

Tsunami appeal achievements in 2006

India

- Programme addressing psycho-social issues in 91 villages in 3 districts in Tamil Nadu
- Mobile Medicare Unit (MMU) programme making health care accessible for older people in remote villages; in addition, over 700 older people attended Super Speciality Health Camps at Cuddalore, Velankanni and Kollam
- A study to identify factors contributing to the vulnerability of children to HIV in the tsunami affected areas of Tamil Nadu
- A radio programme addressing issues of children and children's rights
- WATSAN for 10,000 families
- Policy work – dialogues with district administration regarding watsan and shelter
- 5,758 acres of land restored and cultivated
- Cash grants to 1,065 families
- 3 assessments – including livelihoods, disaster risk reduction and education
- Vegetable cultivation for 20 families with an additional 1,987 receiving support for developing home gardens
- Provided and repaired - 129 toilets; 153 boats; 239 nets; 653 catamarans; 1,128 engines
- 1 fish processing plant plus grant for an additional plant
- Provided 44,813 Cash for Work person days
- Performed 4,171 cataracts operations
- Provided scholarships to 524 students
- Planted 600,000 saplings
- Self help groups and CBOs formed
- Over 6,000 households and families to receive livelihoods assets including livestock, nets, etc.
- 88 children's activity groups and 15 children's clubs established
- Over 40,000 people received training - training courses include HIV/AIDS awareness, teacher trainer, sanitation and hygiene, psycho-social care etc.

Indonesia

- Training for thousands of staff and communities on topics including age-friendly training; parent training on child rights; income generation; hygiene promotion etc
- 40 caregivers recruited and trained to provide health care services for 80 older people
- Publication of research - Older People in Aceh, Indonesia 18 months after the tsunami: Issues and recommendations
- Health and emergency planning assessments
- Provided 3 legal aid posts
- Distributed thousands of livelihood assets including - 195 bicycles; 2 school buses; 258 goats; 10 sewing machines etc
- 10 female friendly spaces and 8 child friendly spaces
- Water and sanitation inputs - dug and drilled 2,691 wells; 1 gravity water system and 9 rainwater harvesting systems; 8 deep bore holes; 200 pits, 26 emergency latrines, 2,946 latrines; 69 spring and gravity fed water systems; 1,280 bathing facilities
- Provided 2 medical teams, distributed 84 delivery kits to midwives and 6,850 hygiene kits
- Leaflets produced on tsunami in cartoon form to get children interested in disaster preparedness
- 3,200 hectares land tilled for crop production
- Provided a mobile library
- 400 metres of gravel barracks
- Distributed 2000 mosquito nets
- Rehabilitation of 244 classrooms and distribution of school material to 10 schools
- Cash for Work schemes benefiting over 800 households
- 6,961 households and an additional 23,362 individuals receiving cash grants