



Profile-Bal Sansar Sanstha (BSS)

Bal Sansar Sanstha is a registered non-profit voluntary organization established in 1992 in Rajasthan (India) and works in the field of community development. This includes policy advocacy and intervention on education, skill development, livelihood, public health, HIV-AIDS prevention, and care, with a focus on empowering women and children, adolescents, and youth. Bal Sansar Sanstha is dedicated to improving the lives of children, adolescents, youth, and women through ensuring access to rights, entitlements, and services in the state of Rajasthan and country.

About Bal Sansar Sanstha (BSS)

Name of the Organization	Bal Sansar Sanstha
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Like us on Face book	https://www.facebook.com/balsansarsansthango https://www.facebook.com/BalSansarPublicSchoolAjmer/
Follow us @X	https://x.com/balsansarindia
See us at YouTube:	http://www.youtube.com/channel/UCrMSPXSEt3ejl1HR-4NdvBA
Adolescents Empowerment Model 'Taiyari (preparation for life)', A video and short Film by UNICEF with Bal Sansar Sanstha	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QxIplIR8ADQ https://youtu.be/9Zjn1TAC3oA
Connect with us @ Google+	https://plus.google.com/u/0/117117639490722612342/posts
BSS Governance	
Governing Board (GB) Members	12 members (including 7 EC members) (5 Women, 7 Men)
Executive Committee (EC) Officials (4 Women, 3 Men) (The current EC is elected for 2 years and will remain in effect till 31 July 2025)	Dr. Priyamvada Singh, Founder Chairperson (Adhyaksha) Mr. Ajay Singh Chauhan, Secretary (Sachiv) Mr. Satya Narayan Achary, Treasurer (Koshadhyaksha) Mr. Virendra Ajad, EC Member Dr. Jaishree Bhargava, EC Member Dr. Pratibha Parashar, EC Member Mrs. Prabha Kishore, EC Member



Chief Functionary	Dr Priyamvada Singh, Founder Chairperson (+91-9829011880)	
Date of Establishment / Registration	10 th January 1992	
Registered under the Society Registration Act 1958	Registration No. 346/91-92 (dated 10th January 1992)	
Income Tax Act 1961, article 80G (5) (vi) <i>80G Renewal details:</i>	Registration No. 80G/2007-08/920 (dated 01/04/2007)	
	Provisional Approval Number	AAATB9592LF20214
	Date of provisional approval	31-05-2021
	Section/sub-section/clause/sub-clause/proviso in which provisional approval is being granted	11-Clause (i) of first proviso to sub-section (5) of section 80G
	Assessment year or years for which the trust or institution is provisionally approved	From AY 2022-23 to AY 2026-27
Income Tax 12 AA (1) (b) (i) <i>12A Renewal details:</i>	Reg. No. 2580 dated 12-3-2001 (Valid from 1st April 2000)	
	Provisional Approval Number	AAATB9592LE20214
	Date of provisional approval	31-05-2021
	Section/sub-section/clause/sub-clause/proviso in which provisional approval is being granted	01-Sub clause (i) of clause (ac) of sub-section (1) of section 12A
	Assessment year or years for which the trust or institution is provisionally approved	From AY 2022-23 to AY 2026-27
CSR-1 Registration	BSS has been registered at the MoCA-Gol, for undertaking CSR activities. The Registration number is CSR00058152 dated 21/08/2023, approval letter issued by the MINISTRY OF CORPORATE AFFAIRS, OFFICE OF THE REGISTRAR OF Companies, GOVERNMENT OF INDIA	
IT-PAN No.	AAATB9592L	
TAN Number	Allotment of Tax Deduction Account Number (TAN) as per Income Tax Act,1961: JPRB06538A (dated 25 June 2020)	
Foreign Contribution (Regulation) Act, 1976-FCRA	Registration No. 125560132 (Valid from 13th November 2001, renewed till 31 March 2028), The renewed certificate is valid for a period of five years with effect from 01-04-2023 (i.e., till 31 March 2028).	
Any other Section	THE JUVENILE JUSTICE (CARE AND PROTECTION OF CHILDREN) ACT 2000, State Act, article 34, 2 (d) (iii) and article 48. Certificate No. F 14 (2) Bal Sansar, Ajmer/09/24969-85, dated 21/04/2010, further renewed till 20 April 2017.	
Education Department, Government of Rajasthan	By the Office of the DEO, Elementary Education, Ajmer: School registration & approval code: RJAJM24022 to run an English medium Middle School in Ajmer (Letter #1462 dated 20/07/2018 of DEO, Elementary, Ajmer, GoR.	
Rajasthan Knowledge Corporation Limited (RKCL)	RKCL is a public ltd co. promoted by GoR Website: www.rkcl.in Authorisation Certificate by RKCL: ITGK CODE:12290170 This certificate is issued on 17 Feb. 2021 and is valid up to 10-November-2024	



National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC) Registration	Training Provider ID: TP070885 Applicant Type: Training Partner dated 29 September 2020 NSDC Website: https://skillindia.nsdcindia.org
Guide Star Number (GSN) National NGO Network	Guide Star Number (GSN): 4226 
Govt. of Rajasthan, CSR Portal	Registered at: https://csrrajasthan.gov.in/admin
Big Tech - NASSCOM	Affiliate to receive / promote use of genuine software
GiveIndia (National NGO Network)	Currently in Tier-II Listing
NGO Partnership System - Niti Aayog, Gol	Reregistered on NGO Partnership System since 2009 Registration No. RJ/2009/0001344 Updated on 10 Jan 2017 on NGO Darpan portal of Niti Aayog, Gol: Regenerated Unique ID is: RJ/2017/0115287 https://ngodarpan.gov.in/index.php/home/statewise_ngo/6641/8/7?per_page=100
NGOportal: www.ngoportal.org	http://www2.ngoportal.org/ngo-database-4638-Bal+Sansar+Sanstha.html
Social Justice & Empowerment, GoR	https://sjms.rajasthan.gov.in/sjms/NgoRegistration.aspx
SSO ID	BALSANSARSANSTHA
BRN	8005220054000166 https://br.raj.nic.in/SearchBRN.aspx#!
UNICEF India NGO partner profile registration portal:	Partner Registration ID: 156 http://www.grapeforms.com/unicef/register
UNICEF India Vender profile registration portal:	http://www.grapeforms.com/unicef/register/vendors/registration
UN agencies have adopted Harmonized Approach to Cash Transfer (hereinafter referred as HACT) to transfer the funds to implementing partner.	As per HACT clauses, the UN agencies are getting the Micro (Financial) Assessment of financial system of implementing partners: Based on a ' Checklist Financial Management Questionnaire ' of Micro (Financial) Assessment and detailed assessment, Risk Analysis / Assessment of Bal Sansar Sanstha (BSS) is assessed & reported "LOW" (a full report dated 25 Feb. 2013 is available; submitted to UNICEF by the Lochan & Co. Chartered Accountants, New Delhi).
CCC Project Evaluation by NACO, Gol	Got "A" Grade



Targeted Intervention Evaluation by NACO (GoI) & RSACS (GoR).	Got Top Ranking, extended project tenure; the project was selected as a “Learning Site” one amongst six in the state, supported by NACO and KHPT.
Awards /Recognition	
Dasra Girl Power Award http://www.dasra.org/	Qualified to be amongst five National Finalists in the ‘Life Skills’ Category of Awards (Feb. 2014) http://www.dasraphilanthropyweek.org/dasra-girl-power-awards.html
Rajasthan NGO Leadership Award 2018	By World CSR Day & World Sustainability Congress, at Radisson Blue, Jaipur, on 27 June 2018 https://www.cmoasia.org/regional-awards.html
Rajasthan NGO Leadership Award 2019	By World CSR Day & World Sustainability Congress, at Radisson Blue, Jaipur, on 1st July 2019 https://www.cmoasia.org/regional-awards.html
Super Woman Award for Social Development work	By the Rotary International Jaipur Club Citizen District 3054 in Jaipur, on 17 March 2019
Indo Nepal Samrasta Award for promoting cultural and national integration and harmony	By Indo Nepal Samrasta Munch, in Jaipur, on 13 February 2019
Certificate of merit for Healthcare services - 2020	By World CSR Day & World Sustainability Congress, On 14th February 2020 at Taj Lands End, Mumbai
Rajasthan Women Leadership Award	By CMO Asia and CMO Global presented the Rajasthan Women Leadership Award 27 Nov. 2020, in a virtual event. My award citations byte is from 47:45 to 51:55 minutes in the shared live coverage video link: https://www.facebook.com/rl.bhatia.14/videos/162340212287530
Rajasthan Women's Icon award 2021	By Sneh Foundation, Arch Academy and With You For You Foundation, Jaipur, Rajasthan ‘Women's Icon award 2021’ #celebratingwomenSuccess on 8 th March 2021 #internationalwomensday2021
Other Information	
Working Language/s	English, Hindi, and Rajasthani
Geographical Area of Operation	National & Rajasthan State
Active in (Name of Place)	Presently active in Jaipur, Ajmer and Tonk districts.
Branch Location/s	During past years- selected clusters of Jaipur and now, in Tonk and Ajmer districts as well.
Bank Accounts	
FCRA Bank Account (this new account is effective from 01 June 2021) We Do Accept International Grants/Donation, the account details are:	International Donors: For fund transfer from a bank account, other than India:
	Bank Name
	State Bank of India (SBI)
	Bank Address
	State Bank of India (SBI), 11, Sansad Marg, New Delhi 110 001, India.
	Account Name
	Bal Sansar Sanstha



	Account Number (FCRA Saving)	40201825153
	Branch Code	00691
	IFS Code	SBIN0000691
	SWIFT Code	SBININBB104
	Purpose Code	P1303
Local Account For Accepting the Indian Grants/Donations, the bank account details are:	Indian Donors: For fund transfer from an Indian bank account:	
	Bank Name	HDFC Bank Ltd.
	Bank Address	HDFC Bank Ltd. D-54, Siddi Vinayak, Ashok Marg, C-Scheme, Jaipur-302001 Rajasthan (India)
	Branch Code	0054
	Account Name	Bal Sansar Sanstha
	Account Number	00541450000580
	RTGS/NEFT/ IFSC	HDFC0000054
	MICR Code	302240002
	SWIFT Code	HDFCINBBXXX
	Bank Name	State Bank of India (SBI)
	Bank Address	State Bank of India (SBI), Collectorate Branch, Banipark, Jaipur-302006
	Account Name	Bal Sansar Sanstha
	Account Number	51093326989
	Branch Code	31026
	RTGS/NEFT/ IFSC	SBIN0031026

Chartered Accountant/s Former:	1. Mr. Vishnu Goyal, Jaipur, Rajasthan (Former) 2. Mr. Nitin Gupta, CA, (Former), Membership No.: 419124, Registration No.: 0005005C; UDIN: 19419124AAABV7550. Rama K. Gupta & Company, 1879-A Shiv Nagar, Foy Sagar Road, In Front of PNB, Ajmer, Rajasthan 305001. Phone contacts: 9660947307, 0145-2600304 (Former).
Current:	Ms Anita Ramchandani, Membership No.: Registration No.: UDIN: Phone contacts: +91 145 4050347, 9414002019, Harish Chandra & Company, M 5 Anasagar Link Road, Ajmer 305001 (Raj.). Email: harishchandracaajmer@gmail.com
Other Support	Mobilised through the MPLAD/MLALAD Schemes

Financials: Table: Income and Expenditure in the Past Years:

Year	2013-14	2014-15	2015-16	2016-17	2017-18	2018-19	2019-2020	2020-2021	2021-2022	2022-2023
Income	62,75,161	68,44,555	33,67,845	6,12,791	9,91,549	10,06,173	13,29,126	297524	509640	727096
Expenditure	48,39,056	80,06,136	24,03,518	10,98,752	12,17,629	12,64,047	23,65,248	496530	745881	803190



D. Vision, Mission, Goal and Objectives:

Vision: We envision an equitable, corruption free and just society where everyone gets opportunity to realize one's fullest potential in life, with no discrimination based on gender, religion, caste, creed, social, cultural, and economic status.

Mission is to empower vulnerable community groups enabling them to lead a life with dignity.

We respect & believe in the diversity of social contexts and of individuals. Indigenous wisdom and knowledge that exists in the communities. Professional, scientific, and pragmatic approach of dealing with the problems prevailing in the society. Participatory approaches. Convergence and collaboration with the government systems and agencies active in the social and development sector.

The Goal of Bal Sansar is making a meaningful contribution to the society by empowering the communities to enable them leading a life with dignity, equity, and quality. To pursue and achieve this goal, we have set the following objectives and the sub-objectives under each objective:

Child Rights, Development and Education

- To ensure action and Advocacy for child rights.
- To ensure action and Advocacy for elimination of child labour and abuse.
- To address educational development needs of children living in vulnerabilities, including the orphans.
- To initiate innovative school based and out of school activities for overall development of children.
- To build capacity and strengthening of systems structures and individuals engaged in child education & development activities.

Adolescent and Youth Skill and Entrepreneurship Development

- To train and enhance life skills of adolescents and youth leading to improved employability.
- To improve information and knowledge base among youth enabling them making right choices
- To prepare adolescents and youth for facing the realities of life & support them through planned transition to adulthood.

Community Health and Development

- To focus on Rural Areas and Urban Slums.
- To develop and promote voluntary efforts/groups at grass root level by mobilizing local communities in general and youths in particular.
- To address health issues with a focus on women and child health
- To address issues of HIV and AIDS, Prevention, Positive living, Promoting access to treatment, care, and support.
- To provide support to the poor communities in emergency situations particularly, to the women and children.
- To build capacity and strengthening of Community Based Organizations (CBOs) for sustainable development.

Women Development & Gender Issue

- To promote gender sensitive atmosphere in the society through IEC support, skill enhancement empowering women and adolescents to increase their control on their lives.
- To address educational and developmental needs of girl child and adolescents.

Research & Documentation

- To promote exchange of experience through document & dissemination.
- To undertake research projects, surveys, and studies.
- To create authentic database for planning & implementation of social interventions/projects.

Capacity Building

- To build capacity of the development functionaries, project stakeholders and community structures, NGOs/CBOs/SCOs with a focus on rights perspective, participatory processes, and gender dimensions in the social the development programmes.



- Training and capacity building in the field of life skills, education, health, community development, human rights, reproductive health, HIV and AIDS, Community participation, evidence-based planning, project management and advocacy issues.

Networking & Advocacy

- To promote networking with grass root/local, regional, national, international agencies, technical institutions, and individuals active in the field of social development.

E. Strategies & Framework of Activities:

Strategies	:	• Evidence based programming, situational analysis and need assessment. • Community mobilization, engaging and working with the community structures, community leaders, GO, NGOs and private sectors. • Focus on vulnerable communities, groups and areas including PLHAs, OVCs, Orphans and women. • Thrust for quality by applying management principles. • Mainstreaming of the learning through sharing and dissemination. • Promotion of local wisdom, resources and skills through capacity building and handholding.
Target Groups	:	Vulnerable populations, People living with HIV & affected by AIDS, Women-men in sex work, Orphan, Vulnerable Children, Women, Youth, Adolescents, old-aged people.
Programmatic Areas:		All our programmes are focused on Women, Children, Adolescents, and youth. Education, Life Skills, Livelihood, Health, Community empowerment and development.
Type of Activities:	:	Evidence gathering, Project planning and management, Capacity Building, Training, Monitoring and Evaluation, Technical Assistance, Research, Surveys, Policy, Advocacy, Support for development of community-based organizations and management. Documentation and dissemination. Awareness Generation, Networking, Programme Implementation, and management.
Geographical Coverage	:	Urban Slums and Rural areas. Worked/working in Jaipur, Tonk, Ajmer and Dungarpur districts of Rajasthan but willing to expand in other districts as well. We have partner networks with a strong presence in the other districts of the Rajasthan and are in position to start the interventions immediately.

F. Program Monitoring Evaluation Systems:

Meetings	Reports	Work Plans	Others	Scope for improvement
Weekly	Weekly	Weekly	Stakeholders	Yes
Monthly	Monthly	Monthly	Meetings	(Always open for suggestions and newer ideas)
Quarterly	Quarterly	Quarterly		
Annually	Annually	Annually		

Measuring Success in Programmes Undertaken:

- In last three years, in partnership with UNICEF, PRIs and local communities, BSS teams were able to outreach, aware, empower and link over **20000 adolescent boys and girls** with the life skills and services in Jaipur, Ajmer and Tonk districts.
- In last four years, in partnership with RSACS-GoR, reached to **1100 women in sex-work and 400 Man-having sex with man (MSM)** with HIV prevention, care and treatment programmes in Tonk and Dungarpur districts.
- Development of Community Care Center for HIV positive people at Ajmer was one of the success stories of BSS, served about **2500 HIV positive clients and their families** over the five years, because of our tireless work with PLHA (people living with HIV) and other stakeholders.



- Supported 20 Orphans and Vulnerable Children (OVC) while supporting their education, food, shelter, and overall development through our Care Home 'Sneh Sansar' ('Bal Griha', registered under the juvenile justice act).
- In partnership with Population Foundation of India (PFI), UNDP-NACO, **reached over 14000 rural women and adolescent girls** with awareness generation programmes covering the reproductive, sexual health and HIV-AIDS messages through innovative community radio programme 'Babali-Boli'.
- Over last two decades, successfully participated in the social welfare, community development, **education**, health awareness and HIV/AIDS programmes with network partners and as a result, the Chairperson in her professional capacity was part of the NACP-III design working group on GIPA, Legal - Ethical Issues and a member of Technical Resource Group on Targeted Interventions (TI) for the Migrants.
- Our partnerships with Rajasthan Knowledge Corporation Ltd. (RKCL), GoR <http://rkcl.in> Rajasthan State AIDS Control Society (RSACS) <http://www.rsacs.in> Dasra (<http://www.dasra.org>), UNICEF Rajasthan/India, and Dimagi (<http://www.dimagi.com>) have added resource support, value and visibility to our credible work.
- Our earned credibility with the government, in the communities we work with, our development partners and with the donor agencies is a matter of pride for us and we keep on investing in the same while making our best efforts for strengthening it.

Core Strengths:

- Rights based approaches, focusing on the rights of vulnerable women and youth.
- Advanced in organizational understanding of policies, local environment, issues, and cultural contexts.
- Strong community base, field presence, credibility and linkages, partnership with professional agencies, CSOs.
- Efficient coordination with Government departments, Private agencies, Industries, Clubs, PRIs, Communities.
- Skilled professionals on the board, local, national, and international level technical expertise available.
- Capacity to initiate quickly and going on scale with quality.
- High degree of integrity, professionalism, project and financial management expertise.
- Capacity to design interventions, implement, meet the strict project timelines, and achieve results.

Impact of organization's activities so far:

Perceived by the organization	Credibility in the target community, mainstreaming of 100% children. Effective relationship with CSOs, UNICEF & GOR. Awareness in the community on education, health, and overall development with special focus on young people and children. Sensitization of community system on gender & child labour issues. Successfully advanced in organizational understanding on the issues of poverty, vulnerabilities, gender, health, migration, sex work, HIV-AIDS.
Perceived by the community	Completion of primary education. Developed civic sense amongst children and their families. Access to opportunities to overall development of children and families. As a result of organization's work, an excellent rapport with the Vulnerable populations groups and HIV Positive groups has been build.
Overall assessment	Strong community linkages, Partnership networks with other NGOs in the state and beyond, Broader outreach, Experience of working with diverse partners, in rural and urban areas and in difficult conditions. Within the organization, the national and international level technical expertise is available.

G. Infrastructure:

In Jaipur: Registered office having a conference Hall with basic computer, audio-video aids.

In Ajmer: 10,000 sq. yards land (9000 Sq Ft. Constructed area) available to develop infrastructure to run our project units including:

- ✓ 'Sambal' Skill & Entrepreneurship Development Institute (SEDI)
- ✓ Bal Sansar Public School (BSPS)- a venture to provide quality pre-primary education in rural settings.
- ✓ Bal Sansar owns a Maruti Eco to manage basic movement /mobility for the field operations.



H. Our Current Projects

1. **We are running Bal Sansar Public School (BSPS)**, Ajmer since April-2013. BSPS aims to provide quality education to the children from play group to elementary level (till grade 8th), under private school registration rules of the government of Rajasthan. Further, we aim to provide quality education till senior secondary level in proximity, particularly in the case of girls. The main reason for girls' dropout after fifth and further after 8th grade's education is 'not being allowed to go far from their village' to continue their education till senior secondary, and beyond. Our pre-school education is the school readiness programme with development of multiple intelligence of children with age appropriate physical and life-skill activities, cognitive training of senses and creativity of children. The 2023-24 session enrolled 120 kids (with a ratio of 60:40 girls: boys) from the surrounding villages, most of them come from humble background (80 percent parents are engaged in labour with poor paying capacity). We aim to provide them quality education enabling them to claim equal development and growth opportunities in the life. Only 50% children pay their fees (which is very nominal), and we are running this school with lots of financial difficulties. Parents are daily wage labourers and education of their children is not a priority for them.

We need to mobilize resources to develop essential infrastructure, setting up smart classes, improving seating arrangements for the students, and even support our faculty /school operations and hence, we appeal to the people who can afford to spare some of their earnings for these poor children / supporting their education and development (*even contributing as minimum as INR 8000 (or 100 USD) per month will support education of two children*).

Update on BSPS: From March 2020, schools were shut down following the Covid-19 guidelines issued by the central and state governments. In Feb.2021 the schools were opened following the government's guidelines allowing reopening of schools. However, it didn't continue for long and next guidelines are issued soon to close the schools till next orders. Considering the increase in covid positive cases, it seems, schools are not opening soon, particularly for the primary and elementary classes.

- ✓ Our team worked on spreading awareness on the Covid-19 appropriate behaviors and counseling the parents and children to keep their mental health and wellbeing as a priority.
- ✓ Throughout the lockdown period, students were being regularly supported by the BSPS teachers as their voluntary action, in conducting the final exams, preparing results, and promoting students to the next grades. All 156 students were promoted to the next grades, in both the academic years i.e., 2020 and 2021. Next academic sessions 2021-2022, 2022-2023, and 2023-2024 were regularized by re-building our strengths and mobilizing resources. Recently, the school infrastructure is fully renovated and 2 smart classrooms with seating facilities are setup (thanks to CSR funding support that we did receive from the **Mitsubishi Elevator India Private Limited**).

2. 'Taiyari' Planned Transition from Adolescence to Adulthood – Phase-II

As a result of '**Taiyari**' project outcomes during phase I, two evident support needs that expressed by the adolescents were:

- ✓ Support to dropout girls to continue their education at secondary and senior secondary levels. This was one of the most successful indicators of '**Taiyari**' phase I, the organization was able to support more than 50 girls with education at secondary and senior secondary grades through state board of open schooling under the '**Back to Education**' initiative.
- ✓ Support for skill trainings that would prepare them for jobs as well as expanding their potentials to earn their livelihood. In response to this demand, the organisation has initiated its skill development programmes under the name of '**Sambal: The Skill and Entrepreneurship Development Institute – SEDI**'.

'Sambal: The Skill and Entrepreneurship Development Institute-SEDI' (April-2013- continued): The Project Goal: SEDI aims to address the skill building needs of rural women and youth for their overall development, livelihood, and quality survival. This will help rural youth to live their lives with respect and dignity while



exploring their fullest potentials in life. To initiate with, the activities of this institute will take place in Ajmer district. We have initiated the action to take-up the SEDI as one of the BSS projects. Currently, computer education, photography classes and sewing courses are initiated. BSS has been approved as a registered TI training centre by the Rajasthan Knowledge Corporation Ltd. (RKCL), GoR <http://rkcl.in> for running two courses namely RS-CIT (Rajasthan State Certificate Course in Information Technology) and RS-CFA (Rajasthan State Certificate Course in Financial Accounting). Over 250 youth completed RS-CIT and sewing certificate courses with three month's durations.

Update on SEDI: Due to continuous lockdowns during Covid-19, the SEDI admissions are badly affected and for the entire period of the next 2 years, there are no admissions. Now, in the current session, we have 25 admissions in the RSCIT course.

Our plans and the humble appeal to the potential donors to support this cause: To develop the essential infrastructure and run the SEDI, we would need to explore / mobilize resources from all possible sources benefiting to the neediest rural women, adolescents and youth enhancing their skills and thus, the employability. Together, the BSPS and SEDI infrastructure need 600,00,000 (six hundred lac i.e. 60 million INR catering to about 300,000 (three hundred thousand) rural youth/adolescent/women enhancing their skills, employability and the overall quality of life, in next five years.

3. Target Intervention (TI) amongst IDUs in Ajmer District- Started from 1st Oct. 2023:

The project aims to control the spread of HIV in groups at high risk i.e., Intravenous Drug Users (500 IDUs) by effective outreach to the target population, community mobilization, providing peer counselling for safer behaviour adoption, supply of commodities, treatment of STI, referral for HIV testing, treatment, and support services through greater involvement of PLHIV while creating an enabling environment that is stigma and discrimination free.

Coverage-Geography: Ajmer District

Coverage-Beneficiary: Intravenous Drug Users (500 IDUs)

Period: Started from 1st Oct. 2023, continued

Donor: Rajasthan State AIDS Control Society (RSACS) <http://www.rsacs.in>

I. Partnerships and Collaborations

Mitsubishi Elevator India Private Limited (MEIPL)

As part of MEIPL's community development programme, we received their CSR grant support for '**One-Time CSR Activity – as Setting up two 'Smart Classrooms', along with the provision of furniture and fixtures**' at our Bal Sansar Public School, in Ajmer, in the FY 2023-2024. This support will lead to create a long-term impact on the digital education of rural poor children.

Trent Pvt. Ltd.

As part of 'Taiyari' Planned Transition from Adolescence to Adulthood – Phase-II, BSS has a new ARSH intervention titled 'Kishor Samvaad ensuring Health, Wellbeing, Life-Skills and Empowerment' from Jan. 2021 to March 2022. in partnership with Trent Pvt. Ltd. The project aims to spread ARSH awareness in ten selected schools of Jaipur district. The initiative aims to reach out to about 2000 adolescents, both boys and girls (age 10 to 19 years), orienting them in Adolescents Health and Life-Skills, in selected schools.

Hero MotoCorp limited (HMCL):

The HR at HMCL has run a weeklong campaign promoting 'Employee Giving' from 1-6 August 2021 and chosen Bal Sansar Sanstha as one for the non-profits to support our cause 'educating rural poor children'. The



raised funds would be utilised to ensure smooth running of 'Bal sansar Public School-BSPS', at Ajmer. We are thankful to all the donors and the Hero MotoCorp Ltd.

Smile Foundation (SF)

Smile foundation has evolved a working model social venture philanthropy (SVP) which is based on the successful business model of "Venture Capital". Social venture philanthropy, the application of a hitherto successful business concept to the social and development sector; a concept which pertains to linking social investment strategies to charitable giving with a clear focus on achieving scalability and sustainability, creation a culture of leadership and excellence and inculcating a culture of leadership and excellence and inculcation a deep sense of accountability amongst the non-profits.

Smile foundation has selected the co-implementing partner after conducting its own defined due diligence process. This partnership was between year 2017 to 2020, however, could not continue in the post Covid phase, mainly due to Covid-19 adverse consequences and school closer in lockdowns. The Smile Foundation has shifted its focus on Covid-relief work during this time.

Quite recently, we have been approached by the SF to continue this collaboration, to help children's education.

J. The Accomplished Projects (in past years):

- i. **As part of 'Taiyari' Planned Transition from Adolescence to Adulthood – Phase-II, BSS has accomplished an ARSH intervention titled 'Kishor Samvaad ensuring Health, Wellbeing, Life-Skills and Empowerment'.** in partnership with Trent Pvt. Ltd. (From Jan. 2021 to March 2022). The project aims to spread the ARSH awareness in ten selected schools of Jaipur district. The initiative aims to reach-out to about 2000 adolescents both, boys, and girls (age 10 to 19 years), orienting them in Adolescents Health and Life-Skills, in selected schools.

The essential knowledge and awareness on basic health issues is very important for all the students in adolescence phase. These early investment in the lives of adolescents will pay life-long dividends in the form of good health, wellbeing, and better life-skills to deal with the issues, these adolescents face in life.

This is being done through conducting ***one hour session in the selected school, per month, for six months, preferably on Saturdays***, transacting structured content on following key themes (30-minute presentation) and then interactive question-answers session (30 minute). The programme will be contributing towards achieving the objectives of the ***"Rashtriya Kishor Swasthya Karyakram (RKSK)" the National Adolescent Health Programme***. The following key six topics will be addressed which are also part of the RKSK:

4. Adolescent Reproductive and Sexual Health (ARSH)
5. Nutrition (anemia prevention,
6. Mental Health
7. Injuries and Gender-based Violence
8. Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs)
9. Substance misuse.

- ii. **'Taiyari', (Phase-1) a demonstration model for planned transitions from adolescence to adulthood" Commenced in May 2012 in 3 districts as pilot; extended further in Ajmer and Tonk for 2 years (May 2012 to August 2015):**

Project Goal: To improve the quality of life of adolescents in three districts of Rajasthan by introducing strategies for planned transitions from adolescence to adulthood. To achieve this goal, specific objectives and a result framework has been developed. **Coverage** is about 20,000 adolescents in 2 selected blocks of 2 districts of Rajasthan, namely Ajmer and Tonk (from May 2-13 to August 2015). The project has covered 30 Gram Panchayats (300 PRIs) i.e., 15 GPs in Srinagar block of Ajmer; 15 GPs in Tonk block of Tonk district. The 'Taiyari' pilot was implemented from May 2012 to Jan. 2013 in 50 Gram Panchayats of Jaipur, Tonk and Ajmer districts.



Coverage-Geography: Ajmer and Tonk Districts of Rajasthan

Coverage-Beneficiary: Direct- 1800 adolescents (900 boys and 900 Girls); indirect: 20,000 adolescents

Period: (from May 2012 to August 2015)

Donor: UNICEF Rajasthan

Bal Sansar and Dimagi (www.dimagi.com/) have engaged into the partnership to introduce use of technology in 'Taiyari'. It's a USAID funded additional component thru Dimagi. We'll develop a cell-based application to enhance the 'Taiyari' outcomes.

'Taiyari', a demonstration model for planned transition from adolescent to adulthood in 50 Panchayats of Jaipur, Ajmer and Tonk districts – in partnership of UNICEF, Bal Sansar Sanstha and the communities (May 2012 to August 2015): Adolescents Empowerment Model 'Taiyari (preparation for life)', documentation of the project impact:	
A project video by UNICEF with Bal Sansar Sanstha	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QxlpIIIR8ADQ
A short film by UNICEF with Bal Sansar Sanstha	https://youtu.be/9Zjn1TAC3oA
A print publication by UNICEF on 'Taiyari' impacts	https://drive.google.com/a/infoobjects.com/file/d/0B1VqKW9oRHAQV09iVzEwSEU4c2c/view?usp=drive_web

iii. **Composite Target Intervention (TI) amongst FSW and MSM Project in Tonk District- Started from 1st March 2011-2015:**

The project aims to control the spread of HIV in groups at high risk i.e., Female Sex Workers (600 FSW) and Men having Sex with Men (200 MSM) by effective outreach to the target population, community mobilization, providing peer counselling for safer behaviour adoption, condom promotion, treatment of STI, referral for HIV testing, treatment and support services through greater involvement of PLHIV while creating an enabling environment that is stigma and discrimination free. The TI Tonk is evaluated by NACO and extended till 2015, also chosen to be developed as one of the 'Best Practice Learning Site', supported by RSACS, KHPT and NACO.

Coverage-Geography: Tonk District

Coverage-Beneficiary: Female Sex Workers (500 FSW) and Men having Sex with Men (200 MSM)

Period: (from March 2011 to 2015)

Donor: Rajasthan State AIDS Control Society (RSACS) <http://www.rsacs.in>

iv. **Composite Target Intervention (TI) amongst FSW and MSM Project in Dungarpur District, from 1st March 2014 – 2015.** This has been an opportunity for BSS to expand its presence in southern tribal belt and to work amongst tribal women and girls living in many fold vulnerabilities. The project will reach to high risk i.e. Female Sex Workers (500 FSW) and Men having Sex with Men (200 MSM) by effective outreach to the target population, community mobilization, providing peer counselling for safer behaviour adoption, condom promotion, treatment of STI, referral for HIV testing, treatment and support services through greater involvement of PLHIV while creating an enabling environment that is stigma and discrimination free.

Coverage-Geography: Dungarpur District

Coverage-Beneficiary: Female Sex Workers (500 FSW) and Men having Sex with Men (200 MSM)

Period: (from 1 March 2014 -2015)

Donor: Rajasthan State AIDS Control Society (RSACS)

v. **Sneh Sansar – Started from June 2008 and continued till April 2013:** 'Sneh Sansar' is a Hindi word that literally translates to 'loving World', – A Home Away from Home for the children orphaned due to AIDS. Presently, in our limited resources, we offer ready infrastructure with basic amenities to house 10 children at one point in time (in the batch one, priority was given to the children



orphaned due to AIDS). This was achieved thanks to individual donors, Inner Wheel Club- Ajmer who helped us mobilize resources locally and initiate this project.

The home is registered under [THE JUVENILE JUSTICE \(CARE AND PROTECTION OF CHILDREN\) ACT 2000, State Act, article 34, 2 \(d\) \(iii\) and article 48. Certificate No. F 14 \(2\) Bal Sansar, Ajmer/09/24969-85, dated 21/04/2010, further renewed till 20 April 2017.](#)

The four resident children of last year's duration have completed their 9 and 10 standard exams this month and want to go back to their extended families. The family members have taken them back to the homes and we have informed this in writing to the Child Welfare officer, Ajmer and the department of SJE, Ajmer. We feel contented that the children stayed in Sneh Sansar have acquired education and learnt needed life skills to lead their life with dignity.

The educational status of Sneh Sansar children at the time of entry and leaving (June 2008-April		
Study level at the time of entry	No. of Residents	Study level at the time of leaving the Sneh
1 class	1	Left same year and at the same standard
2 class	2	Passed 4 th class
4 class	2	Passed 9 th class
5 class	1	Passed 10 th class
6 class	2	1 passed 8 th class, and 1 passed 10 class
Note: Total 8 residents from June 2008, 4 HIV infected and 4 were AIDS affected		

On 2nd Sept. 2013, a new batch of 8 most needy children joined and been supported at the Sneh Sansar as residents and studied in standard 4 to 6, passed their classes and joined back their extended families in July 2014. We provided them a safe living place, free education, food, care and development opportunities realising their fullest potentials.

- vi. **Community Care Centre (CCC)- From June 2008 to March 2013:** Sambal is a 10 bedded CCC for the people living with and affected by HIV and AIDS, in a 10000 sq yard land in the Hathikhhera, Ajmer, Rajasthan. It is named 'Sambal', Hindi word which literally translates to "care and support" and aims for 'helping those in pain, with love'. ***The total registered and benefitted people living with HIV (PLHIV) till March 2013 are 2253 (1287 men, 961 women (with a break-up of 199 widows, 5 Transgender, 163 children: i.e. 102 boys, 61 girls).***

Vision of Sambal: Sambal firmly believes that life is God's greatest gift. Supporting those whose life is threatened is considered a divine act.

Goal of Sambal: To provide the opportunity for dignity, choices and overall quality of life of each resident (PLHA) and their families.

Objectives of Sambal:

- To serve as a link between community and the HIV care and treatment services.
- To help those infected with HIV and AIDS to lead a better life utilizing their personal resources.
- To extend psychosocial and spiritual intervention services to those infected and affected with HIV and AIDS
- To provide rehabilitative services and improve quality of life of persons living with HIV and AIDS.
- To prevent the occurrence and spread of HIV and AIDS through information support.

Funding and Technical Support: is coming from the GFATM- RCC-II, routed through Population Foundation of India (PFI- Principal Recipient) and Hindustan Latex Family Planning Promotion Trust (HLFPPT- Sub Recipient). The project is supported by RSACS and NACO. **Sambal CCC has been Rated "A" by the end-line assessment team appointed by the NACO. Phase-I is over, and Ajmer is not announced for the phase-II by the NACO-Gol**

- vii. **Community Mobilization for HIV-AIDS Awareness and Prevention "Babli Boli Project"- From August 2009-April 2010:** The project is conceptualized and approved by National AIDS Control Organization (NACO), funded by UNDP, managed by Population Foundation of India (PFI) and implemented Bal Sansar in Ajmer district). The highlights from the "Babli Boli Project":



- ✓ Formation and maintenance of 100 Rural Women Listeners Clubs having 14670 members.
- ✓ Training provided to all 100 Club Leaders. Regular community mobilization, promotional activities and special day celebrations in the 100 project villages.
- ✓ Visits by NACO and RSACS teams and mid-term evaluation by an independent agency, appointed by NACO and PFI. Efforts of the project team commended by all.
- ✓ Fifty-Two episodes broadcasted on starting from August 2009 to March 2010 resulting into the enhanced level of awareness on HIV-AIDS & STI, amongst rural women, covering an audience of 14670 club members plus 3068 other women & girls.
- ✓ Women and the adolescent girls are finding this awareness campaign through radio and recommend that the initiative should be continued for a longer duration in these villages while expanding it in the other uncovered areas as well.

viii. **Awareness Generation Programme (AGP) – From Feb.2009-March 2010:** Central Social Welfare Board (GoI) supported project for organizing 'Awareness Generation Camps' for 125 rural poor women in 5 villages of Ajmer. As against the expected, trained 169 rural poor women in the five project villages namely: Chosala, Devpuri, Dholpuria, Bhogadeet and Dorai. Eight days camp covering issues of social, cultural, and economic importance, women empowerment, gender, legal rights and PRIs; with a two-day follow-up camp.

ix. **Mobilizing Community Structures to Support Integrated Health, Nutrition and Education Outcomes through BCC and Social Change in Uniyara Block of Tonk District –From Oct 2009 to Jan 2010.** This pilot project was implemented by Bal Sansar and supported by UNICEF Rajasthan in one of the blocks of Tonk district, namely Uniyara. The key objective of the project was to influence maternal and child health indicators by promoting desired health seeking behaviours in the rural communities and improving their access to the public health services. The project aimed for formation and strengthening of Village Health and Sanitation Committees (VHSCs) and formation and strengthening of out of school adolescent girls' clubs. Key Accomplishments:

- ✓ VHSC's one day training module developed in Hindi. Thirty-Three trainings were organized for the VHSC members (291 members participated).
- ✓ Three-day training module developed in Hindi for Meena Munchs. Thirty-Three Meena Munchs formed, and 3-day trainings conducted covering 616 participants (534 adolescent girls, 30ASAHs, 52 AWWs),
- ✓ Village profiles of all the 33 Gram Panchayat Headquarters were developed capturing key information enabling us to develop evidence-based plan for the next phase of the project, being shared as a separate document.
- ✓ The team developed good rapport with the PRIs, Block CMHO, CDPO, BPM, ASHA Facilitator, PHC In charges, ANMs, ASHAs, AWWs and GNMs.
- ✓ On World AIDS Day (WAD), a joint event was organized with the IHAT's LWS project staff, in village Dhikoliya. 200 students have organized a rally to spread awareness on HIV-AIDS while carrying slogans and banners of WAD theme. This was followed by a village meeting to discuss the issues of HIV-AIDS and needed response from community's end; 100 villagers and 200 students have participated.

x. **HIV-AIDS Awareness amongst Migrants labours – From 2008 to 2009:** This project aims to increase HIV-AIDS awareness amongst Migrants and linking them with ICTC (Integrated Counselling and Testing Centers), STI and other health services. The project was in the Marble industry area (Kishangarh). Bal Sansar is working through a Peer Led approach, engaging 8 Peer Educators (PE) from in-Migrants, 2 from MSM and 5 from FSW. We have established 10 Condom Depots in the area managed by the local shopkeepers and tea stalls owners. Information Education Communication and Behaviour Change Communication (BCC) are done through these PE and the Depot Holders. Bal Sansar is exploring funding support to continue with the project activities and sustain the community mobilization earned so far.



- xi. **Networking and Capacity Building Support to CBOs – From 2006-2013:** Having worked in education, health and community development projects, Bal Sansar has gained desired expertise. We have created strong networks at the community level which allowed us to generate good understanding to work with the vulnerable rural communities, government systems, non-governmental and bilateral agencies active in the development sector. This has helped us in creating and strengthening networks and linkages with key players in the sector.

K. Our Team

S. No.	Programme	Programme Team			Support Team		
1	Bal Sansar Public School (BSPS), Ajmer	M	F	T	M	F	T
1.1	1 Principal, 6 Teachers	0	7	7			
1.2	1 Coordinator, 1 Caretaker, 1 Janitor				1	2	3
2	Targeted Intervention (TI-IDU) project-based staff	4	4	8	8		8
3	Skill & Entrepreneurship Development Institute (SEDI) (Part-Time)				1		1
Total		4	11	15	10	2	12
- Our team consists of 15 (4 male and 11 female) full time staff members (including project-based staff) and 12 part time support staff (10 male and 2 Female). - In addition to the above, multidisciplinary team having social science, community development, health, education, HIV-AIDS, and medical background is available as per organization's need. - Most of our Governing Body (GB) and Executive Committee (EC) board members are reputed professionals in their respective fields and their expert services are also available to the organisation. - Project specific teams are being hired depending on the need and recourse availability.							