The TFG Trust plays the role of advocates to support the cause of women, children, and issues that affect the lives and working of people of India in general.



# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## NARI MARYADA

(Project aimed at the restoration of the Dignity of Women and ensuring their safety)

This project has been launched by the Full Gospel Trust to empower and educate the girls and women living in rural villages and urban cities including slums of various metropolis. This project aims at instilling in the hearts and minds of women and girl children, self-confidence and a sense of safety and freedom where they experience no physical, mental, or sexual abuse whether be it at home or outside, and live a life without fear and with the confidence that they possess for the good of their families and the communities in which they live. To this end, the project educates, equips, and enables them to protect themselves and also prepare themselves to be partakers in the process of decision-making in their own families and also contribute to the family income by joining SHG groups and learning IG skills and starting petty businesses through linkages with banks and microfinance schemes. This ensures good health and education of the children of these women.

Key Indicator		Data / Impact
The Number of women involved in Self Help Groups	Women Empowerment	● 308 women in 31 Self Help Group in 4 target areas.
Improvement in living standards and Increased self confidence and self esteem	Women Empowerment	● 308 women

# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## NARI MARYADA

(Project aimed at the restoration of the Dignity of Women and ensuring their safety)

Key Indicator	Activity / Project	Data / Impact
Number of SHGs linked with Banks	Economic Development and Financial Inclusion	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 7 SHGs belonging to National Urban Livelihood Mission have been linked to Banks.</li></ul>
Amount of Home Made Spices prepared and sold	Income Generation and Skill Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Over 90 kgs of homemade organic spices sold with the profit distributed in the SHG group.</li></ul>
Participation of SHG members in selling their products at various venues.	Self Reliance, Market Linkages and Public Recognition	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Products( Spices and Handicrafts items) made by SHG members sold at International Trade Fair, Delhi Haat, the Chief Minister's Office, and the Sub-Divisional Magistrate's Office</li></ul>
Number of Women who have received loans.	Financial Liberty, Familial Upliftment and microfinance program.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Loans provided to 60 women for the mentioned purpose.</li></ul>

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## NARI MARYADA

(Project aimed at the restoration of the Dignity of Women and ensuring their safety)

Key Indicator	Activity / Project	Data / Impact
Number of women and girls attaining Self Defense Training	Self Improvement and recognition of vulnerability	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>More than 200 women and girls attained the skill of Self Defense.</b></li> </ul>
Number of Legal Cases coming from the community that were attended to.	Community Empowerment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>A total of 32 cases (domestic violence, kidnapping etc) were handled effectively by the Basti Mahila Suraksha Samiti.</b></li> </ul>
Total Women's participation in BMSS	Community Engagement and Women Empowerment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>21 Female Volunteers</b></li> </ul>
Awareness Generation on Good Habits for Healthy Living	Behavioral Change among the community members.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>More than 100 women and girls educated</b></li> </ul>
Total Number of Mother and Child Unit formed	Women and Child Healthcare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>More than 100 mothers and children impacted.</b></li> </ul>
Number of Women and Girls educated on Menstrual Hygiene Management	Women and Girl Healthcare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>More than 400 women and girls impacted.</b></li> </ul>

# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## NARI MARYADA

(Project aimed at the restoration of the Dignity of Women and ensuring their safety)

Project Goals of Nari Maryada include the creation of awareness about the civil and legal rights of women and girls in Delhi slums, protection of women from domestic violence, rape, and other atrocities unleashed on them, to form Basti Mahila Suraksha Samitis (Committees for the protection of women in the community) for ensuring sanitation, good health, improved employability as well as greater and lasting safety and security of women. The women volunteers of BMSS own responsibilities on their own and act like watchdogs for their fellow women and girls in the vicinity. to ensure that each girl above 10 years of age knows how to protect herself and handle a situation where her safety is challenged. Education and awareness ensure that men and young boys develop a sense of responsibility towards the opposite sex in their role as a father, brothers, and good neighbours., to network with other NGOs and government departments and work towards the sustainability of the project. The resulting effect can be gauged by the reduction in cases of wife battering and other forms of abuse and incest and cases of rapes and molestation in the communities and the improved quality of life of people living in the slums and villages of Delhi and elsewhere.



## NARI MARYADA (SUCCESS STORY)

Mrs Munni Devi, a member of a Self-Help Group (SHG), was provided with a platform to save money. In June 2023, she took a loan of ₹20,000 from the SHG and used the money to support a small fast-food business. Her husband doesn't have a permanent job, so with an unstable career, it is hard for him to support the family. Munni Devi had to do something to support her family and thus she started her eatery business and, thus it made her successful and now she is able to support her husband and the family with her earnings. She has even expanded her business, achieving greater financial independence than before. With the profits from her business, she manages the family's needs. Her fast-food business earns an average daily profit of ₹300. This is just a baseline estimate, and actual profits can vary depending on factors like customer traffic, menu items, and operational costs.



# NARI MARYADA

## TOTAL LITERACY AND EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS FOR ALL WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN IN DELHI SLUMS:



# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS



## CHILD STAR

This project supports the school education fee and nutritional supplements to 18 children who are very needy and whose parents cannot afford their school fees. They are given nutritious meals, fruits, and milk each day. We guide them in their future career selection so that they become a worthy citizen of India when they grow up. Since last year three students have withdrawn from the scholarship since their financial obstacles resolved and now they and their family are doing well.



## HIFAZAT

The meaning of the name of this project is **Protection**, and it is designed for the tribal children living in the state of Jharkhand, especially in the East Singbhum district. The project takes care of children who are not going to school. The Hifazat project finished three years on the first of April 2024. By God's grace in these three years in our objective regions, we gave our all. The point of the undertaking is to focus uprightness on the kids and females of Jharkhand with respect to their social class religion and parentage in a far-reaching way by which they consume in the privilege and benefit got to there in the constitution of India and widespread common liberties. Our task seeks to produce security for every one of the children particularly women and children towards their examinations and a decent well-being towards their brilliant future. Ladies are approved to carry on with a prospering and monetarily free life, liberated from harmful hatefulness and assault in the communities where they reside. The target areas are Baridih Basti, Jehratola, Parsudih, Bagunnagar, Birsanagar Zone 10, Birasanagar Zone 6, Bhojpur colony and Hurlung. To confident ladies in title to make them strong enough and put an effect in the general public, promotes ladies' healthy identity worth, their capacity to decide their own decisions and their entitlement to impact social change for them and other featuring the requirement for ladies schooling which indicate to each type of training that targets working on the information materials during COVID distribution.

# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## HIFAZAT

Key Indicator	Activity / Project	Data / Impact
Total Family Visits conducted	Overall Human Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A total of 257 families were visited for various purposes (Child Upliftment, Admission of non school going to schools, admission to TFGTI education center, Admission in Tailoring classes at TFGTI etc)</li> </ul>
Number of children at education centers ( Bhojpur colony, Parsudhi, TFGTI, Play School and Academics)	Children's Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A total of 158 students are impacted through the same.</li> </ul>
Total Number of Self Help Groups	SHG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There are a total of 7 SHG groups functional under Hifazat</li> </ul>
Total Number of Members in the SHG Groups	SHG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>There are a total of 58 members in the Self Help Groups</li> </ul>
Total Number of SHG Meetings conducted	SHG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A total of 71 meetings were conducted</li> </ul>
Total Savings by SHG Members	SHG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>A total of Rs. 120910 are saved by women in the SHG groups</li> </ul>

# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## HIFAZAT

Key Indicator	Activity / Project	Data / Impact
Total Loan given to SHG Members	SHG and Economic Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A total of Rs. 58000 given to Women of SHG as Loan</li> </ul>
Total Income Generation Programs Conducted	Skill Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 8 Meetings conducted on (Chilli pickle, Madwa laddu, Vaseline making, Carrot and Radish pickle ,Badi making.</li> </ul>
Number of dropout students who got admission in school	Child Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Total 8 students impacted</li> </ul>
Total Students in Adult Literacy Classes	Adult Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Total of 7 females impacted</li> </ul>
Total Parent's Meeting Conducted	Child Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A total of 12 meeting conducted</li> </ul>
Total Students in Tailoring Classes	SKill Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There are a total of 12 students out of which 5 have been graduated</li> </ul>
Total Medical Camps conduted with number of Beneficiareis	Public Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 3 Medical Camp conducted in the year with a total of 167 beneficiaries</li> </ul>

## **Breaking Free: Sadhna's Journey from a Victim to a Conqueror**

Sadhna, a tailoring student from Bhojpur colony, enrolled in our program last year. After completing the seven-month course, she confided in us about her struggles at home. She revealed a heartbreaking truth: she had been enduring domestic violence since the age of thirteen. Her in-laws constantly threatened her, forbidding her from socializing or even having conversations. To control her further, her husband withheld financial support for both her and their children. This abuse escalated when their children's school threatened to restrict them due to unpaid fees. Determined to give her children an education, Sadhna found a way to pay the outstanding dues. However, this act of defiance enraged her in-laws, who threatened her life. Fearing for her safety, Sadhna reached out to our organization at night. We guided her in writing an application, which she signed, and then submitted it to both the Mahila Police Station and the Sidhghora Police Station. Thanks to her bravery and our support, immediate legal action was taken. Once the situation was resolved, we encouraged Sadhna to pursue financial independence. This empowered her to secure a well-paying job (around Rs 15000 per month) in the real estate sector in Darbhanga. Today, Sadhna lives a happy and fulfilling life with her children.



*"Sadhna's story is an inspiration: from enduring domestic violence to breaking free and securing a well-paying job to support her children. Her courage and determination show that with support, victims can become victors."*

## HIFAZAT (SUCCESS STORY)

### • EDUCATION FOR ALL : EMPOWERING UNDERPRIVILEGED CHILDREN

The Hifazat project started a coaching centre in the Bhojpur colony. The coaching centre is bounded around underprivileged government school children. These children live in a temporary settlement, their houses are built and are covered with plastic sheets. Their parents are labourers and they work every day for daily wages. They lack essentials in their home. Among these children, there are many students who didn't know about education, some of the children like DEVAL, RAKHI, ANJALI, VINOD, SHIVANI. These students never got admission in a school and had no idea as to what happens in a school. The reason behind this is that they recently migrated to Jamshedpur city from their village, and in their village education is still an alien material which they hesitate to adapt. TFGTI Jharkhand intervened and got them admitted to a government school. With a lot of mentoring and tutoring with special classes, counselling with their parents, and regular visits to their school, led them to learn about basic manners, etiquette, the importance of education and social awareness. Now they are regular in the coaching classes and to school.



# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## HAQQ

The project Haqq is specially designed to address the needs of the Banjara community (the migrating community) in Uttar Pradesh state of India and especially in the four districts of Aligarh. The Banjara community children are less literate but the community has various hands-on skills. So, the project is working toward educating the unschooled and the dropout children of the community. It is forming Self Help Groups in all these four districts and creating bank linkages for the community to start some business where they master the skill. The community finds a market for the same. These members of the community are assisted to fight back for their rights to a dignified and respectable living for themselves and their families.



# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## HAQQ

Key Indicator	Activity / Project	Data / Impact
Total Number of Self Help Groups	SHG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• There are a total of 32 SHGs</li> </ul>
Number of women that acquired loans	SHG	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A total of 84 Women acquired loans from SHG groups.</li> </ul>
Total Savings by Women in SHGs	SHG and Economic Empowerment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The total amount of savings by women from SHGs is 290350</li> </ul>
Total amount of loan acquired by SHG women	SHG and Women's Economic Empowerment	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Total loans acquired by women is Rs. 662650 /-</li> </ul>
Total Number of Children Given Non- Formal Education	Children's Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 100 students were provided non formal education in the year</li> </ul>
Number of Women and Girls educated on Menstrual Hygiene Management	Women and Girl Healthcare	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• More than 400 women and girls impacted.</li> </ul>

## HAQQ (SUCCESS STORY)

Shashi Devi, a member of the Jatav community, joined the Baba Saheb Ambedkar Self Help Group (SHG) in 2022. This group, established by our trust in the same year, continues to empower women like Shashi. When she joined, Shashi's family faced financial difficulties. Her husband relied on daily wage work, leading to an uncertain income.

However, through the SHG Shashi embraced a new path. She began saving money regularly. After two years of consistent saving and participation, she in the year 2023 took a loan from the group to achieve her dream – opening a beauty parlor and cosmetic shop. Today, thanks to her dedication and the support of the SHG, Shashi's business flourished. She earns a steady income, saves for her family's future, and enjoys the support of her husband who now helps her with the business. Their lives have transformed, filled with happiness and new found financial security.



## HAQQ (SUCCESS STORY)

### From Daily Wages to Shopkeeper: Geeta's Path to Prosperity

Geeta, a resident of Jalali village, once relied on daily wages earned working in vegetable fields. Her family's financial situation worsened when they took a high-interest loan from a private finance company. The burden of monthly interest payments pushed them deeper into poverty. One day, a motivator from our organization visited Jalali village and introduced Geeta to our Self-Help Group (SHG). This sparked a turning point in her life. Geeta joined the SHG and began diligently saving money. After several months of consistent saving and participation, she qualified for a low-interest loan from the group itself. With this loan, Geeta seized the opportunity to open a provision shop. The shop thrived, allowing her to not only support her family but also repay the loan in full. Today, Geeta's business flourishes, and her family enjoys a life free from financial hardship.



*"I went from daily wages to shop owner. It wasn't easy, but with the support of the SHG, I broke free from the cycle of debt and built a better future for my family." - Geeta, Jalali Village*

# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## NAI UMANG

In the name of “Indian culture” India portrays a mosaic of diverse cultures. The culture of Dalits in general and Musahar were presented from orientalist, Brahminical or dominant and subaltern perspectives. The Vedic Aryan culture became the foundation of Indian culture. Thus, the lower classes of society either denied or submerged their identity and culture in their own land. Moreover, myths and stories have been fabricated to maintain Aryan dominion in society. ‘Mushera’ (another variant of the term Musahar) derives from masu (flesh) and hera (seeker), a more comprehensive term than ‘ratcatcher’. In keeping with Brahminical notions of purity and impurity, it was the practice among upper-caste Hindus to give depreciatory names to lower-caste communities because the upper-caste Hindus found the latter’s food habits both revolting and impure. The name ‘Musahar,’ although intended as a term of reproach by caste Hindus, has now been accepted by the Musahars, this being the name by which they refer to themselves today. TFGTI, has adopted several Villages in Bihar, where the Musahar communities reside and they are deprived of their basic needs including ‘Their Right to Education’. TFGTI with the help of a few locals was able to instil a few centres where they take care of grooming and tutoring the children, who are the bright futures of India in coming years.



# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS

## NAI UMANG

- **Stolen Education:** Child labor forces children to abandon their schooling, hindering their chances of a brighter future with limited knowledge and skills.
- **Sacrificed Health:** Harsh working conditions expose children to dust, heavy labor, and long hours, taking a significant toll on their physical development and overall health.
- **Lost Childhood:** Child labor deprives children of playtime and opportunities to socialize with peers, hindering their emotional and social growth. They miss out on essential experiences that shape them into well-rounded individuals.
- **Temptation and Exploitation:** Earning money at a young age can lead children down a dangerous path of addiction to gambling, drinking, or smoking as a way to cope with the pressures of their situation.
- **Intergenerational Poverty Trap:** Child labor perpetuates poverty. Children may become trapped in bonded labor alongside their parents, working for high-caste businessmen with little hope of escape, continuing the cycle for generations.
- **Sexual Abuse:** Children in exploitative labor situations are at a heightened risk of sexual harassment, a horrific violation that can have lasting physical and psychological trauma.
- **Early Marriage for Profit:** In some cases, families exploit child labor further by forcing young girls into early marriage so their husbands and any children they bear can also be forced into work, generating more income for the family.

At Nai Umang, we fight against the evils of child labor. We believe every child deserves a safe and nurturing space to learn and grow. That's why we welcome children into our education center, providing them with a chance to flourish through education and escape the dangers of forced labor.

# ONGOING PROJECTS AND THEIR IMPACTS AS PER THE SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT GOALS NAI UMANG (NUMBER OF STUDENTS IN EVERY CENTER)

S.No	Teacher's Name	Village	District	Total Children	Total Boys	Total Girls
1	Rani Masih	Gorhna	Bojpur	45	20	25
2	Rani Masih	Shital Tola	Bojpur	60	32	28
3	Arbind Ram	Giddha	Bojpur	60	32	28
4	Champa Devi	Kahpura	Nalanda	38	25	13
5	Soni Kumari	Pura	Nalanda	50	32	18
6	Rajballabh Ram	Diywa	Nalanda	40	23	17
7	Sangeeta Benjamin	Kurji, Balupar	Patna	32	16	16
8	Sapna Kumari	Tungi	Nalanda	30	12	18
9	Rinku Devi	Dosut	Nalanda	30	15	15
10	Baby Kumari	Koilama	Nalanda	37	16	21
<b>Total</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>422</b>	<b>223</b>	<b>199</b>

## NAI UMANG (SUCCESS STORY)

### **Gorhana Center: Empowering Children and Families**

The Gorhana Center, located in Ara, Bhojpur district of Bihar, was established in 2023 under the leadership of Rani Masih. This center serves the Musahar community, focusing on both children and families. Previously, the community faced significant challenges. The production and sale of illicit liquor were widespread, leading to frequent police raids. These raids often involved intrusive searches of women's homes, creating a climate of fear and harassment. However, the arrival of the Nai Umang Center marked a turning point. Children in the community now have access to education, and families are gaining valuable knowledge and awareness. This positive transformation has had a ripple effect. When the police see children diligently studying at the center, they no longer have a reason to suspect illegal activity and have stopped harassing the villagers.



## NAI UMANG (SUCCESS STORY)

### **Kolama Center: Breaking the Cycle of Child Labor**

The Nai Umang centre in Kolama village, Nalanda district, is led by dedicated teacher Baby Kumari. This center serves children from the Musahar community, who were previously facing a harsh reality. Before the centre's arrival, nearly half the village's children were forced into child labour at brick factories. However, the opening of Nai Umang marked a turning point. Initially, there were fewer students. But through dedicated outreach efforts, Baby Kumari educated the children and their families about the dangers and lasting damage child labour can inflict on their health and future. This awareness campaign proved successful. Today, children from Kolama are less engaged in child labour. Instead, they consistently attend the centre, focusing on their education and building a brighter future.



**“ALL THESE ACTIVITIES HAVE MADE IT POSSIBLE FOR TFGTI TO REACH HUNDREDS AND THOUSANDS OF CHILDREN, MEN, WOMEN, YOUTH, AND ELDERS TO EMPOWER THEM AND BRING THEM UP FROM BELOW THE POVERTY LINE BY “ENSURING SMILE ON EVERY FACE”.**



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# OUR SUPPORT TEAM:

In the year 2023-2024, TFGTI was manned by a team of 65 staff members, who were experienced, social workers and dedicated paraprofessionals. They are truly the lifeline of the organization, keeping it invigorated and growing. Driven by TFGTI's core values and commitment to excel in the field of working with children, girls, women, men, and adults the team members served as the backbone of all the projects being implemented by it in partnership with other organizations. Our team is gender balanced and it is ensured that no one is discriminated against on the basis of caste, color, religion, or gender.

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**PARTNER WITH US:** You can help by volunteering to join and organize our work and help provide a valuable contribution that shows our progress in this global movement. You can also help by donating and your donations will help us to achieve our priority goal to educate children and support their development in specific areas of their lives such as literacy, healthy living, and becoming self-sufficient among others. TFGTI has acquired wonderful experience working with various national and international donors, foundations, and corporate houses. In partnership with them, it has developed and implemented several projects for the marginalized. To find out more about the nature of our engagement, please visit us at: [www.tfgti.org](http://www.tfgti.org), and write to us at: [info@tfgti.org](mailto:info@tfgti.org)

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