

ASSESSMENT CAMP UNDER CBR PROJECT BAYATU BLOCK (BARMER)



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Blind People's Association (BPA), Ahmedabad together with Shared Vision Foundation (SVF), Jodhpur has been doing survey of disabled population in Baytu block with the help of local workers. After having done the survey work in the project area, a screening camp was planned on May 5, 2013 at village Batadu. General community was made aware about the camp through pamphlets distribution and visiting common places like schools, Panchayat, Anganwadis, PHC centres etc. Local people were contacted for support and publicity.

On May 5, 2013; Screening camp was arranged at villages BATADU (in Baytu block). A team consisting experts from BPA, Ahmedabad and SVF, Jodhpur arrived early in the morning at the camp site. All the facilities were arranged with local support including clean water, place for registration, screening, distribution and counseling. People started arriving at the site since morning. After registration, they were guided to different rooms designated for assessment of different categories of disabilities. After assessment, they were given proper feedback about future steps. Many of them were given special aids on the spot and others (like tricycle, artificial limbs) were told to come on June 9, 2013 for distribution camp at the same place.

At the end of the day, 477 screening were done by the experts. Out of that, 203 people were given some aid during the camp. 29 people were selected for special devices or artificial limbs for orthopedic handicap. 11 people had successful eye surgeries at Paliwal Eye Hospital, Balotara.

Out of 477 people screened, among them 97 were from Schedule Cast, 21 from Schedule Tribes, 324 were from Other Backward Classes and 35 belong to general category. More than 60% population arrived in the camp were from very low economical background or Below Poverty Line (BPL).

In all, it was first of its kind screening camp which covered all strata of local community and conducted screening for all disabilities. People contacted during the camp for their response were very happy to receive such support at their doorsteps.

Note: Some very young children with cerebral palsy, mental retardation and multi handicap were referred to BPA, Ahmedabad and some others to SVF, Jodhpur for further support as we were not having very advance support at field level.

STATISTICAL INFORMATION

ASSESSMENT OF DIFFERENT CATEGORIES OF DISABLED

AREA	TOTAL	SC	ST	OBC	GENERAL
EYE SCREENING	310	64	9	212	25
HEARING ASSESSMENT	54	13	2	33	6
ASSESSMENT FOR MENTAL RETARDATION	23	4	-	17	2
ORTHOPEDIC ASSESSMENT	90	16	10	62	2
GRAND TOTAL	477	97	21	324	35

DISTRIBUTION OF AIDS AND APPLIANCES

AIDS	NO.
EYE GLASSES	173
EYE DROPS	145
EYE SURGERIES	11
WHITE CANE FOR BLIND	3
HEARING AID	27
SELECTION FOR SP. DEVICES FOR ORTHO. HANDICAP*	29

* TO BE GIVEN ON 09-06-2013 IN DISTRIBUTION CAMP.



PATIENTS WAITING FOR THEIR TURN





REGISTRATION FOR SCREENING





EYE SCREENING ROOM





EYE CHECK UP BY AUTOREFRACTOMETER





DISTRIBUTION OF EYE GLASSES & CANE





HEARING ASSESSMENT ROOM





EAR TESTING WITH AUDIOMETER





USING HEARING AID





**ASSESSMENT
&
COUNSELING
OF
MENTALLY
RETARDED
CHILDREN**



CHECK UP OF PHYSICALLY HANDICAP





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