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Introducing: Reaching Hand's

Girls Glory

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**REACHING HAND** 

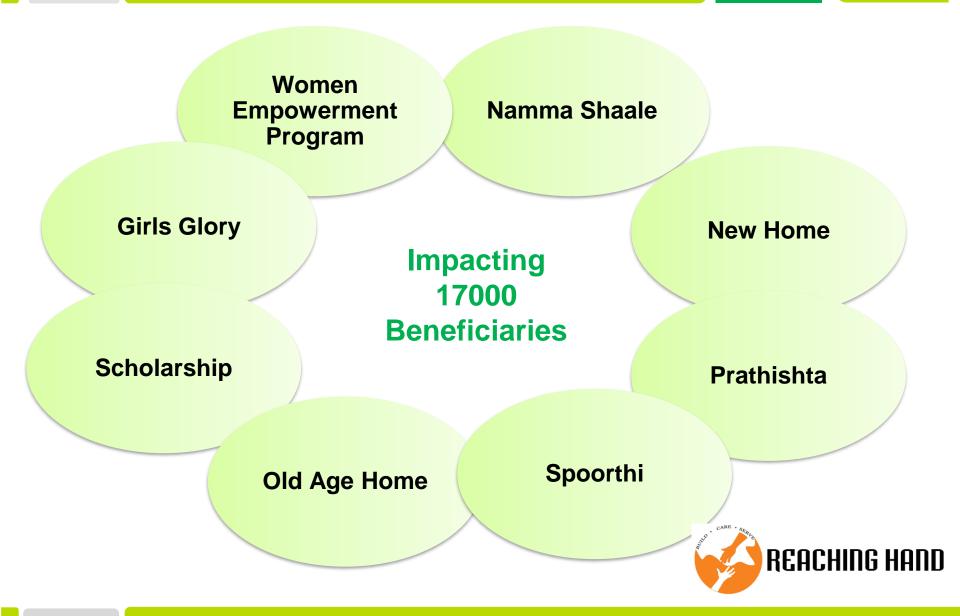
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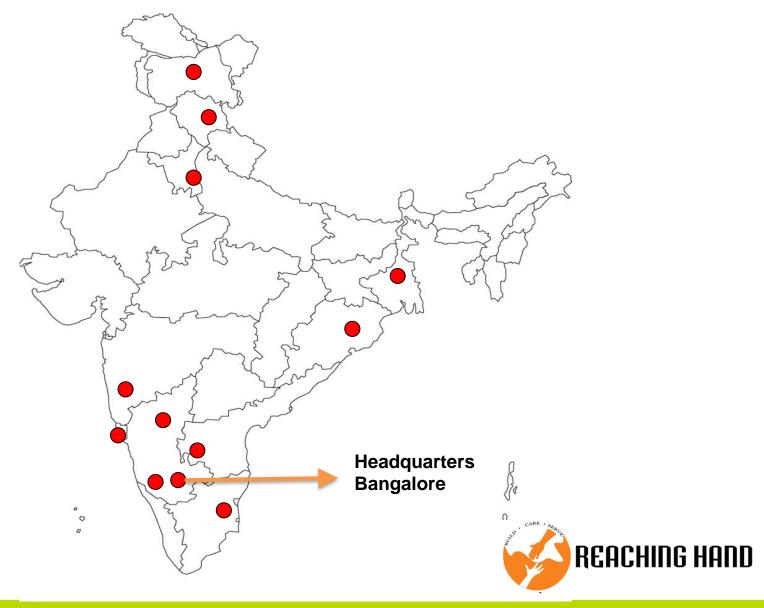
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# Vision: Empowering communities globally by bringing hope of a better tomorrow.



#### Reaching Hand's Programs





#### **Partners**



















- Online Fundraising Partners
- Corporates
- Agencies



















### Access. Awareness. Action.



#### **Project Mission**

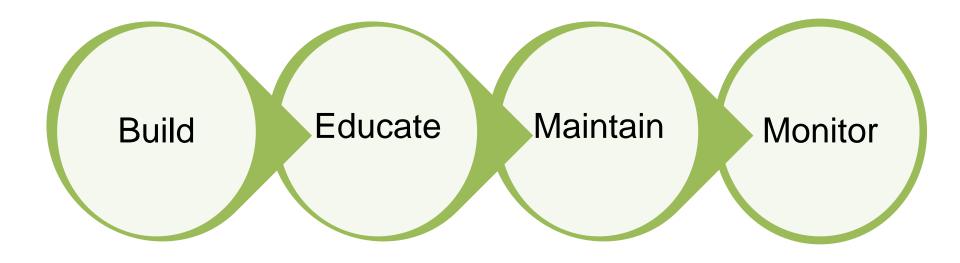
**Access:** To construct/renovate sanitation facilities at government schools across India by building toilet blocks, impacting more than 30000 disadvantage girls.

**Awareness:** To raise awareness on the best practices related to sanitation and hygiene among school children, teachers, parents and communities using corporate and community volunteers.

**Action:** To engage policy makers & stakeholders through advocacy and capacity building on Sanitation and Hygiene issues so that it becomes an important part in the school curriculum.



### **Project Approach**





### A. Construction of Toilet Complexes



#### B. MHM and WASH Education



### C. Sustainability



### Main Challenges







5785 Girl Students 1100 Boys Students

90 New and 57 Renovated Toilets

33 Schools Impacted 49 awareness workshop held

## **Thank You**

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"Since everybody goes through the same kind of feelings, I feel no more fear and I feel the need to be healthy during periods and also, I am going to teach the same to other children."

-Student, Hennagara GHS

