



Rural Reconstruction Foundation

Mother & Child Healthcare

Still big concern

- † A women dies in every 45 minutes during childbirth
- † A child dies in every 4 minutes for poor post-natal and ante-natal care
- † 70% women suffered from malnutrition
- † 71% of births in Bangladesh occur at home
- † 54.6% experienced adolescent pregnancy
- † working mothers are still far away from exclusive breastfeeding and raise healthy children

Which shows hope

- ≡ Maternal mortality declined more than 66 %
- ≡ 25.5% women having checkup during pregnancy
- ≡ 31.7% women used midwives during childbirth
- ≡ 581 community clinics set by government
- ≡ 1500 union mother and child family welfare centers



RRF Health Context

RRF keeps going for mother and child healthcare since 2004 depends on basic 4 pillars



1. Promote the basic expected healthcare services to the poor mothers in hard to reach areas

2. Raise Health education amongst the child, mothers, adolescent by providing door step service

4. Promote mother and child Healthcare service by educating the community in Disaster prone area

3. Improve the general health status of the rural community by providing health, family planning and nutritional services

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RRF Wagon Wheel

Community Healthcare Program

Around 36000 mothers and child in hard to reach areas are mainly targeted by promoting various community interventions for behavior changing, educating and counseling families on basic healthcare



- ≡ Maternal and neonatal health care services
- ≡ Integrated Management of Childhood illness
- ≡ Family Planning services
- ≡ Promote adolescent health care services
- ≡ Education & counseling
- ≡ General Healthcare services
- ≡ School Health Services and Family Planning
- ≡ Deworming and immunization

Community Disaster Resilience Project (WASH)

Community Disaster Resilience through Participatory approach for Safe Shelter and Protecting Mother and Child Healthcare in disaster prone areas

- ‡ Provide WASH Kits (including Slipper, Toothbrush, Toothpaste, Soap) to 700 kids
- ‡ Installed 4 Bath house, 200 sanitary latrine, 02 Deep Tube well.
- ‡ Awareness training to 2000 mother son Health & Hygiene, deworming, Hand washing, nutrition
- ‡ 700 kids received Color Book on the issues of Deworming, Immunization, and Hygiene

Microfinance Program



185000 poor women receive financial support to meet their healthcare services

- ‡ Health Insurance for mother and babies
- ‡ Hospital & Paramedics support
- ‡ General Health
- ‡ Health Education
- ‡ Access to advance healthcare services



School Feeding Program

Steps to combat malnutrition and to ensure the healthy growth for Ultra Poor children for a healthy nation

- ≡ Feed for 205979 Of 1091 School
- ≡ Awareness on health, hygiene and sanitation, nutrition
- ≡ De-worming
- ≡ Nutrition by Vegetable Gardening

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Sponsorship Program



3272 Child and their family are having the benefits under this program

- ‡ different Medicare service like surgery for appendicitis, tumor operation, road accident, stroke, tonsil, dental, heart related disease and so on
- ‡ healthcare education for behavior change
- ‡ Nutrition by providing direct food
- ‡ Advocacy for empowering mothers

RRF looks forward for a bigger extent



- ‡ Intend to maximize the coverage for mother and child healthcare
- ‡ Advocacy for strengthening local health services and community participation
- ‡ Increase financial allocation in Healthcare
- ‡ Empower community to capitalize the local resources



Thank You

