

## **Two days Motivational training of Caritas India field workers**

Date: (29 July to 30 July'2015)

Place: BDVS, Patna Administrative Office

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Training was started on 29 July morning in which the Director of BDVS, Project Guide, Mr. Sinaya Nayak, Panchayat facilitators, coordinator and BDVS Kharagpur In-charge Sanjeet Kumar participated. The training program was stated with sharing of experiences. The sharing of experience covered the success and challenges of Complimentary Education Centres that are being run in 10 villages in Haveli khadagpur; the functioning of Mata Samittees (committee consisting of Parents of children enrolled in Complimentary Education Centres); Youth Samittees, and the quality of education in government schools.

The director took the visit of Panchayat facilitators and Project Assistant coordinator to Complimentary Education Centres, Mata Samittees, Youth Samittees, and to government schools for discussion. He asked: "how can you add "quality" to Complementary Education Centers, Youth and Mata Samittees, and to government schools during each of your visit?"

The simple things he shared with the team showed them how each of the visit can add value or quality to the school, Education Centres, or the leadership of Samittees. The most important thing, he added at the end, is "how resourceful" one is if one wants to add value or quality to the school, lives of children or to anything that we do. In the light of his challenging guidance, we, at the end drew up an action plan:

- Documentation of School attendance of each child every month.
- Documentation of data related to dropping out of enrolled students and analyzing the pattern therein
- Contributing to quality of education in government schools by taking up one or the other academic or motivational activity in government schools.

Above all to bring about a change, we need to be that change. Can we be that Change? To bring about a quality or an extra value to something; we need to be that quality or value. This is the challenge before us...

Mr. Sinaya helped us to systematically and critically examine our work in the field. Under his guidance we prepared a three month plan for our activities. We also planned for Roshini Annual Celebration. He also helped us to learn some lessons of working together in a team.