**Global Giving**

**Impacts of Corona outbreak in India**

Global disaster of Corona virus outbreak has started taking its toll in India. The governments have been involved in different types of interventions.

All states in India have been affected already with confirmed cases of corona victims and thousands of suspected persons. With massive population and varied socio-economic factors in our nation governments alone cannot counter a challenge of this magnitude. The initiatives being carried out by the Government Agencies cannot be expected to reach the vast populations belonging to these areas.

**Massive Challenge**

With limited health infrastructure India is facing the 3rd stage of community transmission and further would be extremely daunting. As much as around half a million persons are estimated to be infected by the April and May this year.

Considering such enormity, scale and the swiftness of the spread of this deadly Novel Corona Virus, we need to immediately cover as many villages and parts of the semi urban and urban localities in which SPPD works. A big number of villages and towns have to be covered.

In the first place every human being has to be reached at the earliest, SPPD can work to help the government in making the message reach all homes and every person through various ways. Similarly with the total lock down being in place to contain community spread of Covid19 virus, the livelihood and the very survival of millions of people belonging to the various marginalized sections here stand severely threatened.

**Solution**

Making the population especially the rural and semi urban pockets of our working areas that comprise of thickly populated communities health disaster prepared is the need of the hour.

Widespread awareness generation and intensive sensitization on the serious threat of Corona virus outbreak among the population is necessary. Considering the interventions towards achieving the same have to be carried out as quickly as possible.

This apart, provision of protective apparatus and utmost necessities to those most in need the most vulnerable sections is an immediate need as well. With the number of people to be reached being so large and with limited awareness among the poor masses a multipronged intervention has to be carried out as quickly as possible.

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**Long term problems**

The novel corona virus transmission is estimated to affect a large population here, it will leave a trail of long term impacts. In the first place the livelihoods will be at peril for all sections of workers belonging to the unorganized sector.

In the immediate aftermath the threat of spurt in crimes also looms large, as there is bound to be intense competitions for livelihood opportunities. This shall certainly lead to a social tensions. Especially in a state like Tamil Nadu, where already millions of workers from the North Indians states employed, the loss of livelihood for the locals will lead to conflicts.

Apart from the economic and social fallouts, unprecedented scale of damage caused to the psychological wellbeing of the individuals the men, women and children will be huge. With the many villages having been badly affected by climate change induced forced migration of labor, the situation would get further aggravated.

**Respond & Relief to COVID – 19 for Tamil Nadu, India**

**Summary**

COVID-19 Prevention and immediate relief for most 10,000 Vulnerable communities - families living with HIV/AIDS and most vulnerable labour force will be supported with Sanitary and Groceries kit in Trichy , Karur , Perambalur , Kanchipuram, Chengalpattu & Chennai districts of TamilNadu, India.

#### **Challenge**

The workers belonging to the construction sector are one of the major sections who are heavily affected by the shutdown declared by the government against the threat of Covid19 virus transmission here. They mainly work in the neighboring towns and cities.

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**Long Term Impacts**

We create **social awareness about COVID-19 and will ensure social distancing.** Stay healthy with their families without difficulties, as materials will be disbursed on their door step.

In particular, the support will be help them to prevent social distancing among 10,000 families and support them psychology and give them confident not to break the lockdown.

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| Support Sanitation kit for an HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 300 | 3.98 |
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| Support Sanitation & Sustenance kit for HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 500 | 6.64 |
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| Support Sanitation & Sustenance kit for 5 HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 2500 | 33.18 |
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| Support Sanitation & Sustenance kit for 10 HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 5000 | 66.37 |
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| Support Sanitation & Sustenance kit for 20 HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 10000 | 132.73 |
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| Support Sanitation & Sustenance kit for 30 HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 15000 | 199.10 |
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| Support Sanitation & Sustenance kit for 40 HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 20000 | 265.46 |
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| Support Sanitation & Sustenance kit for 50 HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 25000 | 331.83 |
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| Support Sanitation & Sustenance kit for 80 HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 40000 | 530.93 |
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| Support Sanitation & Sustenance kit for 100 HIV/AIDS or unorganized sector family | 50000 | 663.66 |