MACOSS Outreach Programme





On 25 February 2025, the Mauritius Council of Social Service (MACOSS) organised an outreach programme in collaboration with member organisations namely Arsenal Force Vive (AFV) and AHEAD. The event took place at the Arsenal village hall from 8.30 am to 12 am.

Amongst all those present were, staff members of MACOSS, members of AHEAD, a representative of NSIF, all the AFV's Executive Committee Members, some volunteers and stakeholders, including AFV beneficiaries.

The purpose of this outreach initiative was to provide information while also addressing the concerns raised under SDG 1. This project provides a forum for AFV beneficiaries to communicate with other stakeholders, collaborate, and work together to create a holistic approach to these difficulties by exploring viable solutions.

Furthermore, the outreach program aimed to support member organizations while also exchanging knowledge and experiences with the beneficiaries around inclusion and equal opportunity.

AHEAD representatives conducted a life skills training and capacity building program on fundamental rights, governance and financial issues encountered by NGOs, health and safety, basic hygiene and sanitation, and basic IT skills and their implications in daily life.

The Outreach Programme concluded with the distribution of FOOD PACKS and refreshments to the beneficiaries.



AHEAD

PREPARATION & PACKAGING OF FOOD PACKS @ AHEAD



BENEFICIARIES ATTENDING TRAINING @AFV VILLAGE HALL



Resource Persons: Mr. Suraj Ray FCG, Mr. Viraj Posooa, and Mr. Yougesh Baboolull volunteering @AFV with MR D. BANGALEEA, SECRETARY OF AFV



Resource Person: **Ms. Deepshika Nackchejee,** volunteering @AFV- <u>Highlighting the importance of</u> <u>Sanitary and hygiene basics.</u>



MEMBERS OF THE ARSENAL FORCE VIVE @AFV VILLAGE HALL



BENEFICIARIES RECEIVING FOOD PACK @AFV VILLAGE HALL