

Nishtha

Founded in 1983, Nishtha aims to enable sustainable development of marginalised and vulnerable girls and women by improving their quality of life through building social leadership, ensuring access to education, protection, healthcare provision, and economic self-reliance.

- 680 incidences of rights violations prevented
- Provided access to education to 27,130 girls
- 150 and more incidences of early and child marriage prevented
- Developed 3,840 women and adolescent leaders



Since 2016, EdelGive is supporting the Unnatir Uddan Programme which aims to ensure the protection of 1000 girls from incidences of early marriage, trafficking and dropping out from education. They are empowering women and girls in their communities to prevent child marriages and promote education of their peers, in addition to receiving support to complete their school and receive life skills training.

Awards:

- Nishtha has adopted the innovative concept of collectivization of girls and women that have been christened as Balika Vahini (Kids Group), Kishori Vahini (armies of adolescent girls), Mahila Mandals (group of women) and Senior Women Groups. Because of this innovative idea, existing chief functionary of Nishtha, Mina Das was awarded prestigious Ashoka Fellowship.
- Champion of Youth Award received by EMpower, USA, 2017
- Best NGO in West Bengal by CINI for empowerment of the adolescents, 2016

Dear Ms. Manami Das,

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