

# RURAL DEVELOPMENT TRUST

# **ORGANIZATION PROFILE**

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## **Acronyms and Abbreviation**

BOT Board of Trustee

CD

**EBC** 

**FCRA** 

GA General Assembly

GB General Body

Gen

GPSVS Ghoghardiha Prakhanda Sworajya Vikaas Samiti

ITRA Indian Trust Registration Act 1982

**JTTC** 

NGO Non-Governmental Organization

INGO International Non-Governmental Organization

OBC

PO

RDT Rural Development Trust

SC

WASH Water, Sanitation and Hygiene

WN World Neighbors



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#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Rural Development Trust (RDT) is a non-profit, nongovernmental social development organization founded by group of passionate people, social activists, and development professionals in 2006. RDT is a leading non-profit organization with a significant presence in the Indian state of Bihar. It is established Public as Charitable Trust under the Indian Trust Registration Act 1882 based in Madhubani district Bihar, India.

## **General Information**

- 1. Registration date: 09/08/2006 (under ITRA)
- 2. Registration number: 30/04/CD1
- 3. Registered head office:

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- 4. Contact person/designation: Md. Sadullah, Chief Patron
- 5. Phone & Email: 09939441229 rdtrustjip@gmail.com
- 6. PAN No.: AABTR2397A
- 7. TAN No.:
- 8. 12 A (Income Tax Act 1961): AABTR2397AE20088
- 9. 80 G (Income Tax Department):
- 10. FCRA: 031290109
- 11. NGO Darpan ID: BR / 2018 / 0184390
- 12. Operational Area: Madhubni, Dharbhanga, Supol

closely works with vulnerable communities and empowers socially marginalized people by providing capacity-building activities, livelihood linkage, education, and health facilities along with promoting a people-oriented knowledge base to influence the policies of government on different development issues through facilitation, building networks with government agencies, and partnership of other organizations.

RDT has successfully completed the projects named "Women and Dalit Empowerment", Capacity Building of Minority Group on Rights and Entitlements", "Education Support to Madani Public School", "Rescue and Relief for Flood Victims", "Promotional of Traditional Health System", "Climate Change and Mitigation", and Vocational Training to Adolescent Girls". Currently, the project has been implementing "SHE CAN – empowering rural women in Jhanjharpur Bihar through WASH and Reproductive Health" and "Education and Relief Response Project" in partnership with World Neighbors and JTTC respectively.

#### 1.1. Vision

Rural Development Trust aspires for a society where community based on equality and fraternity.

#### 1.2. Mission

The Trust aims to make communities work on the basis of equality, justice and non-violence with human rights and gender perspectives in all the aspects.

### 1.3. Objectives

- To prevent arrest and reserve degradation of life support, particularly land, water, to expand livelihood opportunities in a sustainable and equitable manner through people's participation with gender perspectives.
- To start, promote, encourage and assist activities for economic, moral, and social upliftment of rural people particularly women and Dalit, for making unity and development, reciprocal cooperation between people;
- To encourage and promote the feelings of equality, liberty, fraternity, mutual

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understanding, cooperation, communal harmony, national solidarity, and emotional integration among all the sections of people in India;

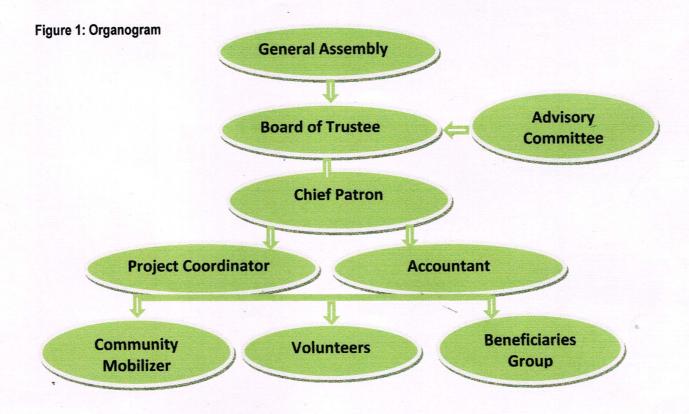
- To create amongst the rural population the consciousness of the environment and ecological factors conducive to a healthier life for themselves and also of recoverable consequences resulting from ecological imbalances;
- To create awareness on Human Rights and to assist in protecting them;
- To provide legal assistance and free legal aid to poor.

## 2. ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE

Any person having faith in the constitution of RDT and willing to serve the poor according to its vision, mission, values, and ethics besides having the qualification to be an Indian Citizen can become a trustee of the organization.

## 2.1. General Assembly/Body

The General Body means the founder trustees and other trustees holding the office till date including the Chief Patron. The GB sits on a year at a minimum. It decides policy, and programs in accordance with its constitution. It also reviews the annual progress report as well as the financial statements and chalks out future programs. In an emergency, the GB meets more than once. Most importantly, it elects a Board of Trustee (BOT) normally every five years to implement the policy and programs decided by the GB.





## 2.2. Board of Trustees (BOT)

The BOT contains a Permanent Managing Trustee including other eight trustees at minimum or fourteen at maximum. The management and control of the Trust vest in the BOT and it controls the funds of the trust and controls general affairs.

The Board of Trustees includes women and Dalits in consonance with equality and equal opportunity to everyone.

Table-1: Board of Trustees and their qualification

Name	Address	Age	Sex	Qual.	Caste	Designation
MD Sadullah	At- Sangram, P.O TulapatGanj, Madhubani (Bihar)		Male	B.A.	GEN.	Chairman
MD Wasimul haque	At- Sangram, P.O TulapatGanj, Madhubani (Bihar)	48	Male	I.A.	EBC	Managing Trustee
Kiran Devi	At- Sangram, P.O TulapatGanj, Madhubani (Bihar)	42	Female	Matric	SC	Trustee
Nahida Pravin			Female	Matric	GEN.	Trustee
Abdul Rasid	d At- Sangram, P.O TulapatGanj, Madhubani (Bihar)		Male	Matric	OBC	Trustee
Siyma Praveen	At- Sangram, P.O TulapatGanj, Madhubani (Bihar)	36	Female	Matric	EBC	Trustee
Baiju Mahto At- Sangram, P.O TulapatGanj, Madhubani (Bihar)		28	Male	Literate	SC	Trustee
Ajay Kumar At + P.O TulapatGanj, Madhubani (Bihar)		32	Male	B.A.	OBC	Trustee
Reyaz Ahmad At – Mawahi, P.O. – Tulapatganj, Madhbani, (Bihar)		43	Male	B.A	GEN.	Trustee

**Gen-** General Community, **EBC-** Extremely Backward Community, **SC –** Scheduled Castes (Dalits), **OBC-** Other Backward castes.

**Note-** No two members or office bearers are blood relatives. **We often access advice from:** Considering members require conceptual and technical support, a good number of outside experts are our friends to give necessary advice in issue base problems. Important among them are-

Table-2: Advisory committee and their experience

Name	Address	Mobile No. and E-mail	Experience
Er. Md Obaidullah	Vill-Sohrai,	Mob:- 08447901658	10 years
MEMBER	Pokharbhinda,	E-mail-	experience
Delhi Minorities	Jhanjharpur, Madhubani	tcertindia@gmail.com	in social
Commission (			work
Advisor)			
Samiul Haque	Jhanjharpur, Madhubani	Mob:- 07061974516	15 years
Retired Judge			experience
			in social
held			work

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#### 2.3. Human Resources

The human resource includes its executive committee members, staff and volunteers. They are trained in

- 1 Social Security Schemes
- 2 Education and health activities, RCH
- 3 Right to Information Act
- 4 Disaster Management

Table-3: Full-time staff and their qualifications

Name	Designation	Qualification	Experience
MD Sadullah	Project Director	BA	16 years of social work
Sahabul Alam	Project Coordinator	MSW	2 years of social work
Sangeeta Devi	Community worker	BA.	4 years of social work
Mamta Devi	Community worker	Matric	3 years of social work
Nena Devi	Community worker	Matric	2 years of social work
MD Gufran	Part Time Accountant	BA	3 years of social work
MD Maaz Ahmad	Field Officer	BSC Agriculture	2 years of social work

Table-4: Part-time consultant/resource persons

Name	Designation	Qualification	Experience	Time allocated
Ajay Kumar Das	Trainer	BSC Agriculture	10 years	
Md. Anzar	Trainer	B.A. (Hons)	5 years	
Dr. Z. Haque	Health worker	PHD.	35 years	

#### 3. OPERATIONAL MODALITY

The organization has two program areas. *Core program* is the voluntary initiative of Rural Development Trust funded from its own internal resources. Programs launched in cooperation with various national and international development agencies are the *Partnership Program*. RDT generates the resources from the overhead of its partnership programs and contribution of organizational membership which is utilized to manage its office utilities, administration, and core program initiatives. RDT is one of the self-financed social development organizations in India.

#### 3.1. Core Programs

The following are the initiations of Rural Development Trust:

#### **Educational Support Program**

The program supports students of Madani Public School by providing educational materials through its core fund. The fund is raised through its membership fee and 0.2 percent from the annual income of professional members of the organization.

#### Rescue and Relief

The program supports flood victims of the Madhubani district. The organization collects data of flood victims and provides them relief and if needed also rehabilitates them. The program also provides basic financial relief funds to resume their livelihood activities.

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## 3.2. Partnership programs

Following are the major partnership programs of RDT:

SHE CAN – empowering rural women in Jhanjharpur Bihar through WASH and Reproductive Health

The objectives of the project are to initiate the development process in the selected six rural communities through women-led savings and credit groups for improving their living conditions and social status; to improve WASH and Nutrition practices, and to improve reproductive health. This is the running project since 2020.

**Education & Relief response** 

The objectives of the project are to improve the scheduled caste & minority girls' education......

Women and Dalit Empowerment

Under the project women, Dalit group were formed, provided training and support in saving and credit group facilitation.

Climate Change Mitigation project

The project supported the community to cope with climate change issues and also facilitated communities on climate change mitigation through building a network with local CBOs/CSOs. Tree plantation, advocacy, and awareness-raising were major activities.

## 4. FINANCIAL MANAGEMENT PRACTICE

The financial operation of RDT is done on the basis of its financial policy. As per the policy, annual planning is developed on the basis of the five-year strategic plan. The annual Programme along with the budget is discussed in the annual general meeting and approved. The organizational accounting system is computerized with the double-entry accounting system. The organization has maintained a daily cash book and day book with vouchers, BRS, Ledgers, Procurement Process, Stock register and salary sheet/register, and human resource filling.

## 5. PARTNERSHIP AND COLLABORATION

Following are the major partners of the RDT:

- 1 World Neighbors (WN)
- 2 Cross-border Anti-trafficking Network (CBATN), Bihar, Patna.
- 3 Vikas Adharshila (Development Foundation), Madhubani
- 4 Badh Mukti Abhiyan, Patna
- 5 GPSVS Jgatpur, Madhubani

## 6. WORKING AREA AND TARGET GROUP

Madhubani, Darbanga, and Supol districts of Bihar, India

Table-5: Detail of geographical coverage

District	Block	Panchayat	Villages	No of HHs	No of Population
Madhubani	2	12	27	3000	15000

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## RDT focused on the holistic development of the following communities:

- 1 SC/Dalit,
- 2 Minority,
- 3 OBC
- 4 Extremely Backward Community
  (Special attention to Children, Women, Old age people and handicapped)



## 1. List of the major ongoing projects

Sl. No	Project Title	Project Areas	Funding agency	Donors contribution	Time Duration	Objective	Type of beneficiaries
1	SHE CAN – empowering rural women in Jhanjharpur Bihar through WASH and Reproductive Health	Jhanjhapur block, 2 Panchayats & 6 villages	World Neighbors (WN)	1200000	1 yrs	To initiative development process in the selected six rural communities through women-led savings and credit groups for improving their living conditions and social status  To improve WASH and Nutrition practices  To improve reproductive health	1000 HHs (SC/OBC/EBC /Minority)
2	Education & Relief response	Jhanjharpur block, 2 panchayats & 7 villages	JTTC	200000	1 yrs	To improve the SC & minority girls' education  To support the COVID-19 relief response	600 HHs (SC/OBC/Min ority)

2. List of the major completed projects

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Thematic Areas	Donors	Major Focus activities			
Women and Dalit	GPSVS, Local	Group formation, training/orientation,			
empowerment	Contribution	meeting with groups,			
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Capacity Building	CDCVC I 1				
Capacity Building	GPSVS, Local	Groups members leadership capacity,			
	Contribution	Govt. entitlement, Capacity building on			
		girls & minority right, adolescent groups			
		leadership skills			
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Education	Local Contribution	Formal education system- Madani Public			
		School			
Relief & Rehabilitation	GPSVS, Local	Flood relief response, fire disaster relief,			
*	contribution, JTTC	covid-19 relief and response, Ramdhan			
		food kit materials			
Promotion of Traditional	GPSVS	Promotion of traditional health cultures,			
Health System		herbal garden, nutrition garden, nursery			
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		development, environment protection
Climate Change Issues	GPSVS	Climate Change Adaptation and
		mitigation, Network building with local
		CBOs/CSOs, tree plantation, advocacy for
		CCI-DRR
Vocational training	JTTC	Tailoring for adolescent girls

#### 3. List of the banks and details

Following are the bank details for the financial transaction with the organizations:

1 FCRA Account – RURAL DEVELOPMENT TRUST A/C No – 40101179701

Branch Code: 691 IFSC: SBIN0000691 MICR: 110002087

Bank's SWIFT Code: SBININBB104

STATE BANK OF INDIA NEW DELHI MAIN BRANCH N. D. MAIN BRANCH 11, PARLIAMENT STREET NEW DELHI NCT OF DELH-110001

2 RURAL DEVELOPMENT TRUST -A/c No -2338179728 IFSC Code – CBIN0282887 MICR Code- 847016735 Central Bank of India, Branch - Sudai Ratauli

- 3 ZAMILA TAILORING TRAINING CENTER A/C No- 577610110002457 IFSC Code- BKID0005776 MICR Code-847013507 Bank Of India Branch Araria Sangram P O- Tulapatganj Dist- Madhubani 847109
- 4 RURAL DEVELOPMENT TRUST A/C No-57761011008948 IFSC Code-BKID0005776 MICR Code-847013507 Bank Of India Branch Araria Sangram P O- Tulapatganj Dist- Madhubani 847109

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