# **Turning Point Foundation**

# Short Report -Youth Resource Centre 2023-24



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#### A brief profile **Turning Point Foundation**

Established in 2000 and registered in 2002, Turning Point Foundation is a charitable organization aimed at intervening the issues related to health, education and livelihood to the hard to reach and disadvantaged group of population in our society. For this purpose, presently the organization is running two different projects in Delhi

- 1. **Integrated Rehabilitation Centre for** Addicts (IRCA), supported by Government of India located at Alipur, North Delhi). Indoor treatment facilities are provided to the people who dependent on drugs, alcohol or related addictive substances.
- 2. Youth Resource Centre (YRC) supported by MDSOG, at LalBagh, North Delhi. The goal of the project is to provide knowledge and skills for young vulnerable people to earn a reasonable living so that they are not at risk of being drawn into unsafe social and unhealthy behaviours. The project also impart skill development to match their needs or immediate requirements for youths from disadvantaged sections of the society.

#### Visit of Walter Wiese and Uta Sommer from MDSOG

We are grateful to Walter and Uta for visiting our Youth Resource Centre on 11<sup>th</sup> February, 2024 and interacting with staff and beneficiaries. People here were happy and motivated after the meeting.

#### **Ongoing Activities of Youth Resource Centre**

1. Digital Unify Programme (ICB): The Informatics and Computer Basics (ICB) course within the Digital Unify Programme is composed of five modules and covers basic understanding of MS Office and Internet tools and their usage, and responsible of use of Information and Communication Technology. Digital Unify Programme is designed and conducted in partnership with STMicroelectronics Foundation, India.



2. **Digital Unify Programme (ICB-Advanced):** Advanced skills in MS word, Excel and PowerPoint is imparted through this course



**3. Basic Computer Course:** This is a basic course having a curriculum for 4 months where Microsoft word, Excel, PowerPoint and internet usage is taught.



**4. Basic English:** For students who are weak in English and studying in schools. Many students were able pick up with their school curriculum after learning basics of English.



**5. Sewing and Cutting:** The course is of six months duration and each day is having five batches per day at two different centres. Each batch has 1.30 hours of training time every day.





**6. Informal Education (Basic Hindi):** Many children who are attending schools and adult ladies who lacks basics of Hindi and that is why they are finding difficult to continue their school studies. The course will enable them to set basics of Hindi language and continue their studies.



- **7. Menstrual Health & Hygiene Sessions:** Menstrual Health & Hygiene in collaboration with Group of Friends Welfare Trust (GoFWT), Delhi community adolescence and women in batches.
- **8.** In-house sessions on health & Life Skills: YRC is also providing health education including Personal Hygiene, reproductive health, HIV/AIDS & Drug abuse awareness along with Life skills education. The aim of these sessions is to enable the young people to have informed choices in their life decisions.
- 9. Career Guidance and support: YRC provides various information on career guidance, school/college admissions, job hunting and other information to make a suitable choice for their future. YRC also play as a facilitation centre for young people who want to access internet to avail various schemes/application process for educational support.
- 10. **Celebration of National, Social and Cultural Events:** These occasions are made use of recreation and improving bonds among youth as well as to impart knowledge about various subjects.





### Impact stories on project completion



Name: Ms. Partiksha Class: 12<sup>th</sup> Pass

Salary – 10000/- per month Job profile – Call centre

My name is Pratiksha. I live in LalBagh, Delhi.I joined the 20 hours Informatics Computer Basic Course at TPF-YRC in August, 2023 which is conducted in partnership with STMicroelectronics Foundation. After doing this course I appeared for an interview in a company where I got selected due to my computer training.



Name: Ms. Shivani Class: 12<sup>th</sup> Pass

Salary – 10000/- per month Job profile – Data entry

My name is Shivani and I lives in Kaushal Puri, Azadpur. I did 20 hours Informatics Computer Basic Course and 60 hours Informatics Computer Basic-Advanced course successfully. My sister and two other friends also joined the course. After doing these courses I appeared for an interview and got a job as a Data Entry Operator.



Name: Mr. Mohit Chaurasiya

Class: B.com Pass

Salary – 11200/- per month Job profile – Computer Operater

My name is Mohit Chaurasiya and I am hailing from Kaushal Puri, Delhi. I joined 20 hours Informatics Computer Basic course at TPF-YRC in December 2022 which is conducted in partnership with STMicroelectronics Foundation. After doing this course I appeared for an interview in a company and got a job in a Call Centre.



Name: Ms. Keertika Class: 12th Pass

Salary – 8000/- per month Job profile – Sales Executive

My name is Keertika. I live in Kaushal Puri, Azadpur. I did 20 hours Informatics Computer Basic Course, 60 hours Informatics Computer Basic-Advanced course and Basic Computer-Advanced course. After doing these courses I appeared for an interview and got a job as a data entry operator and field work.

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