



# NEWSLETTER

March-April, 2025

TRANSFORMING LIVES  
**SHAPING NATION**

## EDUCATION RESPONSE AND RESTORATION OF FLOOD AFFECTED SCHOOLS IN DG KHAN AND RAJANPUR, DISTRICTS OF PUNJAB

**18,130**

STUDENTS RECEIVED  
WINTERIZED KITS.

**520**

WASH CLUBS  
ACTIVATED.

**870**

GIRLS ENGAGED IN  
STEAM EDUCATION.

**16**

ALP-MIDDLE  
TEACHERS TRAINED.

**52,725**

STUDENTS SENSITIZED  
ON GBV & PSEA.

**8,675**

STUDENTS  
RECEIVED HEALTH  
SCREENING.

**4,318**

MHM KITS  
DISTRIBUTED AMONG  
ADOLESCENT GIRLS.

**789**

Members of School  
Councils trained on  
the safe reopening  
and functioning of  
schools

**49,147**

HYGIENE KITS  
DISTRIBUTED  
AMONG STUDENTS.

**30,448**

GREEN BOOKS  
DISTRIBUTED IN  
SCHOOLS.

**300**

SCHOOLS  
REHABILITATED  
THROUGH MINOR  
REPAIR &  
MAINTENANCE.

**164,323**

STUDENTS RECEIVED  
LEARNING KITS,  
STATIONARY  
& BAGS

**859**

Teachers trained on  
MHPSS, multi-grade  
teaching, academic  
calendar and  
climate change etc

**78,447**

STUDENTS BENEFITED  
WITH SOLAR PANELS,  
BATTERIES AND FANS  
IN 525 SCHOOLS.

**150**

NFE SCHOOLS  
RECEIVED FURNITURE,  
MATS, WHITE BOARD  
AND WATER COOLERS  
WITH STAND.

## School Enrollment Campaign 2025-26

With the support of UNICEF Pakistan, the School Education Department South Punjab, and Sanjh Preet Organization, the School Enrolment Campaign 2025-26 was officially launched in the districts of DG Khan and Rajanpur. Both districts hosted impactful events aimed at encouraging school enrolment, promoting learning access, and mobilizing communities around the right to education.







## END OF PROJECT REVIEW MEETING



The End Project Review Meeting for the Education Response & Restoration Activities in flood-affected districts of Rajanpur and Dera Ghazi Khan was successfully held, bringing together key education stakeholders and partners. The session served as a platform to reflect on the project's key interventions, innovations, and overall impact. Discussions focused on the progress made in the repair and maintenance of 300 schools, the integration of STEAM education through ALP-M, and the presentation of Means of Verification (MoVs). Participants also shared valuable lessons learnt, addressed ongoing challenges, and proposed strategies for future resilience. From thoughtful opening remarks to in-depth technical presentations and closing acknowledgments, the meeting underscored a strong, shared commitment to restoring and strengthening education for children impacted by the floods.





## PREVENTION OF CHILD PROTECTION RISKS THROUGH COMMUNITY EMPOWERMENT IN THE TARGET DISTRICTS OF PUNJAB

**123**

CPCS AND PARENT GROUPS ESTABLISHED AND FUNCTIONAL.

**123**

GBV & PSEA SESSIONS WITH THE CPCs

**07**

DISTRICT LEVEL ORIENTATION SESSIONS ON APPROVED TORS OF CPCs

**01**

KAP STUDY & BASELINE STUDY CONDUCTED ON POSITIVE PARENTING SKILLS.

**02**

PACKAGES DEVELOPED ON POSITIVE PARENTING SKILLS & CP COMMITTEES

**5000**

BIRTH REGISTRATION OF CHILDREN IN 5 UCS OF RAJANPUR

**90**

ORIENTATION SESSIONS FOR MEMBERS OF SCHOOLS COUNCILS

**280**

COMMUNITY SESSIONS ON PARENTING PACKAGE FOR PARENTS AND CAREGIVERS

**35**

INTERACTIVE THEATER CONDUCTED ON CP ISSUES IN 7 DISTRICTS (5 IN EACH DISTRICT).

**204**

FRONTLINE WORKERS TRAINED ON GBV & PSEA IN TARGET DISTRICTS.

**12**

CHILD FRIENDLY SPACES SUSTAINED AS NON-FORMAL SCHOOL OF L&NFBE

**173**

SESSIONS CONDUCTED WITH COMMUNITIES ON GBV & PSEA.

**14**

FOCUS GROUP DISCUSSIONS CONDUCTED ON POSITIVE PARENTING SKILLS.

**100**

COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT SESSIONS ON CP ISSUES INCLUDING CONSEQUENCES OF EARLY CHILD MARRIAGE & SEXUAL ABUSE

**123**

CPC'S TRAINED ON THE APPROVED CPC PACKAGE



**Child Protection Committees (CPCs)**  
Officially Notified across  
**7 districts** in Punjab

In a major step toward strengthening community-based child protection systems, the Child Protection and Welfare Bureau (CPWB), Government of Punjab, with support from UNICEF Pakistan and Sanjh Preet Organization, has officially notified 123 Child Protection Committees (CPCs) across 7 districts. Special appreciation goes to Ms. Sarah Ahmad, Chairperson CP&WB and Member Provincial Assembly Punjab, for her tireless dedication to this cause.



## From Dropout to Dreaming Again: Shahraz's Story

Location: Union Council No. 07, Badarsher, Bahawalpur



*"I used to watch other children go to school while I stayed home, feeling left out and forgotten. My parents wanted the best for me, but we just couldn't afford it. When the people from Sanjh Preet and the committee came to talk to us, I felt hope for the first time in years. Now, knowing I'll go back to school and have someone to care for me, I feel like my life is starting again." — Muhammad Shahraz*

Muhammad Shahraz is a 13-year-old boy from a hardworking but struggling family. His parents, both daily wage laborers, try their best to make ends meet. Two years ago, due to financial difficulties and no one at home to take care of him during the day, Shahraz had to drop out of school.



Since then, he's been missing out on education during a crucial time in his life. With no proper supervision or schooling, his chances for a better future were slipping away.

But things started to change when the local Child Protection Committee, formed by Sanjh Preet Organization, noticed his situation. The committee raised his case in a meeting with Sanjh Preet staff in Bahawalpur. After discussions, they decided to reach out to the Child Protection and Welfare Bureau (CP&WB).



They met with Ms. Noshaba Malik, the District Incharge of CP&WB, and shared Shahraz's story. Thankfully, CP&WB agreed to take him under their care. Now they will provide him with a safe place, proper care, and most importantly—education.

Right now, Shahraz's admission process at the CP&WB center is in progress. Soon, he will be officially enrolled, marking a fresh start in his life.

This story shows how local communities and organizations, by working together, can help children in need. Because of this joint effort, Muhammad Shahraz will now have the chance to continue his education and grow up in a safe and supportive environment.

## Sanjh Champions ( March–April, 2025 )



**Mr. Muhammad Riaz Khan**  
Child Protection Officer



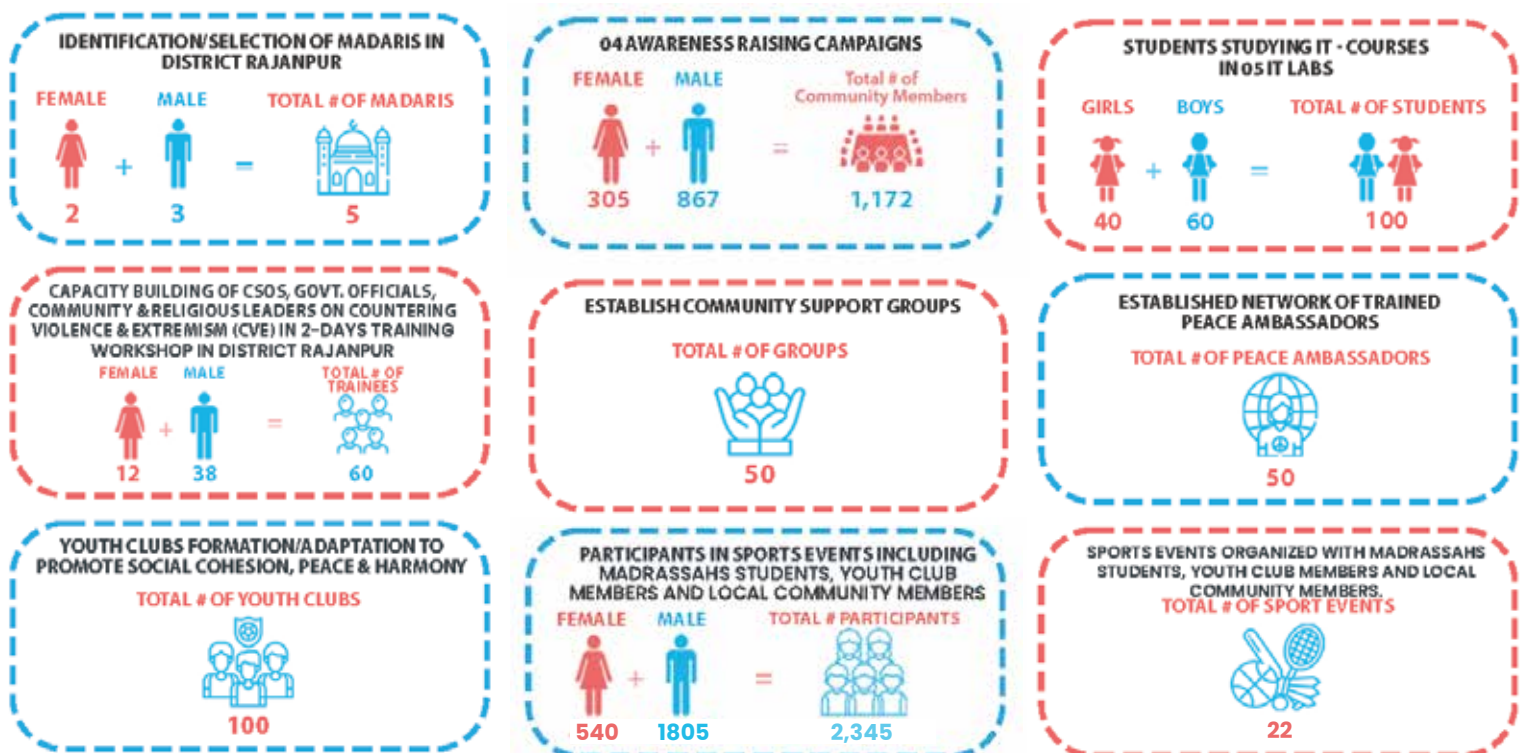
**Ms. Saima Saeed**  
Child Protection Monitor

This initiative is all about recognizing and rewarding great teamwork. It also helps set a standard for outstanding performance. After a careful review by senior management, we are proud to announce that Team DG Khan has been named the Sanjh Champions for their excellent work of the months of March & April, 2025.



## COUNTERING AND PREVENTING TERRORISM IN DISTRICT RAJANPUR, PUNJAB, PAKISTAN

Sanjh Preet, with technical and financial support from the European Union through the United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC), is implementing a project titled Countering and Preventing Terrorism in District Rajanpur, Punjab, Pakistan. This initiative is strategically designed to enhance the digital literacy and IT competencies of students in madrassas, while simultaneously building the institutional capacities of civil society organizations (CSOs) and local leaders. The project also aims to promote social cohesion and community resilience through targeted interventions. Implementation is undertaken in close coordination with madrassa authorities, government agencies, educational institutions, and religious leaders to ensure alignment with national action plans for countering violence and extremism. Key components of the project include awareness campaigns, youth engagement programs, and the establishment of support mechanisms for vulnerable populations. These efforts collectively aim to foster an inclusive, tolerant, and non-violent social fabric within the community.





## Certification Ceremony at Rajanpur, Punjab



Under the project "Countering and Preventing Terrorism in District Rajanpur, Punjab, Pakistan", A total of 100 madrassa students were successfully enrolled in an IT skills development course, equipping them with valuable digital knowledge for the modern world. To ensure meaningful learning, the project field team provided continuous follow-up and mentoring support to both instructors and students throughout the course.

In addition to technical training, career counselling sessions were held to help students explore future pathways and opportunities. The program concluded with a final assessment and certification ceremony, celebrating the students' achievements.

### Aftab's Story: Countering Extremism Through IT Skills Education

The Countering and Preventing Terrorism in District Rajanpur through Digital Skills initiative, implemented by Sanjh Preet Organization with support from UNODC and NACTA, aimed to empower vulnerable youth—particularly madrassah students—through market-relevant IT skills. In a region with limited access to education and employment, the project offered a practical and transformative alternative to disengagement and extremism.



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One notable beneficiary, Aftab Asghar, a student at Madrassah Taleem-ul-Islam, enrolled with the hope of improving his future. His dedication, especially to mastering typing and IT skills, earned him a position at a China-based call center in Islamabad. Today, he is financially supporting his family and growing professionally—an inspiring example of how opportunity and effort can reshape lives.

Beyond Aftab, hundreds of madrassah students, both male and female, benefitted from the initiative. The program not only enhanced technical competencies but also expanded their worldview—from limited exposure to broad, informed thinking.

Female participants, in particular, gained confidence, voice, and opportunities for further education and freelance work.

Now concluded, the project has left a lasting impact—transforming mindsets, building resilience, and equipping youth with the tools to engage constructively in society. It stands as a scalable model of preventing extremism through digital empowerment and inclusive education.



## Scale up of E Voucher Model for BISP Beneficiaries in Khanewal and Multan Districts of Punjab

The "Scale-up of E-Voucher Model for BISP Beneficiaries in Khanewal and Multan Districts of Punjab" project, led by the Punjab Population Innovation Fund (PPIF) with support from the World Bank, is jointly implemented by Sanjh Preet and Pakistan Lions Youth Council (PLYC) in Multan and Khanewal.



The project aims to improve access to family planning services for Benazir Income Support Programme (BISP) beneficiaries. Through an e-voucher system, it provides free and easy access to reproductive health services from approved healthcare providers. The project focuses on improving maternal and child health, empowering women to make informed decisions, and building partnerships for sustainable population management solutions in Punjab.



**2 Days Training of Project Staff on Project Thematic Approach in Multan**



**2 Days Training of Project Staff on Project Thematic Approach in Khanewal**



**3 Days Family Planning Advance Training of Service Providers Khanewal & Multan**

# Project Targets

## MULTAN

167,188 MWRAs to be reached

35,828 MWRAs to be served

104 Mother Ambassadors

104 Family Planning Champions

104 Private Providers

68 Public Providers

## KHANEWAL

95,515 MWRAs to be reached

20,254 MWRAs to be served

59 Mother Ambassadors

59 Family Planning Champions

59 Private Providers

39 Public Providers

\* MWRAs: Married Women Reproductive Age

## SANJH SCHOOLS – Enrolment, Retention and Progression of Out of School Children (OOSC) in Islamabad Capital Territory (ICT)



Under the Zero Out-of-School Children Initiative led by the Ministry of Federal Education and Professional Training (MoFEPT), Sajpreet Organization has established 12 Accelerated Learning Program (ALP) centers across six union councils of Islamabad Capital Territory (ICT), enrolling 544 out-of-school children who are now actively receiving education.

Mid-term assessments for Package B have been conducted in 10 centers, ensuring continued academic progress. Additionally, Eid gifts were distributed among 200 students at the Bari Imam center to uplift student morale, and dental screening and treatment were provided to 450 enrolled children in collaboration with Action for Humanity, promoting student health and well-being alongside learning.



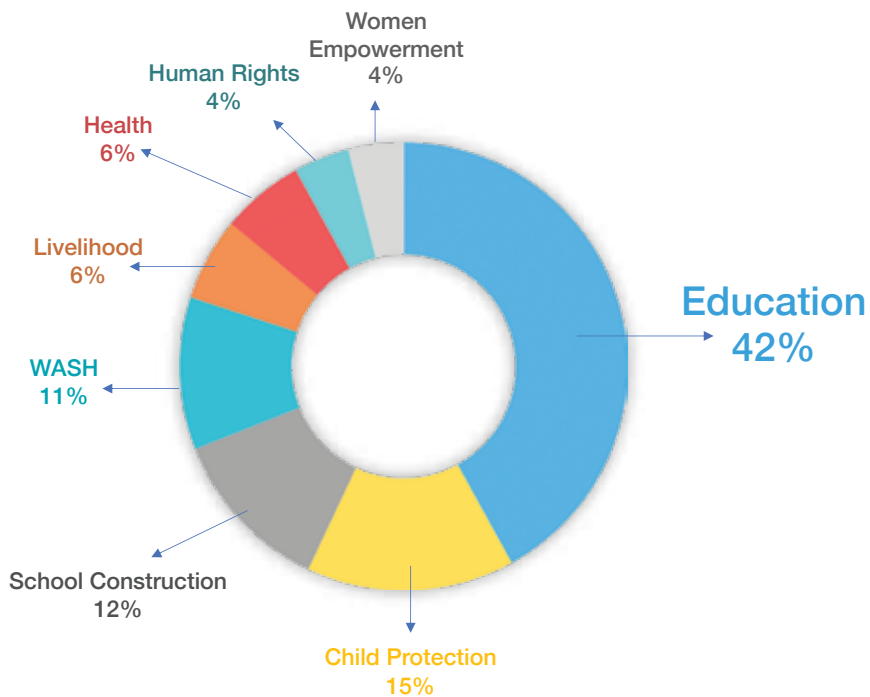
# Highlights: Celebration of Women Day in Pakistan







## SUMMARY OF PROJECTS





**05**  
ON-GOING PROJECTS



**52**  
COMPLETED PROJECTS

**57**  
TOTAL PROJECTS

## OUR PARTNERS

