In the past month, we have reached out to 1700 families during this time of lockdown in India. We have been able to provide them with food ration, daily essentials and masks which are basic needs that daily wagers, migrants and those from low income groups struggle to get. Our hope is to reach out to many more who are in need of immediate aid.

RELIEF WORK IMPACT



Oasis India's Response to COVID-19



Food ration for 702 families in Mumbai



Food ration for 380 families in Chennai



Food ration for 317 families in Punganur





3320 masks were made and distributed in our communities across India

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PANDEMIC HEREOS

As we started our relief work, our staff across India worked tirelessly to identify groups, plan and execute relief support in collaboration with Government bodies and NGOs. Here are some experiences of those staff and volunteers who we would like to call 'the pandemic heroes of our organisation!'

BANGALORE



"In Bangalore, there are plenty of migrant workers with no income at this time. It was very satisfying to give them the ration and many elders received it with tears, saying that there was no family members look after them. I am very happy to have been a part of the relief work with Oasis."



Arumugam ASSISTANT MANAGER-ADMIN & OPERATIONS (NATIONAL)

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During the relief work, my role was to conduct surveys across Bangalore on the migrants, low income groups and the distribution of ration kits. While I was conducting the survey many migrant workers expressed their frustration of not having received ration kits yet. When we finally conducted our relief work, I was so happy to see the same families receiving their ration kits with a smile on their faces."



"It was a great opportunity for me to be a part of planning, purchasing and supporting distribution of groceries to our beneficiaries. Dure to this lockdown it was strenuous to go to the slums but we were able to coordinate with some of our change agents for delivering the groceries and daily essentials at their door step of those in our communities."



Sandhya NIGHT SHELTER







The families that we were able to reach out to had no supplies and were in a very sad state. I am glad that i could be a part of this initiative and help some of my community members.



CHENNAI

"As the programme leader of the Kannagi Nagar hub, I was entrusted with networking with the local officials for planning the relief work. One of the major challenges we faced was finalising the list of people and making sure to include the elderly and other groups to whom we can distribute the food ration and daily essentials to. I feel satisfied when I go out of the way to help people and this time I was overwhelmed. I took up social work for this reason and I was able to see that greatly during this time. This has pushed me to work towards networking with other NGOs and connecting them to people in need."





Ebenezer







whatever I can. It was great to be able to provide food kits for those who need it, especially at this time when the entire world is shut down.

I am very happy to volunteer with Oasis and do

Nitosh

SENDIL DISTRIBUTING DRY RATION



Covid-19 has caused major disruptions all over India and the situation in Hallegudadhahalli (HGH) has taken a turn for the worse at this time. The ongoing pandemic has already affected many aspects of daily life in the community including several daily wagers who have no income to support their families. While many parts of the HGH community have been sealed due to the growing number of cases, this situation has threatened numerous lives, especially that of the elderly women and widows who depend on making their ends meet by working in events, by tying

flowers or by working in the nearby Agarbathi (Incense sticks) factories.

He started connecting with like-minded institutions for support and also connected with his friends who directed him to Don Bosco, a non-profit that provided us with 25 bags of dry ration. This was distributed to the 25 elderly women and widows. They were very grateful for this timely help.

We are so proud of staff like Sendil who go an extra mile in building the lives of those in our communities at this time of crisis.



If you would like to help us in reaching out to more families in need, give today.

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