

CDS Visit Report

- DISTRICT: KOTTAYAM
- CDS: TEEKOY
- DATE: October 18th & 19th 2019
- Name of CDS Chairperson- Ressay George
- No of wards- 13
- No of NHG 75
- JLG- 22
- ME- 10

Learning's

- There are only 10 ME units are working in Teekoy Panchayath
- CDS Chairperson Support the group but at the same time she decided to give subsidy to the group only after the successful implementation of the activities of the group and evaluation of their interest to continue the activities. I think this is a good idea and it will help the sustainability of the group.
- ME units demanded to pay the Crisis Management Fund directly to their account instead of CDS account this will help them to use the money for immediate purposes
- CDS Members are very active but due to geographical condition and their financial condition they can't spend their full time for Kudumbashree activities.
- CDS have own fund but that is not enough to meet their needs
- Asraya Family member was leading a dignified life with own home with the support of Kudumbashree members. CDS chairperson takes very much interest for the mainstreaming of asraya beneficiary and their children. She decided to exclude this family in the next year list. So that others get more benefits.

- Visited General NHG- 16 member group- Each Volunteer keeps their own records (their activities and interventions in NHG Area)- This is a good practice all NHGs can adopt
- Visited JLG – They are cultivating tapioca in 2-Acres – Attack from Animals, Irrigation issues they are facing But they showed the courage to continue the activities .
- CDS demanded support from District and State mission considering individual situation of the CDS and the geography of that particular area
- One more point added is evaluate the programme implementation and status based on the success rate and impact of the particular activity. Grading should not be done based on the number only
- Particular programme designing and implementation strategy should develop based on the need and condition of the CDS
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