

UPHOLD (Regd No.418/2002)
APHB New Colony, Old Srikakulam, Srikakulam Dist
ACTIVITIES FOR THE YEAR OF
2022-2023

S.No	year	Name of the project/activity	Address/Location	Major activity	Specific Coverage/People Benefited
1.	2022-23	Agriculture Development (Tribal)	Seethampeta Villages, Srikakulam, AndhraPradesh	Agriculture Development Housing help	<p>We are committed to providing financial assistance to support impoverished Particularly Vulnerable Tribal Groups (PTG) families. Our initiative focuses on empowering these families by identifying wasteland areas that can be cultivated, thereby transforming previously unproductive land into sources of sustainable income.</p> <p>To facilitate this process, we encourage groups of 6 to 8 family members to come together and collaborate. This collective effort allows them to pool their resources to hire labour for tilling the land. Once the land is prepared, they invest in purchasing seeds and cultivating a variety of crops. The selected crops include cashew, pineapple, broom, and custard apple, all of which are well-suited to the local climate and soil conditions.</p> <p>The cultivation of these crops not only provides annual harvests but also plays a crucial role in enhancing the families' economic sustainability.</p>

					<p>Each crop has its own market value, and by diversifying their agricultural production, these families can secure a more stable income throughout the year. This is particularly important as many of these families currently lack alternative sources of income, making the cultivation of previously barren land vital for their livelihoods.</p> <p>By transforming wasteland into productive agricultural space, we are not only fostering economic development but also improving the overall well-being of these communities. The initiative has benefited a total of 52 families, providing them with the means to support themselves and build a more secure future. Through this program, we aim to empower these families, reduce poverty, and promote self-sufficiency within the PTG community. Our efforts contribute to creating a sustainable agricultural ecosystem that enhances food security and provides a pathway for economic growth. Beneficiaries are 65 Families.</p>
2.	2022-23	Teach Learn Free Computer Education	K.Gummada, Seethampeta, Srikakulam Andhra Pradesh	Free Computer Courses for educated unemployed youth	<p>At our computer training institute, we provide computer literacy training to young, educated, unemployed individuals. Our programs specifically benefit children from Below Poverty Line (BPL) families and tribal students. The goal of this skill development training is to empower these youths,</p>

					enhancing their employability and increasing their work efficiency. Beneficiaries are 73 members.
3.	2022-23	Bethany Vision Care Hospital	K.Gummada Seethampeta Srikakulam Andhra Pradesh	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Medical Camps ➤ Free Eye Cataract Surgeries ➤ Free food & travel Ambulance service ➤ Dental care Unit Mega Blood Donation 	<p>We have conducted 49 medical camps in rural tribal and underserved villages. During these camps, we performed 288 cataract surgeries for low-income individuals in the hospital, averaging 20 to 30 outpatient consultations daily. We provided free meals and accommodation for patients and their attendants, arranging transport back to their villages post-surgery.</p> <p>Additionally, we offer ambulance services to transport patients from tribal areas to towns and to Visakhapatnam for further treatment. This includes free ambulance transport for cancer patients to Mahatma Gandhi Hospital in Visakhapatnam.</p> <p>We also organized a Mega Blood Donation Camp, where 14 individuals donated blood to assist urgent cases. Our dental services include root canal treatments, tooth extractions, dentures, mouth guards, dental implants, and orthodontic treatments.</p>

4.	2022-23	Victory kids/HIV positive children	Kong ram village Etcherla mandal Srikakulam Andhrapradesh	Nutrition distribution: Bicycle provided: Educational help: Travelling for Medicine purpose	Eight children in Srikakulam have benefited from the UPHOLD program. We provided bicycles to 3 children and help them travel to school, along with new clothing, sandals, and sweaters for the winter season. Additionally, we offer educational support to ITI Students. And cover travel expenses for collecting medicines from government hospitals. We provide nutrition kits to these children every month.
5.	2022-23	Ethne Training center	Adarimetta village, Paderu mandal Visakhapatnam Andhrapradesh531024	Tailoring for women Work shop Seminars	<p>The Ethne Training Centre is a facility dedicated to ongoing capacity-building training programs. We have conducted free tailoring classes for underprivileged tribal women in various villages in Paderu. In addition to the classes, we provided free meals and accommodation for the participants.</p> <p>These tailoring classes have empowered several tribal women, enabling them to support their families financially. This year, we trained two batches, benefiting a total of 40 participants.</p>
6.	2022-23	Arise and Shine	Uphold Nagar, Srikakulam.		This training center is situated near the urban slum area of Srikakulam, adjacent to a Leprosy Colony where individuals affected by leprosy reside. The candidates who attend this center come from impoverished families and slum backgrounds. We offer training in tailoring and dressmaking skills. Our program particularly

				<p>Tailoring Centers. Work shop seminars</p>	<p>supports women from single-parent families and those whose husbands have abandoned them, providing them with valuable skills for their empowerment and livelihood. One batch of 20 students will come for three months and annually we will have 4 batches. Which means we train 60 - 80 students per year.</p>
7.	2022-23	Leprosy Out reach	<p>Leprosy colony Kenner talkies backside Srikakulam Andhrapradesh</p>	<p>Financial help to leprosy people Monthly medicine distribution Educational help to leprosy people's children.</p>	<p>Each month, we conduct free medicine distribution for individuals affected by leprosy and related conditions. On average, 16 members benefit from dressing supplies consistently each month. Additionally, during the COVID-19 relief fund distribution from May to July 2022, we assisted 40 beneficiaries over the course of three months. We also provide scholarships and educational support for their children, which was highlighted during the Leprosy Day program. In February 2022, we awarded scholarships to 22 students for their educational needs. We adopted a blind family to support monthly for their food as they live on the mercy of others.</p>
8.	2022-23	Mercy Children Home	<p>Adarumetta Junction, Paderu , VSKP Dist</p>	<p>Education help</p>	<p>Under our guidance, tribal girls (GNM Tuition Fee) receive educational scholarships, supported by dedicated staff who provide care and assistance. These girls come from underprivileged tribal backgrounds, and we have been helping them for the past eight years.</p>

9.	2022-23	Programmes	Srikakulam, Seethampeta	<p>Small Scale Business Help</p> <p>Educational Help to poor</p> <p>Educational help to poor tribes.</p>	<p>In this project educational support to poor tribal students. Support through Laptops and educational purpose college fee payments. And supporting through bicycles.</p> <p>Some of them wants to do small business for their families surviving. We provided financial support for small scale business purpose. Educational Help Students are 8. Tribal students are 5 and BPL students are 3.</p>
10.	2022-23	Medical Help	Srikakulam	<p>Emergency Medical Help</p>	<p>We provide emergency medical care for the people who approach us in the community form below poverty line. Though there are govt., provisions of medical support, for some critical illness and for the other medical tests and medical bills we support to the direct beneficiary account or to the hospital account. Four people were helped. Cancer Treatment, Renal Disease and Gland Surgery, 4 members.</p>
11.	2022-23	Educational Scholarships	Srikakulam		<p>Two bright tribal students were provided with laptops to assist them with their practical work as required by their classes. They have also secured free seats at a private college and are promising candidates for campus interviews.</p> <p>Additionally, a student from a Scheduled Caste background gained admission to a prestigious</p>

				<p>For Tribal and non-tribal kids in skills studies</p>	<p>college but was unable to pay the concession fee. We supported him by covering the fee for a four-year commitment. Another student, who is HIV positive, received assistance to pursue a Master of Computer Applications (MCA).</p> <p>Furthermore, three girls are enrolled in General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM) and pursuing bachelor's degrees in pharmacy. Upon completing their studies, they will become breadwinners for their families, bringing dignity to both their households and the community. The contributions of UPHOLD towards these young men and women represent a significant investment in community asset building</p>
12.	2022-23	Logos School	Peddakongaram	<p>For Poor children from fisheries community</p>	<p>We had been running the school for 7 years and towards the end of the close of the school we had to run this year to give quality education to the local BPL families. We hired a van to bring the children from rural area and two teachers were there to give classes. We have run this school later we have migrated them local Govt., school and we have closed school and there we have started tailoring centres.</p>
13.	2022-23	Swatchbharath	Srikakulam		<p>We have constructed a mobile truck toilet that features two clean toilets, designed to provide access to individuals in pilgrimage centres and high-traffic areas during emergencies. This</p>

				For the sanitation of swatchbharath	innovative model is intended to be showcased and implemented in towns and cities, aiming to cater to the public's needs and prevent open defecation and urination. By offering a clean and accessible sanitation solution, we are promoting hygiene and improving public health in these communities.
14.	2022-23	Moral Education to Students	Kongaram	Equipping Volunteers in the villages	UPHOLD has volunteer in the village as change agents. They are the people who are engaged in the village activities to help implement the govt., activities. We help these change agents to learn thing to teach in the villages. We conduct training programs for the edification of these volunteers to help in their filed work.