

Coastal Salinity Prevention Cell CSPC was established in the year 2008 as an organization for the upliftment of rural communities through multiple social development programs aimed at addressing drinking water and sanitation, agriculture and land development, natural resource management, health, education. The organisation strives to strengthen the rural livelihoods by developing and strengthening various initiatives of the government and civil society organisations, thereby enhancing the quality of life of coastal communities in the state of Gujarat. CSPC is a consortium of Aga Khan Rural Support program India(AKRSPI), Ambuja Cement Foundation (ACF) and TATA Trusts.



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About the Organisation

CSPC operates in Gujarat in around 600 coastal villages with around 100000 households in the area along with facilitating Construction of IHHLs, undertaking projects for Solid Waste Management, Menstrual Hygiene Management for holistic approach on WASH across 11 districts through various trainings as well as application of Behaviour Change Communication tools. CSPC has been instrumental in disseminating the acquired knowledge of Sanitation further in 5 additional states across the country through the network of Tata Trusts, viz. Jharkhand, Rajasthan, Uttarakhand, Orissa and Punjab directly as well as in collaboration with its partner organisations.

CSPC has a national footprint across these states for carrying out multiple set of activities viz. program implementation, capacity building, communication & extension, monitoring, evaluation, research and documentation.

Training and Capacity Building Skills of CSPC

CSPC specializes in providing training to a variety of stakeholders for clarifying program implementation concepts and strategies, team building and other managerial skills in the sanitation sector. CSPC also conducts tailor made capacity building programs for the functionaries at the GP, taluka, district level implementers and State officials.



Key functions



Knowledge bank on coastal salinity issues



Networking and developing linkages with government and other agencies



Piloting area-specific innovations and community approaches for addressing salinity related issues



Operating as the nodal agency for coordinated programmes focusing on :

- Provision of Safe Drinking water and improved sanitation facilities to rural communities
- Natural Resource Management including soil and water conservation measures
- Promotion of Sustainable Agriculture in Saline Conditions
- Education & Skill building
- Creative alternative livelihood opportunities through Nonfarm-based activities



Total of around **80 trainings** have been conducted by CSPC and trained around **4000 participants**.

Wide range of training programmes conducted by the organization in the drinking water & sanitation sector :

State	Project Implementation	Technical Support	Capacity Building	Documentation/ KM	M&E	R&D	Financial Support
Gujarat	★	★	★	★	★	★	★
Jharkhand	★	★	★	★	★	★	
Karnataka	★	★	★	★			
Orissa	★	★	★	★		★	
Punjab	★	★	★				
Rajasthan	★	★	★	★	★	★	
Uttarakhand	★	★	★	★	★	★	

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Water Budgeting and water Security

Community Led Total Sanitation (CLTS)

Behavior Change Communication to enhance toilet usage, hand washing, solid liquid waste management, menstrual health management, etc

Training of Trainers for WASH related components

Mason's trainings for constructing toilets as mandated by SBM

Team building, leadership, conflict management or any other soft skills

IEC materials development and use for Sanitation

Gender Integration in WASH sector