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ANNUAL REPORT OF SCOPE-RD GIRLS ADVOCACY ALLIANCE, KHAMMAM FOR THE YEAR 2019

VISION AND MISSION OF SCOPE-RD AND GIRLS ADVOCACY ALLIANCE

Our Vision

SCOPE-RD visions for an integrated development and wellbeing of the downtrodden communities Dalit's and other marginalized communities of the society where people respect human rights, law and order and every person experiences education, justice, dignity, security and equal access to resources – with special attention to vulnerable children and women.

Our Mission

SCOPE-RD is dedicated to improving the lives of the poor (specially children in need of care and protection and 'vulnerable' women groups) through education, humanitarian and development programs. It works with local communities, institutions and persons in need in and around the city of Khammam district of Telangana State, Guntur and Krishna districts of Andhra Pradesh

SCOPE-RD - GIRLS ADVOCACY ALLIANCE

SCOPE-RD is part of the **Girls Advocacy Alliance (GAA)** Campaign working in collaboration with **Terre des Hommes–Netherlands (TdH-NL)** to promote secondary education and job oriented vocational training program for preventing child marriages and child trafficking of girl children and young women with an objective to provide equal rights and opportunities for them.

SCOPE-RD had taken up various activities related to advocacy & lobbying on child marriages this year in Khammam district, Telangana State as partner organization along with other NGO partners. SCOPE-RD plans to organise a workshop with district level Child Rights CSOs from GAA network to plan the district level advocacy action plan with a focus on secondary education for girls and JOVT for young women.

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A GLANCE ON 2019 GAA ACTIVITIES

S. No	Date	Venue	Name of the program	Objectives of the program	Outcome
1	15/2/2019	TTDC, Khammam	District level Consultations with youth advocates	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> To consult with the youth advocates on the status CM, CT & S.E in their area. To prepare the youth advocates with adequate knowledge on harmful effects of Child Marriage, Child Trafficking and need for Secondary Education of girls Involving the Youth advocates to prepare an Action plan Schedule for the future course of activities for advocating in prevention of CM, CT. 	<p>At the end of the session youth advocates are able come up with their ideas/opinions, and the plan of action prepared by them through group discussions</p> <p>at last they have prepared the advocacy action plan for the coming interface meetings with religious leaders and government line department officials.</p>
2	01/03/2019	TTDC, Khammam	District level Interface between Youth advocates with key religious leaders	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> By end of the consultation meeting the Key religious leaders will identify the gaps/lacuna and suggest suitable recommendations in prevention of child marriages By end of the consultation meeting the Youth advocates suggest ways and means to the religious leaders the strategies in improving the girl child education which can control the child marriages and child trafficking as well. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> At the end of the interface meeting the key religious leaders accepted the representation given by youth advocates and assured to circulate the notice /circular from district religious office to the down line purohiths and khazis The key religious leaders youth advocates are able come to one common understanding of having the need of collaborative efforts.
3	08/3/2019	Bhaktas Ramdas kalakh estarm	International Women's day Celebrations	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> To create awareness about the importance of women's day and also about the GAA and its activities to the SHG women and other stake holders To give presentations on the status of child marriages and child trafficking in Khammam district To explain the importance of girl child education and the significance of the women empowerment 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Sensitized the SHG leaders, students and the society people on the importance of Women's day All the participants gotten knowledge on girl child issues like child marriages and child trafficking and the importance of girl child education, oppurtunities and empowerment.
4	20/04/2019	TTDC, Khammam	Strategic planning work shop with the key religious leaders	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> To discuss among with the religious leaders to frame the action plan of the activities and schedules for the year 2019 To discuss among with the religious leaders to frame the internal formats & procedures to monitor the status of child marriages at their working areas. 	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> Productive discussions done among with the religious leaders to framed the activities and schedules for the year 2019 Framed the internal formats & procedures to monitor the status of child marriages at their working areas

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5	30/04 /2019	TTDC, Khammam	District level meeting with CSOs on TOP bill	<p>To discuss among the CSOs to on the issues of TOP bill to have a discussion among the CSOs to have the better understanding about the sections of TOP bill.</p> <p>To have the review and revision and discussions among GAA alliance CSOs network on the sections mentioned in the TOP bill</p>	<p>1. Framed collaborative activities to spread the message on child / Human trafficking in the societies at their working areas</p> <p>2. Framed the advocacy asks and to give representations to the Rajyasabha MPs to Engage with RS MPs from strong regional parties to garner their support for the Bill – To push for passage of the Bill and not being referred to Standing Committee.</p>
6	16/05 /2019 to 17/05 /2019	SCOPE -RD to GAA office, Khammam	District level 2 days comic workshop for the GAA youth Advocates	<p>1. To explain the importance and significance of the comics and pictorial communications</p> <p>2. To prepare them as young advocates with adequate knowledge on drawing the pictures related to Child Marriage, Child Trafficking and Secondary Education</p>	<p>1. The youth advocates gotten productive knowledge in drawing comics and learned the tools and techniques of drawing and abled to developed the individual comic stories on the charts and papers.</p> <p>2. They assured to use this skill to teach other school /college students and also will aware the public in the society on the girl child issues through this comic representations.</p>
7	25/05 /2019	TTDC, Khammam	District level Consultation with CSOs	<p>1. To have the discussions among GAA alliance CSOs network to frame good strategies and approaches to influence the key persons to improve the quality of services in secondary education of girls in their working areas.</p> <p>2. To discuss among the CSOs to frame the procedures to attain the economic inclusion of girls through improving the JOVT courses in their working areas for drop out young women</p>	<p>1. At last they have decided to organise at least 5 awareness camps in a month at communities, schools, colleges, grama sabhas & panchayaths also. Preparing the representation and to make joint advocacy with the government officials and lobby with community leaders</p> <p>2. CSOs network discussed and prepared action plan of activities to be done and also framed the procedures to attain the economic inclusion of girls through improving the JOVT courses in their working areas for drop out young women.</p>
8	15/06 /2019	TTDC Khammam	District level consultation with child rights NGOs	<p>1. By end of the consultation meeting the participants from the Department of MEPMA, DRDA Employment , NYK , WD&CW will identify the gaps/lacuna and suggest suitable Schemes and available JOVT programs to the dropped out young women.</p> <p>2. By end of the consultation meeting the participants suggest ways and means to implement the suitable JOVT programs & self-employment schemes.</p>	<p>45 government officials from different departments related to the JOVT program and all the stake holders who are working under this team had long discussion to bridge the gap between the skill resources and needy applicants and also all the participants shared and analysed the given points among them and they gotten productive knowledge to avail more opportunities to the unemployed, dropped out young women.</p>
9	25/06 /2019	TTDC, Khammam	District level consultation with line departments	<p>1. The participants from Police and Official of the Government Departments will be in a position to identify the challenges in implementation ITPA-1956 in the field.</p> <p>2. The participants will be in a position to identify the solutions to the gaps in the process of implementation of ITPA-1956 and suggest appropriate recommendations</p>	<p>1. Nearly 50 police personnel and other line department officials attended to the program and actively participated and clarified some of the doubts in dealing the trafficking cases and gotten productive information about the sections of ITPA-1956</p>

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10	19/07/2019	TTDC, Khammam	District level workshop with Child Right CSOs	To review the progress of trained CSOs (at state level workshop) action in relation to strengthen their institutional policies To support all the participants of child right CSOs to frame /strengthen their institutional policies	1. The CSOs strengthened the organisational policies on child rights and gender equality, and are well aware of women and child related Acts. 2. Initiated their action for advocating with government for implementation PCMA and CRMA through advocacy and lobby
11	24/07/2019	TTDC, Khammam	District level consultation with CWC, Police, Judiciary, Panchayat raj department	1. To discuss among the Judiciary, Government officials, CWC members, Police on the issues of TOP bill to have a discussion among them to have the better understanding about the sections of TOP bill. 2. To frame the advocacy asks and to give representations to the Rajayasabha MPs to Engage with RS MPs from strong regional parties to garner their support for the Bill – To push for passage of the Bill and not being referred to Standing Committee.	Nearly 50 police personnel and other line department officials attended to the program and actively participated and clarified some of the doubts in dealing the trafficking cases and gotten productive information about the sections of ITPA-1956.
12	27/07/2019	TTDCK hamma m	District level interface between Government line departments with media personals	1. By end of this consultation meeting the participants will be in a position to understand the legal implementation of PCMA, CRMA& ITPA in prevention of child marriages and child trafficking. 2. The participants from media and Official of the Government Departments will be in a position to identify the challenges in implementation of PCMA, CRMA& ITPA in the field.	1. The Government Official from DWD&CW, Panchayath raj and other line departments take all measures to prevent child marriages and child trafficking. 2. The Government Official from DWD&CW & panchayath raj & police to take every step to register to every marriage in their respective mandals and villages.
13	30/07/2019	GGH & KGBV Khammam rural.	Observation of world day against Human trafficking	1. To discuss among the girl students& community on the issues of trafficking to have a discussion among them to have the better understanding about the sections of trafficking & ITPA-1656. 2. To frame collaborative activities to spread the message on child / Human trafficking in the societies at their working areas	1. The participants from line departments & media personnel identify the gaps in implementation of Laws at the field level. 2. The Government Official from DWD&CW, Panchayath raj and other line departments take all measures to prevent child marriages and child trafficking.
14	31/07/2019	TTDCK hamma m	District level meeting between youth advocates, CMPOs, religious leaders, Police personnel, Education, CSOs and Panchayat representatives	1. By end of this consultation meeting the participants will identify the reasons of drop outs and frame suitable solutions to 100 percent enrolment of children in every village at all mandals of the district. 2. The participants from youth advocates, religious leaders and Official of the Government Departments will be in a position to identify the challenges in creating pro-child villages in all mandals of the district.	1. The participants from Education, CMPOs , line departments & youth advocates identified the reasons of drop outs and frame suitable solutions to 100 percent enrolment of children in every village at all mandals of the district 2. The Youth advocates and religious leaders & line department officials make out collective action plan for effective implementation of PCMA, CRMA & ITPA

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15	16/08/2019	Ricob Bazar high school, Khammam	<i>Exhibition of comics by Youth advocates on observation of world youth day</i>	<p>1. By end of this exhibition the participants (Students from different schools , colleges, Nehru yuvakendra club members & line department officials , public from nearby places of Khammam) will get aware and gets productive knowledge on child marriages and child trafficking through unique way of comic presentation</p> <p>2. The participants from youth advocates, Students, public and Official of the Government Departments will be in a position to identify the challenges in creating youth advocate networks & pro-child villages in all mandals of the district.</p>	<p>1. This exhibition could influence nearly 800 the participants (Students from different schools , colleges, Nehru yuvakendra club members & line department officials , public from nearby places of Khammam) will get aware and gets productive knowledge on child marriages and child trafficking through unique way of comic presentation</p> <p>2. The participants from youth advocates, Students, public and Official of the Government Departments will be in a position to identify the challenges in creating youth advocate networks &pro-child villages in all mandals of the district.</p>
16	27/08/2019	TTDCK hamma m	Interface between youth advocated with Government line departments	<p>1. The participants from Education, CMPOs , line departments & youth advocates identify the reasons of implementing PCMA & CRMA</p> <p>2. The Youth advocates & line department officials make out collective action plan for effective implementation of PCMA, CRMA & ITPA</p> <p>3. The Government Official from Education, CMPOs DWD&CW & Panchayat raj & police to take every step to create more awareness on PCMA & ITPA.</p>	<p>1. The Youth advocates & line department officials make out collective action plan for effective implementation of PCMA, CRMA & ITPA</p> <p>2. The Government Official from Education, CMPOs DWD&CW, Panchayat raj and other line departments take all measures to implement the Acts of PCMA & CRMA</p>
17	17/10/2019	TTDCK hamma m	District level consultation with GAA CSOs on developing strategy paper	<p>1. To review the outcomes of the survey conducted in 30 different government schools in Khammam districts.</p> <p>2. To identify the current GOs & rules, provisions for better implementation of the secondary education system in prevention of child marriages.</p> <p>3. To have the discussions with CSOs to frame a strategic paper and plan for solutions advocate with the government officials to take necessary actions</p>	<p>CSOs network discussed and prepared action plan of activities to be done and also framed the procedures to attain the economic inclusion of girls through improving the JOVT courses in their working areas for drop out young women.</p> <p>Prepared strategic paper through the outcomes & the current GOs & rules, provisions for better implementation of the secondary education system in prevention of child marriages.</p>
18	25/10/2019	TTDCK hamma m	District level workshop with education department.	<p>1. To review the outcomes of the survey conducted in 30 different government schools in Khammam districts.</p> <p>2. To advocate with the education and PR officials on current GOs & rules, provisions for better implementation of the secondary education system in prevention of child marriages.</p>	<p>1) Appropriate advocacy made by the CSOs with the education and Education department officials on current GOs & rules, provisions for better implementation of the secondary education system in prevention of child marriages.</p> <p>2. Focused & rational discussions made and the government officials influenced to take necessary actions for improve the quality of education, Infrastructure & other facilities in the schools.</p>
19	01/11/2019	TSWRS Ambedh kar girls junior college , KHAM MAM	District level meeting with GAACSOs and Government officials on proposing the 1 st November as Child marriage prohibition day.	<p>1. To have the discussions among GAA alliance CSOs network to frame good strategies and approaches to influence the key persons to the line departments especially with the Dept of WD & CW, Govt of Telangana for necessary policy changes to declare 1st Nov 2019 as Child Marriage Prohibition Day</p> <p>2. To discuss among the CSOs to frame the procedures & strategies to attain necessary policy changes to declare 1st Nov 2019 as Child Marriage Prohibition Day</p>	<p>1. GAA CSOs formed declared to take forward steps to influence the government administrations and public representatives and also the key persons in the government from district level to the state level.</p> <p>2. They have framed the representations and strategies and the time schedules to make the advocacy to attain November 1st as child marriage prohibition day.</p>

ACTIVITIES DONE BY CSOs

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1	On 4/2/2019 GAA CSOs and GAA team met with DIEO (District education officer) Khammam and requested to conduct awareness camp collaboratively with support of GAA CSOs network in all the government junior colleges of Khammam district.	He responded positively and assured to inform all the principals of the Junior colleges
2	On 23/03/2019 The GAA Alliance CSOs formed strategies and assured to conduct the activities according to the action plan for 2019 to attain the pro child villages/panchayats and mandals of the district. The CSOs discussed about the required advocacy asks with concern department to attain pro child villages	The CSOs discussed about the required advocacy asks with concern department to attain pro child villages
3	On 10/4/19 MPWO, SECURE, SHIKA foundation representatives have taken initiation to utilize the platform of "Dussehra Mahosthavalu" which is the biggest festival celebrated for 9 days in Telangana state and in this festival season they have awared nearly 1500 community people about the consequences of child marriages and child trafficking	The CSOs could able to aware nearly 1000 community people about the consequences of child marriages
4	On 15/4/19 GAA team and CSOs network met Sri. Abdul sayeed Deputy commissioner of labour khammam and gave representation asking for issue a circular/ notice to all the manufacturing factories and service unions keep display boards saying that the manufacturing units are against to child labour, Child trafficking and sexual exploitation at work place	He responded positively and assured to issue a letter to inform all the manufacturing industries.
5	On 24/4/19 GAA CSOs network actively participated and given voluntary services in anganwadi sector meetings and explained about the GAA themes and distributed the IEC material in this meeting was consisting 280anganwadi teachers at " Babu jagjeeveenrao community hall khammam"	280 anganwadi teachers gotten productive information at " Babu Jagjeeveenrao community hall Khammam"
6	On 25/4/19 GAA CSOs network identified the SHG leaders meeting at municipality and taken the permission from the municipal commissioner and associated in organising the program and taken lead, given representation on GAA themes awared SHG leaders and requested them to spread as much as possible in their working areas	He responded positively and given permission
7	On 25/4/19 GAA CSOs network, religious leaders & youth advocates jointly prepared a soft copy saying that " Child marriages are strictly prohibited here" and its is presented before the district collector khammam requesting to pass a circular to the ED (Executive director) Endowment department that place the standard boards before the temples, mosques and kalyana mandapams, shadhi khanas across khammam district	Prepared a soft copy collaboratively by GAA CSOs and youth advocates

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8	On 26/4/19 Religious leaders and CSO's network given representation to sri. R.V. Karnan honourable district collector for planning the standard boards before 320 temples & 220 mosques and Kalyana mandapam across khammam	He responded positively to pass a circular to endowment department
9	On 29/4/19 GAA CSOs network & GAA team khammam collaboratively given representation to the DM & HO (District medical and Health officer) khammam requested to pass a circular by notice to all the PHCs to take the technical assistance of spreading the message of consequences of child marriages and also conducted the awareness camps on the girl child issues at all PHCs of khammam district	DM& HO responded positively and issued a letter to all PHCs to organise meetings
10	On 30/4/19 GAA CSOs net work organised a signature campaign on pro child villages asking to work committedly in their working areas for child friendly environment in khammam district	250 people from community and other government officials participated in this program
11	On 30/4/19 GAA CSOs net work along with the GAA team khammam given representation to the secretary DLSA khammam requesting him to pass a circular to the DEO khammam to review the dropouts and also increase the infrastructure, sanitation and drinking water facilities, libraries in Govt school to block the dropouts and child marriages	He responded positively and assured to send the recommendations to the SLSA, NLSA.
12	On 30/4/19 GAA CSOs network approached the president and secretary printing press association khammam and advocated with them to pass a circular/ notice to all the printing association members to verify the date of birth certificate while printing the wedding cards	The president print media accepted the representation and assured to take these issues in their internal meetings.
13	On 7/5/19 Mr Neil Kumar, Arjun rao (ARADM, Efforts) CSOs of GAA network organised awareness camp in konijerla and kusumanchi high schools	He has awared nearly 450 students about the girl child rights.
14	On 14/5/19 GAA network CSOs together (CRADO, SHARE, SECURE & MWO) and GAA team organised CSOs internal meeting at VIHE CSOs office, discussed on availability and accessibility Of JOVT program to the dropout young women at polepalli village made a dropout survey and given report to NRI Foundation and requested them to provide tailoring training	GAA CSOs network representatives had come to one understanding to make out a survey for the drop out young women for JOVT program
15	On 14/5/19 GAA CSOs networks conducted an internal meeting and the have done a survey on JOVT programme	GAA CSOs network representatives had come to one understanding to make out a survey for the drop out young women for JOVT program

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16	On 22/5/19 Smt. Usha Rani representative of CRADO NGO one of the our GAA alliance network met Smt. Varalaxmi additional register khammam and given representations to organise the panchayath secretaries meeting at head quarters on CRMA and also requested to organise the marriage registration drives at different places of khammam district	The additional registrar responded positively to conduct meeting with panchayath secretaries at khammam
17	On 25/5/19 District level consultation with the GAA CSO network for preparing the action plan of activities on CM, CT, SE & JOVT	All the GAA CSOs network prepared action plan for the year 2019.
18	on 26/5/19 CSOs had planned the resource mapping and skill gap analysis and also had a discussion on making advocacy plan with the concerned BC,SC, Welfare departments to influence them to provide more JOVT and self employment schemes the child marriages and trafficking victims	All the GAA CSOs network prepared action plan to influence the BC, SC welfare officers for the year 2019.
19	On 30/5/19 GAA Network CSOs Mr. Baburao, Mr. Upendar representatives of efforts NGO one of the GAA CSOs network started raising. " Shop to shop" Campaign programme and distributed IEC material for merchants and public.	They have covered nearly 350 merchants and community people about the consequences of child trafficking.
20	MR. Naresh kumar chief editors of super TV and also one of CSOs partners from NRI foundation given opportunity and proposed a concept to the youth advocate the purpose of the program is that GAA youth advocates respond to the callers of super TV and also demonstrate 1 hour session	Mr. Naresh kumar Media representative given slot to the GAA youth advocates to explain about the consequences of child marriages and child trafficking
21	On 31/5/19 Mr. Sadhik pasha representative of CRPF (Child rights protection forum) NGO Khammam initiated shop to shop campaign at child prone areas of khammam corporation	He has awared nearly 150 merchants and community people about the consequences of child trafficking.
22	On 11/6/19 Mr. Niranjana & sadhik pasha given representation to Mr. Thafseer iqbal city police commissioner khammam to establish AHTUs Anti human trafficking units in khammam district	Mr. Thafseer Iqbal responded positively and ordered to place the GAA Trafficking posters at every Police station of khammam district.
23	On 23/6/19 Mr. Kishore representative of efforts NGO one of our GAA CSOs network started awaring the lorry union & Auto union & Granite field workers on the consequences of child trafficking.	He has awared nearly 120 lorry drivers and 110 auto workers about the child trafficking issues
24	On 31/7/19 GAA CSOs network & youth advocates jointly organised 3 mass awareness programs on the occasion of world day against trafficking in persons	GAA CSOs has covered nearly 750 students and community people about the importance of the day.

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25	On 4/8/19 GAA team and GAA alliance CSOs interacted with Smt. Renuka chowdary nominated candidate for member of parliament at khammam we have made an advocacy with the her to give support to pass the TOP bill in rajya sabha incoming parliamentary sessions	She responded positively and assured to extend her support to pass the TOP bill.
26	On 6/8/19 Smt. Aruna and Laxmi representatives of secure NGO one of our GAA partners started the new method of campaigning by selecting the different streaming i.e., awaring the JOVT trainees about the available government schemes for self employment they have identified the JOVT trainees at RICET officially organised by the SBI and explain about the available corporation loans, subsidy loans, Mudra loans.	GAA CSOs could able to aware 45 RICET trainees about the availing the government subsidy schemes.
27	On 21/8/19 Mr. Neil Kumar representative of ARADM Convinced lorry union secretary Mr. Krishna and organised awareness camp at lorry union office premises. Mr. Vinod kumar secretary DLSA being invited as chief guest	The president accepted the proposal and agreed to organise the program
28	On 31/8/19 Mr. Neil Kumar & lorry association members given representation on seeking the support from the departments and requested him to provide meetings monthly once to the other union like auto unions, Travel associations on the prevention of child trafficking	The secretary DLSA responded positively and assured to do quarterly review meetings
29	On 16/9/19 Mrs. Sridevi representative of MPWO, khammam GAA CSOs network organised awareness camp on the prevention of child trafficking and also the importance of secondary education at ZPSS wyra	Nearly 350 students participated and gotten knowledge on the girl child rights.
30	On 21/9/19 Mr. Neil kumar (ARADM) representative given representation to MR. Prem sagar assistant director of RICET khammam to avail loans from state bank of india and also assist them in documentation and filing to avail the subsidiary loan from DIC (District industries center) khammam from telangana state	He responded positively and assured to assist the trainee groups for availing the loans.
31	On 21/9/19 Mr. Neil kumar secretary of (ARADM) one the GAA CSO network taken permission from Mr. Prem sagar to organise a orientation program to the RICET volunteers on the prevention of Child marriages and child trafficking and also the important of JOVT to the dropped out women	He has given permission to organise the program
32	On 27/9/1/ Mr. Neil kumar, Kiran, Ramarao & Sujatha representatives of ARADM & MPWO Members of GAA CSOs net work given representation to district collector as a part follow-up for displaying the standard boards of child marriage are strictly prohibited at different temples and mosques & before function halls across the district	He responded positively and assured to take necessary actions

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33	On 10/10/2019 GAA Alliance network (Effort and CRADO) & GAA team jointly met Sri. Gowri shankar assistant commissioner of endowment given representation on organise the awareness camps and meeting on child marriages to the executive body members and block level leaders of khammam	The assistant commissioner assured to take these points in to their agenda of their internal meetings.
34	On 28/10/19 Mr. Sadhik pasha mobilized shivaigudem sarpanch and villages and given representation to Mr. Hanumant kodhimba IAS joint collector of khammam requested to establish a school at shivaigudem village where 120 students dropped out from that village	The joint collector responded positively and send the file to the Concerned RDO to procure the land for the school establishment
35	On 3/11/2013 GAA alliance network approached RPF (Railway protection force) circle inspector Sri. Madhu sudhan on child trafficking issue	He responded positively and assured to organise the program
36	From 14/11/2019 to 20/11/2019 GAA CSOs networks given representations to the line departments officials to look in the girl child issues and to have closed monitoring with the communities for the safety & welfare of the girl child in khammam district	The line department officials agreed to work collaboratively with good coordination for the proper monitoring mechanism for the safety and welfare of the girl child in khammam district.
37	From 14/11/2019 To 20/11/2019 GAA CSOs done awareness camp in schools and communities and also distributed IEC material at bus stand and railway station and other prime floated locations across khammam district	GAA CSOs network have awared nearly 1500 public and community people about the girl child rights during the CRC week.
38	On 7/12/19 Mr. Shoban from Memunnamu foundation, Mr.Sadhik pasha from vibrants of Kalam GAA CSOs network jointly organised awareness camp at ZPSS Theldaripalli high school on prevention of child marriages and child trafficking.	The students of the school got productive information about the girl child issues like child marriages and child trafficking
39	On 17/12/19 GAA CSOs network (Nenunnu & MWO) has done awareness campaign in an innovative way named "GAA on wheels" as a regular activity. 1.They had an interaction with passengers and asked their opinion on these 2 thematic issues (CM and CT	With this innovative activity nearly 800 people got awared about the girl child issues.



CSOs conducted awareness camps, Advocacy actions (representations) and distributed IEC material

At schools – 42

At malls – 6

Communities - 19

Religious Places- 4

Market areas - 2

Slums - 14

Trains - 3

Busses - 3

Public places - 8

(bus stand, railway station)

Rallies conducted- 9

Trainings/ workshops/consultations attended (state and district level) – 10

Representations - 13

Circulars – 2

Appreciation letters - 2

Institutions visited – 5

Press coverage – 23 (approximately)

Approximately 10,000 people were awared by CSOs



Experience sharing by CSOs
in their words



ACTIVITIES DONE BY COMMUNITY (Religious leaders)

S.No	Activity	Output/ Outcome
1	On 01-03-2019 the Key Religious leaders(Uma maheswara sarma, Srinivasa sastri and Azeez and Tajuddin & Nissar ahmed) accepted the representation given by youth advocates and assured to circulate the notice /circular from district religious office to the down line purohiths and khazis and also assured to have the review on the status of the child marriages and other girl child related issues in their monthly review meeting to sort out the issues in a short time by giving the representations to the apex level committees.	To assured review on the status of the child marriages and other girl child related issues in their monthly review meeting to sort out the issues in a short time by giving the representations to the apex level committees.
2	On 9/4/19 Youth advocates, GAA team & Religious leaders interacted with Sri. Vasudeva rao BJP party nominated candidate for member of parliament at khammam. We have made an advocacy with him to give support to pass the TOP bill in Rajya sabha in coming parliamentary sessions.	He assured to extend his support ti pass the TOP bill
3	On 24-04-2019 the key religious leaders from Hindu and Muslims sri. Suresh sarma & umamaheswara sarma President (bhramana parishath,khammam) voluntarily came forward include 3 block community & religious leaders at sundaraih nagar & guttala bazar on 25-04-2019 , Sri Azeez & Pasha (Muslim Khazi president khammam) voluntarily came forward and organised 3 awareness camps in the local communities(Sundaraiah nagar, Mustafa nagar, & guttala bazar) and spread the message of the consequences of child marriages.	Nearly covered 500 community people with 3 awareness programs about the consequences of child marriages and child trafficking.
4	On 25-04-2019 religious leaders and CSOs network (My people welfare organisation ,Efforts & secure collaboratively given representation to Sri. Karnan honourable district collector for placing the standard boards before the 320temples & 220 mosques and kalyanamantapams & shadhi khanas across khammam district.	The district collector responded positively and assured to take necessary actions on representation.
5	On 13/5/19 Sri veerabadra sarma one of the religious leader conducted awareness program to the devotees and vestries of the temple about the consequences of the child marriages	He has preached nearly 150 devotee about the consequences of child marriages
6	On 13-05-2019 veerabadra sarma one the Hindu religious leader from "kanyaka parameswari" temple started preaching voluntarily about the consequences of the child marriages to the visitors of the temple .He says that its agood practice to aware the people and also he is continuing the same practice every thursday in the temple. By conducting these kind of programs he could able to aware nearly 120 members about the consequences of the child marriages issues	He has preached nearly 250 devotee about the consequences of child marriages

S.No	Activity	Output/ Outcome
7	On 18-05-2019 Azeez muslim khazi, key religious leader in Khammam district formed a GAA Muslim volunteer group and through this group pasted the GAA posters against child marriage at 15 prominent mosques ((Khilabazar, mustafa nagar, Raaj darwaj, nijam pet), 2 shadhi khanas(Municipal road, Bypass road) in khammam corporation and also distributed the IEC material at public places and the child marriage prevalent areas of khammam corporation . It is continuous and on-going process i.e friday in every week.	Young club members awared nearly 500 by distributing the IEC material
8	On 13-06-2019 the Hindu block level religious leaders jointly given declaration to not to solemnize the child marriages and also assured to doing activities and awareness programs in prevention of child marriages at their working areas at Guntu malleswara swami temple , Khammam .	He has covered nearly 120 community people about the consequences of child marriages
9	On 14-06-2019 the Muslim block level religious leaders jointly given declaration to not to solemnize the child marriages and also assured to doing activities and awareness programs in prevention of child marriages at their working areas at Guntu malleswara swami temple , Khammam .	He has covered nearly 200 community people about the consequences of child marriages
10	On 5/7/19 GAA team met one of the Hindu key religious leader to organise the meeting with the block level religious leaders	The key religious leaders are accepted to conduct block level meeting.
11	On 09-09-2019 the Block level leaders from Hindu sri. Uma maheswara sarma & Srinivasa sarma President voluntarily came forward to utilize the Vinayaka chavithi which is biggest festival celebrated for 9 days continuously all over telangana state at every corner . They have utilized this platform and awared nearly 1500 people through preaching and IEC materials at different areas of khammam District.	They have covered nearly 1500 community people about the consequences of child marriages
12	On 5/11/19 Ramesh sharma one the Hindu religious leader from venkatewara swami temple started preaching voluntarily about the consequences of the child marriages to the visitors of the temple .He says that its an unique way of method to aware the people and also he is continuing the same practice every Saturday in the temple. By conducting these e kind of programs he could able to aware nearly 180 members about the consequences of the child marriages issue	He has preached nearly 200 devotee about the consequences of child marriages

Religious Leaders conducted awareness camps, Advocacy actions (representations) and distributed IEC material

At schools – 3

Communities - 29

Religious Places- 15

Slums - 9

Public places - 3

Block level meetings – 3

Function Halls – 5

Festival Mandapams - 14

Shadi Khanas - 4

Trainings attended – 4

Representations - 8

Circulars - 3

Institutions visited – 2

Youth clubs - 4

Press coverage – 10 (approx..)

Wall paintings and standard boards - 4

Approximately 800 people were awared by the Religious leaders



Experience sharing by Religious leaders
in their words



Youth Advocates conducted awareness camps, Advocacy actions (representations), Rallies, campaigns and distributed IEC material

At schools – 27

Communities - 22

Religious Places- 10

Malls - 6

Slums - 15

Public places - 13

(market, bus stand and railway station)

Rallies – 7

Function Halls – 6

Street plays – 7

Poster campaigns – 17

Door to door campaigns- 12

Signature campaigns – 6

Youth clubs – 18

On wheels (train/ busses)- 7

Representations – 8

Circulars - 1

Trainings attended – 7

Press coverage – 17 (approx.)

Awards – 9

Comic conducted by them - 6

Nearly 8,000 People were awarded by Youth Advocates

Youth Advocates done the activities in the year 2019 - 50



Experiences sharing by youth advocates in their words

Government conducted awareness camps



1. RPF CI conducted district level line departments convergence meeting in prevention of child trafficking



2. DLSA Secretary conducted district level review meeting with line department members on the status of CM, CT.



3. District level meetings to the MEOs and HMs on the accessibility of availing secondary education by DEO

4. DWO conducted district level meeting to the Panchayat secretaries and VROs on PCMA and CRMA

Experiences sharing by Government (RPF CI) in his words

INNOVATIVE ACTIVITIES / PRACTICES



As part of our outreach activities we have **observed** that the **Photographers** plays important role in performing any marriage. We have interacted with the president photographers union khammam and advocated with him and discussed on child marriages and he agreed to pass a circular to the all the photographers union khammam while contracting with any marriage taking the required documents.

Situation happened: On 15-03-2019 GAA team invited for the **photographers work shop**. The photographer's union members nearly 2000 photographers participated. We found that the photographers plays key role in an marriage, they get the prior information about the marriage dates ,venue and other marriage related details

Advocacy asked for: We thought to convey the message about the Prevention of child marriages Act .We made advocacy with the photographer's president and requested him to pass a circular to the association members to verify the documents(Date of birth certificate, SSC memo &Aadhar card) before going to agreement with the marriage.

Inputs given on :

Child rights

Child marriage definition

About Prohibition of child marriages Act-2006

Penalties & Punishments who performs child marriages

Outcome: The Photographer association president & executive members agreed to give circular to the association members to verify the documents(Date of birth certificate, SSC memo &Aadhar card) before going to agreement with the marriage.

As part GAA team &GAA CSOs (CRADO, EFFORTS) network outreach activities they have **observed** that the Auto unions, porters in bus stand and railway stations and lorry unions plays important role in preventing the child trafficking. CRADO, EFFORTS CSO representatives have interacted with the president Auto union, Lorry union Khammam and advocated with him and discussed on the preventive methods of child trafficking issues. The trafficking mediums are more from Autos, Lorries, and through busses and trains. There are 15000 auto walas and 5000 lorry walas in Khammam . They are the best informers to the police and protecting mechanisms about child trafficking and other unions he agreed to conduct a orientation program to the 1500 auto walas and lorry walas on child trafficking and make them to involve in awaring the passengers and the public about trafficking and its consequences and the laws in it through activities, programs, pasting of posters and distribution of IEC material which could act as a vestal for trafficking cases.

Situation happened: On 29-05-2019 GAA team & CSOs network interacted with the Mr. Krishna president of Khammam Auto union and Mr. Srinivasa rao president of Lorry association Khammam, and explained the importance of roles of auto and lorry drivers in preventing the child trafficking.

Advocacy asked for: GAA CSOs network thought to convey the message about the types and consequences of child trafficking and the sections of ITPA-1956.We made advocacy with the Auto union president and requested him to pass a circular to the association members awaring the passengers and the public about trafficking and its consequences and the laws in it through activities, programs, pasting of posters and distribution of IEC material which could act as a vestal for trafficking cases.

Inputs given on :

1. Child rights
2. Child trafficking definition
3. About the sections of ITPA

Outcome: The Auto association & Lorry association president & executive members agreed to give circular to the association members to conduct awareness camps and distribution of IEC materials and also awaring the passengers and the public about trafficking and its consequences and the laws in it through activities, programs, pasting of posters and distribution of IEC material which could act as a vestal for trafficking cases which could lead to the child safe areas in Khammam district.





Title: YAAH IN MALLS

Where did it happen: Different rushy shopping malls across khammam district

When did it happen: 16-11-2019

On 16th November 2019 YAAH Khammam team and GAA CSOs network has done a program named "YAAH in Malls"

1. They went to various malls with dress code (GAA T-shirts and caps), explained to the management of the malls about the work and services of GAA.

2. They played "dhandiya" and "Bathukamma" in the malls and dragged the attention of the customers.

3. Explained to the staff and customers about the consequences of child marriage and child trafficking.

4. Youth advocates requested all of them to encourage secondary education or JOVT.

5. Explained about the supportive mechanisms available for rescue and rehabilitation for trafficked survivors and the supportive mechanisms available to protect the girl children.

6. Distributed IEC material to the customers and pasted in all the floors of various malls.

Nearly 800 people have gotten productive information about the girl child issues and supportive mechanisms.

These kind of activities done by the Youth advocates twice in a month.



Title : JIT (JUST IN TIME)

Where did it happen : KHAMMAM

When did it happen : 16-11-2019

GAA CSOs network and GAA youth advocates have done an innovative programme they named it as JIT (JUST IN TIME)

“JIT” is like presenting about the child marriages and child trafficking message with in the span of 1 minute.

1) GAA CSOs network and our youth advocates had a new thought of interacting with the passengers in the bus about the girl child issues for only one minute.

2) They have taken permission from Bus Depot manager to get in to the buses in the bus stand, and interacted with the passengers for 1 minute.

3) They have explained about the consequences of child marriages and child trafficking.

4) And also the supportive mechanisms available for the rescue, safety and security of the girl child.

They have nearly awared 800 passengers and covered nearly 20 buses.

They decided to do this practice every Saturday once in a week at different bus stands of khammam district.





Title: GAA with train passengers

Where did it happen: Khammam, Bonakal, chinthakaani, madhira railway stations in khammam district

When did it happen: 19-11-2019

GAA CSOs network (Memunnamu, CRADO, SHIKA and Nenunnu) has done awareness campaign in an innovative way named "GAA on wheels".

GAA CSOs network planned to conduct awareness campaign in trains and today they selected 3 trains " Dornakal Vijayawada passenger (24498) ", " Vijayawada to Badrachalam road passenger (24545) " and " Krishna Express (17406) " and they have done it.

1. They had an interaction with passengers and asked their opinion on these 2 thematic issues (CM and CT).
2. Some of the passengers responded positively and agreed that "we all have the responsibility to prevent child marriages and child trafficking".
3. Some of them did not agree and argued with CSOs.
4. GAA CSOs network explained them clearly and convincingly about the consequences of child marriage and child trafficking and supportive mechanisms available to protect the girl children.
5. Finally they explained to all the passengers about the consequences of child marriages, In what ways trafficking takes place and the supportive mechanisms through sound system in all the coaches of the train.
6. Distributed IEC material to the passengers and pasted in all the coaches of the trains.

Out put : With this innovative activity nearly 1500 people got awared about the girl child issues in 3 above said trains.

Title : Counters in Function halls

Where did it happen Sri ramachandra function hall, Khammam & also Different function halls across district

When did it happen : 23-11-2019

GAA youth advocates and GAA CSOs network collaboratively taken permission from management of “Laxmi Chandra gardens” function hall where it is located at rural area of khammam.

- 1) They have arranged one "Display stall" which consists of the GAA IEC material.
- 2) They have given presentations to the public on the consequences of child marriages and child trafficking and also the importance of girl child education.
- 3) The supportive mechanisms available for protection and promotion of the girl child rights.
- 4) This stall attracted more women and men. It has created some curiosity among the public to know about the girl child issues especially child marriages.
- 5) Some of the people reacted positively and taken GAA poster with them to paste at their houses and at the floated community areas.

This stall has created some sort of stimulation among them to think twice while doing marriages and the importance of girl child education.





Title : GAA WITH TEACHERS UNIONS

Where did it happen : TPTF (TEALANGANA PROGRESSIVE TEACHERS FEDERATION), UTF (UNITED TEACHERS FEDERATION), PRTU of Khammam.

When did it happen : 04-12-2019

GAA team organised a consultation meeting with the Teachers unions like PRTU, UTF, TPTF.

Nearly 15000 teachers are officially registered and working under these unions only in khammam district.

We thought that they are the board network all over India & best means of transferring the message of GAA themes in to the targeted groups.

We made a dialogue with them on the GAA themes and it's working areas with different actors.

They are very happy to join their hands together for the safety and welfare of the girl child in khammam district.

They said that they will take this message to the bottom /root levels of the society through their hierarchy structures by utilizing the Youth Advocate clubs.

They have made a resolution to join their hands in GAA moment for the protection and promotion of the girl child rights.

From this moment Teacher unions are also the part of GAA as biggest network stake holders in khammam district.



BEST SIGNS BY SCOPE-RD GAA

Sign 1 by Religious Leaders

On 23-11-2019 Mr.Suresh sarma & Mr. Seetharama sastri organised the review meeting with block level religious leaders on the status of child marriages at different working areas



Sign 2 by Religious Leaders

On 09-09-2019 the Block level leaders from Hindu Sri. Uma Maheswara sarma & Srinivasa sarma Presidanth voluntarily came forward to utilize the Vinayaka chavithi which is biggest festival celebrated for 9 days continuously all over telangana state at every corner . They have utilised this platform and awared nearly 1500 people through preaching's and IEC materials at different areas of Khammam district.



Sign 3 by GAA CSOs

On 28-10-2019 Mr. Sadhiq pasha mobilised Shivaigudem surapanch & villagers and given representation to Mr. Hanumath Kudimba IAS Joint collector of khammam requested to establish a school at shivaigudem village where 120 students dropped out from that village

Sign 4 by GAA CSOs and Government

On 17-07-2019 night by 7 pm we got call from RPF & GRP saying that they have gotten information about the suspicious group of children (29) traveling from Chennai to Madhyapradesh by Navajeevan express. They immediately informed to CHILD LINE & GAA team Khammam.

We (child line & GAA team & GAA CSOs net work MWO, ARADM, SECURE) rushed immediately to the Railway Station, khammam and rescued 29 trafficked victims from Navajeevan express. Total 29 children in that 13 are girl children. The next moment informed to all the line department officials and media.



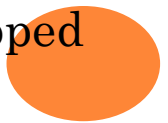
Sign 5 by GAA CSOs

On 06-11-2019 Mr. Niranjana & Mr. Sadhiq pasha given representation to Mr. Thafseer Iqbal City police commissioner, Khammam to establish AHTUs Anti human trafficking Units in Khammam district



Sign 6 by GAA CSOs

On 21-09-2019 Mr. Neil Kumar secretary of (ARADM) one of the GAA CSOs network taken permission from Mr. Prem sagar to organized a orientation program to the Riset Volunteers on the prevention of child marriages and child trafficking and also the importance of JOVT to the dropped out women.



Sign 7 by GAA CSOs

On 27-09-2019 Mr. Neil kumar , Kiran, ramarao & Sujatha representatives of ARADM & MWO members of GAA CSOs net work given representation to Mr. Anand member NCPDR (National commission for protection of child rights) for displaying the standard boards of " Child marriages are Strictly prohibited " at different temples and Mosques & before function halls across the district.



Sign 8 by Government

On 15-07-2019 Mr. Sriram District employment officer, Khammam instructed all the PIAs(Project implementing agencies) to establish the skill development centers across the district to the child marriage victims for their economic sustainable development at TTDC buildings, Khammam

SOME OF THE CASE STUDIES

Name of child : Sk. Raziya, Age: 16 Years, Gender: Female, DOB: 12-6-2002, Place of birth : Pedhakaakani village and mandal, Guntur district



Background information: Sk. Raziya D/o Venkateswara rao (step father) & saidabee residing at Pedhakaakani village. She failed in SSC i.e. 10th standard, staying at home. Her family back ground is very poor suffering from so many financial and psychological problems and she is in pathetic situation. Her parents are daily wage workers. Raziya is staying lonely at home from morning till evening. It has been observed by one person named Venkanna (lorry driver) friend of Raziya's brother in law, He diverted her through his chatting and trafficked her to Narasimhulapeta village Warangal. They stayed one day at Warangal and she relocated to another place **Guvvalagudem village, nelakondapalli mandal, khammam district.** They stayed there for 3 days she came to know that he was already married.

Intervention:

The neighbours suspected and informed to SCOPE-RD GAA on 18-02-2019. Then the team responded immediately, informed to the circle inspector Kusumanchi, CHILDLINE & also sub Inspector of police Nelakondapalli. The team reached the spot (home) along with police. She was alone at home without any ray of hope to reach her home safely. SCOPE-RD GAA team interacted with the child, she explained everything what was happened. The counsellor given counselling to the child and rescued her from that place. Counsellor and Raziya filed complaint against the accused named venkanna. Then our team and police traced the accused and remanded him in jail at Nelakondapalli police station. After that our team produced her before CWC (Child Welfare Committee) Khammam. Presently the survivor is placed at baalalasadhanam Khammam. The case is under process. All the line department officials responded quickly and cooperated well to SCOPE-RD GAA team to rescue the child. The child is very safe & happily staying at balala sadhanm Khammam at present. This case would be closed tentatively within 3 to 6 months. We are so pleasure and feel glad to rescue the child who is in need of care and protection.

Follow up: The child is rescued all the legal procedures are being done. The child is sent back to her home town Pedhakaakani village, Guntur district. Now the child is undergoing Tailoring training program

Name of child : Ch.Nandini, Father's name : Ravi (late) Mother's Name : Late: Vijaya , Age: 12 Years , Date of Birth : 22-11-2007 Gender: Female
Place of birth : Bokkal gadda, Near Ikalvoddu , Khammam Urban mandal, Khammam district.

Background information: Ch. Nandini D/o. Ravi resident of khammam. She is a school dropped out girl and she is an orphan girl staying at grandmothers house. She couldn't able to continue her studies due to financial problems . Her situation was so pathetic. In order to continue her livelihood she started begging at roads of khammam.

Intervention: Mrs. Sridevi, Aruna representatives of (My people welfare organisation and secure) identified Nandini begging on the roads. Immediately they approached girl and rescued her from that situation and Informed to Mr. Sandeep GAA coordinator, khammam. He responded immediately and sent Mrs. Bharathi Youth advocate facilitator to that location. She went there and explained that girl about the situation brought her to GAA office. GAA CSOs and Youth advocate facilitator explained the importance of education and the consequences of begging. They have explained about the facilities given by the government to the orphan and semi orphan girls. The girl explained her situation to the GAA team members at last she got convinced to go to school through counselling, emotional guidance and support by the GAA CSOs and team members. After that GAA team taken the girl to her grandmother and explained her about the re-joining in to the school. After so many discussions and consents she got convinced to re-join her in to the school. After that Mrs. Bharathi GAA youth advocate facilitator taken the permission of special officer of KGBV rural School for the admission. She went to her along with Nandini and explained her about the girls back ground and situation. At last special officer got convinced and given permission to rejoin that girl in 7th class. GAA CSOs given note books and hand holding amount to the girl to have good education to craft her career.

When: - On 07-07-2019 Mrs. Sridevi, Aruna representatives of (My people welfare organisation and secure) identified Nandini begging on the roads. Immediately they approached girl and rescued her from that situation . **Where:-** From that place they have Informed to Mr. Sandeep GAA coordinator, khammam. He responded immediately and send Mrs. Bharathi Youth advocate facilitator to that location. She went there and explained that girl about the situation brought her to GAA office.

Current situation: GAA youth advocate facilitator is being in touch with the girl child regularly and giving continuous support and guidance to that girl to continue her studies.

What is the biggest change in the life of the beneficiary (preferably/if possible in his/her own words) as a result of this intervention?

The girl child says "When my parents passed away at my 10 years of age, I don't know about my future , I was completely drawn in depression .There was no way of hope for me to come out from the situation. I couldn't able to continue my studies , I was drawn in to situation of begging to support my self and my grandmother too.

Suddenly Mrs. Sridevi, Aruna representatives of (My people welfare organisation and secure) identified me begging on the roads. Immediately they approached me and rescued me from that situation. Then Mrs. Bharathi Youth advocate facilitator counselled me and given hope and confidence.I am so thank full to GAA team khammam and TdH -NL for taking such steps to save the girl child rights and making sure to join in school to continue my further studies and it could be helpful for me to lead my life happily.

Why is the PP/TdH-NL assistance important to the beneficiary (preferably/if possible in his/her own words)?

The girl says that In my view GAA (Girls Advocacy Alliance) is a great initiative who work for the girl child rights and empowerment. I must thank to GAA CSOs network , the team SCOPE-RD GAA &TdH-NL all the line department members because there should be someone to support the needy and to give counselling, guidance and moral support to helpless children like me to see some smiles and to show good future to them.



Name of the Organisation : SCOPE-RD GAA, Khammam **Name of child :** M. RAMYA **Age :**14 Years **Date of Birth :** 10-04-2005

Gender: Female

Place of birth : Mangala gudem village, Khammam Rural **mandal, Khammam district.**

Background information: M.Ramya D/o. Veeraswami residing at mangala gudem village studied till 6th class. She is a clever student and topper of the class. Her father is a daily wage worker, and her mother is house wife. Ramya sri is staying alone at home due to social and external force suddenly child's mother decided to get her married off to lessen the burden on the home. And the girl was forcefully obeyed the marriage proposal, the helplessness of the child became voiceless.

Intervention: The GAA Balika sangha/Youth advocate member informed about the ramya's marriage to the GAA Community mobilizer khammam. GAA team responded immediately and informed to CHILDLINE and CMPOs. The team reached the spot along with few people of the community. They tried to motivate the family to stop the marriage. Subsequently GAA team members counselled the girl, the team explained to her mother about the bad consequences of child marriages, Prohibition of Child Marriage Act and also child rights.

When: - Girl child marriage date fixed on 04-02-2019. The baalika sanghas /Youth advocate member informed to GAA community mobilizer/Youth advocate facilitator responded immediately went to the place along with concern departments and prevented the girl child from engagement. GAA mobilizer counselled her parents and girl child. Then her mother and family members agreed to stop the marriage proposal.

Where:-The marriage was stopped at mangala gudem village , Khammam district.

Finally Ramy sri's mother and groom's family members were convinced not to solemnize the marriage until she attains the age of 18. She was re-enrolled in Kishora balalaika vocational training program doing beautician course.

Current situation:

GAA community mobilizer is being in touch with the girl child regularly and giving continuous support and guidance to that girl to settle the girl.

What is the biggest change in the life of the beneficiary (preferably/if possible in his/her own words) as a result of this intervention?

The girl child says "When my marriage was fixed I was completely drawn in depression .There was no way of hope for me to come out from the situation. Suddenly the ray of hope came to me as GAA mobilizer. The way she counselled me and given hope and confidence". I am so thank full to GAA team khammam and TdH -NL for taking such steps to save the girl child rights and making sure to join in school to continue my further studies and it could be helpful for me to lead my life happily.

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THANK YOU ALL

TEAM OF SCOPE-RD GAA

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FOR A BETTER TOMORROW....**

