

**All Day Drop-in Center – Basic Education Enabling Program (BEEP)–
For the Vulnerable /Exploited Child Labor, Migrants & Displaced Persons
Winner of the Commonwealth Award 2009, Sohan - Islamabad**

Location: Sohan Near Islamabad Highway, Islamabad
Address : Aagahi Drop-in Center Near Savor foods Store
Rented : Yes
Number of Children/youth: (Girls =105 Boys= 35)Child labor:70% IDPs :30%
Timings : Winter : 09:00 am to 05:00 pm
Summer : 08:30 am to 05:00 pm

Centre Manager /teacher Ms. Nadia Sghakoor
Para teacher/Assistant : Ms. Shahista hameed

Facilities Offered

- a. Education: Options: are: Catch up/readiness/accelerated NFPE/ Literacy programs for diff. age groups.
- b. Health/Hygiene and Life Skills- Vocational/Technical skills
- c. Protection
- d. Sports & Recreation (video, Puppets)
- e. Access to Social Safety nets

Groups:

- Mothers Group
- Child Protection Committee
- Youth group

Linkages extended to the Centre/Children:

- Health; A group of doctors /Community
- ITA livelihood unit for skills marketing uniforms.... etc.



Types of Education/Literacy Options

- Basic primary/non-formal approaches
- Catch up prim./middle/secondary for drop outs at various levels (1-10)
- Functional Literacy for 13-17 years

Withdrawing Child Labor & Mainstreaming

- Reduction in hours of work and
- Complete withdrawal from hazardous work
- Mainstreaming children to the maximum in near by schools both public and private (more than 100 children mainstreamed in 2008-9)

Near by Formal Schools

Government school: 1 FG government girls primary school
Private Schools : 04 Schools

Monthly Support Requested : Rs. 24,000 per month for at least 1 year or more

Sterling UK : 194 £ / month

US Dollars: 285 \$ / month

A Drop in Center – its core activities

- i. Children enrolled walk into a drop in centre, first visiting a wash basin with a mirror, soap, towel and a comb: clean themselves, comb hair manage a big smile walking with confidence to their teacher, who would then take them through a routine.
- ii. A 10 minute chatting corner encounter called the 'gup shup' corner is important to unload stories /news of the day from each child, providing instant counseling and to gauge the moods of the children for appropriate activities.
- iii. The child, then walks into the learning room appropriate to her/his level of education. Prior to sitting down the child would first go to the hygiene chart boldly displayed for the month, to put a star of cleanliness under the gaze of the children and teacher, ' a yellow, green, or red' depending upon the conditions of the hands, face and hair – a symbol of self management and trust building. Each month the first five children who accumulated the maximum yellow stars would get a small prize " a soap bar, a toothpaste, a brush a comb etc'.
- iv. The formal learning or engagement with texts and books begins and the child's learning is fully tracked in the basic subjects in her/his individualized education portfolio. IEP is a very important tool that would help the child and her family in mainstreaming to formal schools (government or private).
- v. The learning options in the drop in centers have ranged from:
 - a) A catch up program for the drop outs (ages 6-15) after careful assessment of their skills in: reading, writing and arithmetic and comprehension
 - b) Readiness program for siblings of the children the very young (3-5 years) who were at risk and had not been enrolled as yet so that they could be prepared again on merit to enter the formal schools with confidence and good disposition.
 - c) Vocational training and livelihoods program (13-17 years) which is a mixture of literacy (multiple literacy) a vocational skills appropriate to gender and market demands, combined with life skills for adolescents/youth



Ultimate Aim is to protect children through safe options: complete removal from child labor ; Reducing hours of work; mainstreaming them into schools (public and private)

Program Components

Centre Support Inputs-

- Rented Building for Center
- Chairs/Tables/Fans/Floor mats- Already in the centre
- Stationary Items/Computer – Already in the centre
- Vocational Materials /sewing machines/Heavy machine (already in the centre)
- Health/hygiene/Lifeskills (Already in practice)
- Nutrition (Biscuits by EBL/FPCCI/Individual Philanthropists) from time to time

Recreation - during the program in-door and visit to nearby places

Learning/Play Material

- Text Books/Copies/Slates/ Bags
- Story Books/Reading Books (Fiction/non-Fiction/ Diction.)
- Art Materials (color pencils, crayons, poster paints)
- Toys (hardy and safe) for babies and ECE
- Washing lines/charts/art paper
- Sports Items (Ludo, Carom Boards, Computer Games, Foot Ball, Bat Ball)

Enrollment Details in May 2010

Center name	Girls	Boys	Youth/ Mothers/ Vocational	Current Enrollment
Sohan	35	60	45	140

Essential Support Cost Sohan - BEEP Center

Sr #	Description	Unit	Unit Cost
1	Teacher Salary	1	5,000
2	Vocational Teacher	1	3000
3	Cleaning /Support staff	1	3000
	Sub Total		11,000
1	Utilities	1 month	1,000
2	Center Rent	1 month	6,500
3	Repair and Maintenance	1 month	500
4	Stationary	1 month	1000
5	Petty Cash and Vocational materials	1 month	2000
6	Monitoring (shared by ITA)		2000
	Sub Total		13,000
	Grand Total		24,000

A Case study Unchained and on the go...

'I love to draw and paint. I want to become a great painter like Azeem Iqbal.'

12 year old Mashooq Bibi is an extremely bright and active student at the CDL Aagahi Center at Sohan Islamabad.

Mashooq's mother works as a domestic servant to support her family of 6. Mashooq work at a house. Their chores include sweeping and cleaning, doing the dishes and getting groceries. she is extremely interested in painting and very good at drawing. The artist Azeem Iqbal was invited by ITA to conduct a workshop on drawing with the children in CDL Drop-in Centers. she participated in this event with great passion and since then Mashooq has been completely immersed in a world of colour.



This girl from Tribal Areas of Pakistan has been at the Center for a year and a half now, and she is a student of class 4.

'I work in a house where I have to take care of a 17 year old bed-ridden girl who is in coma. Following the doctor's instructions, I move her limbs gently and help her get light exercise. Seeing her helplessness pains me. She cannot even turn over in the bed herself. Sometimes I feel like I too am chained and cannot even move when I want to. This is because in our family education for girls is not looked upon favourably. My older sister had to leave school in grade 6 when she was 13 years old. After a lot of convincing by my teachers, my grandfather and father have allowed me to study. I want to continue studying...'

Mashooq's eyes are lit with the glow of hope. God-willing, she will find her dream...

ITA's Profile and Account Details

Name of the Institution: Idara-e-Taleem-o-Aagahi (ITA) Public Trust)

a non-profit institution Registered in 2000

Title of NGO:	Idara-e-Taleem-o-Aagahi (ITA) Centre for Education & Consciousness
Address of Head Office:	26-B, Sarwar Road, Lahore Cantt, Pakistan
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Name / Designation of Executive Officer	Baela Raza Jamil: Director Program
Registration No.: (under Trust Act)	8499/3503 dated 30-Jun-2000
Registration No (under Societies Act , XXI of 1860)	RP/3049/L/S/06/1542 (RP/711) dated 22 June 2006
Registration Agencies:	Registration Act, 1860, Government of Punjab, Pakistan and Trust Act
National Tax No	2846848-1
Tax Exemption No	I&E/84/236 dated 21 October, 2006
PCP Certification	PCP-R1/2009/0102 September 2009 & PCP-2006/0102 awarded on 16 September 2006
<i>EuropeAid ID No</i>	PK-2009-GRI-0311237253
DUNS No (D&B World database USA)	64-547-9465 dated 20th August 2004
USAID IMCP Graduate	Certificate awarded on 5th April 2006
UK Registration Charity No : (ITA Public Trust UK)	1093485
Auditor	Ford Rhodes Sidat Hyder & Co (Ernst & Young)
Bank Accounts Details	Title of Account: Idara-e-Taleem-o-Aagahi Standard Chartered Bank Main Boulevard, Gulberg, Lahore Account No. 01-5369428-01 To 06
Geographical Scope:	All over Pakistan – AJK, FATA & Northern Areas

a. Recognition by the Law as a non-profit organization;

- i. Registration
 - Registered under the "Trust Act" in June 2000 (Registration No 8499/3503)
Registration certificate enclosed as
 - Registered under the Societies Registration Act 1860 (Registration No. RP/711) in June 2006 at Lahore (Registration No RP/711)
- ii. Tax Exemption Certificate
Exempted under the Income Tax Ordinance 1981 (I&E/84/236 dated 21 October, 2006)

b. Recognition by Pakistan Centre for Philanthropy.

Recognition by Pakistan Centre for Philanthropy PCP certification no **PCP-R1/2009/0102 September 2009 & PCP-2006/0102 awarded on 16 September 2006**

Agreement Form

I /we, _____ agree to Support Drop in Centre **SOHAN, Islamabad**, for the duration of ,

- a) 1 Year
- b) 2 Years
- c) 3 Years ,

for the sum of Rs. 24,000 per month, to be given **(or in US Dollars 285 \$ orUK Sterling 194 £ to be given)**

- a) Monthly
- b) Quarterly
- c) Annually ,

Kindly send reports

- a) Quarterly
- b) Annually ,

, I prefer to send this directly to the Account for the project.

Name of Donor: _____

Address of Donor : _____

Contact No: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Accounts detail		
Pak Rupees (Rs)	US \$	Pound (£)
US\$ A/c No. 01-5369428-01 (Rs A/c) Account Title Idara-i-Talim-o-Aaghai Bank Name Standard Chartered Bank	US\$ A/c No. 01-5369428-09 (US\$ A/c) Account Title Idara-i-Talim-o-Aaghai Bank Name Standard Chartered Bank Bank Code 029 FOR US Dollars Payments. Please Remit by Swift _____ (Using MT100 or MT103 Customer Transfer Format) to Standard Chartered Bank, NEWYORK (Swift Code: SCBLUS33 FEDWIRE No. 026002561) with Instruction for onward credit to Standard Chartered Bank, Karachi (Swift Address SCBLPKXX) Ac No. 3582050996001 for Ultimate credit to Account No. <u>01-5369428-09</u> in the Name of <u>Idara-i-Talim-o-Aaghai</u> Account maintained with Standard Chartered Bank Gulberg Branch Lahore, Pakistan.	US\$ A/c No. 0136-62-02-00004 (£) Account Title Idara-i-Talim-o-Aaghai Bank Name Al-Barka Islamic Bank Bank Code 01 FOR GBP REMITTANCE - £ PAY £ _____ to standard chartered bank LONDON swift scblgb2l for credit to account no. 01249070601 GBP of Albarka Islamic Bank B.S.C. (E.C.) LAHORE PAKISTAN swift code AIINPKKAALHR for onward credit to account. <u>0136-62-02-00004</u> in the name of <u>Idara-i-Talim-o-Aaghai</u>

The focal person for the Donor will be :

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