

CHAUKHANDI VILLAGE HOUSEHOLD REPORT

UBA Baseline Household Survey Conducted in Chaukhandi Village

Date: 12th of April, 13th of April, 14th of April 2024

The UBA (Unnat Bharat Abhiyan) village and Baseline Household Survey was conducted on the 12th of April, 13th of April, and 14th of April respectively, in Chaukhandi Village by Bharati College. The survey aimed to collect baseline data and assess the needs and living conditions of the villagers as well as to understand their requirements for future development projects.

This report provides an overview of the survey's organization, participants, and key findings. Prior to conducting the survey, the methodology and plan of action for the Chaukhandi Village Survey began with the creation of a WhatsApp group where all volunteers were guided during online and offline meetings. Visits were conducted before the surveys to prepare for the data collection process. The village survey took place on 12th, 13th and 14th of April 2024. During these surveys, around 18 volunteers, along with two professors, the Professor coordinators Dr. Asha Tiwari and Dr. Meenakshi Gupta, successfully completed the survey of 129 households. Dr. Rajni is the UBA Coordinator at Bharati College. She plays a crucial role in overseeing the Unnat Bharat Abhiyan (UBA) initiatives at the college. As the coordinator, Dr. Rajni is responsible for coordinating and managing everything with the teacher coordinators- Dr. Asha Tiwari and Dr. Meenakshi Gupta, also with the student coordinators for Chaukhandi Village – Komal Payari and Astha Jain respectively. There were as many as 18 students along with 2 Professors from Bharati College who participated in the survey.

The Village Coordinator briefed about the Village Chaukhandi, its District, Ward, Assembly Constituency, Lok Sabha Constituency, Number of Households, and other basic information. The students initially covered the village by taking a look at it and by talking to natives for confirming some basic information. Professors from Bharati College accompanied the students to provide guidance and support during the survey.

The survey provided an excellent learning opportunity for the students. It allowed them to engage with the community, understand their issues, and gain practical experience in data collection and social interaction. Students had the chance to interact with the villagers and learn about their lifestyles, challenges, and aspirations. This helped foster a sense of community involvement. The survey covered various aspects of village life including demographics, economic conditions, healthcare, education, the agricultural sector, infrastructure, and many more. The key findings include:

Basic Information of Chaukhandi Village :

1. District – West Delhi
2. Ward – Chaukhandi Nagar
3. Assembly Constituency – Rajouri Garden
4. Lok Sabha Constituency – South West Delhi
5. Post Office – Tilak Nagar
6. Language – Hindi
7. Assembly MLA - Dhanwati Chandela

Demographics : This village located in Delhi has a diverse population of 5000 approx.

Economic conditions: Like many urban villages, Chaukhandi village exhibits a diverse economic landscape. The village has a mix of income levels, with some households enjoying higher incomes due to education and modern occupations. Some households of the area are self employed, some have traditional business and some have small businesses.

Healthcare: Healthcare facilities are limited in Chaukhandi Village. People depend on primary healthcare centres and government health initiatives reach the area periodically. Many also do prefer private healthcare facilities or have to visit nearby villages or towns.

Education: The village has shown a significant literacy rates, with efforts ongoing to improve education levels across all age groups. For higher education, residents have to access colleges and universities located in nearby urban areas of Delhi. Efforts are often made by local authorities and NGOs to improve educational infrastructure, access, and quality in Chaukhandi Village.

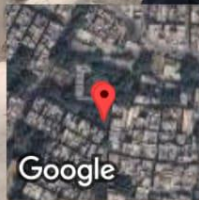
Infrastructure: The infrastructure of Chaukhandi Village in Delhi includes basic amenities and services that support the daily lives of its residents. Efforts are ongoing to improve and expand infrastructure in Chaukhandi village, aligned with urban development plans and community needs.

Government Schemes: 99% of residents are not receiving the benefits of any of the government welfare schemes, and most of them are not even aware of these schemes. Therefore, there is a need to spread awareness about different government schemes among these people so they can take advantage of them.

The UBA Baseline Household Survey conducted by Bharati College under the UBA committee in the Chaukhandi Village was a valuable exercise in community engagement and data collection. The survey provided students with a practical learning experience while enabling them to understand the needs and concerns of the villagers. The findings from this survey will be instrumental in planning and implementing future rural development initiatives in the village, aligning with the objectives of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan. Prof. Dr. Saloni Gupta, principal of Bharati College, appreciated the efforts of the whole survey team under the supervision of Dr. Rajni, UBA Coordinator, Bharati College for successfully completing the Survey. This survey was made possible through the collaborative efforts of the college, village coordinators and residents, and the active participation of the students, professors, and community members. It is a step towards fostering sustainable rural development in Chaukhandi Village.







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