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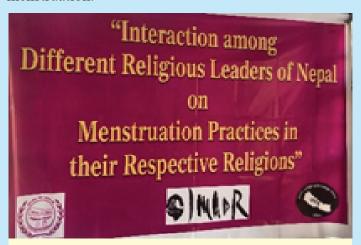


E-Bulletin on the celebration of 16 Days Activism against Gender-Based Violence

1.Interaction among Different Religious Leaders of Nepal on menstruation Practices in their Respective Religions

Jagaran Nepal has organized "Interaction among Different Religious Leaders of Nepal on menstruation Practices in their Respective Religions" on occasion to celebrate 16 Days Activism against Gender-Based Violence on 10th December 2021. The objectives of the interaction program with four major religious leaders from Hinduism, Buddhism, Muslim, and Christianity were to understand mensuration practice according to their religion and their views regarding it and to make them understand the mensuration process as dignified mensuration.

In the interaction program, we found that religious leaders have a positive understanding of mensuration practice. They shared that women are not impure during mensuration time and should not be treated as impure or live a separate life. According to them in any religious book, it is not stated that menstruation is impure or women need to follow isolation rules during menstruation.



Jagaran Nepal Banner for the Interaction Program.

These all are a myth regarding religious views on mensuration practice. Moreover, our society is a patriarchal society where women are dominated based on their sex and seen as less human that is why women are facing all the problems. So, to overcome this problem we need to educate our mothers and sisters and create awareness to the male and senior people in the society about dignified mensuration practice.



Jagaran Nepal Technical Advisor/Founder Ms. Sharmila Karki at "Interaction among Different Religious Leaders of Nepal on Menstruation Practices in their Respective Religions" with different religious leaders.



Jagaran Nepal Technical Advisor/Founder Ms. Sharmila Karki and Chairperson Ms. Samjhana Pokharel at the Interaction Program.



Religious Leader from Hindu religion sharing views on dignified mensuration Practice at the Interaction Program.



Religious Leader from the Muslim religion share views on dignified mensuration at the Interaction Program.



Religious Leader from the Buddhist religion share views on dignified mensuration at the Interaction Program.

In support of Jagaran Nepal Dalit Mahila Aadhikar Manch, Dadeldhura celebrate violence against women day on 10th December 2021 'Interaction among Authorities and Different Stakeholders at Local Level to end violence against women-Chhaupadi'.



Interaction Program on the occasion of violence against women day celebrated by Dalit Mahila Aadhikar Manch. Dadeldhura.

2. Implementing Activities of COVID-19 Support Project

2.1 Capacity Building and Safe House Logistics Support Meeting for Gap Identification

The gap identification meeting on logistics support and capacity building to control Gender-Based Violence (GBV) was held in the Gaurijung rural municipality (Jhapa) and the Rangeli municipality (Morang). Jagaran Nepal Project Office Reeta K.C attend the meeting in coordination with LCF and SNJD Nepal to identify gaps for capacity building or GBV logistic support as per needs.



Meeting with GBV Control Network Group in Gaurijung Rural Municipality, Jhapa, Nepal for gap identification.



Meeting with GBV Control Network Group in Rangeli Municipality and Rangeli Police Office, Morang, Nepal for gap identification

3. National Advocacy

A preparation program of South Asian level Conference Violence against women (VAW) is preventable and soluble which is going to be held from 14th to 16th March 2022 in Kathmandu. Jagaran Nepal Chairperson Samjhana Pokharel has attended the events which are organized by the Women's NGO Federation Nepal.



Jagaran Nepal Chairperson Samjhana Pokharel at the Conference.



Jagaran Nepal Chairperson Ms. Samjhana Pokharel planning meeting.

4. Dialogue Program

Dissemination of Civil Society Organization Sustainability Index and Role of CSOs to Ensure Civil freedom. There was critical discussion on the global report of 2015-2020 CSOs. GOGO Foundation report shows that Nepal is okay with CSOs advocacy while public image and financial viability is not good comparatively among the eight South Asian Countries.



Jagaran Nepal Chairperson Samjhana Pokharel at GOGO Foundation.

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