

MODEL CHILD FRIENDLY PANCHAYATH – KODIPPADY, PUTTURU TALUK

PADI has selected Kodippadi Grama Panchayath as one of its 15 GPs, now it succeeded to provide good services to the general public of its jurisdiction very proudly we call it as CHILD FRIENDLY PANCHAYATH.

Prior to the selection of Kodippadi Grama Panchayath by PADI, Members of the Gram Panchayath were unaware about the various aspects relating to child friendly parameters, their responsibilities towards the children’s education and on child rights and protection.



Considering unawareness of the panchayath members, PADI decided to impart trainings and create awareness programmes on Child Friendly Community, Children’s Grama Panchayath, The Government Systems of Child Protection, Panchayath Raj Act and the Roles and responsibilities of Panchayath towards School, Children and their Rights, Post training, members gave attention and importance towards the

children and school by involving themselves in SDMC meetings and laid eyes on School Development Plan of its respective jurisdiction.

Simultaneously with the origin of Child Protection Committee, quarterly meetings were held to discuss on issues pertaining to the

- Functioning of Gram Panchayath
- Plans for Community awareness camps

Impact of the Legislative Acts on the child, like Right to Education, Prohibition of Child Marriages, Child Labour, etc

Panchayath deserves compliments for possessing the statistical data of children belonging to 0-18 years and data of specially challenged children of their Grama panchayath.



Through the usage of posters on the prominence place of Panchayath for awareness on Free and Compulsory Education Act - Highlights and Children Protection systems was ensured.

The members of Gram Panchayath and the Children Protection Committee hold quarterly meetings to review and implement programmes for the well being of children.

Finally, Kodippadi Panchayath has achieved to be a CHILD FRIENDLY GRAMA PANCHAYATH by utilizing the techniques, trainings given by PADI and has comprehended the roles and responsibilities of the Gram Panchayath members towards child development.

