## Micro level Intervention (MLI) By CEDRA in partnership with CAIRN India





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## Introduction:

CEDRA in partnership with Cairn India is implementing the Micro level Intervention (MLI) in Cairn pipe line villages under CSR in Gujarat. The main focus of MLIs is Education and Health sectors along with some selective infrastructure interventions. Accordingly, various intervention were done by CEDRA as suggested, advised and directed by CARIN India district representatives under the guidelines of CAIRN India CSR management.

## Micro Level Interventions (MLI)

During the reporting period CEDRA carried out 42 Micro Level Intervention with CARIN in the districts of Ahmedabad, Rajkot (Morbi), Patan, Jamnagar and Devbhumi Dwarka. The intervention varies from Education, Health, Livelihood and Skill building, Safety measures, General Awareness, Women Empowerment and Infrastructures.

All and all nearly 36000 people have benefitted out of such interventions. Towards women empowerment and economic sustainability 140 girls and women have been trained under Tailoring and Agarbatti Making training towards skill building intervention. The same target group also got various training on soft skill under SHG formation and linkage programs.

Towards infrastructure we have supported district, block and village level administrations in developing facilities in the benefit of general public i.e. contribution towards Community Village Water Tank construction, Audio-Video equipments for district offices and fund support to Mamlatdar office for celebrating Republic day and encouraging schools under the block with such interventions.











## **Innovative Initiatives:**

We have also taken up some innovative initiatives like helping government in fighting against the epidemic Swine Flu by providing free Face Masks towards preventive measures upon the request of Health department. The Masks were handed over to Civil superintendent and block health officers in consultation with SDM. The same way we helped ICDS department by organizing

special Paediatrician interventions to cater the malnourish children to get them out of malnourishments with medicinal intervention. As per the ICDS Ahmedabad and Patan district administration, more than 80 % of the children who went through the treatments shown progress and shifted from crucial to moderate and upper categories by gaining weight. Such interventions are very much appreciated and have been seen as a trend setter for other corporate or donor to follow. The Civil superintend specially thanked CAIRN India for such an initiative to help the system under Corporate Social Responsibility.



We are focussing on vocational training during our next quarter on the directions of our CAIRN representatives where various training like short term course on basic nursing, Paper bag making and other relative jobs training, Career counselling, tailoring and advanced design training who have got training during previous quarters, Sanitary napkin making, youth group formation with linkages to banks for further financial assistance on Income generating activities etc. Micro level intervention is a very effective program where all the aspect and sectors like Education, Health, Livelihoods and Infrastructure are covered on the basis of local need. This factor make MLI more innovative and effective.



