

Salem Social Service Society

News Letter for the month of May 2021

KOLPING INDIA:

On 19th April 2021 our coordinator organized leadership training to 74 Krishnapuram village Kolping group members in Gangavalli block 25 members participated in this training.



NEW THRUST:

On 27th April 2021 Ms. Gayathri participated in NT- Phase VI - Follow on - End Review Meeting. In this meeting she had presented Three years activities report of New thrust project through power point presentation.

On 6th May 2021 Our Director and Point Person Participated in emergency meeting on COVID 19 second wave situation and planning activity meeting. In this meeting we have discussed about our modalities to address the second phase of COVID 19 situation in protecting our vulnerable people.

On 20th May 2021 TASOSS organized Virtual meeting on COVID 19 Defeat the Panic to the Priests of Salem and Dharmapuri Diocese. Rev. Fr. Albert Thambidurai, Director of Tamilnadu Social Service Society welcomed the gathering. Rt. Rev. Dr. Lawrence Pius Dorairaj gave an introductory talk to defeat Covid 19 to the all priests. Sr. Dr. Martina Josephine, Gangavalli gave an awareness about Potential symptoms of COVID - 19, Importance of Vaccination and Actions to be taken when a person has the early symptoms. After that Fr. Jesu Raj gave a inspiring talk about mental health and Corona virus, Spiritual life of the priests and Religious. 60 priests from Salem and Dharmapuri diocese participated in this virtual Meeting.

HEALTH COMMISSION:

A special Google meeting for all the Diocesan secretaries and members was organized by Most. Rt. Rev. Dr. Geogre Rajendran, Sdb, chairman on 16.05.2021 from 4.00 p.m to 6.00 p.m. 87 participants from 22 Dioceses of Tamilnadu actively participated in this virtual meeting.

Action plan:

1. Parish base home care: parish priest, Volunteers, Doctors, Nurses form a committee. This committee can take a survey of affected people by COVID - 19 and Home care can be done with their consent of the family
2. List out the hospitals who are admitting COVID patients
3. Arranging Ambulances to reach the hospital
4. To get Oxygen beds in the hospital

5. Patients' attendees have to be taken care of providing cooked food and Dry rations and sanitary kits for the affected families
6. Psychological support to be given to the affected families.

Salem Social Service Action Plan:

1. To provide "CeePlus" (Vitamin D3, Vitamin C and Zinc) vitamine Tablets to all the priests of Salem.
2. Social support to patients in home isolation and also for persons in containment zones- Food, groceries, vegetables and other essentials.
3. Identification of children orphaned by covid,deaths of parents, in coordination with District Social welfare officer.
4. Like Pulse Polio programme , we have planned to do the auto announcement regarding vaccination site and benefits of vaccination.
5. IEC materials will be distributed in main places of Salem City.

Presented By,
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