

Paul Hamlyn Foundation

Grants Announcement India Programme

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Grants Made in India

The [India programme](#) supports local organisations, aiming to focus our resources where we can add most value in priority geographical areas. In September 2019, we made the following grants. Details of all grants made are available in our [grants database](#).

Basic Health Care Services Trust

Grant amount: ₹55,12,000

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: North/Rajasthan

Project: Creating workforce for quality primary healthcare in South Rajasthan

Description:

Basic Health Care Services' vision is to develop a responsive and effective healthcare ecosystem rooted in the community, so that those experiencing disadvantage can access high-quality, low-cost health services. This grant will support the organisation to mentor young physicians working in these communities, and to advocate for healthcare reform.

Dang Vikas Sansthan (DVS)

Grant amount: ₹64,22,000

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: North\Rajasthan

Project: Towards safe mining in Karauli and Dhaulpur - 3

Description:

DVS aims to improve the living and working conditions of mine and stone workers in Rajasthan. Through this project, DVS has built awareness of silicosis, developed resources to help employees to access compensation and worked to influence policy. This grant will support the organisation to build partnerships, plan strategically and to expand their geographic reach.

DiYA Foundation

Grant amount: ₹30,08,000

Grant duration: 12 months

Location: North East\Assam

Project: Women's empowerment through livelihood opportunities - 2

Description:

DiYA Foundation works to support communities experiencing marginalisation to access education, livelihood opportunities, rights, resources and information. This grant will continue to support the Foundation and evolve their work to build livelihoods at the family level, further strengthen and federate the women's collectives and create local capacities of women to provide expert advice on livestock rearing, livelihoods planning and managing finances at the self-help group level.

Jubayer Masud Educational and Charitable Trust (JMECT)

Grant amount: ₹54,00,840

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: North East\Assam

Project: Ensuring educational security of children from poor families in riverine areas of Assam

Description:

JMECT is a community development organisation focusing on education, livelihoods and health in Assam. Working with 15 primary schools, this project aims to improve education and attainment for local children through coaching, and to support parents to pursue sustainable livelihood opportunities.

Mahila Shakti Kendra (MASK)

Grant amount: ₹1,03,23,808

Grant duration: 36 months

Location: North East\Assam

Project: Natural resources management to enhance livelihoods of forest dependent people - 2

Description:

MASK is a federation of self-help groups, committed to gender equality, economic development and social change. This project worked with 43 remote forest villages in Assam to support natural resource management and enhance livelihoods. In the next phase, MASK aims to deepen participatory processes by building the capacity of women's organisations to secure rights and entitlements for communities, scaling up natural-resource management models and supporting ecologically sustainable livelihoods.

National Association of Street Vendors of India (NASVI)

Grant amount: ₹1,19,43,434

Grant duration: 36 months

Location: North\Delhi

Project: Integrating street vendors in cities of Bihar and Jharkhand - 2

Description:

NASVI works to protect the livelihoods and rights of thousands of street vendors across India. The grant will continue the process of deepening the intervention in Patna and Bhagalpur to ensure sustainability and build capacity of the vendor organisations to enable them to work directly with and influence the government. NASVI will also start work in Dhanbad to share learning and to raise awareness of the issues faced by local vendors.

Nirman

Grant amount: ₹73,96,673

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: East\Orissa

Project: Consolidating a people-led approach to conservation and livelihood

Description:

Nirman works with tribal communities to promote sustainable agriculture, support natural-resources governance and management and to improve access to rights and entitlements. This project aims to increase awareness of forest rights in local communities, enhance the capacity of local leaders, help secure legal rights to forest land and to address related policy issues.

Patang

Grant amount: ₹56,94,820

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: East\Orissa

Project: Educating tribal communities to secure sustainable livelihoods in Sambalpur district in Odisha

Description:

Patang works to develop leadership capacity among young people, improve learning outcomes and promote sustainable livelihoods. Through this project, Patang will work to create opportunities for alternative, sustainable livelihood options and to help communities claim their rights on natural resources under individual and community forest rights.

Shishu Sarothi

Grant amount: ₹49,26,200

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: North East\Assam

Project: Strengthening Shishu Sarothi to become a Northeast Regional Resource Centre on Disability

Description:

Shishu Sarothi works to uphold the rights of disabled people in Assam. This grant will help the organisation to build a regional resource hub, offering training, services and disability-related support. Funding will help to provide staff training, develop support systems for the centre and create awareness about disabilities, rights and entitlements.

Society for Advancement in Tribes Health Education and Environment (SATHEE)

Grant amount: ₹88,19,400

Grant duration: 36 months

Location: East\Jharkhand

Project: Addressing Malnutrition among the Paharia tribal community in Boarjore block of Godda district, Jharkhand – 2

Description:

SATHEE works to protect the rights of children and to support them to realise their potential. This grant will fund activities to take a multi-pronged approach and

implement the newly created village level Nutrition Security Plan that encompasses sanitation and hygiene, clean water, diversified food produce from land and from forests.

The Banyan

Grant amount: ₹81,86,000

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: India

Project: Banyan programme for continuous care

Description:

The Banyan is one of the largest mental health service organisations in the country and adopts both a person-centric and health systems approach embedded in a culture of upholding social justice and equity. The grant will help Banyan to support women who have spent time in institutional settings to reintegrate with their family and communities post treatment.

Training Awareness and Behaviour Change about Health and Rehabilitation Society (TAABAR)

Grant amount: ₹37,10,400

Grant duration: 12 months

Location: North\Rajasthan

Project: Initiative to strengthen the child protection mechanisms in Rajasthan - 3

Description:

TAABAR works with children in need of care and protection. TAABAR aims to become a Child Resource Centre and to support training, documentation, and stakeholder management regarding child protection/labour issues. This grant will support the organisation to strengthen work at the interstate level, follow up with Bihar government for repatriation and rehabilitation of child labor, and consolidate interdepartmental coordination for child protection within government.

Vishakha

Grant amount: ₹79,08,800

Grant duration: 24 months

Location: North\Rajasthan

Project: Addressing mental health issues of the students studying in Kota, Rajasthan - 2

Description:

Vishakha aims to empower communities, end violence against women and make systems accountable through rights-based intervention. This grant will support the second stage of a project to provide mental health support to young people who attend coaching institutes in Kota. This phase will focus on developing an appropriate outreach strategy and services, to build the capacity of the team and local community, and to improve engagement with city administration and local coaching institutes.