

The introductory information about the organization:

Our Mission: The Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons, Manipur is established to formulate and coordinate multifarious activities in order to unleash the hidden talents and unexplored potential of the differently abled persons and vulnerable. *Moto "Unity, Sacrifice and Upliftment"* of the Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur:

Operational area: *As a whole Manipur State.*

Trust Area: Disability, Health & Education, Women and Child, Aged, Social & Cultural Development, Health & Nutrition, Law & Legal Affairs, Socio-economic development, Weaker section of the society. This forms the essence of 'Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons, Manipur', the only best Non-profitable Trust located at Imphal West District, Manipur (India). The organization is uninterruptedly engaged in providing gratuitously humanitarian services since 2011 to the destitute 'differently abled' poor and the needy people of the society at large, without any discrimination on the ground of religion, region, caste, gender etc.

Our Vision: To create a healthy society with equal opportunities for all.

About us : The Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons, Manipur was established in the year 2011 with the permanent office address at Tera Bazar, Imphal West District, Manipur and the correspondent office at Singjamei Chingamathak, near State Bank of India, Singjamei Branch, Imphal West District, Manipur by a group of young energetic and dynamic youths mostly formed by differently abled persons with different discipline focusing on social welfare as well as empowerment of the differently abled persons with a Moto: Unity, Sacrifice and Upliftment of persons with disabilities for the welfare of society and in particular to persons with disabilities (PwDs). Relief Centre is registered under the Manipur Societies Act 1989 (Manipur Act No. 1 of 1990) bearing Registration number 572/M/SR/2013 and Regd. No. 106 of 2013 under the Competent Authority under Provision of Section 52 of the Persons with Disabilities Act 1995 (Equal Opportunity, Protection of Right and Full Participation) Regd. No. MREL 1651391950 Section 12(4) of the Act, National Trust, NGOs Unique ID: MN/2013/0061709, PAN : AABAR7909M. Income Tax Exempted Under Section 80G for every Donation (U/S 80H (5)(vi) of ITA,1961 vide order No. ITBA/EXM/80G/2018-19/1015376156(I). The jurisdiction of the organization is whole or within the Manipur State where as the Secretary of the organization will be Chief Executive and the Chief Correspondent of the same. The Centre is totally non-profit making, non-communal societies based on our aims at social, economic, educational, cultural and traditional welfare of well-being of all persons irrespective of caste, creed, race, sex and religion to eradicate and liberate from the bondage of social-economic backwardness of the youth. The Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons, Manipur aims to promote livelihood to the Persons with disabled by upgrading their traditional knowledge and skill by promoting self-income, eradicating the problem of poverty and unemployment by bringing them to the social mainstream. The Relief Centre had started working its development activities in the spheres of community enlistment since its inception for the benefit of PwDs for sustainable and comprehensive development with its limited resources. The Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons, Manipur has organized a series of



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Peoples Participatory Programme, Awareness, Counselling, Training programme, Distribution of aid and appliances etc. We have motivated them PwDs to organize themselves, undertake development works on Self-Association and induce the Government Departments with other agencies to joined hand with the people for bringing up sustainable atmosphere within it. The Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons, Manipur strongly believes on Peoples Participatory Process, which is an instrument to bring an ultimate sustainable development. Therefore, all the responsible in identifying and analysing problem planning, implementing, monitoring and internal evaluation of the project should be done by the Centre. The only role for the Centre is facilitating for effective execution on the process and run smoothly.

The organization has played a vital role in catering development and services in the realm of rehabilitation and treatment of 'Differently Abled' and the needy people through the execution of various service activities - free of cost. Our Service Camps are a method to reach out to the people who are needy but can't reach us. We offered - free of cost aid to the people that need them. The aids and materials are provided by conducting camps across the country. They are possible with the help of donors and supporters in their respective cities where the camps are conducted. There are many types of camps like:

- Free Medical Camp/Screening & Assessment
- Aids & Appliance Distribution Camps
- Distribution of Teaching Learning Materials (TLM) Kits for Intellectual Disabilities.
- Agriculture (Livelihood Mission Promotion)
- Blood Donation Camps
- Vocational Training on Cane and Bamboo.
- Skill development training programme.
- Community Based Rehabilitation of PwDs.
- Community Mobilization and Capacity building.
- Programme on Identification of Disabled Persons and their families.
- Cultural Programme for PwDs.
- Counselling Programme among the Children with disability.
- Observation of International Disability Day/ World Hearing Day/ World Austin Day/ Helen Keller's Birth Anniversary.
- Anti-malaria Campaigns
- Programme Expenses on Jobs Opportunity for disabled persons.
- Disability Awareness Programme Seminar/Orientation Programme.
- Exhibition/Mela especially for PwDs for exploring their hidden talents.
- Training programme on Prevention, Early Identification and Early intervention of Developmental (Intellectual) Disabilities.



Annual Report

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Receiving the Prestigious "COVID Warrior Award"

Relief Centre for the Welfare of the Differently Abled Persons, Manipur receiving the Prestigious "COVID Warrior Award" on the occasion of the International Women Day on the theme "Men for Women" at the Main Auditorium, City Convention Centre,



Imphal presented by Hon'ble Minister Social Welfare, Cooperation) Shri Okram Henry in present of Hon'ble Minister Tribal Affairs and hill, Manipur, and Prof Dr. Binot Meina Hon'ble Chairperson Manipur commission for Women.

Kits Distribution Programme for Intellectual Disabilities

Hon'ble Union Minister of State Shri Ramdas Athawale, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, TLM KITs distribution to Persons with Intellectual



Disabilities under the aegis of National Institute of Empowerment of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities at MEIPA Venue, Imphal East District in the presence of Hon'ble Ex-MLA Sapam Kunjakeshor Singh, Patsoi A/c, Shri Thounaojam Mahesh Singh, Social Worker, Shri Akoijam Brogen Singh, Dean (Academic) and Prof.& Head, Community Medicine Department, RIMS, Imphal Dr. G. Mary Anurupa, Asst. Professor, NIEPID, total numbers of beneficiaries 137.



Inauguration Programme of the Training



National Institute of Empowerment of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities, Secunderabad "Inauguration Programme" of the 2 Days Training Programme on "Prevention, Early Identification and Early Intervention of Developmental Disabilities" at Mini Auditorium Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal in collaboration with State



Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, Manipur and Community Medicine Department, RIMS, Imphal on February 15, 2021 in the presence of Prof. A Santa Singh, Director RIMS, Imphal as Chief Guest, Shri Brogen Singh Akoijam, DEAN Academics, RIMS, Imphal as President, Th. Dilipkumar Singh, State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, Manipur and Dr. G. Mary Anurupa, Asst. Professor, NIEPID as Guest of Honours.

Training Programme on "Prevention, Early Identification and Early Intervention of Developmental Disabilities"

National Institute of Empowerment of Persons with Intellectual Disabilities, Secunderabad has conducted



Training Programme for Nursing Professional and Doctors on Prevention, Early Identification and Intervention of Developmental Disabilities at Examination Hall, Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal in collaboration with State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities,



Manipur and Community Medicine Department, RIMS, Imphal on February 16, 2021. Total 184 Nursing professional of PwIDs participated in the programme. Resource Persons are Dr. G. Mary Anurupa, Asst. Professor, NIEPID, Mr. Ravi P.Suingh, Lecturer in Special Ed. NIEPID, Regional Centre, NM, Mr. Mugesh Thulasikanthan, Officer incharge, NIEPID Regional Centre, Kolkata.



Financial monetary assistance

The centre handed over a monetary assistance to the parents of Persons with disabilities at Singjamei Khongnafeidekpi Imphal West and Langthabal for the healthcare treatments. The



financial assistance is sponsored by Programme Manager and Rehabilitation Officer of the Centre. On the other hand Media Advisor, Nimol Ningombam amadi Ph. Victoria Devi, Women & Child welfare Officer, visiting to RIMS Hospital for Miss Simaran hospitalization and financial Assistance for the medial treatment.

Consultant Meeting:

Consultant Meeting to Differently Aabled Persons in presence of Shishu Sarothi, Research Officer from



Guwahati at the premises of centre. The discussed about the "Situation Analysis of



disability scenario in Northeast, India". The meeting was held

in presence of President, Secretary, Programme Manager, Programme Consultant, Programme Coordinator, Women and Child Welfare Officer, Rehabilitation Officer and Parents of Persons with Disabilities. After the Consultant Meeting to visited Home to Home survey.

nCOVID-19 Pandemic Awareness Programme on Hand Sanitizer at Ukhrul:

Awareness Programme on Hand Sanitizer at Ukhrul District Handloom made Masks. Wash your



hands with and or use



regularly soap water



sanitizers to protect yourself and your families form Corona Virus. Together we can fights COVID19.

nCOVID-19 Pandemic Distribution of Essential Food Items :

The centre distributed relief materials/essential food items to Differently Aabled persons at wholes district of



state Manipur. The programme promoting safety against nCOVID-19 and outstanding contribution in Humanitarian Services during the Lockdown by State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities,



Manipur, Department of Social Welfare, Government of Manipur,



Community Medicine Department, RIMS, Imphal. Nearly 1000 persons with disabilities distributed essential food items from different districts as a part of showing



our love and affection to Persons with Disabilities.

Media Sensitisation programme:



With an aim to sensitize the Press and Media heads' regarding the ongoing programme of Awareness Generation Programme under the Department of Empowerment of Persons with



Disabilities in different districts, a day long Mass Media Campaign and Sensitization programme was held at the Sagolband Tera Bazar, Imphal in the chair of DEAN (Academic) Shri Brogen Singh Akoijam and Media Advisor Nimol Ningombam and sought the cooperation of the Print and Electronic Media for successful implementation of the programme in the district wise.

140 Birth anniversary of Helen Adams Keller



140th birth anniversary of Helen Adams Keller at Tera Bazar. Floral tributes were paid to the photo of Helen Keller by the dignitaries including Sapam Leikai Gram Panchayat Pradhan



Shri Athokpam Bishorijit Singh as Chief Guest, Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur acting president P Gopendro and Media Advisor, Nimol Ningombam and Laimayum Amarandra Sharma, MRW State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, Manipur. Narrating confidence in accomplishing physically challenged, Nimol the first deaf-blind person to earn the function where majority of persons, he appealed all to get Gopendro motivated all a purpose and explore their skill and talents. Their guardians paid floral tribute to the photograph of Helen Adams Keller and also Facilitation Programme of the successful HSLC Exam 2020 and Council of Higher Secondary Education Manipur Examination 2020 Students of Visually impairment.



Facilitation Programme

A Facilitation Programme for the Winner of **VOSAP ART CONTEST 2020** online talents competition on



theme for the year is "DISABILITY" organized by Shatidham Foundation Jhoom India "Art from Hearth" at Chajing Mairenkhang Community Hall, Imphal West in presence of Hon'ble



Former Minister Shri Karam Shyam, MLA Langthabal A/c as Chief Guest in the programme. Laishram Biren Yaima President of LJP Langthabal Madal and Media Advisor Nimol Ningombam also attended the programme. Winners of VOSAP Art Contest 2020 performed and showcased their talents to the audience.

Observation of World Hearing Day:

Observation of World Hearing Day is held on March 3 each year to raise awareness on how to prevent deafness and hearing loss and promote ear and hearing care across the world at Government Deaf and Mute School, Takyel as part of the World Hearing Day celebration, gifts were presented to the students of Hearing Impairments.



Skill Development Training Programme - Handloom Entrepreneur:



Selection Committee meeting for Skill Development Training Programme - Handloom Entrepreneur at Imphal West District conduct by NBCFDC n HIMCON Shimla. Screenings meeting was held National



Backward Classes Finance & Development Corporation (NBCFDC) (A Government of India Undertaking, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment Board Members are



SURESHKUMAR SINGH, DGM, NBCDC, L.DHANESHOR SINGH, Deputy Director Disabilities , Social welfare department, L.Mohendro Singh, Project Manager, MTDC Manipur,



Md.Amir Hissain, Supervisor,MOBEDS Manipur, Shri R.K Singh, Assistant General Manager, HIMCON, Md.Fazal Ali, Asst. PROJECT OFFICER, MOBEDS Manipur, Laimayum Amarendra Sharma, National Awardee, Media Advisor Nimol Ningombam and Laimayum Ranjita Sharma, Ratnapeeth Education, Guwahati.

Handloom Entrepreneur Psychometric Test:

Handloom Entrepreneur Psychometric test of all selected candidates



towards SDTP on Handloom Entrepreneur at Imphal West District on behalf of National



Backward Classes Finance and Development Corporation. Conduct by HIMCON Shimla in collaboration with Ratanapeeth Guwahati at Lilong Chajing Karam, Imphal West District, Manipur in the presence of Director Ratanapeeth Guwahati Mrs. Ranjita Laimayum, State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities staff Shri L.Amarendra Sharama and staff of the Centre.



6 months Training Programme Handloom Entrepreneur

Handloom Entrepreneur at Imphal West District on behalf of National Backward Classes Finance and



Development Corporation. Conduct by HIMCON Shimla in collaboration with Ratanapeeth Guwahati at Lilong Chajing Karam, Imphal West District, Manipur. To reduce poverty by



enabling the poor households to access gainful self-employment and skilled wages employment opportunities resulting in appreciable improvement in their livelihoods on a sustainable basis, through building strong grass root institution of the poor.

Social & Relief Programme to Women with Disabilities

The Women with Disabilities in our society is facing with many barriers in every step of their life. But since many the Differently Abled Persons are born into the poor families even through the capability to health care they are deprived from Financial Assistant at different district and a view to promote the daily living.



One Day Financial Literacy Programme' at Kakching District & Chandel District.

A One day Financial Literacy & Awareness Camp (FLAC) at Langmeidong Maning Mayai Leikai,



Kakching District. The awareness programme in collaboration with Iraborat Foundation, Manipur. The need of financial inclusion and create awareness amongst Co-operative Societies in cash



management and loan repayment policies. New society members were enrolled in the Bank by opening zero account. The foundation will organize such FLAC camps across various localities in all the districts of Manipur this year as part of Govt. of India, financial inclusion plan.

Skill & Entrepreneurship Development programme

3 months Vocational Training on Weaving, Tailoring and Bamboo. Altogether 30 differently abled



persons took part in the training organised under the jointly aegis of District Social Welfare Officer, Bishnupur, (Hearing



Impairment/Locomotor Disabilities) etc. at Kwakta Sangthong.

Free UDID Registration Camp

Free UDID registration camp in collaboration with DDRC Bishnupur jointly organization with UDID registration camp Kwakta Santhong Makha Leikai and also Hearing check-up and Free UDID registration. The main objective a UDID card is a Unique ID for PwDs. It a single document for identification and verification of a disabled persons and by

passes the need for carrying multiple documents. The objective of to enable the PwDs to obtain the new UDID card/Disabled Certificate to avail schemes and benefits provided by the Government through its various Ministries and their Departments. Total numbers of the UDID registration 47 PwDs.



PARENTS TRAINING PROGRAMME CUM PARENTS MEETING AT DIFFERENT PLACES:

1st Day Parents Training Programme cum Parents Meeting at Porompat Pangal Leirak, Imphal East district, under the aegis of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, Shri L Amarendra Sharm, MRW, office of the



State Commissioner for Persons with

Disabilities, Manipur said that the Government has been taking up many schemes for the welfare of differently abled persons Nimol Ningombam, Sr. Sub- Editor, Naharolgi Thoudang (A Daily News Paper) stated that one should not leave the disabled persons on their own and should make sure that they receive the due benefits assigned for them by the Government.



2nd Day of Parents Training Programme cum Parents Meeting at Singjamei Hao Ground, Imphal West District, under the aegis of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India. Shri I. Bobo Singh, MRW Department of



Social Welfare.

Government of Manipur and Nimol Ningombam, Senior Sub-Editor of Naharolgi Thoudang and were the resource persons of programme. Speaking on the occasion Shri L.Bobo Singh, MRW



Department of Social Welfare, Government of Manipur continued the state had failed to frame the policy under

The Persons With Disability Act, 1995 which was popularly known as Equal Opportunity, Protection of Rights and Full Participation Act, 1995 before it was replaced by 'The Rights of Persons with Disabilities Act, 2016' and the new Act was approved by the President of India on December 27 of 2016 .

3 Days of Parents Training Programme & Parents Meeting at Langmeidong Bazar, Kakching District,

Manipur under the aegis of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social



Justice and Empowerment,
Government of India. Miss
Chuongsin Koireng,
Hon'ble Member of



Manipur State Commission for Women, Nimol Ningombam, Senior Sub- Editor of Naharolgi Thoudang and Laimayum Amarendra Sharma, MRW of Social Welfare Department were the resource persons of programme.

4 Days of Parents Training Programme cum Parents Meeting at Loitang Leikinhab, and Khumbong



Khaidem Mayai Leikai, Imphal West District, Manipur,
under the



Department of Empowerment of Social Justice and Empowerment, Editor of Naharolgi Thoudang and resource persons of programme.

of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry Government of India. Senior Sub-Advocate Umakanta Singh were the

Skill Development Training Programme



Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently



Abled Persons Manipur (RCWDAPM)

had, under the National Handicapped Finance Development Corporation and HIMCON Shimla, training on hand embroidery (two months) Parents of Persons with Disabilities and Weaker section. The training was conducted to provide income generation skills women, 50 trainees and Free Medical Check-up also were presented with the certificates. Additionally, stipends will be credited to their bank accounts. Certificates were distributed to trainees who have completed training on embroidery and sewing machines operations.

Home Base Counselling Programme At Different Districts of Manipur :

Awareness Programme on Right to Information and Home Base Counselling programme on the Right of



Persons with Disabilities enshrined under P.W.D Act 1995 at Imphal East/ Imphal West, Kangpokpi District and Bishnupur District. The programme was attended by I. Amarendra Commissioner Disabilities, Member of Manipur Women and Child Welfare Officer of

Persons with Disabilities enshrined under P.W.D Act 1995 at Imphal East/ Imphal West, Kangpokpi District and Bishnupur District. The programme



Sharma, Office Assistant, State Government of Manipur, for Commissioner and Women Relief Centre.

FREE MEDICAL CAMP AT DIFFERENT DISTRICTS :

1st Day of One Day Free Medical Camp as part of the Awareness Generation and Publicity



Scheme at Kanchup Tuikun Village. The medical camp was organised by the Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur under



the sponsorship of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and

Empowerment, Government of India, in collaboration with Department of Community Medicine, RIMS. The village lies at a distance of 28 km from the Village, far from the key towns of Imphal. Around 147 patients were treated and medicines were provided for free during the camp and tests for sugar, blood group and BP were also done.

2nd Days One Day Free Medical Camp as part of the Awareness Generation and Publicity



Scheme at Kanhuchingjin Khullen in Imphal East District organised by Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur under the sponsorship of Department



of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (Divyangjan), Ministry of Social Justice Empowerment, Government of India in collaboration with the Department of Community Medicine, RIMS. The village lies at a distance of 21 km from the village, far from the key towns of Imphal. Around 70 patients were treated and medicines were provided for free during the camp and tests for sugar, blood group and BP were also done.

3rd Day Free Medical Camp as part of the Awareness Generation and Publicity Scheme at Kwakta Sangthong, Bishnupur District, Manipur.



The medical camp was organised by the Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur under the sponsorship of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of

India, in collaboration with Department of Community Medicine, RIMS. The camp was also attended by M.Premier Singh, Programme Manager, Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur and



Staffs of State Commissioner for Persons with Disabilities, Manipur. The village lies at a distance of 45 km from the Village, far from the key towns of Imphal. Around 82 patients were treated and medicines were provided for free during the camp and tests for sugar, blood group and BP were also done.

4th Days One Day Free Medical Camp as part of the Awareness Generation and Publicity Scheme at L Chajang village in Kangpokpi district.



The medical camp was organised by the Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur under the sponsorship of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of

India, in collaboration with Department of Community Medicine, RIMS The camp was also attended by Chongsin Koireng, Hon'ble Member, Manipur State Commission for Women (MSCW) and Ch. Lokeshori Devi, Secretary, Relief



Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur. The village lies at a distance of 36 km from the Village, far from the key towns of Imphal. Around 78 patients were treated and medicines were provided for free during the camp and tests for sugar, blood group and BP were also done.

5 Days Free Medical Camp as part of the Awareness Generation and Publicity Scheme at Singjamei HaoGround, Imphal Wet District, Manipur.

The medical camp was organised by the Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur under the sponsorship of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment,





Government of India, in collaboration with Department of Community Medicine, RIMS. The village lies at a distance of 10 km from the Urban, far from the key towns of Imphal. Around 95 patients were treated and medicines were provided for free during the camp and tests for sugar, blood

group and BP were also done.

International Day of Persons with Disabilities

Felicitation Programme Winner of VOSAP Art Contest 2020 in National Level Talent Hunt Programme in the occasion of International Day of Persons with Disabilities and distributed to Memento, Certificate and Gifts to his/ her residence of the Persons with Disabilities. (Imphal East/Imphal West/ Bishnupur/ Kakching Distict/ Thoubal District, Manipur.



ORIENTATION PROGRAMME ON DISABILITIES

1st Day an Orientation programme on the theme Early Identification, Prevention and Intervention of Persons with Disabilities. The Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons



Manipur organised under the sponsorship of the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and



Empowerment, Government of India at Irengbam Thamcha Devi Nursing and Health Care Research, Uripok, Imphal West District, Manipur Speaking as the resource person, elaborated about the causes and disability (ID), once characterized by below- that intellectual disability characterized by deficits in communication as well as restricted interest and the range of autism symptoms varies greatly. She also emphasized that therapy is the main treatment of the children with Intellectual Disabilities. Resource person of the second session talking to their parents who have children with disabilities and joining a support group is the easiest way to deal with the news.



treatment of Intellectual called mental retardation, is average intelligence. She stated is a neurodevelopment disorder social and language repetitive behaviour and

2nd Day an Orientation programme on the theme Early Identification, Prevention and



Intervention of Persons with Disabilities, was organized by the Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Aabled Persons Manipur under the



sponsorship of the Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India at Medical Directorate, Lamphelat, Imphal. Speaking as resource persons she elaborated on various topics such as types of disabilities, causes, prevention, inclusiveness of persons with disabilities in the classroom, society and home, etc. There are also many causes and volunteer works done to promote greater awareness of disabilities situations all over the world. Every year celebrities, athletes, philanthropic organization, civic groups and many others stage events to bring the limelight to various disabilities. She also emphasized that therapy is the main treatment of the children with Disabilities. She assures to extend all possible support to physically challenge persons and financially backward need persons. She said that the Government has been taking up many schemes for the welfare of differently abled persons.



3rd Days an "Orientation Programme" on the theme Early Identification, Prevention and



Intervention of Persons with Disabilities under the aegis of Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (DIVYANGJAN), Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of Inida was organized by "Orientation Programme" under Awareness Generation and Publicity



at Khonglong Kabui Village, New Keithelmanbi. Speaking as the resource persons Shri L. Dhaneshor Singh, Deputy Director (Disabilities) as Resource Persons empress the need to sensitise the officials concerned of various welfare schemes for differently abled persons and implementation of UDID project in the state and L. Amarendra Sharma, (National Awardee for PwDs), MRW State Commission for Persons with Disabilities, Manipur said the state as an awareness programme from 2014 and has now started identification, assessment and verification of intellectual disabilities.

4th Days an Orientation programme at Malom Tulihal Makha Leikai, Imphal West District on the



theme Early Identification, Prevention and Intervention of Persons with Disabilities Relief Centre for the Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Manipur was organised under the sponsorship Department of



Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India L. Bobo Singh, MRW, Department of Social Welfare, Government of Manipur as Resource Persons summarized that the of ability to categories a persons of being disability is increased from the 7 to 21 by amending in the parliament recently which include Autism. Those who want to get the benefits of differently abled schemes of government need to get the disability certificate from the concern authority. On the other hand

Ngaikhong siphai Bishnupur District, Manipur Speaking of

Resource Persons Shir M. Meghachandra Meetei, Health Educator of Community Medicine Department, RIMS, Imphal said that able bodied and normal person doesn't show much interest to take part



and express their behaviour in an indifferent manner in programmes relating to



differently abled persons some years ago. However, in due course of time, such things is gradually disappearing nowadays, he said, adding that there will be inclusive development in the society only when such indifferences or unequal treatment no longer exist. He appealed to people of the state to spread awareness about the significance of removing indifferences or barrier among various groups or communities. He said differently Abled Persons are mostly discriminated in any society, adding the State Government has introduced various schemes for PwDs.