



NATIONAL INSTITUTE FOR EMPOWERMENT OF PERSONS WITH MULTIPLE  
DISABILITIES (DIVYANGJAN)

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OPEN DAY MEET REPORT- JAN'2023  
(Sharing for caring)

Mrs.Mala,Voc.Instructor, wished warm welcome to the Parents participated . Shared the objectives of the meet, responsibilities of the parents with reference to feedback mechanism and the Significance of unique approach of Parents & DAIL in mentoring progress of the clients. Further shared on each & every activity of DAIL with special reference to the Open Day meet.About 27 parents and 15 students of Job Coaching unit have participated in the meet.

Team Members:-

Mr.J.V.Subbaraman	Rehabilitation Officer
Mrs. Anandhanayaki	Placement Officer
Mr.E.Raja	Vocational Instructor
Mr.Pratap Karasala	Clinical Associate
Mrs.C.Mala	Vocational Instructor



At the first session Mrs.Anandhanayaki Placement Officer has dealt about the life skill training where in explained about creative thinking, Critical thinking,decision making, problem solving, and the approach to be adopted in handling the Adults with Multiple Disabilities. Also shared on the interpretation of life skills in caring the individuals with multiple disabilities.

The simple & precise presentation was very much heard by the participants as the suggestions placed by Mrs. Anandhanayaki, Placement Officer are immensely useful in handling their special children.



Succeedingly in the second session, Mr.Raja, Vocational Instructor shared on the services of the Facilitation cell duly explaining the objectives of the NHFDC schemes & the networking of NIEPMD with State Channelizing Agency towards the promotion of Self Employment venture. Further. the participants requested to brief once again about 3 Financial benefit schemes out of about 15 schemes explained during last open day meet.

- Pradhan Mantri Jeevan Jyoti Bima Yojana (PMJJBY)
- Pradhan Mantri Suraksha Bima Yojana (PMSBY)
- Chief Minister's Comprehensive Health Insurance scheme
- Legal Guardianship Certificate
- Self-Employment Loan and Schemes for Differently Abled
- NIRAMAYA (Health Insurance Scheme)
- Unorganized Worker eSHRAM
- Tamil Nadu Unorganized
- Workers Welfare Board
- Unemployment Assistance Scheme
- Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission
- Pradhan Mantri Mudra Yojana
- Pradhan Mantri Jan Dhan Yojana (PMJDY)
- Postal Life Insurance(PLI)
- Provisions of Micro Small Medium Enterprises (MSME)

Followingly organized Interaction sessions with a Mother of inspiring role model beneficiary and a role model Parent of two special children. Two parent i.e one to represent a role model client in Employment and the other representing role model parent to focus on supportive employment were called to speak on their experiences.

They are:

- 1. Mrs. Janaki M/o Punitha ( ID), age -29 yrs
- 2. Mrs. Sankaran Gomathi M/o  
A. Ezilarasi, (CP & ID, age -18 yrs. & A. Karan (CP & ID) age -19 yrs

Punitha approached DAIL during 2011 and on assessment the DAIL advised to undergo Vocational & life skill training. she acquired every skill that taught and mastered the domestic skill activities, work place behaviour skills, exclusively Independent travelling skills.

On achieving the skills she was referred to SSN college for a placement as Office Attender. Right from the day one at placement she is serving honestly and gaining reputation in the Work place. The skills she learnt at DAIL are now comfortably made Punitha an independent role model employee in the work place. She is very good in communicating with colleagues & superiors, handling situations and able to travel independently. She is earning Rs 8000 as salary. She was honoured by GOI with a national award as "Best Employee" amongst PwD

Mrs Janaki mother of Punitha while narrating about the stage wise challenges that encountered and the whelming services of DAIL in upbringing the aspirant. The participants was very much inspired with the efforts made by Punitha in achieving independent living skills. At conclusion Mrs Janaki heartily thanked DAIL as well as requested the participants to develop confidence to succeed with Perseverance





At further session shared about the challenges faced by Mrs. Sankaran Gomathi mother of two special children namely Ezilarasi (CP & ID) & Karan (CP & ID) .

The clients when approached DAIL was about. 2 Yrs. & 2 yrs respectively. Both are totally dependent in every activity. At collective efforts and periodical review of DAIL & the Parent the clients were able to respond progressively and witness progress.



Mrs Gomathi is aware of making multifarious handicraft items bearing market potentials. She efficiently trained the clients in packing those products mostly and thus engaging them energetic. These vital thought of Mrs Gomathi was fully supported by the family members and now the family of Karan & Ezilarasi is busily preparing Phenoyl, Soap powder, organic napkins, Jute bags, wire bags, organic saambrani, Hay greeting card etc

Mrs Gomathi while sharing about her special children responses she showed the products that was packed by them. She displayed all the products that are being prepared and marketed. The family thus grown as a role model in supportive employment now comfortably marketing their products under the regular guidance of DAIL and also gladly honoured by the GoI with a National Award recently.

On hearing the inspiring narration by a mother of two multiple disabled the participants have developed a faith that every effort when constantly applied in a systematic way it would undoubtedly achieve success in due course.



Followingly, Mrs Mala organised the feedback session and the suggestions/ requisition made by the participative parents during the feedback session were recorded by Mrs. Mala for evaluation.

The Parents have placed their whole hearted gratitude to Dail for arranging the two inspiring narrations on Success model and the said monthly meet concluded with a vote of Thanks by Ms.Mala, Voc. Instructor, DAIL.

Thank you

