

BIHAR EDUCATION PROJECT COUNCIL, SHIKSHA BHAWAN, SAIDPUR, PATNA
STATUS OF IMPLEMENTATION OF RPWD ACT 2016

3. Education : (Section 16-18) -

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Chapter 3 : Education													
2.	16	Appropriate Government and local authorities shall endeavour that all their recognized/funded Educational Institution provide Inclusion Education to CWD's.	All the primary, upper primary, secondary and sr. secondary schools are endeavouring to provide Inclusive Education to CWD's. Their teachers are being trained regularly by special educators phasewise to meet the challenges.										
	17	Measures to be taken by Appropriate Government and Local authorities for purpose of Section 16. i. Admit them without discrimination and provide education and opportunities for sport and recreations activities equally with other; ii. Make building campus and various facilities accessible; iii. Provide reasonable accommodation according to the individual's requirements; iv. Provide necessary support individualized or otherwise in environments that maximize academic and social development consistent with the goal of full inclusion; v. Ensure that the education to persons who are blind or deaf or both is imparted in the most appropriate languages and modes and means of communication; vi. Detect specific learning disabilities in children at the earliest and take suitable pedagogical and other measures to overcome them; vii. Monitor participation, progress in terms of attainment levels and completion of education in respect of every student with disability; viii. Provide transportation facilities to the children with disabilities and also the attendant of the children with disabilities having high support needs;	i. Zero rejection policy for CWSN is in vogue. Each and every school (of Bihar Govt. and aided schools) is bound to abide by the rules. ii. Educational buildings are being constructed with campus and other facilities accessible. iii. Reasonable accommodation according to the individual's requirements is provided to them. SPARSH, Gamak Utkarsh, Manovikas & KGBV for CWSN Girls are the programmes which were implemented during 2019-20. iv. During the year 2019-20, 1242 VI Children 2060 CWSN with intellectual disability, 926 CWSN with CP and 1615 CWSN with SI were provided individualized support through 'SPARSH', 'Gamak Utkarsh', 'Manovikash' and 'Vani Vikas' programmes accordingly for their academic and social development. Besides these, 606 children with visually impaired were given away Reader allowance for getting assistance of reader. In addition to this, following individualised support have been provided to CWSN free of cost. <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th><u>Discription</u></th><th><u>No. of CWSN</u></th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Aid & Appliances</td><td>7727</td></tr> <tr> <td>A. devices, Equipments, TLM</td><td>2442</td></tr> <tr> <td>Corrective Surgeries</td><td>177</td></tr> <tr> <td>Therapeutical Services</td><td>4601</td></tr> </tbody> </table> v. CWSN who are blind and deaf both, they are being taught in most appropriate language by the resource teachers who are well trained in the said field. Besides all working special educators are being imparted in service training in cross disabilities to support	<u>Discription</u>	<u>No. of CWSN</u>	Aid & Appliances	7727	A. devices, Equipments, TLM	2442	Corrective Surgeries	177	Therapeutical Services	4601
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			category of CWSN. vi. Identification camps were organized covering 530 blocks of Bihar to detect specific learning disabilities to make them available aids & appliances, assistive devices, need for surgical correction etc. Detected CWSN with specific learning disabilities get support of our special educators. vii. Monitoring and evaluation to assess achievement by CWSN is done by Resource Teachers and by district level officers and randomly by State Level Officials. While evaluation, adaptation of question papers, extended time period as per rule and other supports are made available them. viii. During 2019-20, 12668 eligible CWSN of elementary classes were given away escort allowance (each CWSN @3,000/- Rs.) and 186 CWSN of secondary classes were given away transport allowance at the rate of Rs. 1000/- each. While attending camps or during surgical correction of CWSN, one attendant of the CWSN is provided transportation facility.
	18	Appropriate Government and Local Authorities shall take measures to promote, protect and ensure participation of PwDs in adult education and continuing education programmes equality with others.	N.A.

4. Skill Development and Employment : (Section 23) :

3.	23	Government establishment shall appoint a grievance Redressal Officer : i. Provision of filling complaint with Grievance Redressal Officer. ii. Grievance Redressal Officer to maintain register of complaints. iii. If not satisfied by action taken by the Grievance Redressal Officer, PwDs may approach District Level Committee.	To redress the grievances of CWSN or their parents/guardians, a nodal officer in each district has been notified. District Nodal Officers maintain a register of complaints.
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6. Special Provisions for Persons with Benchmark Disabilities : (Section 31-37) :

5.	31	Appropriate Government and Local Authorities shall ensure that every child with benchmark disabilities between 6-18 years age shall have right to free education in a neighborhood school.	Zero rejection policy in admission is in practice and is followed by govt. and govt. aided schools. A child with benchmark disabilities between 6-18 yrs is entitled to get free education in a neighborhood school. This is monitored by the officials.
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