

## Orientation Workshop and launch of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan 2.0

**Date:** 25.04.2018

**Time:** 8.30-19.30

**Venue:** AICTE Auditorium, New Delhi

**Summary:** Dr. Koyeli Girigoswami, UBA Coordinator of CARE attended the Orientation Workshop and launch of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan 2.0 held at New Delhi on 25.04.2018. It was a very useful workshop in which the participants from all over India (750 participants) were trained for the various kinds of activities we can take up to improve the cluster of five villages to be adopted by the University. The sessions were very much technically sound, informative, inspiring and revealed many case studies by the UBA coordinators of IITs. The workshop started at 8.30 a.m. and was extended till 7.15 p.m. with the auspicious presence of MHRD minister for state Dr. Satya Pal Singh.

In this programme they launched an app named SAGY in which any citizen of India can monitor the number of villages adopted by the MP of that area and the progress going on there and can also lodge a complaint if they wish.

Another opportunity for the students was launched to attend Swachh Bharat Internship Programme where the students have to spend 100 hours in a village and teach them the sanitation habits. Best students will be awarded and 2 credit points will be added to their curriculum.

The five themes on which we can develop an adopted village are as follows:

1. Organic farming
2. Water Management
3. Energy sources
4. Artisans, Industries and Livelihood
5. Basic amenities

