

BPHE'S
CSR-D-ISWR, Ahmednagar
IQAC Action Taken Report as on 30 June 2020

Plan of Action	Achievements
Organise teaching and learning for higher education in social work, mass relations and disaster management	Admitted 248 students for the Savitribai Phule Pune University affiliated courses (MSW, MAMR and DDM) and 219 students for distance programmes under IGNOU in 11 courses
Establish and strengthen collaboration with development organizations and communities for field work and extension	Organised to collaborate with 63 development organizations and communities for extension and field work (29 agencies, 09 Slum communities, 14 Villages in Ahmednagar, 04 flood hit villages at Kolhapur and 07 Industries)
Conduct students' study tours for exposure to innovative development works in the state and out of state.	(1) Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh (14 MSW II yr students on 09-17 Oct. 2019), (2) Kochi, Kerala 24 MSW II yr students (05-15 Jan. 2020), (3) Kottayam, Kerala (29 MSW II yr students on 19-28 Jan. 2020), (4) Goa (30 MSW II yr students on 10-15 Feb. 2020), (5) 116 MSW I yr students (several tribal villages at Rajur and Akole in Ahmednagar district) learning about various schemes under Tribal Development Department on 14 to 16 March, 2020
Engage students in voluntary work and social service through NSS programme	Under NSS, 150 students of the Institute (1) organized rally and performed street play on Plastic free India on the occasion of Birth anniversary of Mahatma Gandhi on 2 nd Oct. 2019 at Wadia Park, Ahmednagar, (2) conducted oath taking on clean and plastic free India in Z.P schools, Jeur and Gadmanjarsumba during the first week of Oct. 2019, (3) undertook National leprosy eradication survey in Ahmednagar city in Sept. 2019, and (4) collected and distributed stationary articles for children of flood affected families in Kolhapur and Sangli district of Maharashtra in Feb. 2020, & (5) Conducted Rural Camp during 01 st to 07 th December 2019 in Gadmanjar Sumbha Village of Ahmednagar district
Respond to the disasters and innovate ways and means to provide relief to them	(1) Organized one month fieldwork for 25 MSW second year students in 4 flood hit villages of the Shirol block of Kolhapur district (Bastwad, Herwad, Danwad and Khidrapur) in February-March 2020; (2)The Institute provided shelter to more than 300 migrant workers and their families who got struck up in Ahmednagar city due to lock down at arrangements made at Sanjay Nagar, Anandsadan, BGVK and St. Xaviers Tarakpur. (3) 240 migrant labourers were repatriated to their native places in Bihar, UP, MP and Orissa by the end of April. (4) The Institute started a state level counselling helpline, called D-Stress Helpline, in May 2020 with the helpline number 8448440773 to provide online counselling to the people who are in distress due to COVID19 pandemic and extended lockdown (5) Village based internship to render volunteer service in the COVID quarantine centres of the village, monitoring, supervision and documentation of various village development schemes such as MGNAREGA, NRLM, etc.

<p>Organise workshops, trainings and seminars for building competencies of students and the faculty members</p>	<p>(1) Language Proficiency Classes held from 29th July to 08th Oct. 2019 for 116 MSW-1st year students, (2) Research workshop for all the 102 MSW second year students on 19th July 2019 and SPSS workshop on 26th Oct. 2019, (3) Training on Soft Skills for 116 MSW-I yr students on 11th Oct. 2019 in collaboration with CG Power & Industrial Solutions Ltd. on personal communication and social skills and SWOT Analysis, (4) special lecture for 102 MSW second year students on social audit as tool for social accountability and transparency by Mr. Gurjeet Singh on 31st October 2019, (5) One-day workshop on 4th December 2019 on the UN declared theme 'Promoting the participation of persons with disabilities and their leadership' for 42 students from Resource Centre for Differently Abled (Ahmednagar College), Janakibai Apte Deaf and Dumb School and CRHP Jamkhed (6) workshop on Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA) & Micro-planning for 102 MSW second year students on 2nd to 6th Dec. 2019 facilitated by Mrs. Ziya Sayyed and Mr. Rahuk Kharat at Pargaon and Parewadi villages, (7) street play workshop on 9th to 10th Dec. 2019 for 102 MSW second year students facilitated by Mr. Juran Lopiz from Vasai, (8) National Conference on "Values, Vision and Voice for Sustainable Rural Development on 13th to 14th December 2019 attended by 84 delegates including students (9) One day workshop on Geospatial Applications in Rural Development for 65 MSW second year students and faculty members on 18th February 2020 facilitated by Dr. S. N. Prasad from OS Geo-India, and Mr. G N Kaushik and Mr. Ajay from Kaiinos, Hyderabad, (10) Organized 5 motivational talks and interactive sessions with the eminent personalities during December 2019 to February 2020 for 218 students. They were 'Issues and Challenges in Higher Education' by Prof. S.B. Nimse, former Vice Chancellor SRTMU, Nanded and Luknow University on 11th Dec. 2019, 'Social Work Profession and Rural Development' by Prof. P. Balgopal, Fullbright Senior Specialist and Professor Emeritus, Univ. of Illinois, USA on 07th Jan. 2020, 'Role of Social Workers in Water Conservation' by Dr. Rajendra Singh, Magsaysay Awardee, Founder of Tarun Bharat Sangh, Rajasthan on 27th Jan. 2020, 'Inter Religion Dialogue for Social Harmony' by Rt. Rev. Bishop Thomas Dabre, Bishop of Pune Diocese on 04th Feb. 2020, 'Challenges before Social Workers while addressing the Local problems' by Dr. Sanjeevan Arsud, Vice-Chancellor of Spicer Adventist University, Pune on 05th Feb. 2020</p>
<p>Organise and undertake research and extension projects with the support from industries, government agencies and NGO's</p>	<p>The Institute organised the implementation of the ongoing Research and Extension Projects by renewing MoU with respective agencies: (1) Adolescent Girls and Boys Programme for Gender Equality: Life Skill Training in collaboration with University of North Carolina USA. (2) Financial Assistance to SC/ST Students for Educational Enhancement and Development in collaboration with Rashtriya Chemical and Fertilizers, Ltd., (3) Community Based Monitoring and Planning (CBMP) in Collaboration with NHM, Govt. of Maharashtra. (4) Shelter for Urban Homeless in collaboration with Ahmednagar Municipal Corporation. (5) Conducted Household Survey of Leprosy in collaboration with State Urban Leprosy Unit (SULU), Ahmednagar district on 13th to 28th September 2019</p>

<p>Organise student development programmes and support services</p>	<p>(1) medical examination of all students on 17th August 2019, (2) Earn and Learn scheme for needy students (28 students), (3) Vigilance week from 28th October to 2nd November 2019 with the theme, "Integrity- a way of life" conducting walkathons and street plays at various slum communities like Vaiduwadi, Gandhinagar, and Nagapur (4) Personality Development programmes for Girl students', (5) Vidyarthini Manch – solidarity for the empowerment of girl students, (6) career guidance and job placement, (7) special assistance to SC/ST's/Minority/Disabled Students such as pre-admission coaching and facilitation of students' scholarship, (8) leadership training under Student's Christian Movement of India (SCMI) scheme, (9) online submission of Anti-ragging affidavit by all students, (10) Disaster Management Training Programmes on 22-23 Nov. 2019; (11) provision of transportation to field work by own bus, (12) separate hostels for girls and boys with free wifi connection, solar water heater, solar power back up, mess and dining hall facilities, canteen facilities, open gym, yoga hall, indoor and outdoor game facilities like volley ball, carom board, table tennis, lawn tennis, badminton, TV hall, chess, and extended sports facilities in the campus of the mother Institute (Ahmednagar college) such as cricket, basket ball and football ground</p>
<p>Celebrate important days to imbibe nationalism, compassion and sensitivity among the students</p>	<p>Savitribai Phule Jayanti, Teachers' Day, National Youth Day, World Literacy Day, Girl Child Day (India), Alzheimer's Day, Martyr's Day, International day of the Elderly, Marathi Bhasha Gaurav Din, Gandhi Jayanti / International Day of Non-violence, International Women's Day, National Unity Day, World Social Work Day, Vigilance week, World Health Day, World Aids Day, World Environment Day, Divyang Diwas, International Yoga Day, and Human Rights Day</p>
<p>Promote participation and paper / poster presentation of students in International and national level conferences and seminars</p>	<p>(1) 14 students attended and presented posters at 7th Indian Social Work Congress organised by National Association of Professional Social Workers in India and Department of Social Work, Lucknow Univeristy at Lucknow, Uttar Pradesh on 11-13th October, 2019) (2) 24 students attended the National Conference on Migration and Social Inclusion: Perspectives for Human Rights and Social Work Practice organised by Rajagiri School of Social Sciences at Kochi, Kerala on 09- 10th January 2020, (3) 29 students attended the 17th Samanvaya: International Conference on Child Abuse: A Revisit to Family Problematique and Interventions organized by Department of Social Work, BCM College, Kottayam, Kerala on 24-25 January, 2020 and (4) 30 students attended the National Seminar on Old Age Care and Welfare: Issues, Challenges and Way Forward organized by Dept. of Social Work Don Bosco College, Panaji, Goa on 11-12th February, 2020.</p>

<p>Organise youth festival to give opportunity for students to nurture their talents and increase their social sensitivity and encourage them to participate in University and state level competitions</p>	<p>(1) Organized State level Youth Festival on 11th & 12th December 2019 on the broad theme “Importance of Higher Education in Rural Development” and competitions were organized for individual and group performances on Poster making , Elocution, Street Play and Social Awareness Songs for students across the state (88 participants) and cash prizes (Rs. 32,000) were distributed. (2) Six Students participated in the Youth Festival organized by K.J Somaiya Arts, Commerce and Science College, Kopergaon on 10th Oct. 2019 (3) One student participated in State Level Hindi Elocution Competition organized by Vidya Prathishan Arts, Science and Commerce College Baramati, Dist. Pune on 28th Sept. 2019 (4) Two students participated in State Level Inter-collegiate Debate Competition organized Gautam Arts and Sanjivani Commerce College, Kopargaon on 03rd Jan 2020.</p>
<p>Undertake student exchange programmes with foreign universities</p>	<p>As part of student exchange program 08 Students and 01 faculty from Colorado State University (CSU) from United State have visited CSRD during 30th July to 2nd August 2019 during which they worked with CSRD students on various mini projects based on three themes viz. Education, Homelessness and Adolescent boys and girls and made presentations</p>
<p>Encourage faculty members for participating in various faculty development programmes like refresher courses, seminars etc.</p>	<p>(1) Three faculty members completed their UGC refresher courses, (2) Four faculty members attended International and national seminars, presented papers and served as resource persons, (3) One attended and chaired a session at the 25 Asia-Pacific Joint Regional Social Work Conference On Social Work Partnerships towards an Equal Society - Asia Pacific Perspective September 18 to 20th 2019 Bengaluru, India</p>
<p>Host Fulbright scholar from the USA as an initiative of faculty development programme</p>	<p>The Institute hosted Fulbright Prof. Pallassana Balgopal, Professor Emeritus, Illinois University, USA during 23rd November 2019 to 18 January 2020 during which he trained students, faculty and social work practitioners on the fundamentals of structural and process components of social group work through live lab sessions and developed resources by consolidating their experiences</p>
<p>Maintaining smooth functioning of the organisation and efficient and transparent governance by frequent meetings with faculty, students and other stakeholders.</p>	<p>Conducted 4 IQAC meetings and 20 meetings with other stakeholders such as faculty members, administrative staff, students and alumni to ensure transparency in administration and governance.</p>
<p>Significant efforts were taken to mobilise and network with alumni and parents for development of Institute.</p>	<p>Increased alumni tie ups. Star alumni were felicitated on the occasion of welcome function. Alumni engagement was enhanced by their increased participation in block / field / job placement of the outgoing students.</p>

Maintain the eco friendly and divyang friendly campus	(1) Renewed the maintenance contract of elevator, (2) Maintenance of the 15 KW wind solar power back up providing green energy to the entire campus, (3) Servicing and maintenance of solar heaters in hostels, (4) cycle club promoting cycling habits among the students going for field work, (5) gamla project (donation of sapling and planting a tree by every student admitted in the college), (6) organised vermin composting in the campus, (7) nursery of plants to promote tree plantation in the field work villages
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