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Training on HIV/AIDS for the Red Ribbon Club Volunteers



Shri Anant Shet, Dy. Speaker inaugurating the training programme for the RRC Volunteers at Karapur Sankhali.



Dr. Pramod Sawant, MLA, Pale/Vice-Chairman, GIDC addressing the RRC Volunteers.



Dr. G. Sawant, DD, Surveillance/IC, (B.S.), Goa SACS delivering a talk on HIV/AIDS at the training session.



RRC Volunteers attending the programme.

Training programme on HIV/AIDS was conducted for the RRC Volunteers at Karapur, Sankhali on 27th May 2012 by Goa SACS in collaboration with Nehru Yuva Kendra-North Goa. Shri Anant Shet, Dy. Speaker inaugurated the function with the traditional lighting of lamp followed by other dignitaries. Dr. Pramod Sawant, MLA, Pale/Vice chairman, GIDC spoke about the role of youth as key person to create awareness about HIV/AIDS in their village. Shri Anant Shet stated that every one should take an oath that one should stop AIDS in their area. The Resource persons from Goa SACS were Dr. G. Sawant and Shri Umakant Sawant. Dr. Sawant, DD (Surv.) & I.c., (B.S.), Goa SACS spoke on HIV/AIDS and Shri Umakant Sawant DD(IEC), Goa SACS spoke on services of Goa SACS. Also present for the function was Shri Uday Kudalkar, Headmaster, DnyanJyoti High School, Karapur, Sankhali, Shri Shyam Gaonkar President Saterii Shantadurga club, karapur, Sankhali and Shri Kalidas Ghatwal, Youth Co-ordinator, NYK-North Goa proposed the vote of thanks.

EXPERIENCE SHARING & REVIEW MEETING



Dr. Dipak Kabadi, P.D., Goa SACS inaugurating the ESRM. Also seen are Dr. G. Sawant, DD (Surv.), Shri Ramesh Rathod, A.D. (TI), Goa SACS and Shri Peter Borges, P.O., TSU



Shri Ashpak Sheikh, P.M., Lifeline Foundation sharing his experience and presenting annual performance of his TI project at the ESRM.



Staff of all the TI projects attending the ESRM.



TI personnel attending the ESRM.

Experience Sharing Review Meeting was held on 3rd and 4th May, 2012 at Seminar Hall, Secretariat, Porvorim-Goa. Dr. Dipak Kabadi, Project Director, Goa SACS inaugurated the function with traditional lighting of the lamp. Dr. G. Sawant, DD (Surveillance), Dr. Lalitha Umraskar, DD (STD), Smt. Asha Vernekar, TL, TI-TSU, Shri Ramesh Rathod, AD (TI), Ms. Preetam Barros, P.O. (TSU), Shri Peter Borges, P.O. (TSU) and Participants from all TI projects attended the meeting. Around 100 participants attended the ESRM. Project Manager of all TI projects presented their annual performance. Smt. Asha Vernekar, TL, TI-TSU welcomed the gathering and Shri Ramesh Rathod, A.D., (TI) delivered the vote of thanks.

Sensitization workshop for personnel of MPT Hospital



Dr. Lalitha Umraskar, D.D., (STD) conducting the sensitization workshop for the personnel of MPT Hospital.



Personnel of MPT Hospital attending the workshop.

A Sensitization Workshop for the personnel of MPT Hospital was conducted on 17th May, 2012 in the Conference Hall. In all, 21 participants including 5 doctors, Lab technicians and nurses were updated on STI/RTI service delivery. Dr. Lalitha Umraskar, DD (STD), Goa SACS was the resource person for the workshop. Dr. Sabrina Vaz was identified as the Nodal Officer and Sister Lucy was entrusted with the work of co-ordinating reporting of data and maintenance of stock status of STI kits.

Executive Committee meeting



Shri Parimal Ray, Pr. Secretary (Health) is seen with the other members of Ex. Committee of Goa SACS during the Ex. Co. meeting.

The Executive Committee meeting of Goa SACS was held on 7th May, 2012 in the Conference Hall, Secretariat, Porvorim under the Chairmanship of Shri Parimal Ray, Pr. Secretary (Health).

SUPPORTIVE SUPERVISORY VISITS TO PPPS



Dr. Savio Rodrigues, Prof. & HOD, Dept. of Microbiology is seen inspecting records during the mentoring visit to NGO - Positive People.



Dr. Savio Rodrigues, Prof. & HOD, Dept. of Microbiology and Dr. Lalitha Umraskar, DD (STD), Goa SACS are seen at NGO-Positive People during the mentoring visit.



Dr. Lalitha Umraskar, DD (STD), Goa SACS on a mentoring visit to NGO- Sai Life Care.

Supportive Supervisory visits were conducted to the PPPs of following NGOs:

- a) *Sai Life Care (FSW), Ponda – 2nd May, 2012*
- b) *DEMM (FSW) and Presentation Society, Vasco – 11th May, 2012*
- c) *Positive People (FSW & IDU), Margao – 18th May, 2012*
- d) *Zindagi (MSM), St. Cruz – 23rd May, 2012*
- e) *Life Line Foundation, Panaji - 29th May, 2012*

The Supportive Supervisory team consisted of Dr. Lalitha Umraskar, DD (STD), Goa SACS, Dr. Savio Rodrigues, Prof. & HOD, Dept. of Microbiology, GMC, Dr. Prachi Bhandare, Lecturer, Skin & VD and Dr. Saroj Salelkar, Ex-Clinical Officer, Avert Society.

Sensitization programme at PHC Balli and PHC Bicholim



Dr. Rajnanda Desai, P.D., Goa SACS is seen with Dr. G. Sawant, DD (Surv.) & I/C (BS)) and Dr. Vijaya Colvalcar, H.O. in the sensitization workshop.



Staff of PHC, Bali attending the sensitisation programme

In the month of May two sensitization programmes were conducted for two PHCs i.e. Balli (25th May 2012) and Bicholim (30th May, 2012). The staff of both the PHCs was sensitized on HIV/AIDS, STI/RTI, PEP, Stigma and Discrimination in PLHA and Voluntary remunerated blood donation. At PHC Balli, 40 staff along with Dr. Vijaya Colvalcar, H.O., PHC, Balli and at PHC Bicholim 35 staff along with Dr. Talwar, M.O., PHC, Bicholim attended the programme. The Resource persons for the programme were Dr. G. Sawant, DD (Surveillance) and Dr. Lalitha Umraskar, DD (STD), Goa SACS. Dr. Rajnanda Desai, Project Director, Goa SACS also attended the sensitization programme at both the PHCs.



Dr. Rajnanda Desai, P.D., Goa SACS, Dr. G. Sawant, DD (Surv.) and Dr. Talwar, M.O. in a sensitization programme at PHC, Bicholim



Staff of PHC, Bicholim in a sensitization programme at PHC, Balli

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