

Transforming Lives, Securing Livelihoods

Success Stories

Challenging Situations teach Valuable Lessons

Sheela Devi approached for a meeting in Durga JEEViKA SHG of Bhatauliya village of Sariya block of Muzaffarpur district her way she was grappled with the thought of making both ends meet after the death of her husband. Her son Rajesh Paswan had started a petty shop which was source the only source of income in the family. As she reached her SHG meeting, the agenda for discussion on enrollment for life insurance had started. The Community Mobilizer(CM) explained about the insurance and benefits of scheme. After the discussion Sheela Devi was the first one to enroll herself under JSBY as she had experienced the pain of losing a family member. She encouraged also other members to join.



Later she was affected with Diarrhoea and died due to severe pain in Janaury 2013. She had discussed with her son about being enrolled under JSBY through JEEViKA and making him nominee. After finishing the last rituals, her son met the Community Mobilizer (CM) and discussed about the preparation of her death claim document. With the help of the CM her death claim documents were prepared and forwarded to Block Project Implementation Unit (BPIU). In June 2013 claim amount of **Rs. 30,000/-** was given to the nominee. Out of which **Rs. 5000/- was settled in repaying the loan** taken by LateSheela Devi from SHG. Out of the **rest claim amount he invested on their shop** and renovation of their house. Sheela Devi's decision to get insured help her family to come out of crisis.