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Project Name : Health Care in Village

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What challenge does your project address?

Healthcare availability in the village

- Many villages lack proper healthcare infrastructure, which is especially problematic for women and children who need access to healthcare quickly.
- While Primary Health Clinics (PHCs) are available for one Gram Panchayat, there are no hospitals in the village. PHCs must be available for every village to ensure that everyone has access to basic healthcare.

Why did the team select this topic?

- The team chose to tackle the lack of proper healthcare infrastructure in villages, especially for women and children.
- Most villages have no hospitals and rely solely on Primary Health Clinics (PHCs) for one Gram Panchayat, limiting accessibility to healthcare and posing significant challenges.
- Expanding PHC coverage to every village is crucial for ensuring timely and adequate healthcare services for all residents.

How is this a real world problem or concern?

- This is a real-world problem because it directly impacts the health and well-being of vulnerable populations, particularly women and children, in rural areas.
- The lack of proper healthcare infrastructure in villages means delayed or inaccessible medical treatment, leading to increased morbidity and mortality rates.
- Addressing this issue is essential for promoting equitable access to healthcare and improving overall public health outcomes in these communities.

Describe learning or discovery from the interviews or surveys?

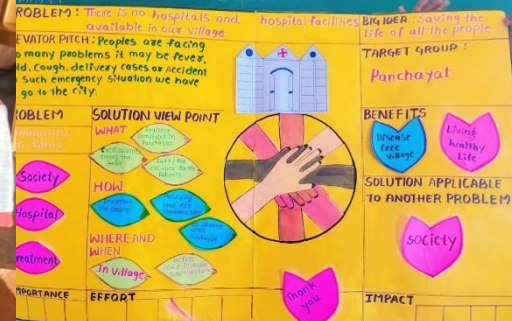
- We met some of the village people and discussed with them about hospitals available in the village, the health care, and related challenges they are facing.



How did the information you learned, motivate you to act in an impactful way?

- Lack of healthcare facilities in the village
- Especially affects women and children
- Absence of nearby hospitals and clinics
- Delayed or inadequate treatment
- Higher rates of preventable illnesses
- Families endure financial strain
- Impact on community well-being and development
- Motivated to advocate for change
- Raise awareness and mobilize resources
- Collaborate with local authorities
- Improve healthcare access
- Make a tangible difference in the community's health and prosperity

Photos of team members in the team formation and identification phase.



How are you planning for permanent change?

- Conducting community meetings to raise awareness
- Mobilizing support from local leaders and organizations
- Collaborating with healthcare professionals for insights
- Advocating for government funding and resources
- Implementing sustainable healthcare solutions
- Monitoring progress and adapting strategies as needed

How did your team influence others?

- Community Engagement: Hosted awareness events to educate villagers about healthcare access.
- Collaborative Partnerships: Teamed up with local leaders, healthcare providers
- Personal Testimonials: Shared impactful stories to evoke empathy and inspire action.
- Policy Advocacy: Pushed for policy changes and government action to address healthcare disparities with Gram Panchayat Secretary and Panchayat Development Officer.
- Empowerment and Participation: Encouraged community involvement to foster ownership of the cause.

Give examples of creative use of technology.

We have suggested these technologies but still, we need to implement them for a pilot project in the village.

- Telemedicine: Remote consultations for healthcare access.
- Mobile Health (mHealth) Apps: Health management via mobile applications.
- Health Information Systems: Digital platforms for efficient healthcare coordination.

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