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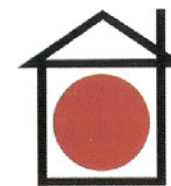


**RFS (I) National Headquarters,
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- ☆ Society for Charitable Cause
- ☆ Registered under the Societies Registration Act 1860 (Reg. No. S-16800)
- ☆ Donations exempted under Section 80G
- ☆ Foreign Contribution Regulation Act of 1976
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The Richmond Fellowship Society (India)

*(for Community Mental Health-
Training Centre in Therapeutic Community)*

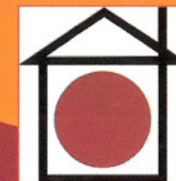
A National Organisation for :

- ❖ Rehabilitation Care facilities for persons with Mental Illness,
- ❖ Manpower development,
- ❖ Advocacy and Public Awareness
- ❖ Working for Rights of Persons with Mental Illness.

NATIONAL BOARD

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At a time when Rehabilitation facilities for persons with Mental Illness was inadequate, **The Richmond Fellowship Society (India)** was established in the year 1986 to meet the needs. The first Fellowship home, "VIKAS" was started in Puttenahalli, a suburb of Bangalore.

The Richmond Fellowship Society (India) is a registered, charitable NGO providing rehabilitation services to persons with mental illness through its Branches operating at Bangalore, Delhi, Lucknow, and the two rural Branches at Sidlaghatta and Ramanagara, in the State of Karnataka. The Fellowship facilities are run based on Therapeutic Community principles. The services include outreach programmes and rehabilitation activities through our halfway homes, long term care, day care with vocational training for persons with mental illness and Manpower development and research in the field of Mental Health; advocacy and creating public awareness, organizing symposia and workshops and protecting the rights of persons with mental illness.

The National Board functions as an advisory and a coordinating body of the activities of all the Branches, establishing new Branches, strategic planning and liaise with the Central and State Governments and other National and International Agencies. The Board has representatives from all the Branches with President and Secretary and elected members from each facility. Amongst these members, the National Board elects the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Secretary General and Treasurer as its office bearers and others function as members.

Vision Statement

Persons with Mental Illness are entitled to equal rights to lead a life of good quality and live in the community. This will be ensured by providing suitable models of care that are aimed at equal opportunity by means of affordable, acceptable and committed treatment options.

Mission Statement

To provide accessible and quality psychiatric rehabilitation, reduce stigma surrounding Mental Illness, network with various organizations for training and sensitization activities, develop manpower in the field and make relevant research contributions.

The RFS (I) is an Associate Member of the Richmond Psychosocial Foundation International (RPFI), UK (previously known as The Richmond Fellowship International, UK, a world-wide organization with Fellowship in more than 30 countries) and one of the founding members of Richmond Fellowship Asia-Pacific region.

The Registered Office of the RFS(I) is located in Delhi and the National Board and Administrative Offices function from Bangalore.

Facilities Offered through our Branches

These facilities are managed by qualified and experienced mental health professionals. There are also volunteers offering their support.

1. BANGALORE:

- a. Asha— It's a Half way home that caters to the rehabilitation needs of adults with chronic Mental illness.
- b. Jyothi— It's a Long stay home for those with chronic mental illness
- c. Chetana— It's a Day care centre that also offers vocational training for those with CMI & mild mental retardation.

- d. RFPG College— offers a 2 year full time MSC degree in PSR and Counselling.
- e. Offers short term Training programme and Block placement facilities for PG students.

2. DELHI:

- a. Vishwas—It's a Half way home that caters to the rehabilitation needs of adults with MI.
- b. Leena Khurana Day Care Centre—It's a Day care centre that also offers vocational training for those with MI.
- c. Outreach Programme— Free psychiatric OPDs offering consultation, medicines and counseling services to rural, unserved segments of society in & around National Capital Region.

3. SIDLAGHATTA:

- a. Outreach Mental Health Clinics— twice a month (second Tuesday and last Sunday)- free consultation and free medication.
- b. Day Care Centre

4. LUCKNOW:

- a. Outdoor Clinic— twice a month— free consultation and free medication.
- b. Udaya—Day care Centre with vocational training.
- c. Monthly Carers Meeting

5. RAMANAGARA (in association with B.M.Rajannachar- S.P.Rajamma Charitable Trust):

- a. Outreach Clinic—third Sunday of the month—free consultation and free medicines wherever available.