

ILO TECHNICAL COOPERATION – CHILD LABOUR

Project Snapshot

Awareness raising and Advocacy	Converging Against Child Labour: Support for India's Model	
	Duration: September 2008 – June 2013	
	Donor & Budget United States Department of Labour USD 6,850,000	Objective Supporting constituents to strengthen an enabling environment and establish convergence-based models for the prevention and elimination of child labour at the district level, with work on policy, knowledge enhancement and dissemination, and replication at the state and national levels.
	Results and Outcomes • Developed effective Convergence-based model for elimination and prevention of child labour, including trafficking/migration of children for work, in two districts in each of five States, namely Bihar, Gujarat, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, and Orissa. • Enhanced state-level capacities to coordinate action against child labour and support converging interventions at district level. • Strengthened enabling environment for the prevention and elimination of child labour at the National level to take the convergence model to scale. • Built capacity of workers and employers' organization to actively participate and promote the convergence model at district, state and national levels. • Addressed 48,000 children (5-14 years) in <i>Agarbhati</i> (incense) making, <i>beedi</i>(hand rolled cigarettes) rolling, brick kiln, broken tin and chrome collection, child domestic labour, coal collection, construction work, <i>dhaba</i>/roadside eateries work, fire cracker manufacturing, garage and welding work, polythene and waste cycling, rag picking, stone breaking, <i>zari</i> (embroidery) work on garments, carpet and textile weaving and dyeing. • 20,000 direct beneficiaries and 29,000 indirect beneficiaries prevented and withdrawn from hazardous child labour.	

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