

HOMELINK BANGALORE HUB ANNUAL REPORT

APR-2022 TO MAR-2023

Homelink Child Management Information System & Services

BANGALORE HUB

**Collective data of children from the Nodes of Karnataka &
Kerala of Don Bosco INK Province**



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Hub Director Message



It is with great joy that I am writing these few lines, as we are releasing the annual report of Homelink Bangalore Hub for the year of 2022 – 23. We could carry out many things during the last one. We need to thank God for all the blessings we received, during the last year. I take this occasion to thank Fr. Tony Pellissery who was the Secretary & Executive Director of DB YaR Forum and Fr. Joseph Leo who was the Joint Secretary and Director of HomeLink Network. My sincere thanks to both of them for their hard work and commitment for the cause of children/ young at risk. While wishing them for their good leadership and guidance, I wish them all the best in their future ministry. I also welcome Fr. Joseph Prabu who is the new Secretary and Executive Director of DB YaR Forum and Fr. Francis Bosco who is the new Joint Secretary.

I am happy to inform you that our Hub received 4 awards during the last year at National YaR level. The awards are:

1. YAR Alumni award – Dr. Prasanna T. (Journalist and Social Worker), Province of Bangalore
2. YAR Innovative Program Award – MIRACLE (Movement in Rebuilding A Career for Life and Education) for Trivandrum Don Bosco Veedu Society, Province of Bangalore
3. YAR Short Film Award – 'Kadath', a way of trafficking for Trivandrum Don Bosco Veedu Society, Province of Bangalore
4. Home Link Service of Excellence, Best Node Award for BOSCO, Bangalore

I would like to congratulate the Node Directors for these achievements. As you know, DB YaR Forum has prepared the assessment tool for "Don Bosco Standards of Care" in our Child Care Institutions. Let us make use of this tool for assessing the standards of care that we are providing to the children in our child care institutions and do the needful to improve the care. All of us are convinced of the importance of documentation for the effective running of the organization. In order to be more effective in our work, we need to have good documentation. While some Nodes are doing well in making use of the Homelink in maintaining and sharing the up to date information on child related issues, the other Nodes will have to make efforts in making the best use of the documentation tool. We need to document all our services so that we will have comprehensive statistics regarding our mission towards the Young at Risk.

Let us read through the annual report so that we may realize the activities our Hub is carrying out. I would like to thank and congratulate Mr. John Joshua, the Hub Coordinator, Homelink for his great efforts in making our nodes alive and active and for bringing out this annual report. My thanks to the Node Directors and the staffs who are supporting in the Homelink documentation. Wishing you a new financial year with all enriching experiences and great success.

**Fr. Varghese Pallipuram SDB,
Hub Director, Bangalore Hub
Homelink documentation Program**



Dear Friends, "Annual report is an outline of NGO's accomplishment, it's a mandatory for the organizations and it proves its credibility." I am happy to present you the Annual report of Homelink Bangalore Hub, INK Province. Homelink Child MISS, as effectively accomplished one more year with documentation program. During the last year more thrust and animation in regard to the documentation was given in the province. YaR directors of our (INK) province have assured their participation effectively in service of children in need of care and protection during the training programmes. All have accepted for systematic data entry on a regular basis, as a outcome the organizations will be able to submit information related to children and reports to Child Welfare Govt. Departments and to other respective authorities when ever required.



Message from YaR Coordinator, INK

Such forms of analysis and reporting helps us towards decisions and governance in favor of children in need of care and protection. All these are possible because of the leadership and contribution from Don Bosco YaR Forum.

BOSCO has the obligation to lead the implementation of the Child MISS Hub program in the State of Karnataka and Kerala. During the past year we have put in every effort towards making the Nodes active and use the tool for quality and quantity documentation of the children served. I express my sincere words of gratitude to all the Bangalore Hub Child MISS team members and wish them a wonderful year ahead.

Data collected and documented will help the organization for any ready reference, especially when there is a request from the government department, in writing project proposals to raise funds, taking organizational level decisions and for internal evaluations.

We need to realize the importance of documentation in collective and how it affects the effective running of the organization. If we are a registered Child Care Institutions, then it is mandatory that we keep all the basic details in digital form as well as hard copies.

Let us make the best use of the Homelink Child MISS tool for the good of the organization and for providing better services to children.

This annual report summarizes the highlights of the year 2022-2023. I hope the information will be helpful to you in assessing the effectiveness and responsibilities involved while coming to documentation.

My deepest thanks to Mr. John Joshua Nirmal, Homelink Hub Coordinator, Bangalore Hub for his dedication and hard work which rewarded the "Best Hub Coordinator award" from National forum for Young at risk in 2021. Let us work together to give to our Children, Youth and the less privileged members of our society a happy and healthy childhood and adulthood free of Abuse and exploitation and assuring justice and right.

Fr. James Paul
YaR Coordinator, INK Province





With great joy, we bring to you this Homelink ChildMISS Bangalore Hub, Annual report 2022-2023. When I look back the past nine years of my journey with Homelink. Nodes & Hub have together crossed milestones and have reached up to this level. I thank all the Node directors, who joined hands with me in implementing the documentation tool to its best from their respective organisations.

Homelink Child MISS (Child Management Information System and Service) is a whole documentation package for an organisation. Its aim is to track the child / young person who are in need of care and protection from his / her entry to the exist point & to an extent, while in stay in the organisation and the children who gets services rendered from the communities.

APJ Abdul Kalam, celebrated President of India, popularly known as the 'Missile Man of India' quotes "You cannot change your FUTURE, you can change your HABITS. And surely your HABITS will change your FUTURE"

Analysis / reflection places an important role in documentation, it shouldn't just stop with the collection of data. The data needs its own form of reflection at various platforms keeping the growth, development and future of children. The aim of our data collection must be for bring in policy changes for the issues faced and abolishing of social evil against children and young persons in the Society.

"Each drop of water makes the river" let us join our hands together to become a river of usefulness, which brings in change that ripple through future generation of young at risk, by proper documentation system.

My heartfelt thanks to Fr. Jose Thomas Koyickal, Provincial of Bangalore province for extending his support and encouraging all the YaR centers / services to use Homelink documentation tool for well-organised documentation. Through his Provincial circular JTK-XVII-2022, released on 12, July 2022 stating, "I would exhort all our YaR Centers to make optimum use of this tool so as to have proper documentation of our work."

I also thank my Hub Director Fr. Varghese Pallipuram and Fr. James Paul the YaR Coordinator INK province, for their tremendous back support in all situation and in implementation.

Mr. John Joshua Nirmal.I
Hub Coordinator, Bangalore



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Don Bosco Yadagir



Fr. D'sa Roshan
Node Director
Don Bosco Hospet



Fr. Reji Jacob
Node Director
Don Bosco Child Labour
Mission, Davangere



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Node Director
Chithra Don Bosco



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Node Directors in Bangalore Hub



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Kochi



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Thiruvananthapuram



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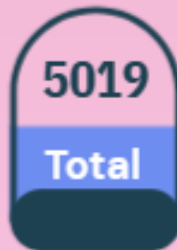
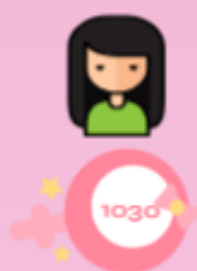
Fr. Arul Raj
Node Director
(REDS) Ragpickers Education &
Development Scheme, Bangalore





DATA AND STATISTICS

April 2022 to March 2023

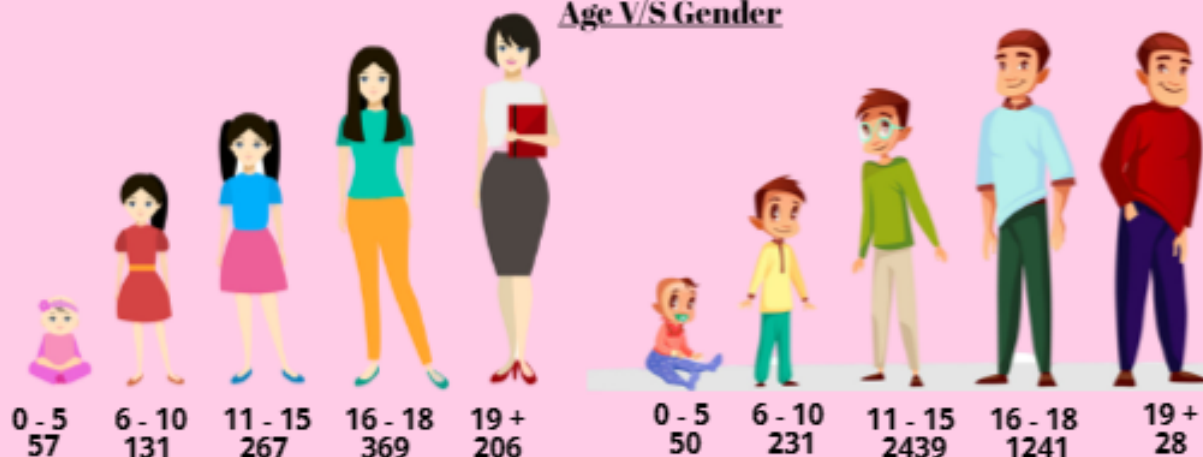


Girls reached 21 % & Boys 79%. Which shows boys reached is 3+ times more than Girls

Child Status



Age V/S Gender



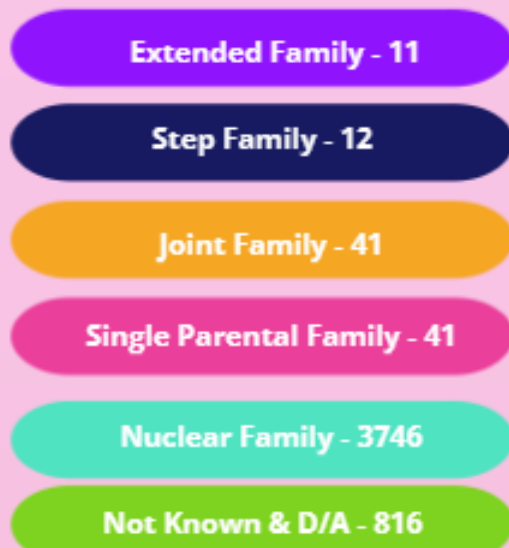
Vulnerable children & young persons rescued - 4227

Community based services provided to children & young persons - 812

Contact Group



Type of family



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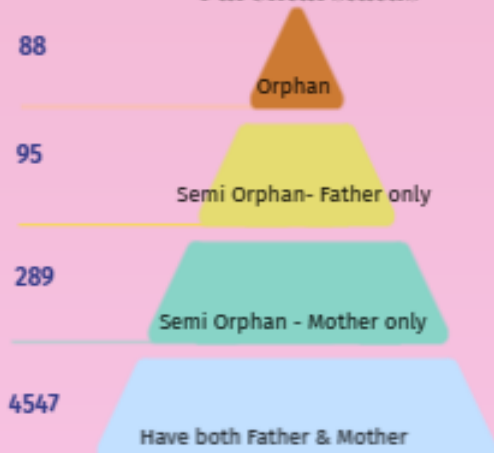
Homelink Network



DATA AND STATISTICS

April 2022 to March 2023

Parental status



Child category

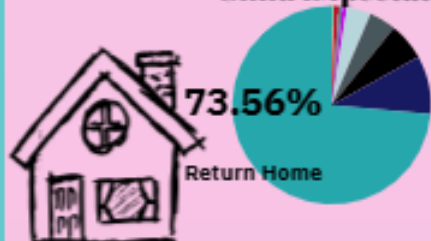


- Addiction (0.03%)
- child with disability (0.16%)
- Child abuse (0.32%)
- Abandoned/ Missing child (1.04%)
- In conflict with the law (2.22%)
- Special category (9.89%)
- school dropout children (25.11%)
- Migrant (0.07%)
- Married child (0.29%)
- Child Beggar (0.58%)
- Child Labour (9.22%)
- Street child (51.07%)

Children contacted node wise

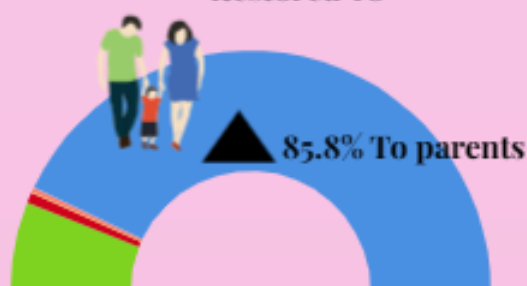
Node names	Male	Female	Total
BOSCO, Bangalore	3732	844	4576
Don Bosco Bidar	29	21	50
Don Bosco Davangere	18	4	22
Don Bosco Makkalamane, Mysore	9	0	9
Don Bosco PYar Gulbarga	93	91	184
Don Bosco Hospet	15	16	31
Don Bosco Palluruthy, Kochi	20	0	20
Don Bosco Trivandrum	48	0	48
Auxilium Navajeevana Society	0	11	11
REDS, Bangalore	24	42	66
Total	3988	1029	5017

Child Expectations



- Medical support (0.06%)
- Legal support (0.24%)
- Emotional support (0.69%)
- Counselling (3.97%)
- Vocational training (6.13%)
- Return Home (73.56%)
- Economical Support (0.24%)
- Shelter (0.55%)
- Basic needs (0.69%)
- Educational support (4.33%)
- No expectation (9.53%)

Restored To



- fit Institution (12.02%)
- Foster Parents (0.08%)
- Parents (85.8%)
- Fit Person (1.44%)
- Guardian (0.66%)

Prepared by Bangalore Hub

Homelink Network



Homelink Services & Follow ups



Camp **137**

443 Education



Home Enquiry **15**

144 Home Visit by Child



Job Placement **47**

429 Medical



Heomlink Services & Follow ups



602

Parents visiting children

2775 Counselling



Vocational Training **127**

288

Children Achivements



2539

Production before
Child welfare committee



Other Child MISS Modules



Missing Complaints **52**

13 Traced Missing Complaints



464

Children service center data

336 Children Rescued



Volunteers **125**

117 Programs Conducted



NODE VISITS



Node visit to Don Bosco Bidar
22nd & 23rd June 2022



Node visit to Don Bosco PYaR
Gulbarg- 25th Jun 2022



Node visit to Don Bosco
Hospet-13th & 14th Jul 2022



Node visit to DBCLM, Davangere
6th & 7th Sep 2022



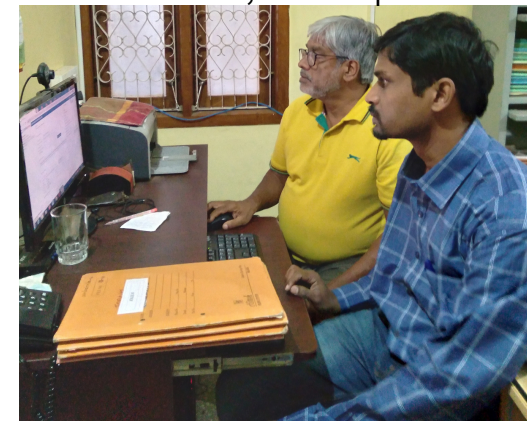
Node visit to Don Bosco Palluruthy
Kerala 21st & 22nd Sep 2022



Node visit to Don Bosco Veedu
Trivandrum, 20th Sep 2022



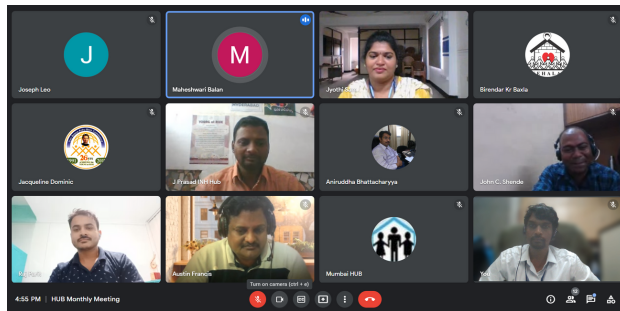
Node visit to REDS, Bangalore,
22nd Dec 2022



Node visit to Don Bosco Makkala
Mane, Mysore 11th Jan 2023



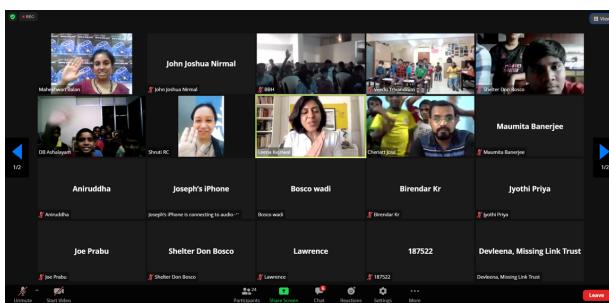
ONLINE TRAININGS & MEETINGS



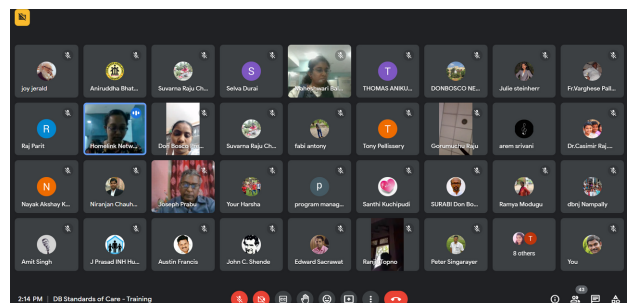
Homelink Network, Monthly meeting



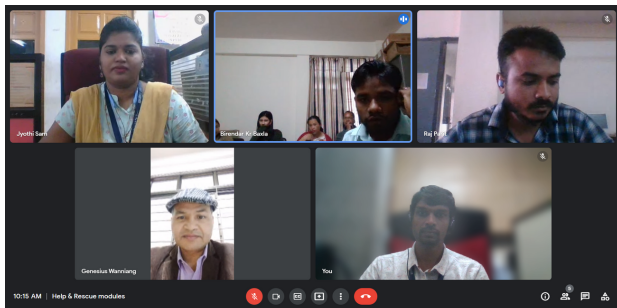
Video snippet training by Mr. Austin, Homelink Network.



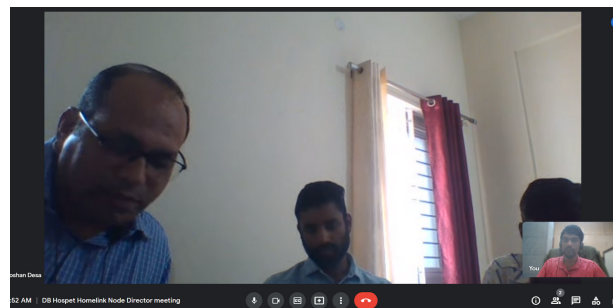
Unspoken webinars on Child Safe Online, by YaR forum



Training on Don Bosco Standards of Care by DB YaR Forum to Province YaR Coordinators & Homelink Hub Coordinators, & Other team members



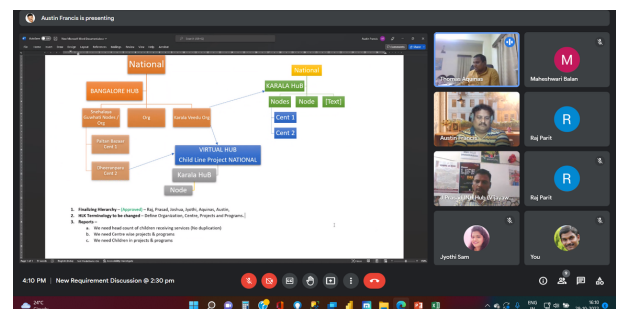
Sharing knowledge on Homelink Help & Rescue module to Guwahati Hub



Homelink Node follow up meeting DB Hospet Director & Staff.



Online training for newly joined Delhi Coordinator Hub



Discussion on new development of the Child MISS web tool



MAJOR MEETING CUM TRAININGS

Digital Transformation & Innovation for Social Media Training

The training was organised by DB YaR Forum in collaboration with Itwillbe.org in New Delhi from 4th to 6th May 2022. It targeted Homelink Hub Directors, Hub Coordinators, and their networks of all the provinces.



On 27th June 2022, at BOSCO, Bangalore, Mr. John Joshua, Homelink Hub Coordinator, presented an introduction to Homelink and YaR services. The presentation was conducted under the leadership of Fr. Varghese Pallipuram and was attended by YaR Centers Directors and foster care staffs of Bangalore Province.



On 18th August 2022, a one-day Homelink animation training was conducted for YaR Center Directors and their teams at Don Bosco Provincial House, Bangalore. The training was facilitated by the Homelink national team.

YaR Awards -2022

On 30th November 2022, the 17th DB YaR Fourm Annual National seminar was held at Don Bosco Provincial House, Hyderabad. During which 10th year of YaR Award ceremony was Organised.



Bangalore Province received 4 YaR awards during YaR award function –

"YaR Alumni Award" – Dr. Prasanna .T, (Past pulip of BOSCO, Bangalore).

"YaR Innovative Programme Award"– Don Bosco Veedu society, Trivandrum for **MIRACLE** project.

"The short film award"– Don Bosco Veedu society, Trivandrum, for **Kandath- A way of Trafficking**, video.

"Homelink service of excellence – Best Node award" – BOSCO, Bangalore.

Don Bosco Standards of Care training for the trainers



On 24th January 2023, A training session was organized at Don Bosco Bidar under the supervision of Fr. James Paul, YaR Coordinator INK province. The training, was facilitated by the DB YaR Forum team. The participants included one representative from five of the Don Bosco YaR centers and the Homelink Hub Coordinator.



Achivements in Bangalore Hub

Bangalore Hub Annual Report
of 2021- 22 released

The Flipbook on Tuition Centre
prepared & criculated

Homelink, Bangalore Hub YaR
Directors meeting conducted

12 Nodes are active through
regular visits & follow ups

11 Sinppets & 5 Video
Snippets released

12 Monthly Infographics
Reports prepared and
circulated among nodes of
Bangalore Province

14 Node Snippets were
presented by BOSCO, Bangalore

BOSCO, Bangalore awarded for
Homelink "Best Node Award"
2022

Data was utilized from Child
MISS during monthly meetings
at BOSCO, Bangalore

Child MISS data of Bihar state
children were shared with
KSCPCR, in action a letter was
sent to Bihar Government
departments.

13689 entries made in Child
MISS tool by Bangalore Hub

Child MISS data was used for
reporting, project, and proposal
writings



Turning Tears and Blood into Medals of Gold!

Sunflower(name changed), 16 years old, from Bengaluru, is studying in 10th standard. She hails from an economically poor family. Her mother is a vegetable vendor in K.R. Market. She is the eldest in the family, with three younger sisters and a younger brother. When her father left home she was only nine years old, studying in the 3rd standard in a government school in



Nayandanahalli. Due to family issues and financial trouble she had to drop out of school and take care of her siblings. One day when she was in K.R. Market with her mother she met the Social Mobilizer of BOSCO, Bangalore, who spoke to them and came to know the pathetic situation at home. The staff informed the child's mother about BOSCO, Bangalore centers and their activities for the vulnerable children and suggested placing her and her younger sister Rose(name changed) for shelter and education. Sunflower's mother agreed and the children were admitted to BOSCO girl center for Basic needs, education, care and protection.

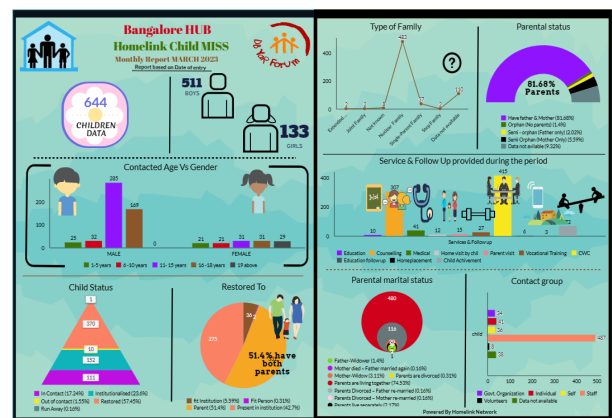
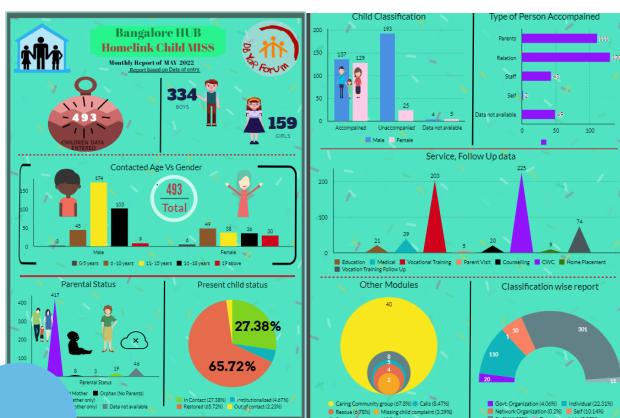
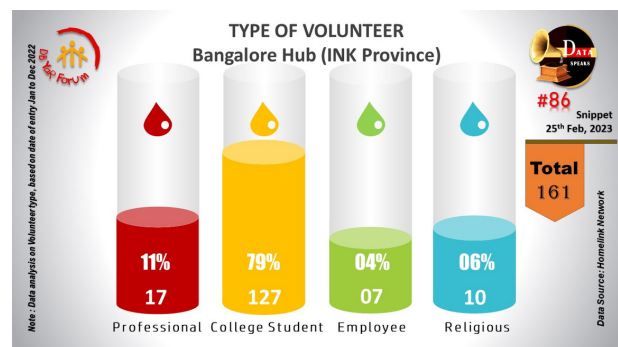
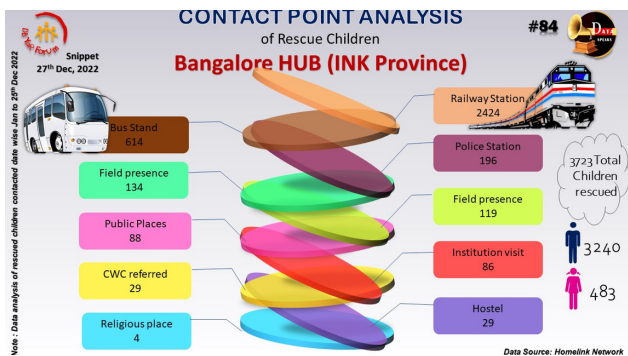
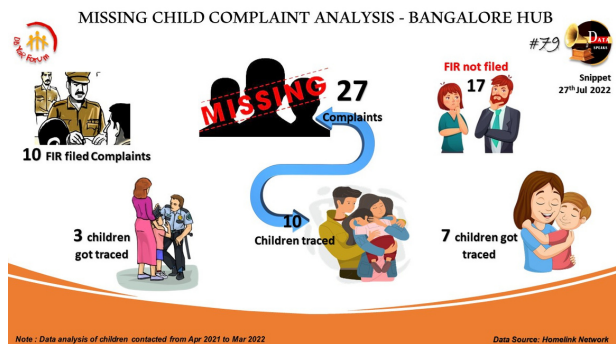
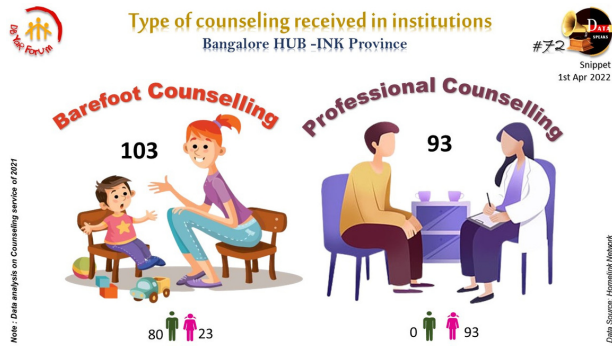


She was very sad to leave her mother and siblings as she had never stayed away from them. In the beginning, she used to feel very lonely. However, after a few days at the centre, she learned to accept that she had to stay there to help her family and began mingling with the other children and staff. She attended the bridge course for two months and became more interested in her studies. All the centre staff and school teachers started appreciating her hard work and also encouraging her to take part in other extracurricular activities. Currently, she shows interest in dance, sports, drama, art, craft, etc.

She is good in sports as well as cultural activities and has participated in several programmes within BOSCO as well as outside the organization. Recently she participated in the South Asian Rope Skipping Championship 2022 in Nepal and won the gold medal. She received a medal for being the 'Topper' in her class. Every year she is selected to participate in state-level Kabaddi and Kho-Kho inter-school competitions. She took part in the National Level Rope Skipping Competition held in Delhi from October 16 to 19, 2022, and won the gold medal. We wish her for a bright future.



Snippets & Infographics Reports





HOMELINK NETWORK

HomeLink Network is an ongoing initiative started by DB YaR Forum in 2002, to ensure appropriate, timely and real-time response to the needs of the young at risk, based on accurate documentation and data analysis supported by the best of technologies available today.

OUR ACCOMPLISHED HOMELINK TEAMWORK TOWARDS

- a. Developing data driven childcare system through documentation, research, and networking
- b. Systematically documenting the systems, processes, and workflow of the organizations
- c. Data led intervention planning in organizations
- d. Data driven advocacy and engagement with stakeholders and government on children's issues
- e. Harnessing current advances in digital technologies in the service of the work with young at risk



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