

INTRODUCTION

The Government of India has recently launched Mission Vatsalya 2022 in place of Child Protection Services with an aim to emphasize child rights advocacy and awareness and strengthen the Juvenile Justice Care and Protection system. It provides a roadmap for achieving child protection priorities.

The Government of India has also amended the Juvenile Justice (Care and Protection of Children) Act, 2015 and Model Rules, 2016 and recently launched Adoption Regulations, 2022. These amendments provide for a new procedure for adoption, norms for group foster care, new criteria for appointment to Child Welfare Committees/Juvenile Justice Boards and other important provisions relating to the care and protection of children.

Child Resource Centre (CRC) is working as one of the unique initiatives of the Government of Rajasthan (GoR) with technical and financial support from UNICEF to strengthen Child Protection Systems and to promote Child Rights through workforce development building capacities of the primary and other stakeholders.

CRC is organizing a One-day training on Adoption for Superintendents and Probation Officers of Specialized Adoption Agency on 20th October 2022 in joint collaboration with Department for Child Rights.

OBJECTIVES

1. To build the capacity of Superintendents and Probation Officers of SAA on amendments made under the Juvenile Justice Act and Rules.
2. To capacitate the Superintendents and Probation Officers of SAA on Mission Vatsalya introduced by Centre Government.
3. To capacitate the participants about Adoption Regulations and understand the challenges faced during the process.

CONTENTS

- Amendments in Juvenile Justice Act 2015 and Model Rules 2016.
- Mission Vatsalya: An Introduction, Key Features and Arrangements.
- Adoption regulations 2022
- Role of District Magistrate in adoption
- Role of SAA and challenges faced during process
- Schemes related to Foster Care

TARGET AUDIENCE

The programme is designed for Specialized Adoption Agency (SAA). Under the Juvenile Justice Act, SAA helps to facilitate the process of adoption for the children in its institution, along with children in the Child Care Institutions links to SAA. It is assumed that the participants have understanding on Juvenile Justice Act 2015 and Rules 2016.

METHODOLOGY

The training will be conducted through classroom sessions with a good blend of lectures, focused group discussion, group exercises, audio-visual presentations, peer learning activities and case study based discussions.

DIGNITARIES AND RESOURCE PERSONS

- Ms. Anuprerna Singh Kuntal, Director and Joint Secretary, Department for Child Rights (DCR)
- Mr. Manna Biswas, Child Protection Officer, UNICEF Rajasthan
- Mr. Shambhu Ram Meena, Deputy Director, DCR
- Mr. Chandra Shekhar Sharma, Deputy Director (SARA), DCR
- Mr. Anant Kr. Asthana, Child Rights Advocate, High Court Delhi
- Mr. Govind Beniwal, Consultant, UNICEF, Rajasthan
- Mr. Anirudh Jaimini, Consultant, Department for Child Rights

PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

Thursday, 20 October, 2022	
09:30 - 01:00	Registration (CRC)
10:00 - 10.10	Introduction of the training (Mr. Shambhu Ram Meena)
10:10 - 10:20	Welcome of Participants (Ms. Anuprena Singh Kuntal)
10:20 – 10:30	Expectations from participants (Mr. Manna Biswas)
10:30 - 11:45	Juvenile Justice (Amendment) Act 2021 and Model Rules (Amendment) 2022 (Mr. Anant Kr. Asthana)
11:45 - 12:00	Hi-Tea
12:00 - 01:15	Mission Vatsalya: An Introduction, Key Features and Arrangements (Mr. Anant Kr. Asthana)
01.15 - 02.00	Lunch
02:00 – 04:00	Discussion on Adoption Regulations 2022 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Role of District Magistrate• Process of Adoption (Mr. Anirudh Jaimini)
04:00 - 04:15	Tea
04:15 – 05:00	Role of SAA and Challenges faced during adoption process (Mr. Chandra Shekhar Sharma)
05:00 - 05:45	Schemes related to Foster Care (Mr. Govind Beniwal)
05:45	Feedback of the training and Vote of thanks

One-day Training for Specialized Adoption Agencies on Adoption under Juvenile Justice Act 2015

(20 October, 2022)

Venue: Conference Hall, New Executive Hostel, HCM RIPA



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