... We emerged as a unique support organisation...

For children & young people

Early Childhood Care & Development Training, Malaysia '94
Child to Child workshop in India

Gender Equality, Peace & Development Conference, Beijing

ICOMP-International Council on Management of Population Programmes

Our International Partners

ARROW - Asia-Pacific Resource & Research Centre for Women

Women and Health (W&H) definition
Health is a personal and social state of balance and well-being in which a woman feels strong, active, creative, wise and worthwhile; where her body’s vital power of functioning and healing is intact; where her diverse capacities and rhythms are valued; where she may decide and choose, express herself and move freely.

In 1993, a national level meeting was held at Bangalore to launch W&H (Women And Health). Women’s Groups, Academics and Researchers working on women’s issues came together to develop a comprehensive approach to W&H. And formulate a definition for W&H.

The strategy to implement W&H was also designed.

After the International Conference on Population Development and the Gender, Equality, Peace & Development Conference in Beijing, the concept of Reproductive and Child Health was promoted by Government of India with CHETNA as one of the key partners at the state level.

For women to empower themselves, they must harness their inner energies, to overcome patriarchal hypocrisy of the Dahleej.

A begins has already been made through advocacy on women’s comprehensive health* from the rights perspective.

The challenge is to remove the fear, shame and silence associated to women’s sexuality and her status in the society, for better emotional and physical well being of women and society in general.

To meet the challenges of the changing social structure and globalization, women should be:
- Aware
- Alert
- Analytical
- Active
- Assertive

Foundation Day
Celebrating 10 Years of CHETNA in 1994

Moving to Shahibaug in 1992

1991

1995

CHETNA Team