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Organization Profile

Introduction:

Avvai Mahalir Kuzhukalin Sangamam (AMKS) is a reputed voluntary organization working in Perambalur and Ariyalur Districts of Tamilnadu in the sectors of rehabilitation of drug addicts, children home for girls, Home for senior citizens, programme for Scheduled caste and tribe and community development programmes.

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Objectives:

- To carryout the plans and the aims of the State and Central Governmental programmes which is sponsored by the concerned authorities.
- ii. To undertake social and economic development

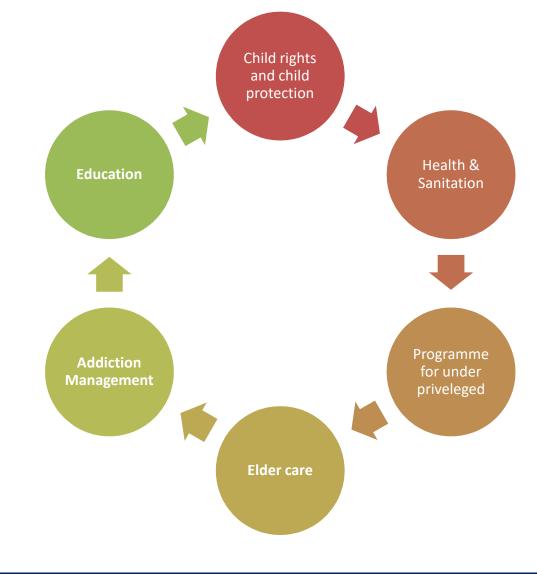


activities to assist the children, women, elders and disaster affected in coordination with Government and likeminded institutions.

- iii. To start, establish, equip and run Industrial Training Institutes, Short Stay Homes, Children Homes, Child Adoption Unit, Vocational Training Centres, Old Age Homes, Information and Knowledge Resource centres, Deaddiction centres for the benefit of all irrespective of race, caste, community, religion or social status.
- iv. To promote the welfare of the orphan, special children, widows, deserted & neglected elders, disaster victims and downtrodden by executing welfare and right based programmes with the support of the Government, International donors and likeminded institutions.
- v. To promote and develop agricultural oriented rural programmes, dairy, poultry and other farm activities.
- vi. To impart non-formal education, adult education and to promote educational facilities for children of poor and needy people through running creche, schools, colleges, hospitals, laboratories and libraries for promoting education.
- vii. To create assets such as land, building and the structures for the promotion of the society and also to use the same for the purpose of the business and welfare activities of the society and for the benefits of the public general.
- viii. To render social services to poor and needy people during the natural calamities such as flood, fire, famine, droughts and other epidemics.
- ix. To subscribe or give donations to and financially or otherwise to aid any other societies/institutions having charity, education or social services as its primary objects.
- x. To carryout activities related to climate change, environment, mangrove cultivation and plantation with the support of national and international institutions.
- xi. To create awareness among people about various social evils such as addiction, child marriage, child labour, and do such activities that will eradicate such habits in collaboration with such Authorities of State, Central and other Non-Governmental Organizations.

Geographical Area:

- Perambalur District
- Ariyalur District



Partners:

AMKS has collaborated with various partners and executed ample of developmental and right based programmes for the marginalized and succeeded in its commendable work. The partners associated with AMKS are the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Local donors and service minded people in Perambalur District.

Activities of Avvai Mahalir Kuzhukalin Sangamam

Arumbukal – Children Home for Girls:

- "Arumbugal" Children Home in Peramablur District is the one and only Home for girl children which addresses children in need of care and support. It is registered under section 41 (1) of the Juvenile Justice Care and Protection Act 2015.
- As per the guidelines of the Department of Social Defence, the project extended support to 30 girl children referred by the Child Welfare Committee and District Child Protection Unit (DCPU) of Peramablur District.
- 10 children in need of care and support were counselled and restored with parents with the support of Child Welfare Committee and DCPU.
- The children admitted in the Home were involved in recreational activities, news paper reading, indoor and outdoor games and meditation
- Considering COVID-19, the project sanitized the Children Home premises and educated children on COVID-19 preventive measures.
- The District Child Protection Officer, District legal Service Authority, District Social Welfare Officer and medical team from nearby Primary Health Centre were visited and given guidance.
- The project requested District administration to allocate a govt. building for running the Children Home and it was under process.

Puthiyapathai – Integrated Rehabilitation Centre for Addicts (IRCA):

- At this reporting period, the project satisfied of its committed services to treat 183 cases out of that 168 were leading a drug free life.
- Organized 35 Awareness programmes on ill-effects of addiction to high risk



groups and thereby 1212 were sensitized.

- Conducted 2555 individual counseling, 480 group therapy, 50 family therapy, 290 yoga & meditations for drug addicts to make the treatment successful.
- 183 home visits and 180 regular follow up counseling sessions were conducted and re



sessions were conducted and re-ensured sobriety of 168 cases.

- 08 Alcoholic Anonymous (AA) meetings were conducted and 120 sober patients were participated. The sober were motivated with medal as an award and given guidance to remain as volunteer to the project.
- Organized International Day Against Illicit Trafficking and Drug abuse in Perambalur District and sensitized general public, auto workers etc and thereby 220 were benefited. The programme was presided by the Superintendent of Police, Perambalur District. IEC materails and Hnad bills were utilized and sensitized the public.



- The project did awareness to general public in coordination with District Legal Service Authority, Police and District Child Protection Unit.
- The officials from MSJE, District Child Protection Officer, were visited the project and given guidance.
- As per the direction of MSJE, the project installed CCTV camera and did live stream in organization website.
- The counselors were trained by TTK-chennai and thereby the staff team extends quality services in the centre.

Anbu Home for Senior Citizen – Ariyalur District

- The Anbu Home for Senior Citizens taken care of 25 deserted and neglected senior citizens by providing free shelter, food, medicines, yoga, recreation and rehabilitation assistance.
- The project in coordination with local Government Hospital conducted awareness meet on COVID-19, given herbal drinks, sanitized the premises and provided mask and sanitizers to all the inmates.
- Important days and festivals such as Republic day, Diwali, Pongal , Vinayahar Sathurthi, , Independence day, NGO Day, World Elders Day and Ayudha Pooja along with community members and crèche children. The elders feel at home and



enjoy the day with school children and community people.

- The project leveraged material donations like household materials and entertainment items. The kind hearted donors were thanked in person and through letter communication.
- Celebrated World Elders' Day programme and honoured senior citiznes involved in various competitions organized by the project. The District officials were invited and the residents received prize from their hands.
- Newspaper reading, watching television programs, hearing radio, cleaning home environment, carrom, chess, musical chair, ball game and group singing are some of the periodical entertainment activities conducted at Home. The residents feel at home and relaxed.

- The residents were engaged in yoga periodically with trained yoga master. The yoga helped residents to get relief from breathing trouble, knee pain and made them relax and comfort.
- The project leveraged Old Age Pension for 20 elders and applied for 5 elders this year from Govt.
- Senior citizens at Home are engaged in gardening, basket making, watching television and newspaper reading.
- 12 medical camps were organized in coordination with local Primary Health Centre and given free treatment for common ailments.
- The District Social Welfare Officer, Extension officers were visited the project and given guidance.

Programme for Scheduled Caste:

Avvai Mahalir Kuzhukalin Sangamam is implementing programme for scheduled caste by running Hostel for 50 girl students at Perambalur District of Tamil Nadu. The Hostel serves food, shelter, recreation and medical support for the beneficiaries. The programme remains good support for poor girl students to continue their higher studies.

Programme for Scheduled Tribe:

Avvai Mahalir Kuzhukalin Sangamam is running Mobile Dispensary, 10 bedded hospital and Hostel for Scheduled Tribe in Perambalur District of Tamil Nadu. The programme enhance the socio-economic development of scheduled tribe in Perambalur District of Tamil Nadu.

Integrated complex of Special Home for Senior Citizens and Destitute Children

• Integrated complex of Special Home for Senior Citizens and Destitute has taken care of 25 destitute and neglected elders and 24 children. With own source of funding, the organization running the project taking care of the poor and neglected elders in and around the district.

- During the reporting period, the project supported the residents of senior citizens and children with Shelter, food, medicine, recreation, yoga and counseling assistance at free of cost and taken care with trained staff team.
- The project also mobilized material donations from public and extended better care and sup



and extended better care and support to the residents.

- The residents were involved in recreational activities and periodical yoga classes to remain healthy with sound mind.
- The children enjoy moving with elderly people by learning moral stories, traditional medicines and good characters.
- The District Social Welfare Officer, Extension officers and local medical team from Primary Health Centre visited the project and given guidance and support.

Swadhar Greh Programme:

- At this reporting period, the Swadhar Greh programme supported 30 women in difficult
- circumstances in Ariyalur District referred by All Women Police Station, District legal Service Authority and general public.
- The residents were taken care with shelter, food, medicines, counselling and rehabilitation assistance at free of cost.



- The inmates are trained on vocational trades such as tailoring, Basket making, Embroidering and Paper cover making.
- 24 awareness programmes were conducted on women rights, legal provisions, domestic violence, dowry prohibition and functions of Swadhar Greh and therey 1218 were benefited.
- The officials from District Fire Service, Ariyalur sensitized the residents on Fire safety by demonstrating with equipments.
- The Medical officers from nearby Primary Health Centre visited the project and given free medicines and treatment to all residents.

Newspaper clippings:





You may extend your support to the organization in various ways: We accept any donation that comes from the Heart

- Adopt a homeless and abandoned child to have better future by sponsoring him/her on education, food, shelter, clothing and overall development of the child.
- Adopt a deserted, neglected and vulnerable elder to have food, shelter, clothing, eye care, medical aid and to have better and quality life.
- Adopt a Project and we are eager to provide any information for further support and development of the community.

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