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## ANNUAL REPORT 2024-25

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## Message From Secretary



**RAMA PERUMAL**  
Secretary & Director, SINAM

This year's achievements are a testament to the collective efforts of our staff, volunteers, donors, and community partners.

It is with great pride and gratitude that I present the annual report of SINAM NGO for the period of April 2024 to March 2025, marking the 39th year of our journey. What began as a humble initiative by a group of young, like-minded individuals in Sadayanodai village has now grown into a transformative force for underserved communities across Tiruvannamalai and Kallakurichi Districts.

This year, we continued our commitment to multidimensional development, focusing on education, healthcare, sanitation, environmental sustainability, and the empowerment of vulnerable groups.

The impact of our work is evident in the improved quality of life for countless individuals, from children gaining access to education to women securing sustainable livelihoods.

# Vision, Mission, Values, Goal



## OUR VISION

Our vision remains steadfast: to establish a harmonious, nature-loving society free from poverty, illiteracy, ill health, and injustice. This guiding principle shapes every initiative we undertake, ensuring that our efforts align with the broader goal of inclusive and sustainable development.

## OUR MISSION

SINAM's mission is to uplift oppressed and marginalized communities through holistic socio-economic, educational, health, and environmental interventions. By addressing systemic barriers and fostering self-reliance, we strive to create lasting change at the grassroots level.



## OUR VALUES

Transparency, accountability, equality, social inclusion, and respect for marginalized communities form the core of our values. These principles are embedded in every project, ensuring that our work is ethical, inclusive, and impactful.

## SINAM GOAL

Our overarching goal is to promote the holistic development of needy communities, enabling them to lead dignified and self-sufficient lives.



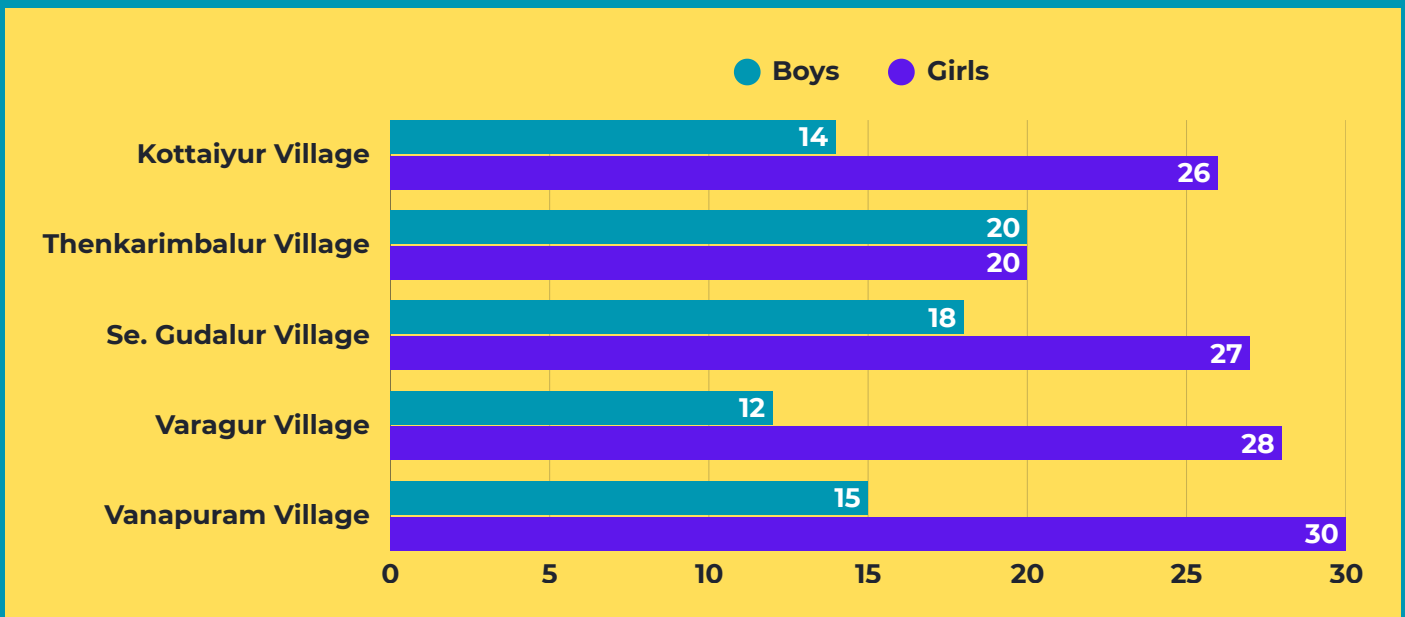
## General Objectives

1. To enhance the quality of education and life for underprivileged children in rural and tribal communities.
2. To empower women by improving their quality of life and creating sustainable livelihood opportunities.
3. To foster eco-friendly communities and promote environmental security.
4. To improve the socio-economic and health conditions of people living with disabilities.
5. To enhance the health and well-being of vulnerable groups, including children, women, adolescent girls, the elderly, and HIV/AIDS-affected families.

# Children Garden Programme

This year, our evening supplementary education centres in five villages - Vanapuram, Varagur, Se. Gudalur, Thenkarimbalur, and Kottaiyur - served 210 children, with a balanced focus on academic and co-curricular development.

Qualified teachers provided coaching in subjects like Tamil and English grammar, handwriting, and activity-based learning, while sports materials such as carom boards, volleyballs, and chess sets enriched their physical development.



The 15th-anniversary celebration of this programme, held at Vanapuram, saw 250 participants, including children, parents, and dignitaries like Dr. E.V.V. Kamban, Dr.T.Thasian, Social Scientist, Vellore, Mr.Madeswaran, Former Panchayat Union Chairman, Vanapuram and Mr.L. Gunasekaran, Former Municipal Counsellor, Tiruvannamalai and Mr. Rama Perumal.

The event highlighted the programme's success in bridging educational gaps and fostering confidence among children, many of whom have shown remarkable academic improvement and leadership skills. This programme was supported by Dr.Evelien de Hoop, Netherlands.

## Observation of World Day Against Child Labour

On June 12, 2025, we observed World Day Against Child Labour across 10 villages in the Thandrapattu block. Our efforts included impactful village-level rallies, a widespread sticker campaign, and various other awareness programs. The participation was truly encouraging, with over 200 children, 80 youths, and 300 parents and other stakeholders actively involved in these initiatives. This collective engagement underscored the community's commitment to eradicating child labour and fostering a supportive environment for children's growth and education.



The primary focus of this campaign was to ensure every child's right to education. We specifically emphasized enrolling children into schools and colleges, preventing academic drop-outs, and promoting higher education for all children, with a significant emphasis on empowering girls through education. By addressing these critical areas, we aimed to not only raise awareness about the perils of child labour but also to provide tangible pathways for children to access quality education and secure a brighter future.

## Nutrition Support for HIV/AIDS-Affected Women and Children

Recognizing the severe protein-energy malnutrition among HIV/AIDS-affected women and children, we provided nutritional kits to 100 beneficiaries, including transgender individuals and migrants. Each kit contained essentials like rice, wheat flour, nutrient mix powder, and hygiene products.

The programme, supported by Ms. Barbara Coaro, Studio progetto Soc. Cooperativa Socials of Italy, not only improved the health metrics of recipients but also restored their dignity. Many women reported increased energy levels, enabling them to pursue small-scale income-generating activities.



## Potable Drinking Water for Tribal Families



In Jawadhu Hills, where tribal families faced severe water scarcity, we identified two villages - Kuttakollai and Chinnapaiyan Kollakottai - for sustainable water solutions. Through bore well projects supported by SELAVIP Foundation, Chile, 57 families now have access to clean drinking water.

This intervention has significantly reduced the time women and children spent fetching water, allowing children to attend school regularly and women to engage in productive work.

# HIV/AIDS Target Intervention Programme

The programme, funded by TANSACS, has reduced stigma and new infection rates, with many participants now advocating for preventive measures in their communities.

Covering 63 hotspots across seven blocks in Tiruvannamalai District, our team of 18 members, including peer educators, conducted testing, awareness campaigns, and counselling for 1,496 high-risk individuals.

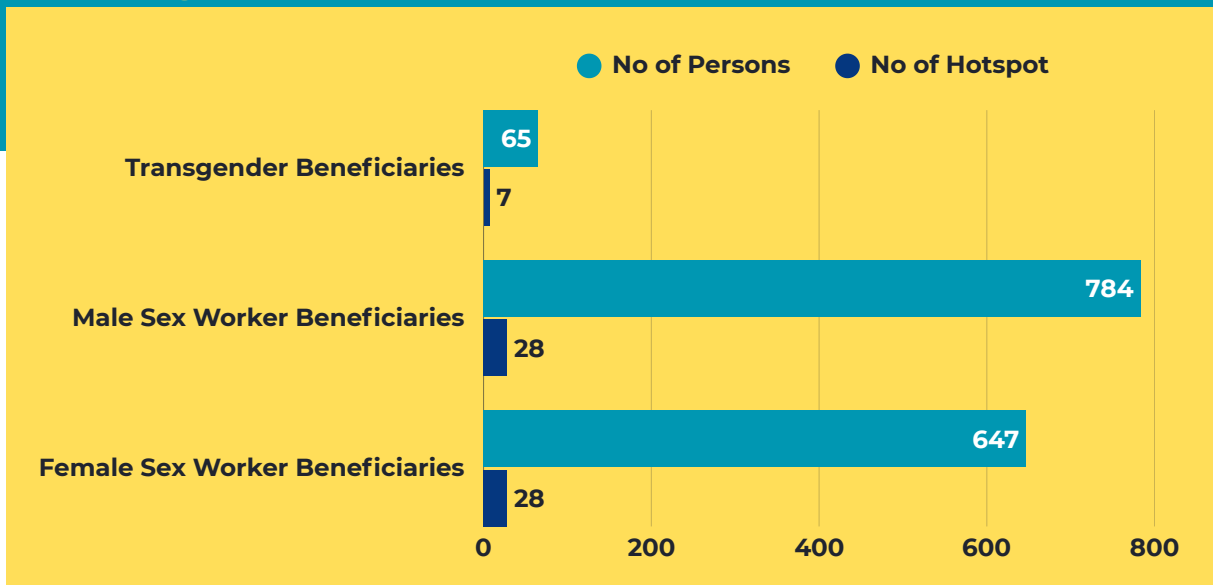


## The Target Areas:

1. Tiruvannamalai
2. Thandrampattu
3. Chengam
4. Pudupalayam
5. Thuringapuram
6. Kilpennathur
7. Kalasapakkam



Following Graphs shows the Number of Hotspots run the beneficiaries:



## Family Counselling Centre

For 17 years, our center has provided critical support to women facing domestic violence, property disputes, and other injustices. Two trained counsellors offered guidance and legal assistance, helping numerous women rebuild their lives. One notable case involved a woman who, after counselling, started a small business and now supports her family independently.



## Kasturibai Gandhi Bala Vidyalaya Residential School



This school in Mudiur, Kallakurichi District provides shelter and education to 50 vulnerable girls, including orphans and abuse survivors. Under SINAM's management, the girls have shown remarkable progress in academics and extracurricular activities, with several expressing aspirations to become teachers and healthcare workers.

## Women Development

Forming 10 women's groups (200 members) in Thandrapattu Block, we conducted training on workers rights and minimum wage laws. These groups have since become self-reliant, with members collectively starting small businesses like tailoring units and herbal gardens.



## Skill Training for Young Women

Six-month tailoring and embroidery courses empowered 40 young women, with six securing jobs in tailoring shops and five becoming self-employed. One participant pursued higher education, breaking the cycle of poverty in her family.



## Consultation with PRI Elected Members



A August 2024 consultation with 77 Panchayat leaders addressed child labour and HIV/AIDS prevention. The event fostered collaboration between local governance and NGOs, leading to actionable strategies for community protection.

## International Women's Day

Celebrated across five villages, the event united 232 women to discuss gender equality. Participants formed self-help groups and initiated small-scale enterprises, fostering economic independence.



## Red Hand Day Campaign

On February 12th, Red Hand Day, we launched a dedicated campaign to raise crucial awareness about the grave issue of children's involvement in armed conflict across many countries. In the Indian context, this often manifests as their exposure to and participation in communal riots and violence fueled by caste-based discrimination. Our "Red Hand Day Campaign," a powerful anti-violence initiative, directly addressed these concerning realities.



This campaign effectively reached 260 children, making significant strides in curbing the prevalence of "violence culture" that had unfortunately begun to emerge in some schools. Children who participated in our programmes have demonstrated a newfound ability to resolve conflicts peacefully, showcasing a shift towards non-violent approaches and a greater understanding of the devastating consequences of aggression.

## Combating Global Warming



On June 5, 2024, we celebrated World Environment Day with a series of impactful activities across 10 villages, focusing on crucial environmental issues. Our initiatives were a direct response to the alarming threat of global warming, which jeopardizes all living species – animals, plants, and people alike. We recognize that human survival is intrinsically linked to the health of our ecosystems, yet natural resources are being depleted at an unsustainable rate, leaving little for future generations. This selfish exploitation of vital resources like air, water, land, and forests spurred us to action.

Our community action programs in all 10 villages were comprehensive, aiming to foster a deeper connection with nature and promote sustainable practices.

Key activities included awareness creation on protecting endangered native trees and direct conservation efforts for these vital species. We also vigorously promoted biodiversity, emphasizing the importance of preserving every living species without disruption. To engage the younger generation, we formed five eco-clubs in five villages among school children, integrating environmental protection into our evening supplementary education centers.

Furthermore, we motivated women to develop kitchen gardens and herbal gardens at home, encouraging self-sufficiency and a closer relationship with nature. Finally, we advocated for minimizing the use of conventional fuel and electricity, encouraging the adoption of alternative energy sources to reduce our carbon footprint and build greener communities.



## Recent Memberships and Awards

SINAM's expertise earned us memberships in district-level government bodies, including the Child Protection Committee and Vigilance Committee. Our accolades, such as the Best State-Level NGO for Child Labour Eradication (2022) and the Life Time Achiever Award (2023), reflect our unwavering commitment to social justice.

## Financial Support Mobilized (FY 2024-25)

Source	Amount (₹)	Share	Key Purpose
<b>TANSACS</b>	2463532	50%	HIV/AIDS Target Intervention Programme
<b>Foreign Grants</b>	1718451	35%	International NGO partnerships
<b>Widow &amp; Deserted Welfare Board</b>	571050	12%	Social welfare initiatives
<b>TWAD Board</b>	14400	0.30%	Local projects
<b>Members' Contributions</b>	38300	0.80%	Community support
<b>Other (Interest, Refunds, etc.)</b>	134767	2.70%	Operational liquidity

### Financial Analysis of Expenses (FY 2024-25)

## Institutional Engagement:

- 85% of funds came from institutional donors (TANSACS + Foreign Grants), ensuring program scalability.
- Foreign grants were diversified across 3 NGOs (Italy, Netherlands, Chile).
- Total Funds Mobilized: ₹49.5 Lakhs

## Key Insights

### 1. Programme-Centric Spending:

- 59% of total expenses (₹29.2L) directly supported core missions (HIV/AIDS, counselling, education, nutrition).
- TANSACS HIV/AIDS Programme alone accounted for 48%, reflecting prioritization of health interventions.

### 2. Operational Efficiency:

- Administrative costs were kept low (0.6%), indicating lean operations.
- High reserves (₹16.7L, 34%) suggest prudent financial management for future projects.

### 3. Debt Management:

- Loan repayments (₹2.87L, 5.8%) indicate disciplined liability handling.

Category	Amount (₹)	% of Total	Key Activities
TANSACS HIV/AIDS Programme	2374217	48%	Salaries, outreach, health camps, advocacy
Family Counselling	322300	6.50%	Counsellor honorariums, office rent, awareness
Children's Education	121750	2.50%	School supplies, teacher payments
Nutrition for HIV/AIDS Affected	100830	2%	Food packs, educational materials
General Programmes	26760	0.50%	Women's Day, environment, disability awareness
Administration	27821	0.60%	Audits, stationery, travel
Loan Repayment	287050	5.80%	Repayment to members
Closing Balance	1673401	34%	Unspent funds carried forward

Though SINAM allocated less amount for direct educational expenses, its smart, resourceful approach maximized reach. By using volunteer teachers, donated community and spaces the organization provided education and motivation to 500+ children at minimal cost. Beyond classrooms, awareness campaigns and nutrition support boosted children's health and attendance.

Staff and volunteers dedicated 60% of their time to child-focused activities—like parent workshops and counselling—while HIV/AIDS programs also addressed child protection.

Hence the results are... Improved literacy, life skills, and lower dropout rates, proving that impact isn't just about money, but commitment and creativity.

## Our Sincere Thanks to...

**Our beloved beneficiaries and participants of various programmes and the following Donors who made it possible.**



**Dr. Evelien De Hoop  
Netherlands.**

### Accreditation



United Nation Environment Programme Accreditation by UN Environment Programme, Governance Affairs Office, Kenya.

## SADAYANODAI ILAIGNAR NARPANI MANDRAM - SINAM

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### SINAM MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

	Member Name	Sex	Position	Area Expertise
1	A.Thenmozhi	Female	President	Women Empowerment
2	R.Stalin	Male	Vice President	Training, Fund Raising
3	Rama Perumal	Male	Secretary	Project Planning, NGO Management Charity Service, Execution, Monitoring and Evaluation
4	D.Vasanthi	Female	Joint Secretary	Environment Protection
5	J.Muniyammal	Female	Treasurer	Health Development
6	R.Sathiya	Female	EC Member	Children Development
7	L.Niraimathi	Female	EC Member	Vocational Training

# Audit Report

**SADAYANODAI ILAIGNAR NARPANI MANDRAM (SINAM)**  
Valaragham, Anbu Nagar, Tiruvannamalai, Tamil Nadu, India.  
**RECEIPTS AND PAYMENTS ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.03.2025**

Receipts		Rs.	Payment		Rs.
To	Opening Balance		By	Bank charges	5733
	Cash on Hand			FC	
	FC A/C	0		LOCAL	177
	Local A/C	460			
To	Cash at banks		By	PROGRAMMES	
	(Vide Details)	127253		Distributing Supplementary Nutrition	
To	Received amount from			Pack to the Women ,Children and	100830
	Foreign Contribution	1718451		Transgender infected by HIV/AIDS	
	(Schedule-1)		By	Sponsorship Programme for Poor	
To	Bank Interest FC	5581		Children Educational Programme	121750
To	Bank Interest Local	542	By	Local	
To	Funds Received from			Family Counselling Programme	322300
	TANSACS	2463532	By	TANSACS :	
To	Amount from TWAD	14400		HIV/AIDS -Target Intervention	2374217
				Programme	
To	Recived from Widow & Deserted		By	General Programme	26760
	Social Welfare Board & WE				
	department, Chennai	571050	By	Administration Expenses	27821
To	Income Tax Refund	876		Closing Balance	
To	Interest on IT Refund	54		Cash On Hand	
To	Members Contribution	38300		Local	460
				FC	0
				Loan Repayment to EC members	287050
				Cash at banks	
				(Vide Details)	1673401
		4940499			4940499

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Place: Arni  
Date: 21/05/2025

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**SADAYANODAI ILAIGNAR NARPANI MANDRAM (SINAM)**  
Valaragham, Anbu Nagar, Tiruvannamalai, Tamil Nadu, India.  
**INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31.03.2025**

EXPENDITURE		Rs.	INCOME		Rs.
To	PROGRAMMES		By	Received amount from	
	Distributing Supplementary Nutrition			Foreign Contribution	1718451
	Pack to the Women ,Children and	100830	By	Funds Received from	
	Transgender infected by HIV/AIDS			TANSACS	2463532
To	Sponsorship Programme for Poor	121750	By	Amount from TWAD Board	14400
	Children Educational Programme		By	Members Contribution	38300
To	Family Counselling Programme	322300	By	Bank Interest	
To	TANSACS :			FC	5581
	HIV/AIDS -Target Intervention	2374217		Local	542
	Programme		By	Recived from Widow & Deserted	
To	General Programme	26760		Social Welfare Board & WE	571050
				department, Chennai	
To	Administration Expenses	27821	By	Receivable from Widow & Deserted	
To	Bank charges			Social Welfare Board & WE	288000
	FC	5733	By	Interest on IT Refund	54
	Local	177			
To	Excess of income over exp	2120322			
		5099910			5099910

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**SADAYANODAI ILAIGNAR NARPANI MANDRAM (SINAM), VALARAGHAM,**  
**ANBU NAGARTIRUVANNAMALAI - 606 604**  
**BALANCE SHEET AS ON 31.03.2025**

LIABILITIES		Rs.	ASSETS		Rs.
Capital Fund		3503530	Cash on hand & at Bank:		
(Vide Extract)			FC	0	
Loan			Local	460	
Cheche Programme (O.B.)		1249304	Cash at Bank		
Loan from Members			Vide list attached	1673401	
Ob	756750		Fixed Assets		
Less: Repayment	287050	469700	(as per list)	2950628	
			<b>Other Assets</b>		
			Amount receivable		
			from CSWB (OB)	97200	
			Addition during the year	288000	385200
			TDS OB + New (OB)	87083	
			Less: Refund	876	86207
			NGO Loans SHG's		
			RMK Programme (OB)		100000
			Amount receivable from CAG		11250
			Amt receiveale from TWAD		15388
		5222534			5222534

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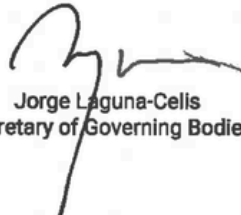
This refers to your communication addressed to the Governance Affairs Office, requesting accreditation of Sadayanodai Ilaignar Narpani Mandram (SINAM) to the Governing Body of the United Nations Environment Programme (UN Environment).

Following careful assessment and consideration of the documents and information provided by you, I am pleased to inform you that Sadayanodai Ilaignar Narpani Mandram (SINAM) has been granted Accreditation as an observer to the governing body of UN Environment which was renamed as the United Nations Environment Assembly of the United Nations Environment Programme by the General Assembly Resolution 67/251 of 13 March 2013. Your organization will forthwith receive invitations as an observer to all public meetings and sessions of the United Nations Environment Assembly and its subsidiary organs.

Please note that as an accredited organization, you are required to file a report of your activities to UN Environment every four years from the date of accreditation. This report known as quadrennial report is to be submitted to the Secretariat of Governing Bodies in a specific format that UN Environment will communicate to you.

An excerpt of rule 70 of the Rules of Procedure of the United Nations Environment Assembly of UN Environment is attached for your information and compliance. Please also see UN Environment's Stakeholder Engagement Handbook that can be found under at <https://goo.gl/WQoy67>

Yours sincerely,



Jorge Laguna-Cells  
Secretary of Governing Bodies

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## Epilogue

This year's achievements are a testament to the collective efforts of our staff, volunteers, donors, and community partners. As we look ahead, we remain dedicated to serving marginalized communities with innovation and compassion. Together, we can build a future where every individual thrives with dignity and hope.

  
**Rama Perumal**

Secretary & Director, SINAM

Presented at the Annual General Body Meeting, Valaragham, SINAM Development Centre, Tiruvannamalai.



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