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02.04.2019

To

The Chairperson

TamilNadu Social Welfare Board

Heritage Building Behind Ezhilagam

Chepauk, Chennai-05

Dear Sir,

**Sub: Family Counseling Centre – Submission of Case Resume – Reg.**

Here with we have enclosed the Annual Report of the Family Counseling Centre for the Period from April 2018 to March 2019 which includes the Resume of cases handled, progress report of old cases of the period, details of publicity and awareness camps, general activities carried out and particulars of staff during the period. Hence we are submitting the Annual Report.

Note:-

1. Kindly let us know if there is any grant –in aid to carryout Research regarding the issues / trends in family living from the cases recorded so far.
2. Grant us training programmes for young women before marriage, so as to present problems in married life and family life. (Pre-Marital Counseling)

Thanking you

Fr. S. Henry Daniel Ambrose

Director,

Bosco Institute of Social Director

Sacred Heart College,

Tirupattur - 635601

- Principal

Sacred Heart College (Autonomous)

Tirupattur-635 601, Tamil Nadu, S.India

**REPORT OF THE FAMILY COUNSELING CENTRE FOR THE  
PERIOD FROM APRIL 2018 TO MARCH 2019**

**Introduction**

Family Counseling Centre in Bosco Institute of Social Work renders the service to the Tirupattur rural family. The Family Counseling Centre in Bosco Institute is staffed by

- 1. Honorary Director : Rev.Fr. Daniel Ambrose,Msw.,Mphil**
- 2. Counselor Male : Mr.M.Aruldoss,M.A,Socio,M.A(Eco).,(Msw).,B.Ed**
- 3. Counselor Female : Mrs.Tharageswari,M.A(Socio),M.Sc(Psy)**
- 4. Typist : Mr.R.Ranjithkumar**
- 5. Attender : Mr.S.Stanislaus**

**Objectives**

The primary objective of the centre is to reach out to women and children who are prone to exploitation by the members of the society at large. Distressed women are provided Services like crisis intervention investigation in dowry death cases counseling in cases of Marital family maladjustment efforts for reconciliation in cases of separation on and out of court Settlement in marital cases, referral services like short stay free legal aid police assistance Etc by trained social workers.

**Annexure-IV**  
**ANNUAL PROGRESS REPORT OF THE FAMILY COUNSELLING CENTRE**

**April 2018 to March 2019**

<b>(Tick the relevant period)NAME &amp; ADDRESS OF FCC</b>	<b>:</b>	<b>THESACRED HEART COLLEGE SOCIETY Bosco Institute of social Work,</b>
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	<b>71, Vaniyambadi Road, Tirupattur, Vellore Dt., - 635601 Tamil Nadu biswshc1@gmail.com</b>
Whether the Centre has been declared as Service Provider by State Govt. under Domestic Violence Act. 2005	: Yes
Whether the Counsellors have been declared as Protection Officer by State Govt. under Domestic Violence Act. 2005	: Yes
<b>I. Quantitative Analysis:</b>	:
1) No. of new cases registered (give numbers)	: <b>265</b>
2) No. of pending cases from previous period	: 15
3) No. of cases closed during this period	: 250
4) No. of referrals (Include cases where only guidance is given in one session and no. of participants of neighborhood meetings)	: 105
<b>II. Quantitative Analysis:</b>	:
5) Types of cases received (New)	: <b><u>265</u></b>
i) Dowry demands	: NIL
ii) Domestic Violence (mental and physical torture)	: NIL
iii) Maladjustment due to	:
a) Personality difference	: 33
b) Interference of Parents/in-laws	: 06
c) Extra marital relations	: 15
d) Alcohol/drug addiction	: 23
e) Economic crisis	: 25

f) Any other (specify)	:	
Widow	:	20
Love Affair	:	05
Orphan	:	12
Physically Challenged	:	08
iv) Depression	:	13
v) Family property dispute	:	06
vi) Career counseling	:	19
vii) Any other (Specify); Aged Home	:	05
Medical help	:	17
Educational guidance	:	35
Govt welfare	:	19
MR.school	:	04
6) Assistance rendered (New cases)	:	265
Counselling and Guidance	:	108
ii) Referred for	:	
a) Legal aid	:	08
b) Police assistance	:	38
c) Short Stay	:	01
d) Vocational Training	:	20
e) Employment/Financial aid	:	34
f) Drug de-addiction/Rabat Centre	:	23
g) Medical Aid	:	14
h) Any other (Specify)	:	
Orphanage	:	10
Mentally sick	:	06

7) Outcome of closed cases	:	256
i) Reconciliation	:	33
ii) Separation	:	09
iii) Mutual settlement (for return of dowry or any other out of court settlement)	:	Nil
iv) Went to court	:	09
v) Whether in de-addiction centre	:	06
vi) Whether gainfully employed	:	19
vii) Whether self-employed	:	13
<b>III. Other Activities:</b>	:	
8) No. of sub-Committee meetings (attach minutes)	:	04
9) Publicity/Awareness campaign on social issues (give report copies of leaflets/pamphlets, brochures and newspaper cuttings etc)	:	31
10) Neighborhood Meetings (give report, photographs, duly signed list of Participants, and feedback report etc.)	:	23

### **Minutes of the Sub-Committee Meeting**

The Sub-Committee meeting started with the silent prayer on 18<sup>th</sup> August 2018. Then the counselor welcomed the members.

The minutes of the previous meeting was read by the counselor Mr.Aruldoss. Then the current report was circulated for the members. The director explained the process of counseling and the present need of counseling to the family members.

Then the importance and difficult cases were present to the members. For example a school student was dismissed from the school due to continuous theft. He was referred to Bagayam Mental Health Hospital, Vellore for further treatment. Now he was getting letter and readmitted in the school.

Then the Advocate Mrs.Prema Bharathy shared her views about the current issues like divorce and family issues about a particular case, which was referred by our FCC.It is about divorce between a CRPF Police and her spouse. She gets divorce recently for her.

Then the Inspector of AWPS shared about the present trend of the young girls and their problems. Finally the following suggestions were given by the committee members.

1. To conduct more Awareness camp with are Women Police Station.
2. To conduct Publicity by Awareness Camp for the General Public.
3. To Organize Pre-Marital session for the Higher Secondary students.
4. To conduct Awareness camp on the Alcoholism and its Evils.

Then the meeting came to an end with the vote of Thanks of Mrs.K.Tharageswari, Family counselor.

**FAMILY COUNSELLING CENTER**  
**SUB-COMMITTEE MEETING**

**DATE: 23.12.2018**

The Sub-Committee meeting was conducted on 23.12.2018 in the Bosco Institute of Social Work. The meeting started with the prayer song.Mr.Aruldoss, Family counselor welcomed the members of the Sub-Committee. Then the Rev.Fr.Daniel Ambrose the Director of Family Counseling Centre briefly explained about the process of counseling and its importance. Then the previous minutes was read by the counselor Mrs.K.Tharageswari

Since it was the first time Mrs.Santhi, District Social Welfare Officer. attending the meeting .She was honored with ponnadai by the counselor.

Mrs. Santhi the District Social Welfare Officer spoke about Various Schemes of women welfare and Child Helpline. Then the child helpline Co-Ordinator also spoke about protection of children through child help line.

Then Mrs.Rani,Sub-Inspector of Police, All women police station,Tirupattur spoke about the women issues and how the girls are getting spoiled through cell phone etc.

Then the Sub-Committee member Mrs.PremaBharathy Advocate spoke about child Abuse and prevention of Child Abuse .And also she mentioned that more session to be conducted for the school going children.

**The following suggestion were given by the Sub-Committee members**

1. To conduct pre-marital counseling program for the college student.
2. To Organize a seminar for prevention of Suicidal Tendency for the college student.
3. To organize a seminar on child line for the school student.
4. To conduct Mobile camp with all women police station.
5. To conduct publicity Awareness camp on FCC

At the end Mrs.K.Tharageswari, Family counselor thanked the members. With this the meeting came to an end.



**Sub committee Meeting held on 23.12.2018 with the DSWO, Vellore District.**

**Awareness campaigns were organized in the following villages. They are as following.**

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Venue</b>	<b>No. of Participants</b>	<b>Topic</b>
1.	13.04.2018	Pachur	22	Dowry Harassment



2.	27.04.2018	Sakthi Nagar	43	Importance of Education
3.	08.05.2018	Kandili	56	Importance of Women Education and Prevention of Child Marriage Women Issues
4.	24.05.2018	Natrampalli	31	Orientation about FCC
5.	05.06.2018	Sivarajpettai	37	Evils of Alcoholism
6.	22.06.2018	Sacred Heart College	26	Drug & Abuse illicit Trafficking
7.	28.06.2018	Achamangalam	23	Orientation about FCC
8.	09.07.2018	BISW, Tirupattur	34	Women Issues
9.	12.07.2018	Kethandapatti	27	Orientation about FCC
10.	15.08.2018	PalnakKuppam	64	Child Abuse Dept of Social work
11.	30.08.2018	Irunapattu	57	Women and Law
12.	05.09.2018	Jollarpettai	26	Women Issues and Law
13.	06.09.2018	Idaya Nagar, Pachal	72	Prevention of Suicide Tendency
14.	19.09.2018	Muthur	54	Orientation about FCC
15.	24.09.2018	Sagayanagar	43	Dowry Harassment
16.	30.09.2018	Andiyappanur	64	Orientation about FCC

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1.	10.10.2018	Bommikuppam	56	Dowry Harassment
2.	23.10.2018	Sacred Heart College	263	Orientation about Fcc
3.	14.11.2018	Madapalli	162	Prevention of child abuse
4.	21.11.2018	Sagaya Nagar	46	Evils of Alcoholism
5.	30.11.2018	Lakshmi Nagar	81	Orientation about FCC
6.	15.12.2018	B.D.O.Office Tirupattur	84	Women issues
7.	22.12.2018	Ralley ,Tirupattur	276	Prevention of child abuse
8.	02.01.2019	Bosco Institute of social work	91	Orientation about FCC
9.	05.01.2019	Jollarpet	79	Dowry Harassment
10.	23.01.2019	Jayapuram	55	Evils of Alcoholism
11.	09.02.2019	Kathrimangalam	82	Child marriage and harassment on workplace for women
12.	12.02.2019	S.Kodiyur	62	Family issues.
13	27.02.2019	Bosco Institute of social work	69	Orientation about FCC
14	04.03.2019	Kurumbakeripudhur	54	Legal Assistance
15	08.03.2019	Mahalirthinam SHC,Tirupattur	1123	Orientation about FCC
16.	15.03.2019	Sivarajpettai	76	Health and Hygienic

**PARTICULARS OF THE STAFF DURING THE PERIOD FROM OCTOBER 2018 TO MARCH 2019**

<b>S.No</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Joining in FCC</b>	<b>Qualification</b>	<b>Experience</b>	<b>Salary</b>
1.	Mr.M.Aruldoss (Counselor)	01.03.2002	M.A.,(Socio)	17Years	11,075
2.	Mrs.K.Tharageswari (Counselor)	02.05.2011	M.A., (Socio), M.sc.,(Psy)	9Years	10,700
3.	Ms.P.Kayalvizhi (Typist)	01.04.2017	XII	2Year	3,000
4.	Mr.S.Stanislaus (Attender)	01.04.2016	VII	3Year	2,500

## **Special Programme**

### **Women's Day Celebration**

The women's day celebration started with the prayer song and, Mr.M.Aruldoss Family Counsellor welcomed the gathering. International women's day was celebrated on 12<sup>th</sup> march 2019. on that day our DEEDs Department have organized a free eye camp with the help of Good Samaritan Eye hospital for the welfare of the women who came for the celebration . On this occasion Mrs. Snega MA., M.L Advocate presided over the function and the guest of honor were Rev. Fr. Maria Anthony Raj, Principal Rev. Fr. Antonyraj, Rector, Rev.Fr.Daniel Ambrose, Director FCC Sacred Heart College to make the even livelier during the event. The Chief guest spoke about general equality and child abuse. More than 2000 women took part in the programme. The programme came to an end with the vote of thanks of Mrs. K.Tharageswari Family Counsellor and various cultural programme.

**Dr. C. Antonyraj, Rector and Secretary addressing the gathering in Swachh Bharath Programme at Tirupattur Bus Stand and Mr. R. Chandra, Municipal Commissioner preside over the function.**



**Participation of Students from the Department of Social Work, Sacred Heart College, Tirupattur.**



**Awareness Programme on Plastic Eradication - Involved the students of MSW**



**Awareness programme was organized by FCC with Help of College Student's – About Evils of Alcoholism**



**Motivation was given by the counsellor to the Govt. School Students on How to set goals**



**A special campaign on aged to avail Government Welfare Schemes**



**Awareness on preventive education to the school children on Child Abuse - Police Officials, and College student also participated**





Awareness on family issues – for the SHG Member



**Focus Group Discussion on Family Issues with SHG Members**



**An unknown Aged person was helped by the FCC and rehabilitated – admitted in little Droups ,  
Porur**



**Counselor Mrs. Tharageswari addressing the parents on Child Psychology during the Creche Parents Meeting.**



**Orientation about FCC for the NSS student's of Dominic Savio Hr Sec. School, Tirupattur**



Counselor Mr. Aruldooss giving orientation about FCC for the NSS student's of Dominic Savio Hr Sec. School, Tirupattur



Rev. Fr. S. Hendry Daniel Ambrose Director of FCC spoke on women's day Celebration on 12<sup>th</sup> March 2019



**Family Counsellor of FCC Welcomed the Gathering for the women's day Celebration on  
12<sup>th</sup> March 2019**



**Publicity awareness programme was conducted on prevention of alcoholism in kurumbakeri  
pudur Village on 04 March 2019.**



**Switch barath programme was conducted and pledge was taken with people in sivarajpet**

**on 15 March 2019**



**An Exhibition of psychological counselling was organized in Sacred Heart College with the students involvement, Tirupattur.**



**An awarness programme on family issues were organized in Annadapatti Village**



**An awareness programme on Gender Issue and child abuse was organized in kunichi Higher Secondary School and Tirupattur Govt Boys Higher Secondary School.**

