Introduction-

1) Responsible fatherhood Campaign-

We are working on issues of Gender Equality, women’s rights and Domestic violence with Men’s Action for Equity (MAE) and Center for Health and Social Justice (CHSJ)

SJKS run national campaign on men’s responsible role as Father in Child rights Protection through responsible fatherhood campaign in selected 40 villages of the block Amarwada and Mohked, whereby could become a place of women in society in tribal and difficult areas of Chhindwara district.

‘Responsible Fatherhood Campaign’ is a programme on the ‘responsible role of father in ensuring children’s rights’. It is focused on the role of a father in the family to care for the children under the joint aegis of the Forum to Engage Men (FEM) and CHSJ (New Delhi). MAE advocates for a responsible role to be played by the father towards his children without discriminating girls and boys. MAE is against prevalent constructs of masculinity and gender-based violence.

In Chhindwara, SJKS organized Father’s Care Campaign in the 40 villages of the Amarwara, Mohkhed, Chhindwara and Bichhua blocks, during 10-30 January, 2012.

Key activities during the campaign-

1. Discussion in Gram sabha and Panchayats- Objectives of campaign and importance of role of responsible father were discussed during the Gram sabhas in Gram panchayats for gender equality and to make a better place for women in society.

2. Discussion with adolescent girls in Anganwadi centers- Discussion on health, education, nutrition, gender equality and livelihood was done with adolescent and school dropout girls at aanganwadi centers.

3. Distribution of pamphlet, stickers and posters- Pamphlets, posters and stickers were distributed among dalit, adivasi and Muslim communities while Fatherhood campaign in 40 villages to teach men that they should change their thinking and behavior in positive
manner and stop the violence against women to make discrimination and violence free family.

4. **Filling up Sankalp Patra** – during the campaign activity of filling up sankalp patra was done to change the thinking and behavior of men in positive manner as a responsible father-

   - Are we not responsible to our families?
   - Do we not fulfill the need of our family?
   - Are we unable to fulfill time by time the needs of women in family?
   - Are we unable to fulfill the responsibility of our children and family?

5. **Follow up of Campaign** - After the campaign in 40 villages it was found after discussion with marginalized communities that due to this campaign the thinking of men as father has changed and positive change in behavior as well as equality in girls and boys was seen and decrease in violence against women.

2) **Health rights and entitlements of socially excluded people specially women under NRHM**

   SJKS is giving information about health, education, livelihood and nutrition related issues and health facilities under NRHM to very poor people, persons with disability, adolescent girls & women and children of marginalized community- ST, SC, Muslim under PACS project and with support of PACS and Swadhikar network we are working in 60 villages of Amarwada and Mohkhed block under NRHM guidelines to raise health issues of marginalized communities, so that they can access health services provided by government. Following activities were conducted in selected villages during PACS project –

1) Baseline survey
2) Formation of HAG (Health Action Group)
3) Capacity building training of Health Service providers
4) Leadership development training of HAG leaders
5) Awareness meeting on health rights and entitlements
6) Workshop on Health rights and entitlements
7) CBM (Community based monitoring) process in 30 villages
8) Jan samwad
9) Leadership follow-up meeting of HAG
10) Technical capacity building training of Health Service providers

11) Health training of HAG leaders

12) Capacity building training of NRHM committee

13) Training of HAG leaders for Social Audit

14) Health rights campaign

   Community did CBM of following schemes of NRHM in targetd villages under PACS project-
   - VHND (Village Health Nutrition Day)
   - JSY (Janani Surksha Yojna)
   - JSSK (Janani Shishu Surksha Karykram)
   - GSSGTS (Gram Sabha Swasthy Gram Tadarth Samiti)

3) MHRC (Maternal Health Rights Campaign)
   Maternal Health Rights Campaign was run in 60 villages of Amarwada and Mohkhed block of Chhindwara District to aware dalit, Aadiwasi, Muslim and poor girls and women about health facilities and rights, so that they can have access to discrimination free and qualitative maternal health services. Aanganwadi workers and other health service providers were senitized to work under fremwork of NRHM. The objective of this campaign was to decrease the MMR and IMR.

4) CHSJ (Center of Health and Social Justice)
   We worked with CHSJ on issues of gender equality, sexuality, health, education, women’s rights and domestic violence in year 2014-2015, we aware the marginalized community living in remote and hilly area of Tamiya, Amarwada and Mohkhed block of Chhindwara District through discussions in community meetings at Village level.

5) HRLN (Human Rights Law Network)
   An IPL was filed in Jabalpur High court for compensation of sterilization fail cases of Dalit and Muslim women in Amarwada and Mohkhed Block of Chhindwara district. SJKS is trying to draw attention of government to irresponsibility in health facilities and services provided by government and victims of sterilization fail cases might get full compensation.

6) DA3
   Tracking of budget is being done through Dalit Aarthik Adhikar Aandolan, which comes under SCP/TSP and work for dalits aarthikm adhikar is being done by using RTI.
7) **International Woman’s Day**

International women’s day was celebrated on 07/03/2015 by Satyakam Jankalyan Samiti (SJKS) in Singodi Gram Panchayat of Amarwada block in Chhindwara district. First of all lamps were lighted up and flowers were offered to statue of Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar. Information about women harassment, bane on women violence and child marriage, Change in social malpractice, role of women in political decision, active role of women in panchayat, domestic and other violence etc. was given in detail by Ms. Shabana Azami Secretary of SJKS.

There was 70% participation of women in program and rally organized by SJKS.

8) **Artificial Jewellery Design Training Program**

Training for artificial jewellry design was given to rural dalit aadiwasi poor women to link them to self employment and for their empowerment. Divorcy, widow and unemloyee women and school dropout girls were linked to this training program, so that they could become self dependent and get livelihood. 205 women and girls were benifited by this training.

9) **Stitching Training Program**

Skill development program was conducted to make poor, widow, singal women and girls self dependent. Rural women were given skills of stitching and embroidery, so that women could become self dependent, link to self employeement and increase their source of earning.

180 women and girls were benifited by this training.

10) **Dr. Ambedkar Jayanti**

One day program and candle march rally were conducted on occasion of Bharat Ratn Dr. Bhim Rao Ambedkar Jayanti. Program was organized at Satkar Square, where statue of Dr. Ambedkar is situated. Information about work of Dr. Ambedkar for social welfare of Dalit and aadiwasi was given on this occasion and his valuable contribution in society and efforts to link dalit community to main stream of society and work to end social discrimination were remember. All participants were commited to walk on the way of Dr. Ambedkar.

11) **Independence Day**

Independence day was celebrated by Satyakam Jankalyan Samiti on 15 August 2015. This occasion was celebrated with great courage by members of SJKS and people.

12) **Gandhi Jayanti**

Program and rally was organized on occasion of Gandhi Jayanti at Fawwara Chouk and people were motivated to follow the non violence. People of India remember him as Bapu and National Father.
SJKS has promoted MNREGA by aware people about it at village level and organized one day training. This training was conducted in form of campaign in selected villages of Amarwada and Mohkhed block of Chhindwara district.

13) World Health Day
World health day was celebrated on 7-04-2014. The main objective of this program was that women are too much busy in domestic work that they don’t pay attention to their health, specially in rural women, there is not awareness about health and they are not serious to health of their children. They suffer from many diseases due to disappointed behavior towards eating habits and busy life style. One day program and rally were conducted to aware poor rural women to health. Women and men from dalit adiwasi community were given information about health rights and entitlements.

14) Republic Day
Republic day was celebrated on 26 January 2015 at organization’s office in Chhindwara. India was come into existence as a republic and democratic country on 26 January 1950, that’s why it is celebrated as republic day. Information about fundamental rights provided by constitution was given. There were expenses of 380 Rs. Inthis program.

15) World AIDS Day
World AIDS day was celebrated by Satyakam Janklayan Samiti and rally & street plays were organized to aware rural community about HIV. Under this program people were told that why do AIDS spread? How it happens? What are the ways to stay away from AIDS? Organization gives advice to control AIDS.

16) Dalit Mahila Swabhiman Yatra
There was Opening of Dalit Mahila Swabhiman Yatra in Chhindwara district by Satyakam Jankalyan Samiti under AIDMAM (All India Dalit Mahila Adhikar Manch) New Delhi on 1-11-2014 to ensure rights and dignity of dalit women. One day program was organized in Kubadi and Singodi in Amarwad, a dalit block of Chhindwara district. The main goal of this campaign was betterment of dalit women’s place in society. From the ancient time it happens that dalit women are bane to get information and to access resources. They are mentally and physically harassed. This campaign is conducting to fight with these malpractices of society so that dalit women can live a life with dignity and demand their rights. In this program not only the people from Kubadi and Singodi participated, but also people from nearest villages such as Khakara Chaurai, Chimaua, Pataniya, Badegaon, Khamiheera, Baglamaal, Bandra and Bakamukasa participated. There were 400-500 people participated in this campaign.