



COVID-19 RELIEF UPDATE

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PraveenLata Sansthan

Estd: 2013 | Sector: Women Empowerment | FY19 Income: Rs 11.23 lakh | HO: Jaipur | Presence: Rajasthan

About the NGO

PraveenLata Sansthan (PLS) works for behavioral, social and economic transformation of girls and women. PLS provides community based solutions in areas of education, health, and sustainable livelihood through skill development. The organization's in-depth understanding of issues in rural Rajasthan, consistent support from community members and volunteers from India and across the world have contributed to their success.

Ms. Bharti Singh Chauhan, founder, has been recognized by Hon. President of India as '100 Women Achievers of India' in 2016 for her work with women in rural India.

COVID-19 Relief Update

Thanks to the contribution received from generous donors like you, HelpYourNGO Foundation was able to provide:

1. **Dry ration kits to 184 families** in two phases
2. **Reusable PPE (Personal Protection Equipment) kits to 6 frontline warriors**

Need & Background

In light of the complete shutdown of most production related activity from March 24, 2020 due to the COVID-19 outbreak, there was bound to be a significant impact on the lives and livelihoods of daily wage earners. Based on a quick need assessment conducted at the ground level, PLS realized that the most immediate need was of extending support to migrants and daily wage earners with food relief materials for their survival.



Location

Rajasthan – Ajmer Road, Brahmapuri Police Station, Govind Nagar, Gurjar ki Thadi, Indra Bazaar, Jhotwara VKI Industrial area

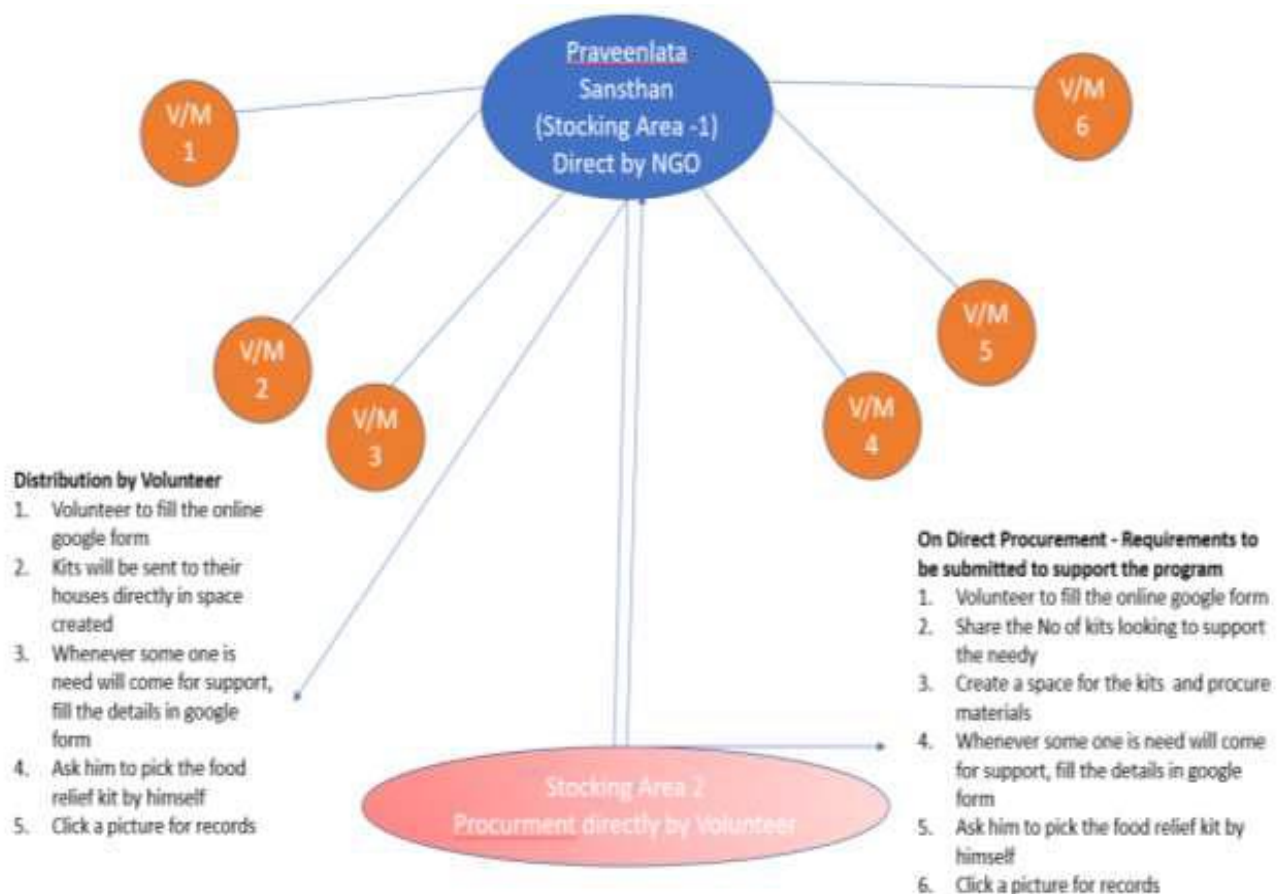
Beneficiary Selection Criteria

1. For Dry Ration Distribution:
Daily wage earners, families living below poverty line, and migrant workers in containment zones
2. For Reusable PPE Kits Distribution:
Frontline warriors like police officials, NGO field staff and hospital staff

Implementation Methodology

- Creating awareness of PLS' relief efforts to identify responsible citizens in the community who could volunteer to assist in the distribution drive and also stock the relief material in their homes.
- Identification of daily wage earners and migrant workers in containment zones with the help of volunteers from those communities and field staff.
- Distribution of kits was done with the beneficiaries directly picking up the dry ration kits either from PLS' office or from the volunteers' homes.
- Guidelines given to the Project Team to ensure safety of staff and volunteers were strictly followed during the distribution drive. Volunteers were provided with masks and gloves. Kits were distributed adhering to social distancing norms.
- As an additional safety measure, sanitation of premises was done by PLS on an hourly basis using a sanitizing machine. Since the PLS office witnessed high movement of people owing to relief activities, the Jaipur Municipal Corporation also sanitized the entire office premises on evenings when distribution drive was conducted during the day.

Control mechanism to ensure efficient distribution



Kit Contents

1. **Dry Ration kit**- This kit was designed to suffice a family of 5 members for 15 days.

No.	Essential Item	Qty. in Phase 1	Qty. in Phase 2
1	Rice	2 kg	2 kg
2	Dal	1 kg	2 kg
3	Wheat Flour	5 kg	10 kg
4	Cooking Oil	1 ltr	1 ltr
5	Chill powder	-	100 gms
6	Salt	1 kg	1 kg
7	Soap	-	1 unit



2. Personal Protection Equipment (PPE)

No.	Particulars	Quantity
1	Gloves	1 pair
2	Gown	1 unit
3	Shoe cover	1 pair
4	Head cover	1 unit
5	Masks	1 unit
6	Eye Protectors	1 unit
7	Face Shield	1 unit

Note: The PPE kit is reusable up to 30 washes.



PPE Kit being handed over to a Police officer

Outcome

- 62 families received Dry Ration Kits in Phase I in March 2020.
- 122 families received Dry Ration Kits in Phase II in May 2020.
- 6 PPE kits were distributed to frontline workers in May 2020 of which 4 were given to police officials of Brahmपुरi Station and 2 to field workers of PLS working in containment areas and carrying out relief activities.

Kit Distribution Video

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=27-EEqBygIk&t=5s>

Media Coverage (with credits to HelpYourNGO for being one of the donors)

1. <https://sanskarnews.page/article/praveenalata-sansthaan>
2. <https://www.patrika.com/jaipur-news/ngo-helps-families-in-lockdown-time>
3. <https://www.sangritimes.com/rajasthan/praveenlata>

Photos



Preparation of Dry ration kits by the PLS Team



Distribution of Dry Ration Kits



PLS Field Staff in a PPE

Fund Utilization Report

No.	Particulars	Avg. Cost per unit (Rs)	No. of units	Total (Rs)	% of Total
1	FUNDS DISBURSED			1,21,083	
2	FUNDS UTILIZED (I+II below)			1,21,350	100%
A	Program Material				
	- Dry ration kit distributed in Phase I	500	62	31,000	25%
	- Dry ration kit distributed in Phase II	656	122	80,000	66%
	- PPE Kit	1,400	6	8,400	7%
	Total Material Cost (I)		190	1,19,400	98%
B	Distribution				
	- Transportation Expenses			500	-
	- Courier Charges			1,450	2%
	Total Distribution Cost (II)			1,950	2%
	BALANCE			-	-