

## **A Brief Note About the Working of Child Welfare Council, Punjab**

Child Welfare Council, Punjab is registered under the Societies Registration Act XXI of 1860 on 6th March 1962. Hon. Governor of Punjab is the President of the Council by virtue of his status and Wife of the Governor is the Vice-President of Child Welfare Council, Punjab. The management and day to day affairs of the Council are being looked after by its office bearers and members of Executive Committee.

It is worth mentioning here that the Council has its branches i.e. District Child Welfare Councils with Deputy Commissioner as President and wife of DC as Chairperson. Besides there are a few active social workers and activists who are involved in the implementation of various programmes of the Council.

The Child Welfare Council, Punjab is running various projects for the welfare of children especially border/remote areas like Tarsikka, Ferozepur, Gurdaspur by focussing on Evening Schools for poor and deprived children in the State of Punjab i.e.

1. Sponsorship grant to needy children
2. Model creches
3. Creches for inmates of jail
4. Computer centre
5. Yoga classes
6. Dance classes
7. Beauty care centre
8. Nanny care and home nursing care
9. Icds projects at bathinda, sidhwan bet (ludhiana), tarsikka (amritsar)
10. Vani school for the hearing impaired at patiala
11. Project to support Covid Affected children who lost their parents in the pandemic.
12. Project on 'Mental Health' in Schools for “Empowering Minds and Addressing the Mental Health Issues” for school children

## **NANNY CARE AND HOME NURSING CARE**

Duration- 6 months

Eligibility- Minimum 10+2

Fees- Rs.40,000/- for 6 months

### Contents of the Course

- (i) Child Care
- (ii) Health & Nutrition
- (iii) Elderly Care
- (iv) Home Nursing Care
- (v) Disability

### Practical Training

First Aid Training and Training in Hospital

## **ICDS PROJECTS**

Child Welfare Council is running 3 ICDS Blocks at Bathinda, Sidhwan Bet (Ludhiana) and Tarsikka (Amritsar). It's a scheme for the physical, social and mental development of the Child from 0-6 yrs.

### Services provided

- (i) Immunization
- (ii) Pre School Education
- (iii) Supplementary Nutrition
- (iv) Nutrition and Health Education
- (v) Health Checkup
- (vi) Referral Services

Total Anganwadis Centres in 3 ICDS blocks - 692,  
Children covered - 42,778

## **VANI SCHOOL FOR THE HEARING IMPAIRED AT PATIALA**

The School covers children with Hearing Impairment, Slow learners, Autistic Children and Mentally Challenged children. These children study with the normal children. The classrooms are well equipped with learning instruments. The School is running upto 10<sup>th</sup> class and the syllabus of P.S.E.B is followed.