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Tiruvannamalai District HIV Positive society

Tiruvannamalai



**Annual Report
2008-2009**

**Tiruvannamalai District HIV Positive Society
No; 905 Indra Nagar (East Vingikal)
Tiruvannamalai -606 604**



BACKGROUND of the DLN

Tiruvannamalai District HIV Positive Society is an organisation exclusive for People Living with HIV/AIDS started from Jan 2008. It aims in providing quality life for the people in Tiruvannamalai District focussing on various aspects like Physical, Mental, Social, Economy, Ecology and Empowerment of women.

The objectives of the organisation are as follows:

- ◆ Identify the PLWHA's.
- ◆ It aims in providing quality life for the PLWHA's.
- ◆ Provide accurate and proper information on STD/HIV/AIDS.
- ◆ Reduce the Stigma and discrimination.
- ◆ Advocate among the key players in preventing the Infection.
- ◆ To give Legal support for property and family problems

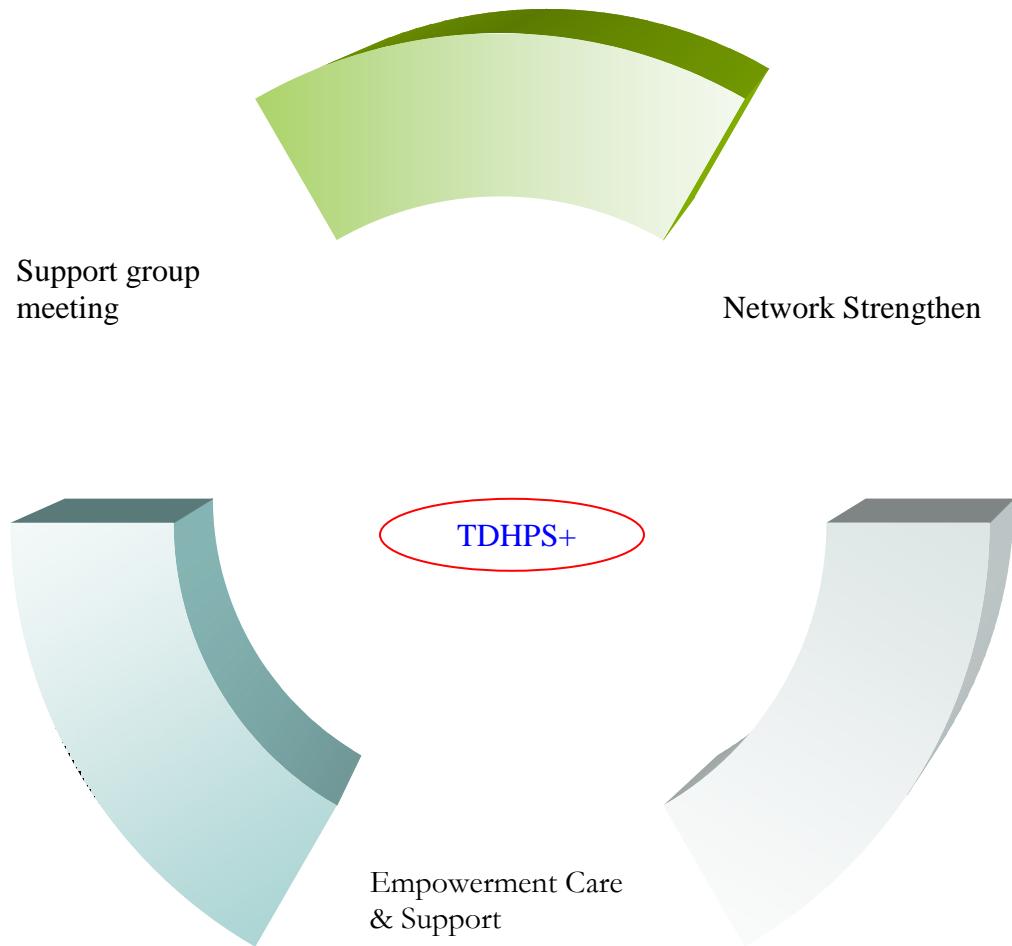
Vision:-

- ★ To give Self Confidence
- ★ Improving the Quality of life
- ★ Advocacy for PLHA's Problems

Mission:

- ♣ Sustainability for all PLHA's
- ♣ Home for PLHA's
- ♣ Own land and Building for Network
- ♣ Prevention for HIV
- ♣ Any one factory for run by PLHA's
- ♣ Increase the Positive Speaker Skill Development
- ♣ Try to get Government Scheme for PLHA's
- ♣ To give Vocational Training for PLHA's

Core component of DLN



Advocacy:-

- Advocacy for PLHA's rights and their issues.
 - We did one advocacy in Attur GH to Doctor for PLHA's Delivery. The Doctor realizes and admitted the patient for delivery.
 - One Positive person trying to Mala. We did advocacy and stop the marriage
 - We did advocacy in Government Hospital in Tiruvannamalai for PLHA's Treatment finally the nurse took the patient to treatment.
 - We did advocacy for PLHA's family problem for Property and finally they gave a property to the PLHA's
- We do advocacy for the stake holders
 - We Formation Taluk Level Advocacy Committee.
 - We did Advocacy for Panchayat Leaders and stake holders.
- Advocacy to Paramedical Staff's
 - We do advocacy for Paramedical Staff's and Lab technician.
 - We do advocacy to Doctors
- Advocacy for Stigma & discrimination

Empowerment, Care & Support:-

- We identifying the PLHA's around all Tiruvannamalai District.
- Counseling
 - We do counseling for their family problem an their needs
- Peer counseling and referrals for their needs.
 - We do peer counseling for their needs and they are become self confidence.
 - We do referral for children home for their studies for both infected and affected.
 - We referrer to PLHA's for Nutrition support.
 - We referrer for children education support for note book. We gave note for 50 children through sponsor
- Support Group Meeting every month with different facilitators.
 - We do Support Group Meeting in Taluk level with different Facilitators (ART Doctors, Counselors, Nutritionist and Social Welfare Departments)
 - In the Support Group Meeting Every body introduced and move friends without any sorrow.
- Training for PLHA's Empowerment
 - We do Women Empowerment with YRG Care.
 - We create a Women Forum in District Level
 - Home Based Care Training with INP+

➤ Job Placement

- We refer for job placement for what their Educational Qualification
- We refer 5 members for job. They got the job

➤ Motivate the People to take ART

- People are not on ART we refer to test and CD4 and motivate to take ART most of people health is well for ART treatment.

➤ Home visit for PLHA's

- We do home visit for PLHA's home for their permission and give treatment adherence for them

➤ HIV & TB Co-Infection

- We motivate the people to attend the training for HIV & TB Co-infection. They learned more

➤ Funeral Services

- If the Patient has no body for his help we support and if he death we take in charge for Funeral Services.

Network Strength:-

- We do Peer Educator Training
 - We do One Treatment Peer Educator Training for a year. In the training people come to know how we get treatment, how to move with and how to working in the field. Through the Peer Educator Training most of the PLHA's got job for Out Reach Worker.
- We create the Positive Speaker
 - We have Positive Speaker Beaure for Positive Speaking for Factories, Schools, Colleges and Teacher Training Education Institute.
- We do Awareness program schools and Colleges with Positive Speakers
 - We do awareness programme schools, Colleges and Factories
- We do Awareness Program to General Public
 - We do awareness for General Public through Meeting and World AIDS Day celebration.
- Taluk Level Support Group Meeting
- We attend the NGO Co-Ordination Meeting and District Advisory Committee Meeting

We create rapport with Government and non Government

Projects at DLN a Glance:

Sl:No	Project	Objective	Project Period	Supported by
1	Access To Care & Treatment	Treatment Adherence	April 2008 to March 2009	Population Foundation of India
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Background of ACT Project

- ACT project started at April 2008. It aims in providing quality life for the PLHA's.
- Reduce Death Rate
- To motivate the people to ART
- Identify the PLHA's.
- Counselling and Referral for their needs
- Conducting Peer Educator Training and Motivate the people to work field level
- Treatment Adherence
- Awareness for Schools, Colleges, Factories and General Public
- Motivate the People to ICTC
- Networking & Resources Mobilizing
- Conduct monthly Support Group Meeting at taluk level and update the details of ART and New information about Medicine
- Provide accurate and Proper information on HIV/AIDS and STD
- Advocate among the key players in preventing the Infection.
- To gives Legal support for property and family problem.
- To provide Advocacy and PSB strengthening.
- To provide Sensation programme for PSB and PLHA's
- Trace out the defaulter to take ART

Activities I – a – Number of new PLHA enrolled

- ❖ To speak out openly we are the HIV positive we are living healthy so you don't worry about HIV We will be with you.
- ❖ To identified the client through field visit

Enrollment up to March 2009 A1	Enrollment in ART Centre A2	Percentage achieved =A1/A2	No. cases found tested positive in ICTC/ VCTC/PPTC Centers A3	Percentage achieved =A1/A3
470	674	75 %	762	60 %

I D- Source of inward referral

Enrollment		Source of referral		
		ICTC/ ART centre	Staff	PTE
ON ART	NON ART			
203	267		464	6

I- E – services provided through -Outward referral

Total Enrollment	Total number of outward referral	Number of clients referred to below mentioned SDPs		
		ART Centre	Government welfare schemes	For other services
470	40	15	20	05

II – Strengthening the DLN and Community participation:

(Please write capacity building activities like, program orientation, PTE, Positive speaking, etc., (photos very essential).

SL:No	Date of training/ workshop/ Advocacy	Theme	Type of trainees	No. of Participants
1	PTE Training	Treatment Adherence	Workshop	23
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III – IEC / BCC Development activities. –Nil-**IV Major Advocacy done**

1. S.Sudha (ID 3306100080) husband is a drug addict; He used to drink alcohol daily and quarrel with his wife. We came to know this and TDHPS+ leadeer had met him and gave advocacy. He accepted our counselling and said that he will not consume alcohol hereafter; we have to continue the counselling for him.

2. A.Bhveneswari (ID 3306100212) husband is a drug addict; He used to drink alcohol daily and quarrel with his wife. We came to know this and TDHPS+ leadeer had met him and gave advocacy. He accepted our counselling and said that he will not consume alcohol hereafter; we have to continue

V– any activities related Sustainability? Future plan for sustainability?

- We will apply 12A and 80G
- We will plan to create SHG's
- Try to get vocational training for PLHA's
- Strengthening the Children welfare fund's through women's forum
- We will computerized the accounts using Tally
- Try to get Rs. 400 for Orphan children healthy food through Collector fund
- We will arrange for network own building
- We will arrange for Children higher education through trust
- We motivate the people to take ART without Defaulter.
- sustainability through Support Net for own business To

VI– Challenges faced? Way to overcome the challenges? Expectation to overcome the Challenges?

We are challenging about the Defaulter and trace out the Defaulter. To motivate the People to ICTC and ART adherence.

VII– Whether quality of PLHA Life improved or not?

1. She is Positive and than sex worker, Patchiyammal S (Id; 3306100091) She is Died on 11-02-2010 Tiruvannamalai District HIV Positive Society Supported by Body disposes Expense Amount Rs 2000.

2. P. Mala (ID 3306100109) is very poor Widow Lady, who Belongs to Tiruvannamalai District HIV Positive Society, we recommended District Collector to give (TAHDCO Loan) small Scale Industry (Petty Shop).

We recommended on 29-12-2008. District collector had investigated about this matter and ordered to give Rs.10.000 Freely for her dated on 05-01-2009

Conclusion

Through the Access to Care and Treatment Project we are sustainable Documentation, Referral Linkages, Capacity Building, CMIS, and Defaulter. We are also able to identify more and more people living with HIV/AIDS day by day and able to provide the core components that is Networking, Advocacy and service delivery.