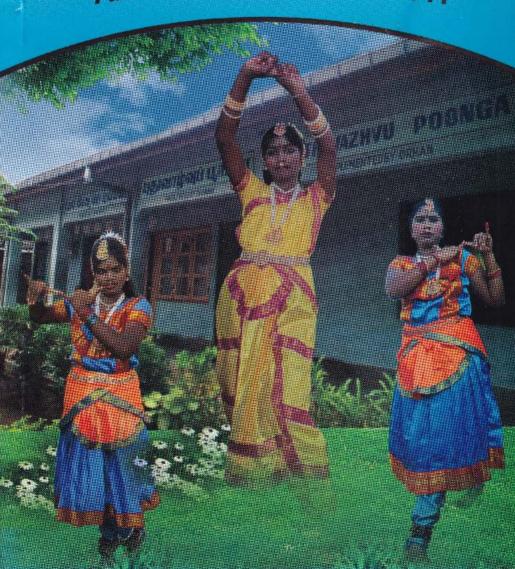


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Message of greeting from the president of ORHAN – Vavuniya

When the year 2011 ends, Puthuvazhvu poonga completed 8 years of service. Looking back at the past events that we have been through that this training centre has achieved tremendous growth. There is not an inkling of doubt that important partners for this sustainable growth are its donors, well wishers, executive members, centre employees, resource teachers, parents and students. I owe all of them my heartfelt thanks and best wishes forever.

We have limited 75 of our mentally challenged children in this year according to our human, financial and physical resources. we would have to face our challenges. However we would be provide effective and efficient functioning of this centre.

I take this opportunity to wishes for achieve next year planned target and make a centre as a exemplary model for mentally challenged children.

Thank you.

Mr. V.Subramaniam (B.A (Hons), Dip . in Edu, Med)

Hon President

ORHAN(Organization for Rehabilitation of the Handicapped)

Vavuniya District

Message from the President of Orhan Sri Lanka UK

As Puthuvazhvu Poonga enters the 9th year of its activity, the Board of Trustees of Orhan Sri Lanka (UK) feels, it's not only a pleasure but also appropriate at this time to send this message to your souvenir.

Orhan's work is an inspiration not only to those whom we give mobility and dignity but also to those of us who see what we do and perform. Our congratulations and best wishes go to the wonderful dedicated team magnificently led by its President Mr.V.Subramaniam.

We reflect with pride the dynamic work of the Charity Trustees of the Puthuvazhvu Poonga. We thank you for all that you have done hitherto and for what you intend to do hereafter.

We really appreciate your dedication, your social acumen and your undaunted determination to forge ahead. Although "ORHAN" has to face very strong challenges this year, they surmounted those hurdles squarely and bravely..

We are able to observe that a significant drop in the contributions as compared with that of last year. This fall we presume is attributed to the on going recession as well as to the influx of new charity organisations thus far registered during the past two years.

As Valluvar puts it:

"Those who imbibe a proper sense of duty will not fail in their magnanimity towards their less fortunate, even when the resources are limitted."—KURAL -218.

It's nothing but fair for all of us to digest this "Kural".and give it a meaningful thought.

Even if our circumstances prevent us from serving those who are in pain, We can serve those who are serving them. All of us have the wherewithal to be servants of servants.

We earnestly appeal to all well wishers to freely donate towards this just cause to further our envisaged programme and hope this centre will turn out to be a model for similar organizations to emulate.

We are pleased to confirm that we have sent £80,540.00 (Eighty thousand five hundred and forty pounds) from 2004 to 2011 to Vavuniya Sri Lanka for the running cost of the School "Puthuvazhvu Poonga" the school for the children with learning difficulties.

May your efforts grow from strength to strength in the years to come.



Message from Head Resource Teacher

It is with great pleasure that I deliver this message of felicitation to ORHAN which was initially established with the aim looking after the needs and to provide services to the differently able person in the vavuniya district, which is really like a moon brightly reflecting amidst stars.

It also gives me a great pleasure, mental satisfaction and proud to be the Head Resource Teacher of the "puthuvazhvu poonga" of the mentally challenged children, which is also one of the main projects of ORHAN.

No doubt, in spite of many challenges, it has successfully been functioning since 2004 in providing yeomen services to mentally challenged children to enter into a new life and its entry to 9th year of its service is really remunerable.

I take this opportunity to thank the president, executive committee members, donors, staff, teachers, non academic staffs, students, parents and other well – wishers whole heartedly for being pillars of success and development and also to have been providing their dedicated services to make it a great successful project of the organization.

Also, I wish to express the fact that I have happily and whole heartedly accepted to shoulder this worthy project and leading as well as performing duties and implementing this project for better and development of the mentally challenged children for new life.

May the lord, Almightily grant me as well as all the other staff who continue to render their dedicated and committed service, enough strength, power and engage to continue to render our services to them for a better and new life.

Finally I am fixally determined to provide my dedicated services with the co-ordination with other staff for successful implementation of this project for the betterment and development of mentally challenged children.

M.Vanvily (Dip. in. Special Edu)
Head Resource Teacher,
Puthuvazhvu poonga
ORHAN
Vavuniya.



Progress Summary

1. General Information

1.1 Details of children

| No. | Туре | |
|-----|---|-------|
| | Ethnic Breakdown | |
| 1. | Tamil | 60 |
| 1. | Sinhala | 06 |
| | Muslim | 09 |
| | Total | . 75 |
| | Religious Breakdown | |
| 0 | Hindus | 49 |
| 2 | Christians | 11 |
| | Buddhists | 06 |
| | Islam's | 09 |
| | Total | 75 |
| | Gender Breakdown | |
| 3. | Male | 39 |
| | Female | 36 |
| | Total | 75 |
| | Physical condition classification | |
| | Cerebral Palsy | 06 |
| | Down syndrome | 09 |
| | Autism | 04 |
| 4. | Congenital Hip Dislocation and microcephaly | 01 |
| 4. | Attention Deficit Hyperactivity Disorder | 04 |
| | Hearing and speaking impairment | 03 |
| | Mental Challanged + learning difficulty | 45 |
| | Mentally Challenged +H S I | 02 |
| | Mentally Challenged + Polio | 01 |
| | Total | 75 |
| | Psychological classification | |
| - 6 | Mild | 15 |
| 5. | Moderate | 18 |
| ٦. | Severe | 36 |
| | Profound Total | 06 |
| | | 75 |
| | Transport Bus 1 | 36 |
| | Bus 2 | 29 |
| 6. | Three wheeler | 09 |
| 0. | With parent | 1,100 |
| | Total | 01 |
| | Ivai | 75 |

1.2 Details of Staffs

| No. | Туре | Amount |
|-----|--|--------|
| 1. | Head Resource Teacher | 01 |
| | Resource Teacher(including Sign interpreter-1, | |
| | speech therapist-1, counselor-1, Trainee teacher-2,) | 09 |
| | Non academic Staffs (Drivers-3, Cook-2, Care takers-2) | 07 |
| | Physiotherapist | 01 |
| | Total | 18 |

1.3 Types of Meeting

| Meeting | Chairperson | Participants | Time and Day |
|------------------|---------------------------------|--|-----------------------------------|
| Staff Meeting | President | All Staff | First Saturday 9.00am - 5.00pm |
| Team Meeting | Head Resource Teacher | Academic and Non academic Staffs | Every Saturday 8.30am -9.30am |
| Parents Meeting | Particular Appointed Teacher | All Parents | Third Saturday 9.30am – 1.00pm |
| Drivers Meeting | Finance Officer | Drivers | Last Saturday 9.30am – 11.30am |
| Security Meeting | Admin Officer | Securities | Last Saturday 8.30am – 10.30am |

1.4 Resource Teachers Training 1.4.1 General Training

A.) Teach ers Training Schedule for CBR volunteers and Resource Teachers of "Puthuvazhvu Poonga" in April - 09.04.2011 - 23.04.2011

- 9.30 am - 3.00 pm Date

| ž | No Date | Topic | Resource person | Institution | Designation | Supported by Venue | Venue |
|---|--------------|--|--|---|--|-----------------------|---|
| _ | 1 09.04.2011 | Government assistances for Disables | M/s.T.Nathini | DS Office, Vavuniya | Social Service Officer | AJWS | TCMCC hall, ORHAN |
| 7 | 11.04.2011 | Mantel health | Dr.S.Suthakaran | GeneralHospital, Mantel Health Unit, Vavuniya | Senior Medical Officer | AJWS | STD hall , General Hospital |
| m | 18.04.2011 | Hearing and speaking impairment | Mrs. Dr. J. Ramani Mrs. Dr. G. Nandakumar | General Hospital, Vavuniya | Senior Medical Officer Senior Medical Officer | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | Eye clinic hall, General Hospital |
| 4 | 19,04,2011 | Visual impairment | Dr.Demian | ENT Unit ,Vavuniya | Medical Officer | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | Eye clinic hall General Hospital |
| v | 20.04.2011 | Prevention of decease and disabilities | Dr.Srisaravana pavananthan | General Hospital, Kilinochchi | Consultant Pediatrician | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | TCMCC hall , ORHAN |
| 9 | 21.04.2011 | Physiot herapy | Miss.V. Shiyamala | ORHAN | Physiotherapist | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | TCMCC hall, ORHAN |
| 7 | 22.04.2011 | Disability in general | Mr. S.Sakthy | ZOA | Programme officer - Disability | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | TCMCC hall, ORHAN |
| ∞ | 23.04.2011 | Primary Education Method | Mr. Ganesapalan | Department of Education | Assistant Director of CRHAN Sri Education (Primary Lanka UK education) | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | TCMCC hall, ORHAN |

b.) Training Schedule for CBR volunteers and Resource Teachers of "Puthuvazhvu Poonga" in August 1100 04 2011 - 23 04 2011

| No Date Topic Resource person Institution Designation Supported by Earlier 1 08.08.2011 Psychosocial Psychosocial Psychosocial Counseling S.sobana Thiruvarutchlvi ORHAN PSY .Counselors NTT 2 09.08.2011 Psychosocial Psychosocial S.sobana Thiruvarutchlviar S.sobana Thiruvarutchlviar ORHAN PSY .Counselors NTT 4 17.08.2011 Physio- Miss.VShiyamala Miss.V. Shiyamala ORHAN Physiotherapist Lanka UK 5 19.08.2011 Physiotherapy Miss.V. Shiyamala ORHAN Physiotherapist CBR 6 19.08.2011 Mantel health Mr. Thilakarathna Our Child Manager CBR 7 20.08.2011 Speech S. Mayurathi Our Child Manager CBR 8 22.08.2011 Speech S. Mayurathi Our Child Manager CBR 9 23.08.2011 H.I Work Shop H.I. Staff H.I. Staff H.I. Resource Person Lanka UK 10 24.08.2011 Sign Language P.Niro And Mercy ORHAN Resource Teacher ORHAN Sri < | l | | Date -02.04 | -09.04.2011 - 23.04.2011 | lime - 9. | - 9.30 аш -3.00 рш | | |
|--|-----|------------|----------------------------|---|-----------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|
| Psychosocial S.sobana (ORHAN) PSY Counselors Thiruvarutchlvi S.sobana (Counseling Thiruvarutchlvi Thiruvarutchlvi Thiruvarutchlviar (Counseling Miss. V. Shiyamala (ORHAN) Physiotherapist (Counseling Mantel health Mr. Thilakarathna (Cour. Child Manager Speech Seech Therapist Therapy (Counseling Manutel health Mr. Thilakarathna (Cour. Child Manager (Counseling Mantel health Mr. Thilakarathna (Counseling Manager (Counseling Mantel health Mr. Thilakarathna (Counseling Manager (Counseling Mantel health Mr. Thilakarathna (Counseling Manager (Counseling Man | Ž | Date | Topic | Resource person | | | Supported by | Venue |
| Psychosocial Counseling Hsychosocial Sychosocial Counseling Hysio- Miss.VShiyamala Mantel healthS.sobana A.K.Adaikalam Thiruvarutchlviar Miss.V.ShiyamalaORHAN ORHANPSY .Counselors Physiotherapist ManagerMantel health Mantel healthMr. Thilakarathna Mr. ThilakarathnaOur Child Our ChildManagerSpeech TherapyS. MayurathiOur Child ManagerManagerSign Language Sign LanguageP.Niro And MercyORHANResource Teacher | - 1 | 08.08.2011 | Psychosocial Counseling | S.sobana ,K.Adaikalam Thiruvarutchlvi | ORHAN | PSY .Counselors | NTT | |
| Psychosocial S.sobana ORHAN PSY.Counselors Counseling Thiruvarutchlviar Physio- Physio- Miss.V.Shiyamala ORHAN Physiotherapist therapy Physiotherapy Miss.V.Shiyamala ORHAN Physiotherapist Mantel health Mr.Thilakarathna Our Child Manager Speech S. Mayurathi ORHAN Speech Therapist Therapy H.I. Staff H.I. Staff H.I. Staff H.I. Staff H.I. Staff H.I. Staff H.I. Sign Language P.Niro And Mercy ORHAN Resource Teacher II. | 7 | 09.08.2011 | Psychosocial Counseling | S.sobana ,K.Adaikalam Thiruvarutchlvi | ORHAN | PSY .Counselors | TIN | V.Thall, ORHAN |
| Physio- Miss.V.Shiyamala ORHAN Physiotherapist Physiotherapy Miss.V. Shiyamala ORHAN Physiotherapist Mantel health Mr.Thilakarathna Our Child Manager Mantel health Mr.Thilakarathna Our Child Manager Speech S. Mayurathi ORHAN Speech Therapist Therapy H.I. Staff H.I Resource Person Sign Language P.Niro And Mercy ORHAN Resource Teacher | ω. | 10.08.2011 | Psychosocial Counseling | S.sobana ,K.Adaikalam Thiruvarutchlviar | ORHAN | PSY .Counselors | TIN | V.Thall, ORHAN |
| Physiotherapy Miss.V. Shiyamala ORHAN Physiotherapist Mantel health Mr.Thilakarathna Our Child Manager Speech S. Mayurathi ORHAN Speech Therapist Therapy H.I. Staff H.I Resource Person Sign Language P.Niro And Mercy ORHAN Resource Teacher | 4 | 17.08.2011 | Physio- therapy | Miss.V.Shiyamala | ORHAN | Physiotherapist | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | V.Thall, ORHAN |
| Mantel health Mr. Thilakarathn Our Child Manager Speech S. Mayurathi Our Child Manager Speech S. Mayurathi ORHAN Speech Therapist Therapy H.I. Staff H.I Resource Person Sign Language P.Niro And Mercy ORHAN Resource Teacher | S | 18.08.2011 | Physiotherapy | Miss.V. Shiyamala | ORHAN | Physiotherapist | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | V.Thall, ORHAN |
| Mantel health Mr. Thilakarathna Our Child Manager Speech S. Mayurathi ORHAN Speech Therapist Therapy H.I. Staff H.I. Staff H.I. Staff Sign Language P.Niro And Mercy ORHAN Resource Teacher | 9 | | | Mr. Thilakarathn | Our Child | Manager | CBR | V.T hall, |
| SpeechS. MayurathiORHANSpeech TherapistTherapyH.I. StaffH.IResource PersonSign LanguageP.Niro And MercyORHANResource Teacher | 7 | | Mantel health | Mr. Thilakarathna | Our Child | Manager | CBR | V.T hall, ORHAN |
| H.I Work Shop H.I. Staff H.I. Sign Language P.Niro And Mercy ORHAN | ∞ | 22.08.2011 | Speech Therapy | S. Mayurathi | ORHAN | | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | V.T hall, ORHAN |
| Sign Language P.Niro And Mercy ORHAN | 6 | 23.08.2011 | H.I Work Shop | | Н | Resource Person | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | V.T hall, ORHAN |
| | 10 | 24.08.2011 | Sign Language | | ORHAN | Resource Teacher | ORHAN Sri Lanka UK | V.Thall, ORHAN |

1.4.2. Special Training

| Name of Training | Period of training | No. of teacher |
|------------------|--------------------|----------------|
| Counseling | Two years | 01 |
| Sign Language | Six months | 02 |

1.5 Physical Resources

Available physical resources

- 01. Land
- 02. Buildings including Kitchen unit and two temporary learning spaces
- 03. Two Bus, Threewheel and Motorbike
- 04. Furniture
- 05. Electronic Equipments- T.V, Refrigerator, Computer & Printer
- 06. Children park
- 07. well with net

1.6 Financial Report

1.6.1 Details of Donors

Main Donor : ORHAN Sri Lanka UK.

Sub Donors

: Stuff Tung Tamils Aid STA Switzerland

SCOT UK MIOT UK

St John's pass pupil association UK

1.6.2 Details of Expenditure

Estimated total Expenditure -

Rs. 7,964,336,90

Actual Expenditure

Rs. 7,184,365.76

2. Activities Related with Training

- 2.1 Bring the Children to the Centre bythe vehicles
- 2.2 Providing Breakfast
- 2.3 Morning Assembly
- 2.4 Daily Living Skills Training
- 2.5 Providing milk
- 2.6 Training to Learning, Training and Security groups
- 2.7 Providing lunch
- 2.8 Departure to the home

3. Activities Related with Medical Rehabilitation

3.1 Annual Screenings

3.1.1 Annual Medical Screening

Annual medical screening was done by Dr. Ananthy from general hospital, Vavuniya and totally 73 children were medically screened.

3.1.2. Annual Body Mass Index (BMI) Assessment

Annual BMI test was done by Mr.Mejeya (PHI) from MOH office Vavuniya and totally BMI test was done for 75 children.

3.1.3. Annual IQ Testing

Annual IQ test was done by resource teachers for 75 children.

3.1.4. Annual physiotherapy assessment

Totally physiotherapy assessment was done for 12 children by Miss.V.Shiyamala.

3.2 Continues Medical Treatment

32children were attending medical clinics (17 children are attending more than 1 clinic)

| Clinic | No. of students |
|-------------|-----------------|
| Eye | 04 |
| ENT | 07 |
| Dermatology | 03 |
| Medical | 21 |
| Speech | 1 |
| Dental | 06 |
| Pediatrics | 04 |
| Surgical | 02 |
| Orthopedic | 01 |

3.3 Nutritional Programme

The following nutritional programme carried out for all students according to BMI.

- a) 175ml milk per day
- b) Nutritional breakfast prepared by parents
- c) Nutritional Lunch prepared by the centre

3.4 Providing Rehabilitation

- a) Physiotherapy 12 children were given physiotherapy by physiotherapist.
- b) Speech therapy 21 children were given speech therapy by speech therapist
- c) Sign language 4children were taught sign language by sign interpreter.

4. Activities Related with Social Rehabilitation

4.1 Sunshine Sport meet

18 children participated in Sunshine Sport meet on 6th march 2011 in Colombo, ORHAN won 6 medals.

| Medals | Number of Students |
|--------|--------------------|
| Gold | 01 |
| Silver | 02 |
| Brozen | 03 |
| Total | 06 |

4.2 Excursion

9 Local excursions were taken place within vavuniya every month.

| No | Date | Place | No of Students |
|----|------------|---|-------------------|
| 01 | 07.01.2011 | Murukanur farm | 41 |
| 02 | 25.02.2011 | Sivan temple | 50 |
| 03 | 31.03.2011 | kalvary | 63 |
| 04 | 30.05.2011 | Vavuniya park | 69 |
| 05 | 14.06.2011 | Sakayamatha church and sinthamanipiliyar temple | 58 |
| 06 | 26.07.2011 | Isanbassagala Buddist temple | 68 |
| 07 | 09.27.2011 | Vavuniya park | 64 |
| 08 | 28.10.2011 | kungiculam | 53 |
| 09 | 15.11.2011 | Thantheremali | 60 |

4.3 Students Forum

Student's forum was conducted once in a month.

4.4 Religious Activities

Morning assemblies were included four religion prayers. SaraswathyPooja was celebrated on 05/10/2011

4.5 Cultural Activities

- a) International Peace day This programme organized by UNDP held in vavuniya on 21/09/2011. 20 children participated from ORHAN and involved sports event and drama.
- b) International Disable day This is organized by NGO Consortium held in vavuniya on 02/12/2011. 12 children participated from ORHAN and involved indance.

c) Mental health programme This day structured by SEED held in vavuniya on 08/11/2011. 09 children participated from ORHAN in dance.

4.6 Parents Meetings

Parents meeting and Parents Siramathana were conducted on every third Saturday of the month. Averagely 40parents participated.

| No | Date | No. of Parents Participate |
|----|------------|----------------------------|
| 01 | 22/01/2011 | 33 |
| 02 | 18/02/2011 | 36 |
| 03 | 26/03/2011 | 46 |
| 04 | 16/04/2011 | 33 |
| 05 | 21/05/2011 | 38 |
| 06 | 18/06/2011 | 46 |
| 07 | 16/07/2011 | 47 |
| 08 | 20/08/2011 | 42 |
| 09 | 17/09/2011 | 47 |
| 10 | 22/10/2011 | 33 |
| 11 | 19/11/2011 | 36 |
| 12 | 17/12/2011 | 40 |

4.7 Home Visits

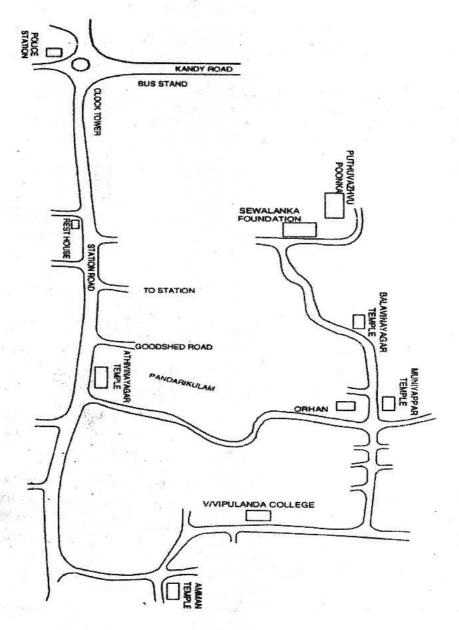
Teachers are visited to the homes for discussing with parents on every second and fourth Saturday.

5. Activities Related with Economic Rehabilitation

The following vocational trainings were given to the children of learning and training groups.

- Handle Making
- Envelope Making
- Greeting cards Making
- Sewing works

Location of Training Centre



An introduction to physiotherapy

WHAT IS PHYSIOTHERAPY?

Physiotherapy is a health care profession, which assists people to restore, maintain and maximize their strength, function, movement, and overall well-being. The terms "physiotherapy" and "physical therapy" mean the same thing and are used interchangeably, as are the terms "physiotherapist" and "physical therapist". Physiotherapy is concerned with identifying and maximizing quality of life and movement potential within the spheres of promotion, prevention, diagnosis, treatment/intervention, and rehabilitation. This encompasses physical, psychological, emotional, and social wellbeing.

WHAT DOES A PHYSIOTHERAPIST DO?

Describing what physiotherapist does is the easiest way to explain physiotherapy. From premature babies to people in intensive care to teenagers, the range of patients and conditions that can benefits from physiotherapy are huge. Physiotherapist identifies and maximizes potential through health promotion, preventive healthcare, treatment and rehabilitation. Physiotherapist helps and treats people of all ages with physical problems caused by illness, accident and ageing. Physiotherapist is having in-depth knowledge of how the body works and specialized hands-on clinical skills to assess, diagnose, and treat symptoms of illness, injury and disability. Physiotherapy includes rehabilitation, as well as prevention of injury, and promotion of health and fitness. Physiotherapists often work in teams with other health professionals to help meet an individual's health care needs. They play a key role in rehabilitation.

The best part of most of physiotherapy is that it does not generally harm the body of the patient, if administered under supervision and as per instruction of an expert or doctor. There are no side effects for the patient. Physiotherapists can not only cure musculoskeletal, cardiovascular, respiratory systems but also suggest more natural ways of leading a happy life. It is an important branch of health science today. If you are facing any recurring body pain for considerable time and not getting an effective treatment for it, see a physiotherapist first.

Aim of the physiotherapist is to help people make the most of their potential to participate in life and in their communities. First the physiotherapist assesses a patient's problems. Then he/she establishes treatment goals to help them move and improve how they carry out the activities of daily life and recreation. The patient is a key to developing these goals, and sometimes the family and caregivers are involved.

Physiotherapist provides physiotherapy in a variety of settings, such as:

- Hospitals
- Physiotherapy clinics (some private clinics)
- · Gyms
- Industrial and workplace
- Homes

The core skills used by physiotherapists includes manual therapy, exercise therapy and electrotherapy modalities. Physiotherapists also have an appreciation of psychological, cultural and social factors, which in turn influence the patient community.

PHYSIOTHERAPIST WORKING SECTIONS

Physiotherapy is a credible, professional natural medicine option that serves mankind. The main goal and objective is to improve the quality of life by Physiotherapy Services.

1. Orthopedic physiotherapy

This branch is concerned with the diagnosis and management of diseases with a musculoskeletal origin. This is mostly involved with fractures, injuries from sports, helping patients that have had bone operations fully recover use of their limbs, arthritis, back and neck pain.

2. Neurological physiotherapy

These therapists work with people whose limited movements are rooted in a defective neurological system. These include people with brain injuries, cerebral palsy, multiple sclerosis, Parkinson's disease.

3. Geriatric Physiotherapy

These are mainly concerned with disease conditions that are prevalent in the ageing population. They usually include issues like arthritis, osteoporosis and Alzheimer's.

4. Cardiovascular and pulmonary physiotherapy

These are physical therapists that are specialized in the management and treatment of people that have had problems in their heart and pulmonary functions. They commonly work in the rehabilitation of people that have has cardiac or pulmonary surgery.

5. Pediatric physiotherapy

If concerned with the detection, management and treatment of patients starting from the very young age. It is possible to detect

malformations and problems in motor activity early and these early detections make it possible to start a regime that may help the child develop to full potential.

6. Sports physiotherapy

They are mostly concerned with the treatment of common ailments and different forms of injuries that may arise from different sporting activities. They have a wide influence in the industry.

IMPORTANCE OF PHYSIOTHERAPY

There are many causes of reduced mobility in individuals. Many people feel aches and pains when they move making them move very slowly or not articulate properly. This makes it difficult for them to hold things properly.

If pain is a problem then physiotherapy is the solution. Study and experiences prove that physiotherapy has been a very effective tool against pains and injuries ranging from minor to major.

To get rid of muscle tendency or immobility the physiotherapist may suggest stretching exercises, heat therapy, massage or traction and such things alone or they may be coupled and grouped as well as per the seriousness or condition of the problem. To escape from headache or muscleache sometimes painkiller are effective but they have limitations and side effects as well but physiotherapy deals with pains and injuries of upper tiers. Hence its importance can't be denied in any way.

For physically disabled children or any other condition who suffer from spasms and spasticity (tight muscles) physiotherapy can help immensely with pain relief and also suggest exercises. Many physically disabled children rely on regular physiotherapy in order to remain well enough to continue and to enjoy aspects of life to the full.

Physiotherapy not only helps us to be escaped from pains and injuries but it saves us from further such disorders. Healthcare professionals actually admit the importance of physiotherapy when they put stress on saying that heavy object should be picked up using knee bends instead of waist to avoid arousal of any deformity of the back bone. Teach the patient about Does and Don't according to the condition.

The importance of physiotherapy can be observed by the fact that respiratory disease treatments are also carried cut by physiotherapeutic techniques e.g. coughing, vibration, cupped hand technique, clapping etc. Through using these techniques will be frequently proving the importance of physiotherapy.

Road traffic accident is a major condition due to vehicle accidents which may result in some clinical features are seen in patient. The doctors prescribe physiotherapy which may involve different sorts of techniques to rehabilitate the patient back to normal. Accident victims can be quoted while talking about the importance of physiotherapy. Some decades earlier when the physiotherapy was growing and thriving the doctors, healthcare professionals and patients used to distrust or be indecisive regarding the use of physiotherapeutic techniques but now-a-days physiotherapy has been recognized well practiced well accepted well and physiotherapy deserves to be so.

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Bring the children to the Centre



Providing Breakfast



Morning Assembly



Providing Milk



Daily Living Skill Training





Training to Learning Group





Training to Training Group





Training to Security Group

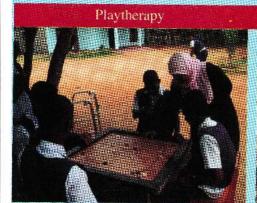


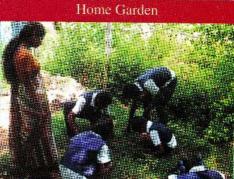


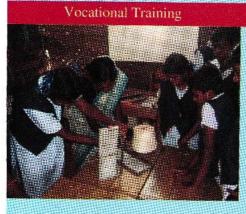




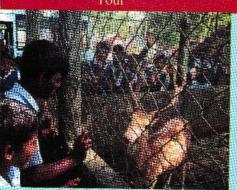


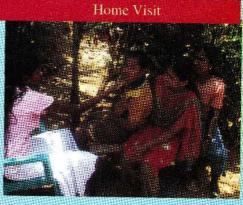












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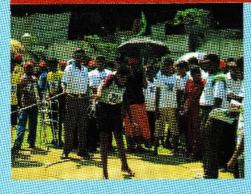
Annual Nuritional Assessement





Sun Shine Game

Religious Activities





Parents Meeting

Parents Siramadhana

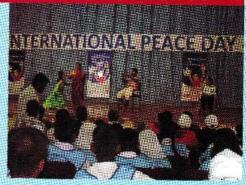




Cultural Activities



Mental Healthday



Peace Day



Children Day



Tree Planting



Sai Children Home Visit



Womens Day









Resource Teacher's



Non Academic Staff







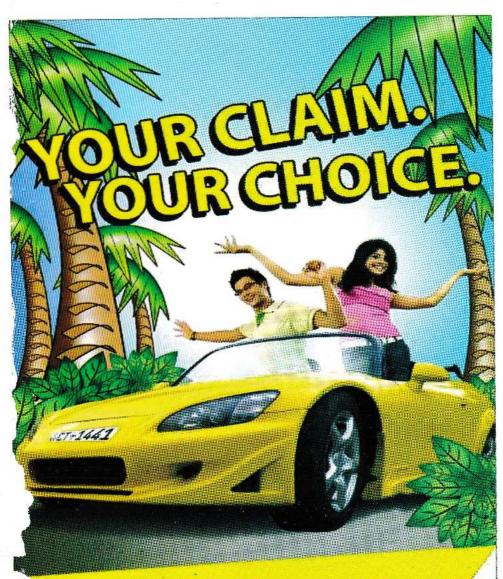
Vote of Thanks

At this juncture of ending 8th year and entering into 9th year Puthuvavzhu poonga as achieved numerous successes in spite of severe challenges faced by ORHAN. Therefore it is our unforgettable responsibility to pay our whole hearted thanks to the all stakeholders who rented their invaluable commitments and devotions towards our kids.

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- 7. puthuvavzhu poonga parents, guardians and students
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