

**Report of Capacity Building Program of Stakeholders for Child Labour Prevention,  
Rehabilitation and Elimination**

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Children around the world are routinely engaged in paid and unpaid forms of work that are not harmful to them. However, they are classified as child labourers when they are either too young to work, or are involved in hazardous activities that may compromise their physical, mental, social or educational development. In this respect, SAMARTHAN organised a one day workshop to discuss:-

- Status of Child Labor in Bilaspur District (Including issues of Schools, Nutrition, AWC, employment of poor families)
- Schemes for Child Labor and Families (Migrants families, Daily workers, Others) • Role of District Child Welfare Committee, PRI's, CSO, Education, Health, SRLM, • Action plan for elimination of Child Labor

The workshop was presided over by Bansari Nag Madam briefing about ILO Perspective on Child labor Child Rights and Convergence. The Sarpanch of various Panchayat of nearby areas attended this workshop and shared their views and suggested measures on how to stop child labor. Child Line (1098) representative spoke on the importance of child helpline and how they are working for the elimination of child labour, trafficking and other dreadful activities that are practicing against children.

Mr. Akash Tawar Assistant professor GGU, Bilaspur highlighted the importance of education and skills for a child. The workshop was attended by GGU Students: Chandrashekhar Sahu, Satyam Yadav, Dhameshwa Nishad, Tuneshwar Patre and Divya, pursuing their bachelor degree. The workshop was conducted by Devidas Sir with open discussion and PPT slides. Group discussion was also held to make participators think collaborate and share their views. The major highlights of the workshop are:

- Skill full Education should be provided to children along with studies
- Counseling of both parents and children should be taken if they are involved in disgust economic activities

