

Azad Foundation

YEAR **BOOK** 2017
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INTRODUCTION

A professional Feminist organisation working with urban resource poor women, Azad Foundation's objective is to enable them to become empowered professional chauffeurs who can take charge of their own lives as well as create safe transport solutions for other women. The focus is primarily on non-traditional livelihoods with dignity for women. With its inception in New Delhi in 2008, Azad Foundation has over the last 10 years expanded its operations to Jaipur and Kolkata. It also works in collaboration with partner NGOs in Indore, Ahmedabad and Bangalore.

Women on Wheels (WoW) is the flagship program of Azad. Through a transformative capacity building process, WoW enables women to engage in a non-traditional livelihood, namely professional driving, thereby, facilitating women marginalized in the society to move from the margins to the mainstream economy creating wealth and value for all. Through this process, Azad foundation aims to alter public perceptions about women's participation in the booming public transportation sector and the role and status of women in society.

This yearbook records the stories of Azad trainees who have successfully attained their permanent license, an essential step to becoming a professional driver. In the year 2017-18, a total of 303 Women on Wheel trainees across Azad's six training centres successfully obtained their permanent driving licence. The yearbook is an endeavour to document and provide an insight into each of these trainees' lives and struggles. Azad hopes that each of these phenomenal women will in the future become an inspiration for their communities and other women, urging them to carve out their own spaces.





EASTDELHI

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GEETA
05/09/1993
12TH PASS
NEW SEEMAPURI
UNMARRIED
0
12/09/2016
01/04/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Geeta lives with her parents and brother in Delhi. She came to know about Azad Foundation through a mobilization activity in her community. She was keen on joining the course but her father was not supportive of her decision. However, to fulfil her daughter's dream of being a professional driver, her mother supported her by joining the training program along with Geeta. Geeta successfully attained her Permanent License but due to financial crisis at home she had to leave the training. She shared that the training has however been helpful in increasing her confidence.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/42

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MANJU
14/08/1995
10TH PASS
DILSHAD COLONY
UNMARRIED
0
20/10/2016
19/07/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Manju belongs to a a six-member family which includes her parents, three brothers and herself. She came to know about Azad through a survey (mobilization activity) in her community. Despite resistance and lack of support from her family, she joined the training program as she wanted to improve her family's financial condition . Despite her family's resistance and discouragement, Manju continued her training and cleared her Permanent License test. She shared that she enjoyed her English class the most. Later unfortunately, due to a fracture Manju had to discontinue the training program.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/49

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RUPALI
01/04/1983
8TH PASS
NEW SEEMPURI
MARRIED
2
20/12/2016
18/05/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Rupali stays with her husband and two children in Delhi. Her husband works in a tent house and she used to work as a cook to manage their family expenses. One day she witnessed Azad's mobilization activities in her community and got interested in joining. Rupali joined Azad with the hope of a steady income, and her husband was also supportive of her decision. She shared that after coming to Azad the training on Gender helped her learn about her rights. Rupali cleared her Permanent License test but unfortunately due to personal family situations she had to leave the training course soon after.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/59

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AKANSHA
28/08/1997
8TH PASS
TAHIRPUR
UNMARRIED
0
20/12/2016
10/05/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Akansha has 6 members in her house; her parents, three siblings and herself. Her father has a private job and is the sole earning member of the family. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activities in the area where she used to take tuitions. She was keen on joining the WoW training but her parents wanted her to study further as they were opposed to the idea of driving. Despite her parents being non-supportive she joined the training and also acquired her Permanent License. She shared that she liked the self-defence training the most. However, continued pressure from her parents to resume studies finally led Akansha to discontinue the training and resume further studies.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/61

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEETU
28/10/1997
12TH PASS
TRILOKPURI
UNMARRIED
0
28/12/2016
31/05/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Neetu has a seven-member family; her parents, siblings and herself. She is the youngest in her family. She has completed her 12th grade and has engaged in any paid work before joining Azad. She came to know about Azad Foundation through one of her friends. With the hope of helping her family, she decided to join the training. She did not face any family resistance for her decision. She shared that after joining Azad her confidence of navigating public spaces has increased. Neetu aspires to become a professional driver, she has finished her training and is waiting to get employed.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/66

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RENU
11/03/1995
12TH PASS
DALLUPURA
UNMARRIED
0
29/12/2016
22/05/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Renu lives with her parents and two siblings in Delhi. She has passed 12th standard and wanted to study further but due to her family's financial condition she had to discontinue her studies. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity in her area and joined the WoW training. She shared that liked the self-defence training the most as this gave her the confidence to independently and fearlessly navigate across the city. During the course of the training, she cleared her PL test but unfortunately at the self-drive stage she had to leave the training due to her mother's ill health. However, the Azad team maintained their contact with her and kept motivating her to join back after her mother's health improved. This enabled her to join back the program again and complete the training. Currently, she is waiting to get employed. Renu aspires to build a house of her own after getting a job.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/67

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ANITA
24/09/1981
8TH PASS
TRILOKPURI
UNMARRIED
0
29/12/2016
29/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Anita lives with her mother and four siblings in Delhi. One of the main sources of income for her family is her mother's pension. She came to know about Azad through a canopy organized by the mobilization team in her community. She got intrigued by the dual purpose of the program i.e. women's empowerment and employment; and decided to join the training. She shared that earlier she used to be afraid of travelling alone but after coming to Azad her mobility has increased. Currently, she is undergoing her training and is determined to finish it and get a job. She wants to manage her family expenses so that her mother's pension can be saved. She also aspires to build her own house after getting a job.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/68

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
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DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

DOLLY
08/03/1996
10TH PASS
KRISHNANAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
20/01/2017
13/06/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Dolly stays with her mother in Delhi. They manage their household expenses through her mother's pension and with the help of their neighbours. She came to know about Azad through her friend and decided to join the program to become financially independent. Initially, as she joined the training with a friend and was scared of travelling alone, her regularity in training was totally dependent on her friend. The Azad team encouraged her and gave her the confidence to independently commute due to which she started coming on her own to the training centre and finished her training. Currently she is waiting to be employed. However, the course helped in increasing her mobility and exposure to new places. She liked all the modules, she says that now she can use English words as well.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/71

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYA
26/08/1995
12TH PASS
KRISHNANAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
05/01/2017
22/06/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Priya stays with her parents and two siblings in Delhi. She is pursuing her graduation in computer science. She was introduced to Azad's WoW program through one of the trainees. She was instantly keen to join the program as she felt it helped to break the gender stereotypes around women drivers. Her family supported as well as encouraged her to join the program. Priya recalls her excitement on the first few days of Azad and she was extremely happy to be a part of the initiative. Among all the training that she has received at Azad, she enjoyed First-Aid, Communication and Gender training the most as she learnt how to help people in medical emergency, how to effectively communicate with people and about women's rights. She is proud of the fact that she is the only one in her family who has a Permanent License. She is now waiting to be employed after finishing the training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/72

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AFSANA
04/03/1992
10TH PASS
SEEMAPURI
MARRIED
3
20/12/2016
28/04/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Afsana stays with her husband and three children in her own house. Her husband is a driver and is the sole earner in the family. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity and was interested to join the training. However, her husband was not supportive of her decision and used to abuse her as well. Afsana continued with her training and also cleared her Permanent License test. She shared that she liked the gender module the most because she learnt about women's rights and legal rights. Unfortunately, due to her persistent family and financial problem she had to leave the training. The only glimmer of hope is that Afsana wants to come back into the training program once her condition improves.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/73

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYA RANA
06/04/1982
10TH PASS
KHICHDIPUR
MARRIED
3
05/01/2017
10/05/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Priya stays in Delhi with her husband and three children. Her husband has his own business and is the sole earning member of the family. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity. With the hope of contributing to the family income and supporting her husband, she decided to join the program. She came with her mother to the training centre who also encouraged her to join the training. With their support and her determination to become independent, she completed her training and is currently waiting to get employed. She shared that she liked the self-defence training the most.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/74

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

JYOTI
10/02/1985
10TH PASS
TRILOKPURI
MARRIED
2
25/01/2017
24/10/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Jyoti lives with her husband and two children in Delhi. Her husband has a private job and is the sole earning member of the family. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity. She shared that she has struggled before her marriage but after her marriage her husband has been very supportive of her. She says that after coming to Azad, she learnt about her own rights and her confidence also increased. She cleared her Permanent License test but due to her own health problems she had to leave the training program.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/77

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KAMAR JAHAN
01/01/1990
GRADUATE
SUBHASH MOHALLA
SEPARATED
2
15/02/2017
23/07/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Kamar Jahan lives with her two children in Delhi. She has been living separately from her husband since the last two years. She has faced immense hardships and struggles in her life being a survivor of and domestic violence and abuse because of which she had separated from her husband. However, her family was not supportive of this decision. She is the sole earner for her family. She came to know about Azad through another social worker. She joined the training to build a better future for her children. She wants her children to be proud of her. Despite fighting all odds, she cleared her Permanent License test. She shared that the Gender and Legal rights training were helpful for her as she learnt about her rights. She also filed a case against her husband in the court. However, later she moved to another city due to which she had to discontinue the training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/78

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

USHA
23/05/1993
12TH PASS
TRILOKPURI
UNMARRIED
0
15/02/2017
12/07/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Usha has a seven-member family comprising of her parents and siblings. Earlier she was enrolled in a beautician course with an NGO, and through there she came to know about Azad. She wanted to learn driving and joined the course. Her mother was supportive of her decision but her father was not. She says that she shares everything with her mother about the training. She shared that the holistic training at Azad has helped her express herself. Earlier she was afraid of travelling alone but after coming to Azad she has been successful in overcoming this fear. With her mother's support, Usha has completed her training and is waiting to get employed.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/80

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
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DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

DIMPLE
30/10/1991
10TH PASS
TRILOKPURI
UNMARRIED
0
15/02/2017
23/06/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Dimple lives with her parents and three siblings in Delhi. The survey team of Azad made her aware of Azad's program. She joined the training to become financially independent. Before coming to Azad, she was afraid of travelling alone. She also lost her way while coming to one of the training centres. However, with the help of a mobiliser, she made it to the centre. This incident as well as training at Azad gave her the confidence to travel independently. Apart from the confidence that Azad helped her build, she has also learnt how to stand up to her neighbours who tried to discourage her by claiming that "women can't be drivers". She has now successfully completed her training and proudly awaits to get employed as a driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/81

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GURMEET
28/01/1974
10TH PASS
TRILOKPURI
SEPARATED
3
16/01/2017
22/04/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Gurmeet had moved to Delhi from Punjab with her husband. However, due to a rough patch between them they decided to live separately. Thinking of a better future for her children she agreed that they should stay with their father. Ever since then, she has been doing different jobs and sustaining herself in Delhi. One day she came across a woman driver who told her about Azad Foundation. She joined the program to get a steady income and a job that she would be happy doing. Gurmeet shared that she enjoyed the modules on English, Gender and Self-defence. For her the class on Gender was the most useful as she learnt about her legal rights. She was proud of the fact that she cleared her PL in the first attempt. However, she had to discontinue the training as she needed to take up another job.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/81

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KOMAL DUA
09/04/1976
12TH PASS
SHAHDARA
MARRIED
2
15/03/2017
22/07/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Komal stays with her husband and two children. Her husband who is the sole earner of the family is a vegetable vendor. She came to know about Azad through her brother, who witnessed Azad technical training at a practice ground. Initially her husband did not support her but once she cleared her PL test, her husband started supporting Komal. She shared that earlier, her life was confined within the four walls of the house and she had no confidence to travel alone. Now she has gained the confidence to independently commute across the city. She shared that the training has helped her feel positive about life and become independent. Komal is progressing well in her training and soon will be able to complete it.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/84

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

LAXITA KITHORIYA
07/07/1992
10TH PASS
KRISHNA NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
17/03/2017
04/09/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Laxita stays with her parents and four brothers. Nobody in the family was supportive of her going out and earning to become independent. Her brother used to put restrictions on her mobility. However, to come out of this dependence she started working as a patient care nurse. She came to know about Azad through one of the mobilizers, and she was keen on learning how to drive. She would work at night as a nurse and attend training in the day time. Her earnings financed her commute in the day time. At Azad, she learnt how to drive but most importantly she realised that she could write as well. She has finished her training and is awaiting a job as a professional driver to in order to have a promising future.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/85

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA
03/03/1982
8TH PASS
KALYANPURI
MARRIED
3
25/03/2017
14/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Rekha lives with her husband and three children in Delhi. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity. With an aspiration of getting a job and supporting her family, she joined the training program. She shared that after coming to Azad, she gained knowledge about concepts such as gender and legal rights which has given her a sense of awareness as well as confidence. Rekha cleared her Permanent License test but because of financial circumstances in her family she had to leave the training program.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2016-17/86

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RANJANA
10/03/1997
8TH PASS
NEW ASHOK NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
10/4/2017
14/06/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Ranjana lives with her parents and three siblings. Their family condition is not stable and therefore she and her father believed that it would be better for her to get into remunerative employment. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity. It was a dream come true when she joined the WoW program to learn driving. However, she struggled with daily commute as her father didn't give her any money and her mother's help was not enough. She used to walk 5 kms everyday. Ranjana also refused any social security loans from Azad. Her efforts proved worthy as she has now completed her training and is awaiting employment. She believes that from Azad she has not only learnt how to drive but is also developed motivation and confidence. She has learnt about her rights and how to stand up for herself.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/01

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KAMLA
07/07/1984
12TH PASS
ASHOK NAGAR
MARRIED
2
10/4/2017
06/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Kamla stays with her husband and two children in Delhi. She came to know about Azad through another organization named RAAH. She joined Azad along with one of her friends in order to be able to financially help her family. She shared that she found all the training in Azad very informative and helpful. Also, during one of the Badlav ka Safarnama sessions, she shared that after coming to Azad she has gained the confidence to put forth her thoughts in front of others. She cleared her Permanent License test but due to financial constraints at home she had to take up another job and discontinue the training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/02

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NISHA
08/04/1982
12TH PASS
DAYALPUR
MARRIED
2
10/04/2017
06/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Nisha stays with her husband and two children in Delhi. She joined Azad Foundation with one of her friends, Kamla. Both of them came to know about Azad through another NGO named RAAH. Nisha wanted to become financially independent and found the WoW program an effective medium to achieve this. She also wanted to financially help her family. She shared that she liked all the training she has attended in Azad and the journey has helped her gain the confidence to put forth her views in front of other people. Nisha attained her Permanent License but due to financial challenges at home she could not continue the training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/03

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

FAREEM
03/06/1996
10TH PASS
VISHWAS NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
12/04/2017
27/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Fareem lives with her family of eight members comprising of her parents and siblings. Her father works as a driver and her mother runs a shop to meet family expenses. She has studied till 10th class, after which due to family problems she had to discontinue her studies. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity in her community. After joining Azad, she shared that she liked the communication module the most because she learnt the importance of listening in a conversation. She successfully cleared her Permanent License test and is currently undergoing her training to become a professional chauffeur.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/05

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

VANDANA
09/12/1992
12TH PASS
KALYANPURI
UNMARRIED
0
28/04/2017
29/06/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Vandana used to stay with her maternal grandmother, who raised her with love and affection. She came to know about Azad through a mobilization activity. With a hope of getting a steady job she decided to join the training program. Unfortunately, during the course of the training her grandmother passed away which left a traumatic impression on Vandana and she left the training to recuperate from her loss. After some time, she not only resumed the training but finished it as well. Currently, she is waiting to be employed. Vandana shared that she enjoyed the self-defence and communication training the most.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/06

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHALU
07/04/1999
10TH PASS
DALLUPURA
UNMARRIED
0
28/04/2017
12/07/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Shalu lives with her parents and siblings in Delhi. She came to know about Azad through her cousin sister who was herself a trainee at Azad. She cleared her Permanent License test and was undergoing the rest of the training when her parents stopped her from continuing the training because her sister had also discontinued her training. The Azad team tried to convince the family but they were firm on their decision. Later, her mother's health deteriorated due to which she had to undertake the responsibility of the household chores and this led to her to discontinue the training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/07

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MONIKA
23/08/1994
10TH PASS
KONDLI
UNMARRIED
0
20/05/2017
12/07/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Monika lives with her family of six in Delhi. Due to her father's ill health, he was unable to work regularly and puts up an egg stall sometimes. Her brother works in a pharmacy and manages the household expenses. She came to know about Azad through a canopy activity organized by the mobilization team, which her brother witnessed. Her brother liked the WoW program and also registered Monika for the same. She shared that she had never travelled alone but after coming to Azad, she learnt how to independently commute in public transport to new places. She says that the modules on Gender and Legal Rights have been very informative as she learnt about her rights, types of violence and how to file a complaint. She has completed her training and is waiting to be employed. She wants to fulfil her mother's dream and wants to support her family by becoming a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/08

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AMRITA
21/08/1998
8TH PASS
PURANI KONDLI
UNMARRIED
0
20/05/2017
12/07/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Amrita lives with her parents and three siblings in Delhi. Her father works in a car factory and her brother takes up seasonal work to manage the family finances. She came to know about Azad through a canopy organized by the mobilization team. With a desire to become independent, she joined the training program. She was supported by her family, especially her mother in her decision to become a professional driver. Amrita shared that after coming to Azad she had been able to come out of the protected boundaries of her house. She has also learned about her rights and laws protecting her rights. She never thought she would learn to drive but she was able to clear her PL test, however her dream is to resume her studies after training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/09

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SALONI
01/08/1992
10TH PASS
MAYUR VIHAR
UNMARRIED
0
28/05/2017
20/11/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Saloni has a family of eight members but due to various reasons she did not want to stay with them. She came to know about Azad through a canopy organized by the mobilization team. With a desire to become successful and independent in her life, she decided to join the training program. She even started doing a part-time job to sustain herself. She shared that she liked the Gender, Legal Rights and SRH training the most as she got to know about her body and the discrimination women are subjected to in the family. Saloni cleared her PL test but due to her health issues she had to discontinue the training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/10

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

BEENA
1984
8TH PASS
VISHWAS NAGAR
MARRIED
2
05/05/2017
01/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Beena stays with her husband and two children in Delhi. She came to know about Azad through her neighbour who herself is a member of Azad. She wanted to become independent, secure a better future for her children and contribute in the family income, and Azad was apt to help her achieve that. She did face issues like having an unsupportive husband, financial as well as documentation problems etc, however she continued her training with vigour. She shared that she enjoyed the Gender training as she learnt about her rights and redressal mechanisms. She has witnessed herself bloom into a more confident and independent personality after joining Azad. She is determined to finish her training and become a professional chauffeur and later start a cab business of her own.

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

VIJAY LAKSHMI
20/05/1995
10TH PASS
DILSHAD GARDEN
MARRIED
0
16/06/2017
24/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Vijay Lakshmi stays with her husband in Delhi. Her husband is the sole-earner of the family. She came to know about Azad through a survey conducted in her community by the mobilization team. She shared that before joining Azad, she used to be entrusted with household work whereas she wanted to become independent and therefore she decided to join WoW. Her husband supported her decision but her brothers were against it. She tried convincing her family members who after checking about Azad and the program hesitantly agreed to it. Only after she made a friend who lives in a nearby area and is also enrolled with Azad, did she start regularly attending the training. She shared that she liked the first-aid training and MDS training the most. Currently, she is undergoing further training in Azad. She says that Azad has helped her shed all her fears.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/11

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

CHANCHAL
28/12/1997
12TH PASS
TRILOKPURI
UNMARRIED
0
16/06/2017
21/09/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Chanchal lives with her family of six members in Delhi. Her father is the sole earner for the family. She came to know about Azad through one of her friends. As she was keen to learn driving and wanted to financially support her family she decided to join the training program. After joining Azad, she shared that she liked the Gender and Legal Rights training the most as she has become aware of her rights. Chanchal's determination helped her in completing her training and now she is waiting to get employed. She wants to become a commercial cab driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/12

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GULISTA
04/06/1999
12TH PASS
KALYANPURI
UNMARRIED
0
16/06/2017
01/09/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Gulista lives with her family of six members, parents and three siblings. Her father who is a labourer is the sole earner for the family. She got to know about Azad through mobilization activity held in her community. As she wanted to financially help her family and resume her studies, she decided to join the training program along with two of her friends. She shared that her mobility has increased after joining Azad. Gulista cleared her Permanent License Test, however, later she got married and left the training program.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/13

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAMTA
01/04/994
12TH PASS
KALYANPURI
UNMARRIED
0
19/06/2017
12/09/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Mamta lives with her parents and five siblings in Delhi. Her father who works in a fruit shop is the sole earner for the family. She came to know about Azad through an Azad staff. As she had a keen interest to learn driving and take it up professionally, she joined the training program. Everyone in her family is supportive of her decision. She shared that she liked the Gender training the most as she learnt about women's rights through that module. She has completed her training and is waiting to get employed. Mamta aspires to drive a police car sometime in the future.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/14

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MONA CHETRI
07/07/1987
12TH PASS
VASUNDHARA ENCLAVE
UNMARRIED
0
30/06/2017
CAME WITH PL
EMPLOYABLE



Mona stayed with her family of six members in Delhi comprising of her mother, brother and brother's family. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity organized in her community. She was interested to learn driving and also had a Permanent License. Further as she had an aspiration to become independent she joined the training program. However, later she got another job opportunity and decided to leave the training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/16

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEETU
14/08/1984
10TH PASS
KHICHDIPUR
MARRIED
2
18/07/2017
22/12/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Neetu lives with her husband and two children in Delhi. During a weekly bazar in her community she witnessed a mobilization activity and came to know about Azad. She found the course interesting and with a desire to become independent she decided to join Azad. She already knew how to ride a scooty so she wanted to learn how to drive a four-wheeler. Unfortunately, mid-way she got scared about the safety of her children who were misled by a neighbour in believing that driving is unsafe, and decided to leave the training with a promise of Walking in Back. True to her promise she later resumed her training and even finished it. Currently, she is waiting to be employed.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/18

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MONI NISHAD
09/05/1998
8TH PASS
NEW SEEMAPURI
UNMARRIED
0
14/07/2017
24/11/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Moni has a family of nine members with her parents and siblings. Her father due to his medical condition is unable to work, thus her sister is the only person who earns in the family. Therefore their financial condition is very poor. Moni had to discontinue her studies because of this. She came to know about Azad through survey activities of the mobilisation team in her area. With a desire of supporting her sister in managing the family she decided to join the training. After joining Azad, she not only enjoyed driving but was also able to recognise the gender-based discrimination in and around her household. She also learnt about her legal rights. She successfully cleared her PL test but due to a financial crisis at home she had to discontinue the training program.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/19

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

POOJA
06/02/1990
12TH PASS
KARAVAL NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
14/07/2017
CAME WITH PL
EMPLOYABLE



Pooja stays with her family and sibling in Delhi. Her mother works as helper in a company and is the sole earner of the family. Pooja came to know about Azad through a friend and with the aim of helping her family financially she decided to join it. She shared that before joining Azad, her mother did not have confidence to send her daughter for any government office related work but after coming to Azad she has seen a change in her. Pooja is now confident in dealing with government and bank officials. She says she has learnt about effective communication through the communication module which has increased her self-confidence as well. Determined to become independent in life, she cleared her PL test but unfortunately later she had a fracture because of which she had to leave the training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/20

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RENU
26/12/1991
12TH PASS
NEW SEELAMPUR
UNMARRIED
0
15/08/2017
27/11/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Renu lives with her six family members, parents and siblings in Delhi. She came to know about Azad she attended a mobilization activity in her area. She along with two of her friends decided to join the training. However, due to financial constraints her friends walked out of the program but Renu continued and even achieved her Permanent License. After joining Azad, she shared that, she liked the English, Gender and SRH modules the most. During the course of the training she got married and thereafter left the training program.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/26

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEELAM
28/07/1993
10TH PASS
KALYANPURI
UNMARRIED
0
22/08/2017
22/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Neelam lives with her eight-member family comprising of parents and siblings in Delhi. Her father has his own business and her mother is a homemaker. She came to know about Azad through her sister's friend. As she had keen interest in learning to drive, she joined Azad. Her family members also supported her decision. She shared that she liked the English training the most. Currently, she has cleared her Permanent License test and is preparing for further training to become a professional chauffeur.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/30

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

POOJA
03/07/1997
12TH PASS
SEELAMPUR
UNMARRIED
0
24/08/2017
10/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Pooja lives with her joint family in Delhi. Before joining Azad, she used to do home-based work as a thread cutter. One day she saw Azad's pamphlet and contacted the FLP leader from her community. She wanted to build a better future for herself by enrolling in Azad's WoW program. Her uncle was unsupportive of Pooja's decision but she convinced him to give it a try. Initially she was scared whether she will be able to complete it or not but she has successfully cleared her permanent license test. Pooja has shed her cocoon and has started interacting and participating. She is determined to finish her training and get a job. She says, "Azad has shaped my dream to become a driver."

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/31

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

BHARTI
15/08/1997
12TH PASS
SEELAMPUR
UNMARRIED
0
21/08/2017
29/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Bharti lives with her family of six members, parents and siblings in Delhi. She came to know about Azad Foundation through a FLP leader. As it was her dream to learn driving, she enrolled in the course. Her family members were supportive of her decision. After joining Azad, Bharti liked the self-defence training the most as it has given her the skills to defend herself and the confidence to raise voice against violence. Currently, she is under training with Azad and wants to work as a professional driver in the future so that she can build a better future for her family and herself.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/32

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MADHU
01/01/1983
8TH PASS
NEW SEELAMPUR
MARRIED
3
24/08/2017
10/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Madhu lives with her husband and three children in Delhi. She came to know about Azad through a FLP leader. As she wanted to give her children and herself a better future she decided to join the training because she had undergone immense financial struggle in her life. Her husband is very supportive of her decision and wants her to have an independent job which can help the family finances as well. She shared that in Azad, she liked the Communication training the most as she learnt about effective communication. Currently, she is on road practice and soon will be ready to complete the training and become a professional chauffeur.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/33

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SARASWATI
01/01/1990
8TH PASS
TAHIRPUR
MARRIED
2
23/08/2017
03/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Saraswati resides with her husband and two children in Delhi. She used to work at a parlour and one day witnessed a street-play organised by Azad at her workplace and also heard a couple of women talking about it. When she expressed her interest to her husband, he was unsupportive of her decision to go for training to a place far from where she lived and didn't pay for her commute to and from the training centre. Saraswati was determined to enrol in the training for her children's' future and started working as a domestic worker to finance her training expenses. She has now been able to clear her permanent license test after so much hardship. She shared that she liked the English and Communication training the most. Currently, she is continuing her training with Azad, determined to work as professional chauffeur.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/34

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SONALI
21/02/1997
8TH PASS
PURANI SEEMAPURI
UNMARRIED
0
30/08/2017
02/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Sonali stays with her family of six members in Delhi. She had no interest in further studies. She came to know about Azad through a pamphlet about the program. She along with her friend were interested in joining the program. Her brother cross-checked all the credentials of Azad before Sonali joined the course. She says that after joining Azad, she liked Self-defence, Gender and Legal Rights the most. She shared that the non-technical modules have helped her to gain knowledge about legal services, how society works and issues of gender, caste and religion. She also shared that the Communication training has been quite helpful to her. Sonali has cleared her Permanent License test and is currently on road practice. She wants to finish the training and get employed as a professional chauffeur.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/35

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SONIYA
19/12/1998
8TH PASS
PURANI SEEMAPURI
UNMARRIED
0
30/08/2017
02/02/2018
EMPLOYABLE



Soniya lives with her family of five members comprising of her parents, two siblings and herself. Her father works in the MCD office. She came to know about Azad through a pamphlet and joined the course along with her friend. After joining the training, Soniya shared that she liked the module on Gender the most as she learnt about women's rights and gender discrimination and issues of caste and religion as well. Soniya cleared her Permanent License Test, however soon after due to her persistent ill health she had to discontinue the training.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/36

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

TEHJEEBA
20/11/1996
12TH PASS
MULLA COLONY
UNMARRIED
0
14/09/2017
15/12/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Tehjeeba stays with her family of eight-members in Delhi comprising of her parents and five siblings. Her father is an auto-driver and her brothers also work to manage the household expenses. Through a survey conducted in her community she came to know about Azad. She had a keen interest to learn driving and her father liked the course as well. With enthusiastic support of her father, she joined the course. After joining Azad, she shared that she liked English training the most as she got to learn something new that she can apply in her daily life as well. Her determination helped her finish the course and she is now waiting to be employed.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/37

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SADHVI
15/08/1995
12TH PASS
CHANDAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
14/09/2017
25/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Sadhvi stays with her parents and four siblings in Delhi. Her father and brother work together but her father does not contribute to the family income. She got to know about Azad Foundation through her brother. She wanted to join the training program but her father did not support her decision. However, her siblings were supportive of her decision and she joined Azad. After joining Azad, she shared that she liked English training the most as it helped her learn a new language and its vocabulary. Sadhvi has cleared her permanent licence test and is under training to become a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/38

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KIRTI
16/08/1994
12TH PASS
GANDHI NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
14/09/2017
12/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Kirti lives with her parents and five siblings in Delhi. Her father is the sole earner for the family and her mother is a homemaker. She came to know about Azad through another NGO nearer home. With a desire to become independent and to build an identity for herself she enrolled herself in the Azad training program. Her family extended complete support to her decision. She shared that she liked the English class the most as she learnt new words and also learnt how to prepare for an interview. She has attained her permanent license and is continuing with her training in Azad.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/40

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KHUSHBOO
01/01/1998
12TH PASS
TRILOKPURI
UNMARRIED
0
14/09/2017
08/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Khushboo stays with her parents and five siblings in Delhi. Her father works at a sweet shop and her mother is a homemaker. She came to know about Azad through her friend. As she was interested to learn driving and become a professional driver, she decided to join the course. Her mother was very supportive of her decision to become a driver. She shared that she liked the Gender training the most as she learnt about her rights through that module. Khushboo has cleared her permanent license test and is currently undergoing further training in Azad to become an independent professional chauffeur.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/41

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

FATIMA
02/07/1996
12TH PASS
DILSHAD COLONY
UNMARRIED
0
24/10/2017
06/02/2018
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Fatima lives with her six-member family in Delhi. Her father works at a scrap shop and her mother works at a hospital. One day her father asked her to talk to the other girls in the community whom he knew are learning driving but he did not know from where they are doing the course. The girls told Fatima about Azad and at her father's insistence she joined the course. Her father has been instrumental in her decision to join Azad. Her father wants her to become an empowered and independent woman. Her family members have been very supportive of her decision. She shared that she liked Communication training the most. With her father's support and her own determination, Fatima has been able to complete the training and is now waiting to be employed.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/45

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

FARZANA
28/10/1998
10TH PASS
JITTAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
24/10/2017
11/01/2018
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Farzana lives with her parents and brother in Delhi. Her father runs a tea shop and earns for the family. He was an auto driver before but he sold his auto due to deteriorating financial condition. One day her father felt extremely ill. Farzana had some idea on how to drive an auto by observing her father. She borrowed an auto from her neighbour and drove her father to the hospital. Her neighbour later told her about Azad and she was keen on learning how to drive and becoming a driver to help her family. Her family was supportive of her as well. She has now completed her training and awaits an employment opportunity. For her, the best part of Azad was the communication training where she learnt about professional conduct, professionally.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/46

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GULISTA
10/04/1988
12TH PASS
KRISHNANAGAR
WIDOW
0
14/09/2017
12/12/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



After her husband's tragic demise, Gulista has been staying in Delhi by herself. Her siblings are married and live separately with their families. She does stitching to pay for her house rent and other expenses. Subsequently the trauma of her parents death pushed her into sadness and she started shunning the external world. She came to know about Azad through her sister who encouraged to start the training to become independent. She shared that after joining Azad, she has become confident of herself again and she has shunned away all her fears; now she is confident of dealing with anyone. Her husband passed away in a road accident after which she was afraid of roads but now she has confidently finished her training and is ready to take on the road. In the training, she liked communication training the most.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/47

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

POOJA RANI
1/10/1996
12TH PASS
GANDHINAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
1/11/2017
12/02/2018
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Pooja stays with her mother and four siblings in Delhi. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity in her community. She was always interested in driving and even wanted to drive a bike. The course gave her an opportunity to learn driving which she did not want to miss. Her mother also fully supported her decision. After joining Azad, she has made new friends and feels happy. She shared that she liked all the non-technical module training as they were very informative. She has completed her training and is now waiting to get into employment so that she can financially support her family as well.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/48

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RAJKUMARI
10/10/1981
8TH PASS
NAND NAGRI
MARRIED
3
31/10/2017
04/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Rajkumari lives with her husband and three children in Delhi. She came to know about Azad through her sister. She wanted to become independent and wanted to give her children a better future; to fulfil this she joined the WoW training program. Her family members are not supportive of her decision due to which she is unable to attend her training regularly. Rajkumari shared that the non-technical modules at Azad gave her the confidence to negotiate her point with her family and come regularly for the training. She said that she liked English training the most. She has cleared her Permanent License test and is currently undergoing further practice at Azad. She enjoys driving on long routes which have flyovers and bridges.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/53

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PUSHPA
28/9/1999
8TH PASS
SHASTRI PARK
UNMARRIED
0
03/11/2017
19/1/2018
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Pushpa lives with her family of eight members in Delhi. Her father who is an auto rickshaw driver is the sole earner of the family. She came to know about Azad through her father who saw Azad's pamphlet and wanted Pushpa to become a professional cab driver. She is herself interested in driving and already knows how to drive a bike, in fact she used to drive her mother on a bike to her grandmother's house which is 3.5 hours away from Delhi. The bike is in the house for Pushpa to live her dream of driving. She has successfully completed her training with Azad and is now waiting to get a job as a professional chauffeur. She shared that she liked the First-aid training the most.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/50

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHABNAM
31/07/1987
12TH PASS
PATPARGANJ
MARRIED
2
12/11/2017
26/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Shabnam stays with her husband and two children in Delhi. She came to know about Azad through a canopy organized by mobilization team of Azad. With an aspiration of giving better future to her children, she joined the training at Azad. She shared that before joining Azad, she used to stay at home but now she has moved beyond the boundary of her house. She likes the fact that Azad is there to help her in her training as well as in her family matters, if required. She has cleared her Permanent License test and is now waiting to complete her training. Shabnam dreams of building her new house and enrolling her children in a private school for their better future.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/51

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

DEEPA
29/10/1991
12TH PASS
KALYANPURI
SEPARATED
0
21/11/2017
16/02/2018
EMPLOYABLE



Deepa stays with her parents and siblings in Delhi. When she learnt about her husband's first marriage, she left him and started living with her parents. She came to know about Azad through a survey conducted by Azad's mobilization team in her community. In order to build a separate identity for herself and to become independent, she decided to join Azad. She shared that she liked the Gender and Legal Rights modules the most because she gained knowledge about women's rights through these modules. Deepa cleared her permanent license test. Later, however she got married and had to discontinue the training program.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/56

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SEEMA
12/03/1985
8TH PASS
TRILOKPURI
MARRIED
2
30/11/2017
23/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Seema lives with her husband and two children in Delhi. Her husband is the sole earner for the family. She came to know about Azad through FLP leader. With an aspiration for a better future for her children, she decided to join the training program. Her family members discourage her from continuing in the training and want her to look after her children but Seema is determined to complete the training and earn to give her children a better life. She shared that in Azad she liked the Gender training the most as she learnt about women's rights which will be beneficial not just for her but for her daughters as well as she will be able to guide them. Currently she is continuing her training with Azad.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/60

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AARTI
25/08/1990
GRADUATE
TRILOKPURI
UNMARRIED
0
12/12/2017
26/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Aarti lives with her parents and two siblings in Delhi. Her father and mother run a food stall through which they run the family expenses. She came to know about Azad through her friend who is FLP leader with Azad. She wanted to become independent in life and joined Azad to fulfil the same. She shared that she liked the Communication training the most at Azad. Aarti has cleared her Permanent License test and is presently, continuing her further training with Azad.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/63

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

YASMIN
27/10/1987
12TH PASS
SEELAMPUR
UNMARRIED
0
22/1/2018
07/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Yasmin stays with her family of six-members in Delhi. Her father is the sole earner for her family. One day when she visited the post office for some work, she met one of Azad's mobilizer there who shared about the WoW program with her. As Yasmin was passionate about driving, she decided to join the training course. She has cleared her Permanent License test and is continuing her training with Azad. She shared that the various trainings at Azad have been very informative and she has gained new knowledge such as about women's legal rights.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/70

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHEFALI
22/01/1980
12TH PASS
GANESH NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
26/02/2018
CAME WITH PL
UNDER TRAINING



Shefali stays with her parents and two siblings in Delhi. It has been a difficult time for Shefali as her mother's health has not been stable and her sister has an eye condition for which an operation is required to correct it. One day she came across Azad's leaflet and got intrigued by the WoW program. With the hope of getting a job which will help her accumulate money for her mother's health and sister's operation she joined the training program. Presently, she is continuing her training with Azad.

Enrolment No. DL/ED/2017-18/78

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYA
12/07/1996
10TH PASS
VASANT KUNJ
UNMARRIED
0
07/11/16
06/05/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



After the sad demise of their parents, Priya and her sister used to stay in a foster home. One day they came in touch with one of Azad's staff, who told them about the WoW program. With the hope of being financially independent, Priya joined the course. Her foster home guardians financed her training for sometime but later they refused to do so. At that time, Azad was running a residential academy in Jaipur and Priya agreed to finish her training from Jaipur. After finishing her training, she moved back to Delhi for her permanent license test and rest of the training. While at Azad, Priya gained confidence in herself and successfully completed the training and is now waiting to get employed.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/67



WEST *DELHI*

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MONIKA NAG
5/07/1973
12TH PASS
DWARKA
MARRIED
2
05/07/2017
CAME WITH PL
EMPLOYED



Monika lives with her husband and two daughters. Her husband is an auto driver, due to which she became interested in the profession. She also wanted to help him out financially and became a commercial driver after obtaining her license from Uttar Pradesh. After shifting to Delhi, she learnt about Azad and joined the training in July 2017. The non-technical training that she underwent at Azad, specifically on Legal Rights and Sexual and Reproductive Health, helped make a difference to her attitude as well as driving. She passed the employability test in November, 2017 and is now working as a commercial driver in Sakha.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/1

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
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DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAMTA
09/06/1996
8TH PASS
MAYAPURI
UNMARRIED
0
12/07/2017
30/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Mamta lives with her parents and 4 siblings. Her parents work as labourers and her elder brother works in a private company. Growing up, she felt a little isolated from her father and sister as they would inflict violence on her regularly. She also witnessed continuous fights at home between the other members and this led to her not being able to pay attention to her education. She left school out of frustration for not being able to study. After three years of leaving school, she saw a play in her community by Azad and was inspired to join. Her family initially demotivated her. However, once she got her permanent license, things started looking better. She gained the confidence to stand up for her rights and against violence. This led to reduced violence at home. She has cleared her employability test and now dreams of becoming a commercial driver.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/3

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

BHAVNA
11/06/1996
BA III
TILAK NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
14/07/2017
30/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Bhavna lives in an all women household. Her father passed away when she was very young and her brother some years after that. Her mother works in a government office to support her sisters and niece. In order to support her mother, Bhavna started working as a data entry operator. She came across Azad in the media and contacted the mobilization team. She was interested and hence joined the training programme. Through her time in training, she helped her sister stand up to the violence her in-laws were inflicting on her and helped her file a case against them. Slowly, through practice, she gained the confidence to drive a four-wheeler. Her dream is to have her own taxi one day.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/4

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KANCHAN
15/10/1994
10TH PASS
RAGHUBIR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
12/07/2017
31/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Kanchan loves to dance. Her interest drove her to join dance school after she left school, which was when she had completed her 10th grade. However, she could not continue this because her brothers discouraged her from leaving the house. But she did not give up on her wish to do something outside her house. Her mother encouraged her to join Azad after a survey was conducted in her community, Her brothers were not keen on sending her, but this time she did not back down. Once she got her permanent license, she saw a change in the brothers' attitude and they started supporting her. Now she is able to talk in front of many people and feels confident about expressing her views. She wants to be a commercial driver and drive her car all around the city.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/5

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

UJALA
11/06/1996
10TH PASS
UTTAM NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
13/11/2017
CAME WITH PL
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Ujala's family has faced financial difficulties since she was a child. She has five siblings and her father is the only earning member in the family. Due to this, she had to start helping out in the house at a very early age. Though she left school after 10th grade, she has done various courses like fashion designing and computers. However, she says, none of them have helped her professionally. She found out about Azad through the internet and consulted with her parents to join. They supported her decision and she joined training. She says that since she has started training, she has felt more confident and more in control of her life. She is now able to stand up for herself and take certain decisions. She has completed training and is currently waiting to be employed through our partner, Sakha.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/7

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SAPNA
2/07/1987
12TH PASS
-
MARRIED
1
10/08/2017
13/11/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Sapna has completed her school education, but could not do her graduation as her family compelled her to marry. She faced a lot of difficulties in her marriage and had to go through domestic abuse. She found out about Azad through the internet and approached the training centre. She joined the course and through her training, realized that she had the power to end the violence she had been facing. She gained confidence and stood up to her husband. She soon left him and has now re-married. She is currently waiting for employment. She wishes to own a car one day and also provide a good life for her son.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/8

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

POONAM
25/03/1994
LESS THAN 8TH
RAGHUBIR NAGAR
MARRIED
2
25/09/2017
15/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Poonam is training with Azad Foundation and dreams of becoming an independent person who can take care of herself and her children. She currently lives with her husband and children, but her marriage is difficult and she has to sometimes live at her mother's house. She joined Azad because she wanted to prove to herself, more than anyone else, that she can be independent and earn enough money. Her desire to move ahead in life has led her to re-join education to clear 10th grade. At Azad she has learnt about the rights of women and the laws which exist for their protection. She says she has become confident and bold now.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/9

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

DEEPA
01/01/1992
5TH PASS
RAGHUBIR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
20/11/2017
21/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Deepa lives with her mother and seven siblings. With the demise of her father when she was in fifth grade, the family's financial condition suffered, due to which she had to leave school, therefore discontinuing her education. Two of her brothers are working and help out with the finances. She herself started working as a house help at a mere 14 years of age. She says that she always wished to be able to drive a car and joining Azad brought her closer to this dream. While in training, she learnt about different laws which exist for women. This gave her the confidence to stand up against violence and gain confidence. She dreams of becoming a cab driver. She is currently under training at Azad.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/11

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
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DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SARITA
26/2/1994
8TH PASS
KIRTI NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
20/11/2017
15/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Sarita lives with her parents and siblings. Her father works as a guard and brother is a carpenter. She says she left school as she was not very keen to study. She started working at a factory to supplement the household income. She heard about the Women on Wheels programme and wasted no time in enrolling herself in training. In order to pay her conveyance, she is working as a tailor over the weekend. She says that the training she is undergoing has made her confident and she is now able to see a bright future ahead of her. She feels she gets a platform to express herself without any hesitation. Some of the modules have been especially helpful for her, for example, the Sexual and Reproductive Health training, where she increased her knowledge of herself and her body. She dreams of buying a house one day where she can live with her parents.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/12

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REEMA
04/06/1992
5TH PASS
RAMESH NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
20/11/2017
21/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Reema expressed that she always had a desire to drive. She would wonder how to learn this skill, when one day she met a mobilizer from Azad Foundation who was conducting a survey in her area. On informing her family that she wanted to join training to become a professional chauffeur, she had to face resistance from them initially. Her family was also facing financial stress with her father being the only bread earner, and they wanted her to work. So, she started training at Azad and would go to work after that. She shared that she was elated after joining Azad as she learnt not only driving, but other things as well which have equipped her with confidence and the strength to move about in the city by herself. Her training is ongoing and she wishes to complete soon and take up work as a driver.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/13

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KANCHAN DEVI
04/02/1986
8TH PASS
RAMESH NAGAR
MARRIED
1
27/11/2017
21/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Kanchan was married at an early stage. Her husband works as a vendor, but is not able to earn enough to support her and her young child. In order to supplement the household income, Kanchan decided to join work at a hospital. However, her husband was not very supportive and she had to leave the job. She found out about Azad through a survey in her area. She says that she always had the desire to learn driving, and joined Azad because she thought this would help her fulfil that as well as earn a decent living. She somehow convinced her husband to let her join training. The knowledge she received about women's rights and the existing laws has boosted her confidence and she feels she can do a lot in life.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/14

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
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DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MANJU RAI
01/06/1978
12TH PASS
ROHINI
MARRIED
2
30/01/2018
03/04/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Manju initially joined Azad in 2016. At that time, she had left her husband's home and was living with her parents. She took training, but left before her permanent license could get made. It was a difficult time for her as she was moving back to her husband's house. However, she came back into training in 2018. In the time she was away, she got her permanent license made. She says that she has finally been able to tackle the violence at home and negotiate for her own voice and space in the house. She has learnt how to protect herself and take her own decisions. She wants to be a driver and wishes to buy her own car.

Enrolment No. DL/WD/2017-18/15

NORTH *DELHI*



NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SARASWATI
12/02/1998
10TH PASS
MUKUNDPUR
UNMARRIED
0
13/02/2018
31/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Saraswati lives with her parents and brothers in Mukundpur. Before joining Azad she worked in a for almost 4 months. Her father and brother work as a vegetable seller and E-rickshaw puller respectively. Saraswati came to know about Azad from a mobilization activity. Her mother supported her for the training, and without any hesitation gave her money for her enrolment. Saraswati learnt from the training in Azad that every woman has the right to be respected and Azad has taught her the dispelling notions of patriarchy. She is keen on acquiring employment as a driver. She is also looking forward to getting a commercial license and becoming a cab driver one day.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/89

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
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DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ABIDA YUSUF QUADRI
11/12/1983
8TH PASS
BHALSWA
MARRIED
3
31/01/2018
16/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Abida stays with her husband and her children in a rented house. Her husband works as a driver and his income is the only way they are able to educate their children at a government school. For 2 month She worked at a bank with a commission based pay but she left the job because of uncomfortable work environment. Abida heard about Azad through a mobilisation activity. Since she has joined Azad, her fear of travelling alone has disappeared and she has gained more confidence, both professionally and personally. She wants to become a professional driver and buy her own car one day.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/87

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PARVATI
16/08/1993
GRADUATE
MUKUNDPUR
UNMARRIED
0
26/12/2017
01/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Parvati is the eldest in the family and has three brothers. She lives with her family in her own house. Her father works as a mason and is the only bread earner. Parvati expressed herself as a serious person, focused in life and takes things considerably. She likes to paint in her free time and is always eager to learn new things in life. Her father came to know about Azad from a mobilization activity in her community. She always wanted to learn driving so when she got to know about Azad, she decided to join and achieve her dreams. She felt more motivated after meeting the trainees in Azad. What she likes the most in Azad is the freedom and equal opportunity given to the women with no discrimination. Everyone gets equal opportunity to learn and grow in their life. She wants to become a professional driver and a driving trainer in the future.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/83

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RUKHSAR
07/10/1980
LESS THAN 8TH
JAHANGIRPURI
MARRIED
3
28/12/2017
09/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Rukhsar studied till the 5th standard and dropped out of school because in her village the girls were not allowed to go out and study. Because of the society's norms, she had to leave her education and stay back at home. After her marriage, she came to Delhi and lives with her husband and 1 daughter and 2 sons in her own house. Her father runs a mobile shop in Jahangirpuri. She came to know about Azad Foundation through a mobilization activity. She discussed with her husband and enrolled in the training. She likes the environment in Azad and gets the freedom to express herself. She also expresses her wish to complete the training and become a professional driver. She wants to give her children a better education and contribute financially in the family.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/81

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
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DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RAGINI
04/01/1998
10TH PASS
JHARODA
SEPARATED
0
26/12/2017
09/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Ragini lives with her parents. Her father is a metal-welder and the only earning member of their household. She always liked driving and in one incident when she went to drive her uncle's car along with her cousin, she met with an accident. She was grievously injured in that accident and took time to recover. After her recovery, she wanted to do something in her life and came to know about Azad from the church she goes to. She promptly enrolled herself in the training. She really liked the other classes at Azad other than her driving training. She learnt about the law and her rights. She also built her confidence after attending self-defence classes. She really likes the familial kind of environment in Azad. Going forward, she aspires to become a professional driver and also be completely independent.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/79

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
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DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

LAXMI KUMARII
13/03/1992
10TH PASS
BHALSWA
SEPARATED
1
13/12/2017
21/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Laxmi has lead a difficult life, however she had always dreamt of becoming independent. Initially, her brothers stopped her from studying even though her mother supported her. After she got married she was supported by her in laws to complete her graduation but her husband was highly abusive. She had to leave her 2 ½ year old daughter with her paternal grandparents. She has now started working part time to support herself and partakes in the training at Azad, after getting to know about it through a mobilisation activity. She wants to complete her training fast and work as a professional driver to support and educate her daughter. Azad gave her the opportunity to grow in life.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/78

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA
03/05/1985
10TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
MARRIED
4
01/12/2017
09/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Rekha got married when she was only 15 and she has 4 children. Her husband works as a daily labourer in a factory and her children are studying. She used to work as a caregiver in a school but was asked to leave when the new GST system was implemented. Therefore, she needed some financial assistance to help her family. She got to know about Azad through a mobilization activity. She immediately joined and was captivated to learn about job security in the training. She is now in her "on road" practice session of the training and doing a part time job. She wants to become a professional driver soon. Azad has helped her gain confidence in herself.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/77

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PINKI DEVI
10/10/1984
10TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
MARRIED
3
13/12/2017
23/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Pinki lives with her husband and 3 children. Her husband is a fitter for LPG cylinders. Her eldest son is in 8th standard. She came to know about Azad through a mobilization activity. Pinki's husband has been a great support to her in the pursuit of training for employability. They look forward to having a stable family and have a good income to provide better lifestyle to their children. She intends to eventually get a commercial license. Because of lapses in her household, she had to remain absent from the training. However, she is adamant to achieve her target and become a professional driver. She felt very happy when she acquired her permanent license and felt a sense of self-worth and confidence.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/76

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ASHA
10/08/1998
12TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
13/12/2017
01/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Asha always wanted to travel and see new places. She even asked her father if she could join a driving school when she was in 9th standard but he refused. When she recently got to know about Azad through her friend, she made up her mind to convince her father anyhow. However, her father wouldn't budge, so she discussed the issue with her friend and seek help. After her friend informed Azad about what was happening a mobiliser visited Asha's father after. Her father finally agreed. She had never thought of getting a job, however after Azad's training she is determined that driving is what she wants to do in her life. She wants to help her father financially by becoming a successful driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/74

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUNITA
10/4/1978
10TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
MARRIED
2
11/12/2017
09/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Sunita lives with her husband and children in her own house. Her husband used to run a mobile shop. He had to close down the shop to take care of his father and later invested money with his relatives in a business but they also betrayed him and he lost all the money invested in the business. Her husband is now working in a private company and is the only earning member in the family. After the incidents, Sunita always wanted to learn a skill and support her husband financially. She came to know about Azad through a mobilization activity. Her husband also supported her for the training. She likes English speaking class as it helps her to improve her spoken English. She is eager to complete the training as early as possible.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/73

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SONIA
05/05/1991
GRADUATE
MUKUNDPUR
MARRIED
0
13/12/2017
24/03/2018
EMPLOYABLE



She stays with her parents in Mukundpur. Her husband stays in Allahabad and has his own cloth business. She came to know about Azad from a mobilization activity and enrolled in the training as she had planned to stay at mother's house. She likes the classes in Azad as she develops self-confidence. She now feels that she will be able to handle any kind of situation in life. She wants to be independent in life.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/72

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEELAM SHARMA
05/10/1988
10TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
WIDOWED
3
15/12/2017
12/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Neelam lives with her children- two daughters and one son. Her husband suffered from cancer and passed away. Neelam has become stronger and determined in life after the struggle she went through. She does stitching in her free time and gets widow pension from the government which however is not enough to provide good support to children. Neelam came to know about Azad from the mobilization activity and decided to join the training. She is determined to complete the training and start earning so that she can repay the loan she had taken for her husband's treatments and afford to have a good life with her children.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/71

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA DUBEY
14/08/1977
8TH PASS
**SHARDHANAND COL-
ONY**
SEPARATED
3
01/12/2017
23/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



She lives with her children in a rented house. She came to know about Azad Foundation from a Mobilization activity in the community. She wanted to do something in her life and learn new skills, so she enrolled herself in the training. During the training she couldn't give much time to it as she also does a part time job. She likes the training and wants to complete it soon and become a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/69

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

LAXMI
19/12/1996
12TH PASS
SINDHORA COLONY
UNMARRIED
0
23/11/2017
01/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Laxmi lives with her father, uncle and her elder sister in a rented house. Her mother lives with her brother separately. Sangeeta's father owns a shop of sound and music systems. She came to know about Azad from her friend who is also undergoing training at Azad. After joining Azad, she became more confident and independent. She now has the confidence to travel alone. She liked the self-defence classes from which she learnt new technique to protect herself. She wants to grow in life and become a professional driver. She doesn't want to be dependent on anyone.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/68

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NASREEN
16/02/1998
8TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
23/11/2017
12/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Nasreen lives with her mother and her siblings in her own house. Her elder brother works in a mobile store and is the only bread earner in the family. To support herself financially and take out conveyance for the training, Nasreen gives home tuitions to small children. She came to know about Azad Foundation through a mobilization activity. She wanted to become an independent professional woman. She likes the exposure and the freedom she gets in Azad e.g. the OBR event in which she got the chance to participate with the larger group. She likes the English-speaking class in Azad because she always wanted to learn English and be able to speak fluently. After completing her training, she wants to become a professional driver and in future wishes to own her own taxi.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/67

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SANGEETA
20/10/1989
12TH PASS
SHASTRI NAGAR
SEPARATED
0
23/11/2017
01/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Sangeeta lives with her father, uncle and her younger sister in a rented house. Her mother lives with her brother separately. Sangeeta's father owns a shop for sounds and music systems. Sangeeta came back to her father house after she was beaten up by her husband. Her father supported her and took her back. She came to know about Azad from her sister's friend who is also undergoing training in Azad. She was scared to even express her view to her elders. After joining Azad, she learnt to speak her mind out and is ready to face any kind of difficulties. She wants to become independent in life and dreams of bringing her parents together.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/65

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHAHEEN
30/05/1998
12TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
02/11/2017
15/12/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Shaheen lives with her mother and siblings in her own house in Delhi. The family belongs to Bihar originally. For 20 years they have been staying in Delhi. Both her brothers work as drivers in Saudi and they are the only earning members. Shaheen always wanted to complete her study and become an independent woman. Once when she was returning she saw a mobiliser distributing the pamphlets in the community. Her family supported her and encouraged her to join. Shaheen wants to complete her training and become a professional driver. She fought to complete her education and does not wish to look back in life.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/63

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ROSHNI
10/9/1993
GRADUATE
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
02/11/2017
12/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Roshni completed her graduation in Political Science from Delhi University. She wanted to pursue Law however due to the financial problem in the family; she had to let her dreams go. She appeared for interviews in many organizations hoping to help the family financially however she didn't get through anywhere. During that process she realized that without any experience or sound knowledge of technicality, it is difficult to grab good opportunities in the market. She came to know about Azad two years ago when she was in college. This time her mother encouraged her to get herself enrolled in Azad. She likes the driving classes in Azad and is happy to learn a lifetime skill. She feels proud to see surprised and amazed faces when she is driving on the road. She wants to become a professional driver and earn money so that one day she can enrol herself in a Law College.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/62

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KOMAL
10/10/1999
8TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
10/10/2017
01/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Komal stays with her parents in her own house. Her father works in a company and is the only bread earner in the family. She came to know about Azad from her neighbour who completed her training in Azad. Komal was always eager to learn driving and has been waiting to complete her 18th birthday so that she can enrol herself in the training. She gained a lot of knowledge from the training e.g. awareness on laws and rights for women, routes etc. She also now believes that she as an individual has her own identity. She wants to become a professional commercial driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/61

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYA
02/02/1996
GRADUATE
NIHAL VIHAR
UNMARRIED
0
02/11/2017
25/01/2018
EMPLOYABLE



Priya stays with her parents in her own house. Her father works in a furniture shop and is the only bread earner in the family. She came to know about Azad from her friend who completed her training in Azad. However, she had to leave the training to start working and support her father. She has also got herself enrolled in MA from IGNOU and wants to focus on her studies.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/59

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GULSHAN
23/04/1997
12TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
10/10/2017
07/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Gulshan is a young and hard-working girl who dreams to make her own identity. She is also pursuing her graduation through distance learning. Her father works as a mechanic and is the only bread earner in the family. She is also providing tuitions to small children to support the family. Her friend who happened to be a FLP member informed her about the course as she was aware that Gulshan had the passion to learn driving. She likes to spend time in training as everyone is given equal freedom and opportunity to learn. Gulshan learnt about women's rights and law from the Gender and Legal Rights class. After attending the classes, she has developed a keenness/an interest to pursue law in future. She wants to become a financially independent woman so that she can pursue her dream in the future.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/58

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ARTI
20/01/1998
8TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
06/10/2017
21/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Arti lives with her mother and sibling in a slum in Jahangirpuri. The juggi is in her mother's name. Her mother works in a company in the packing department and elder sister also works as a patient attendant to help her mother financially. She got to know about Azad from her aunt's daughter, who is also working as a commercial chauffer in Sakha. She wants to complete her training and become a professional driver. She dreams to become an independent woman and wants to work in life. She also likes to roam around and see new places. Arti liked the Gender and Legal rights classes the most as she learnt about laws and the discrimination against women in the society.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/57

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA
15/07/1996
8TH PASS
SWAROOP VIHAR
SEPARATED
1
28/09/2017
07/12/2017
EMPLOYABLE



When she joined Azad, she was staying with her maternal family in Jahangirpuri and the family members were taking care of her 2 year old daughter. She came to know about Azad from a mobilization activity. However, during the training, she had to shift to a rented house and stay with her daughter. Due to the circumstances in the family, she had to start working to pay the room rent and pay fees to keep her daughter in play school. So, after acquiring her Permanent License she had to leave the training midway in Azad.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/55

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

BARKHA
05/09/1999
8TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
28/09/2017
15/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Barkha is a 19 year old girl living with her parents and sibling in her own house. Her father and brother are working. When Barkha joined Azad she was a shy girl and never used to go anywhere. She took time to clear her Learning License as she got nervous during the test. However, after taking classes in Azad, she gained confidence and cleared her Permanent License in the first attempt which also boosted her confidence level. From gender class, she learnt about the society and about her rights. She wants to become a professional driver and spread the word about Azad foundation so that people can benefits and do better in their lives.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/54

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MONIKA
12/03/1995
10TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
28/09/2017
07/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Monika lives with her parents and her brother. Her mother works in a packaging team in the factory and she is the only bread earner of the family. She came to know about Azad through the mobilization activity and joined the programme. She has become confident after attending gender classes and has learnt to speak up for her rights. She wants to complete her training and take up a job as a driver and become independent.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/52

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MUSKAN
01/07/1991
12TH PASS
SWAROOP NAGAR
SEPARATED
2
28/09/2017
CAME WITH PL
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Muskan was brought up by her maternal grandparents because of her parent's poor financial condition. They educated her at a private school till 4th grade but then she was taken back by her father and was enrolled in a government school. However, she soon dropped out of school. Her maternal family supported her and thus enrolled her for a beautician course. Soon she got a job and funded her education herself. She met her husband in 12th grade and married him. However, her in-laws were unsupportive and even her husband stopped caring for her. She registered a case against them but had to withdraw as they apologised for their actions. But they did not stop torturing her. She is staying with her mother at the moment because her in-laws refuse to take her back. She wants to get a job at the earliest to become financially independent and fund her children's education.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/51

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SEEMA
01/01/1988
LESS THAN 8TH
SAROOP VIHAR
MARRIED
3
28/09/2017
15/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Seema lost her mother when she was only 1 year old and her father remarried. She was brought up by her grandmother however she never got any love or care from anyone. At her tender age she had to leave school so that she could help in the household chores. She feels lucky that her husband supports her and gives her love. After knowing about Azad from the FLP member, she discussed it with her husband. Her husband gave her the freedom to decide and follow what she wants to do. She likes coming to the training as she gets to learn new things like English speaking, meeting new people and looks forward to come to the training every day. She wants to become a professional driver and be able to provide a good life to their children.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/50

54

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

LAXMI RAWAT
15/05/1985
10TH PASS
MUKUNDPUR
MARRIED
2
28/09/2017
01/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Laxmi has always been interested in studies. She was withdrawn from school in 5th grade and made to work at home. She somehow managed to complete her 11th grade after which she was married. Her husband was from Punjab. She was abused in the household and after her immense efforts, her husband agreed to move to Delhi, only to start drinking and perpetrating violence on her once again. She used to give tuitions at a church to stay away from him. Soon, she came across Azad and enrolled herself without telling her husband as he highly opposed the idea. Laxmi is now determined to complete training and become a professional driver. She wants to give her children a better life and wants freedom for her daughter.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/48

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHARDA
10/10/1989
12TH PASS
SHAHBAD DAIRY
MARRIED
2
14/09/2017
15/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Sharda's parents had passed away when she was young and therefore she was brought up by her brother. She was married at the age of 21 and was thus not supported to continue her studies. She applied for nursing school also but wasn't given any funds for the same. Her husband would also abuse her. One of her neighbours who was part of FLP informed her about Azad and she immediately enrolled herself. After joining Azad, she has learnt about her rights and was able to negotiate with her husband to let her continue training. She learnt about gender and self-defence and she believes that all of this led to a changed attitude in her husband towards her in just three months of training. She wants to complete training and become a professional driver to give her children the opportunities she didn't have.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/47

55

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REETA
03/02/1994
GRADUATE
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
11/09/2017
21/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Reeta lives with her parents in her own house in Jahangirpuri. Her father is an electrician and her sister is a commercial driver in Sakha. Reeta used to work as a receptionist but she left the job because the company shifted to Madhya Pradesh. Following this, she decided to learn a skill which would help her be independent and she decided to join Azad. She liked the First aid class the most from which she learnt how to help people in emergency situations. She also learnt about the existing laws in India from the Gender classes. She feels that she acquired knowledge about effective communication and can use it for her betterment. She wants to become a professional driver and help her parents financially.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/39

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KANCHAN
05/11/1995
10TH PASS
BURARI
UNMARRIED
0
11/09/2017
23/11/2017
EMPLOYABLE



She lives with her parents in her own house. Her father is a tailor and is the sole earner of the family. She came to know about Azad Foundation through a mobilization activity. Her father supported her for the training in Azad. However, she had typhoid and due to weakness, her mother did not allow her to continue her training. She wants to join the training programme again once she recovers fully.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/38

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ROHINI
19/06/1998
12TH PASS
KISHAN GANJ
UNMARRIED
0
27/08/2017
23/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Rohini is 19 years old and lives with her parents and 4 siblings. Her father is a chef and used to work in Dubai. However, for the past 5 years he has not been doing any fixed job. Her two elder sisters are working in McDonalds and are the only bread earners of the family. Rohini is currently pursuing her B.A. IInd year from Delhi University's School of Open Learning. She got to know about Azad from a member of an organisation, "Inner Wheel Club" who also supported with her commitment fund. Rohini likes the English module as it is helping her understand the language and speak more confidently. Rohini wants to join Delhi Police in the future and meanwhile she wants to complete her training and become a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/34

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

FARIDA
17/5/1999
8TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
30/08/2017
31/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Farida being a sincere and punctual trainee was able to clear her LL and PL in her first attempt. She likes to explore new places and spend time with her sister. She came to know about Azad from her father who saw a mobilization activity in the community. She always wanted to learn driving and couldn't wait to enrol herself in the training. She gained confidence to travel and got exposure to a number of new things like English communication etc, She likes English and communication classes as she can now effectively communicate and express herself. She has learnt a lot of new things from the training and is excited to complete her training and become a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/33

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

HEENA
01/04/1998
12TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
26/08/2017
23/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Heena being the youngest in the family always gets love and care from everyone. She loves to mingle with everyone and enjoys her life. Her mother came to know about Azad from the mobilization activity. However, they were in doubt whether it will be productive for her or not. After discussing she decided to visit the office to get more information about the program. Now Heena feels gratified to be a part of Azad Foundation. She feels that Azad is like her family. She never wants to miss a class. Heena also expressed that after joining Azad, she became more confident while speaking and gained knowledge. She wants to become a professional driver and build her own house.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/32

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RANI
18/08/1997
10TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
30/08/2017
21/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Rani lives with her parents and sibling in her own house. She has a friendly relationship with her mother and shares everything with her. Her mother knows everything that is happening in the training and she is proud of her. She came to know about Azad from a mobilization activity. She was initially not sure about learning driving but now she says that she doesn't want to leave the training. Her speaking skills have now improved and she has also gained confidence to travel alone as earlier her mother used to accompany her everywhere. She wants to become a professional driver and then become a trainer.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/31

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KAVITA
16/11/1998
12TH PASS
BURARI
UNMARRIED
0
17/8/2017
23/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Kavita lives with her parents and siblings in her own house. Her father works as a daily wage labourer and he is the sole earner in the family. Kavita came to know about Azad from a FLP member. Though she took admission and was fascinated to drive, she was also very scared. However, after taking classes and seeing other women, she got inspired to drive. She expressed that the exposure to meet new people and interact with them helps her to be more calm and confident. She wants to become independent and buy her own car someday.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/29

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA DEVI
28/02/1986
10TH PASS
KAMALA NAGAR
MARRIED
3
18/08/2017
23/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Rekha lives with her family in a rented house in Kamla Nagar. Her husband works in a shop as a field distributor and he is the only bread earner in the family. Unfortunately, all the family jewellery and possessions were stolen from her house in April 2017. That was the only saving she had from her lifetime. It was at the same time that she was searching for job and came to know about the Azad foundation from the mobilization activity and decided to join. She was eager to learn and complete the course so that she could get a job at the earliest. She wants to become a professional driver and earn to be able to help her husband financially. Rekha feels good about the level of awareness she got after attending the training at Azad. She feels empowered after learning about the society and gained confidence to communicate with everyone.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/26

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHAZIA
06/06/1998
12TH PASS
BHALSWA
MARRIED
0
01/08/2017
31/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Shazia has been brought up in a conservative family and never imagined that she could get the freedom to work. When she got married she was only prepared to be a housewife and do household chores. But after her marriage her in-laws and her husband supported her and encouraged her to become independent. It is because of them that she was able to complete her training at Azad. She was very emotional and proud the day her father-in-law distributed sweets in her village after watching the video of Shazia changing the tyre. She likes the equal opportunity given to everyone and learnt that everyone has equal rights in the society. She wants to work and become an independent woman to support her husband and in-laws.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/25

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GULAFSHA
14/09/1997
10TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
19/07/2017
19/09/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Gulafsha stays with her family in her own house in Bhalswa. Her family owns a meat shop and the shop is the only source of income for her family. She is studying for her 12th standard exams at the National Institute of Open Schooling. She came to know about the Azad Foundation through the mobilization activity and enrolled in the training along with her maternal aunt. However, she left the training after getting her Permanent License because she was unable to manage time for both driving-training and studies for her 12th standard exams. She wants to re-join the training in Azad after completing her schooling.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/22

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYANKA
19/11/1995
10TH PASS
MUKUNDPUR
UNMARRIED
0
28/07/2017
19/09/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Priyanka lives with her mother and brother in Mukundpur. Her brother is the only bread earner of the family. She had to leave school due to her health condition and was unable to continue studying even though she tried open learning. She came to know about Azad through its mobilisation activity. Her family encouraged her to learn driving and develop a new skill. She has earned confidence in herself and her mother after training. Through the first aid module she knows that she can be of constructive use in emergencies. She wants to make her mother proud by becoming a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/21

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

HEMLATA
02/07/1997
8TH PASS
BHALSWA
MARRIED
2
24/07/2017
12/09/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Hemlata considers herself to be a lucky person to get a lot of love and support from her in-laws. It was because of their support that she could get enrolled in the Women on Wheels programme. Her husband is a professional driver and the only bread earner in the family. Her in-laws live in the same building and support them. When she joined Azad her mother-in-law volunteered to take care of her children, but it became difficult for her later when the in-laws went to visit relatives in the village. Hemlata wants to complete the training once her kids become old enough to take care of themselves.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/20

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAHATAB
01/01/1988
LESS THAN 8TH
BHALSWA
SEPARATED
0
19/07/2017
19/09/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Mahatab got married in 2014 but her husband soon left her to go to Saudi Arabia for employment. He refused to live with her so she shifted with her mother. She recently heard that her husband got remarried but she is not able to contact him. He also never showed up at the court when she filed for a divorce. She enrolled herself in Azad when she heard about it through a mobilisation activity in her community. She wants to keep herself secure and independent. She learnt about gender and legal rights which gave her more clarity about discrimination against women. She wants to soon become independent as a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/19

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SONAM
06/01/1999
12TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
17/07/2017
12/09/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Sonam lives with her parents and younger brother in her own house in JJ colony at Bhalswa. Her parents work as daily labourers and are the source of family income. Sonam heard about Azad foundation from her cousin sister who already did her training from Azad. She thinks that driving will be a different field and since she always wanted to earn and help her family financially, she decided to join Azad. She loves the English language training and the Gender & Legal Rights module as these help her to understand about the society. She got to know more about the rights of women and how she can get help through law. She wants to be successful in life by becoming a professional driver and eventually completing her education.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/18

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHARDA
01/01/1994
LESS THAN 8TH
MUKUNDPUR
UNMARRIED
0
05/07/2017
11/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Sharda lives with her mother and brother in her own house in Mukundpur. Her father lives in the village and does farming. Sharda is a shy person who takes time to open up with new people, but once she opens up she becomes good friends with everyone. She is vocal about what she wants and does not feel scared of speaking up. She came to know about Azad from her friend and enrolled along with her for the training. The training helped her learn more about the society and discrimination towards women through the classes on gender. She wants to become a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/16

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REHANA
10/07/1993
10TH PASS
MUKUNDPUR
UNMARRIED
0
05/07/2017
24/08/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Rehana lives with her parents and brother in a rented house in Mukundpur. Her father sells vegetables and she sells tomatoes as an independent vendor to help the family financially. She came to know about Azad foundation from a friend who did her training from Azad as well. After getting to know her friend's story, she came to the office directly to enquire about the programme. She found the training fascinating and decided to enrol. In her family her parents consider her opinions before taking any decision and this makes her feel proud. Rehana likes the foundation since it not only trained her to become independent but felt like her voice was heard here. The foundation has taught her to give space to everyone to speak their minds. Now she wants to become a professional DTC bus driver in the future.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/14

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEETU
26/02/1997
12TH PASS
SWAROOP NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
07/07/2017
12/09/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Neetu thinks that before coming to Azad foundation, she was wasting her life by not doing anything productive. She came to know about Azad from an FLP member. At the foundation she has learnt to become more focused in life and now she wants to make sure that she has her own identity in the family to make her parents proud. She is a hardworking and gentle woman. From the gender, sexual and reproductive health classes she learnt about the things she was not unaware of earlier. She feels like these trainings have helped her open her mind to new perspectives. She wants to become a professional driver and one day a driver in the Delhi Metro as well.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/13

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MEENU
12/05/1996
12TH PASS
SWAROOP NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
28/09/2017
24/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Meenu lives with her parents, two sisters and one brother in her own house. They do buffalo farming and sell milk; this is the only source of income in the family. She is doing her B.A. 2nd year from distance learning. She came to know about Azad from her friend and came to enquire directly in the office. She likes the course and so has enrolled herself for the training. Meenu likes the first aid classes since it taught her how to help people in an emergency situation. She thinks that this will be beneficial for her in life. She likes the environment at Azad and the cooperation she gets from members whenever she is in need. She wants to become a professional driver so that she can earn more money to fulfil her dreams. She always wanted to become a Chef and hopes that this training will help her reach there.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/12

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PINKI
01/04/1995
12TH PASS
SHAHBAD DAIRY
UNMARRIED
0
25/05/2017
04/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Pinki lives with her mother and siblings in Shahbad Dairy area. Her father is no more, her mother works as labourer and her brother as a painter to sustain the family. When she learnt about Azad through mobilisation programmes, she left her work at an NGO to join it. One of her favourite modules was gender where she learnt about legal rights and discrimination against women. She also enjoyed the myths that were proved wrong in the sexual and reproductive health module. The training has inspired her to question and analyse various unjust situations. She wants to become a professional driver after completing her training and eventually wants to work in a government job.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/10

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRATIMA
15/04/1993
GRADUATE
SAMYPUR BADLI
MARRIED
2
09/05/2017
04/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Pratima is 25 years old with a BA in home science. She lives with her husband and his family. He works with the MCD. She heard about Azad from a meeting held by the mobilisation team in her community. After reassurance from her friend about the effectivity of the program she enrolled for training. Her husband was supportive so she didn't feel the need to inform the rest of the family. After joining Azad, she overcame her fear to travel alone in Delhi and gained confidence. The gender training helped her understand that women need not be confined within their homes and should be independent. She wants to become a professional driver soon to start earning on her own.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/9

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PREET AGARWAL
08/02/1992
10TH PASS
RAMA VIHAR
UNMARRIED
0
15/05/2017
CAME WITH PL
EMPLOYABLE



Preet Agarwal lives alone in a rented house in Rama Vihar. She is separated from her family due to some family issues and is the only person to support herself financially. She came to know about Azad Foundation from her friends who happen to do coaching near the office. They were aware of the training Azad offers to women like Preet and encouraged her to join. She was interested in learning to drive and become a professional driver. However, due to her need for an immediate source of income, she had to start working immediately post acquiring her permanent licence so she had to leave the training midway.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/8

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RENU
01/01/1999
12TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
17/05/2017
24/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Renu lives with her parents and siblings in Bhalswa. Her father works at a boutique and mother in an anganwadi center. Renu's parent's had heard about Azad from a family friend who had finished training and was a successful driver. As soon as Renu turned 18, they enrolled her as well. The first few days were intimidating at the training but she soon felt confident. She loved all the modules which helped to legitimise her beliefs and articulate them better. For e.g. she finally learnt that her belief in equality between boys and girls wasn't wrong. She shares most of the information about the program with her parents except that which would make them question the training. Renu thinks of herself as a bold woman and is determined to focus on her career before marrying at least for the next ten years. She wants to get her bachelor's degree and travel the world.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/6

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KANCHAN
18/12/1997
12TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
15/05/2017
09/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Kanchan lives with her mother and sister in a rented house in Jahangirpuri. Her mother works at a packing shop and is the only bread earner for the family. Her mother was 4 months pregnant with her sister when her father abandoned them. Her younger sister is training to be a beautician currently. She came to know about Azad through a FLP member and enrolled herself with her mother's support. She wanted to break the norm that only men can drive. The training helped her become more assertive. She is now confident that because of her training she will be useful at the time of emergencies. She is proud of her newfound productivity and wants to continue her education after training.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/4

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RAKHI
13/08/1998
12TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
11/04/2017
14/07/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Rakhi lives with her brothers in a rented house in Bhalswa. She lost her parents many years back and her elder brother has since taken responsibility of the family. He made sure she completed her education till 12th standard. She got to know about Azad from her friend who knew a Sakha driver trained at Azad. She was supported by her brother and enrolled herself. She feels more courageous to travel alone in the city now after attending gender, communication and self-defence classes. She wants to continue her education after getting a job and helping her brother with finances of the family.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/3

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAMTA
29/05/1996
12TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
06/04/2017
29/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Mamta lives with her parents, three brothers and sister-in-law in her own house in Jahangirpuri. Her father works as a medicine supplier, her eldest brother is a driver in a school, second brother works in a printing shop and youngest brother has a salon. She came to know about Azad through their mobilization activity. She feels lucky to have joined Azad as she gets exposure through the training programme to learn and can see places in Delhi. She learnt how to give first aid when required in a professional way from the training. She wants to learn driving and become a skilful driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2017-18/1

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SONIYA
17/09/1989
8TH PASS
BURARI
MARRIED
2
29/03/2017
21/07/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Soniya was married when she was only 17 years old and was about to give her 10th boards. She couldn't clear her exams after marriage and therefore didn't continue with her studies as well. She had always wanted to be independent, so when she heard about Azad from her cousin sister, she immediately started negotiating with her husband to let her enrol. After he agreed, Soniya never looked back. She kept training through all the hardships and fights with her husband and is determined to become a professional driver. She is able to now fight for her rights and thinks that her communication skills have become better and direct after joining Azad due to the communication and work readiness modules.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/101

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ARCHANA
27/01/1995
12TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
29/03/2017
09/08/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Archana stays with her parents in her grandparents' house in Jahangirpuri. Her father is physically challenged and the family depends on the income from her brother and mother who work as labourers. She came to know about Azad from the mobilization activity. At first her father didn't allow her to get enrolled in the training but after much persuasion he agreed. She liked the classes in Azad and wanted to complete the training. However due to persistent personal health issues, she had to leave the training mid-way.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/104

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ANITA GUPTA
09/11/1984
LESS THAN 8TH
JAHANGIRPURI
MARRIED
2
06/04/2017
29/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Anita lives with her husband and children at a rented house in Jahangirpuri. Her husband works at a hotel and is the only earning member of the family. Her elder daughter is in school and younger one is ready to join school next year. Anita got to know about Azad from her elder sister who got pamphlets from the mobilization team. She didn't believe Azad could help her yet she decided to give it a chance. She is grateful that she did because since then she has developed confidence and has also helped other women get their labour cards. She liked the gender and legal rights classes which made her more aware. She wants to complete her training and become a professional driver to secure a better future for her children.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/101

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AKRITY
06/05/1998
12TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
24/04/2017
09/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Akrity lives with her parents, uncle and younger sister in a rented house. Her father and uncle help the family financially by working as tailors. She went to live with her grandmother in the village to get education and care for her as well. Meanwhile, her elder brother died of a serious illness. She came back home after 12th grade. Her father wanted her to become an IPS officer. She got to know about Azad through a mobilisation activity. She didn't tell her father that she enrolled until she got her learner's license. Her father was impressed with her but was also worried. She loves most of the modules but the best were English, First aid and map reading which were the most helpful to gain confidence. She is now self-reliant and wants to help her family financially soon.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/99

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHIVANGI PAL
29/09/1997
12TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
09/03/2017
22/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Shivangi Pal lives with her parents and younger brother in a rented house. Her father works as a house painter and he is the only bread earner of the family. Shivangi is enrolled in B.A. 2nd year through correspondence and wants to become a teacher eventually. She came to know about Azad Foundation from her cousin sister who is also training in Azad. After attending all classes, she feels empowered as she got exposure by learning new things. She also found the place very friendly and now feels dignified to express herself. She got to learn about herself and be aware about her society through gender and legal rights classes. She wants to become a professional driver and one day a trainer as well.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/98

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MOIDA
25/10/1995
GRADUATE
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
10/03/2017
22/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Moida lives with her mother and two elder brother in Jahangirpuri. Her brothers are the only source of income for the family after her father's demise. She came to know about Azad through mobilisation activity and decided to join the training in order to help her family as an additional earning member. Initially her brothers were reluctant and feared for her safety but a Sakha driver from their community convinced them to let her go. After training she feels confident and has overcome her fears especially with respect to being near fast moving vehicles. She liked the communication classes which have effectively helped her. She wants to become a professional driver and also aspires to become employed by the police department one day.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/97

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEELAM GUPTA
05/05/1982
10TH PASS
AZADPUR
MARRIED
4
16/02/2017
07/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Neelam Gupta lives with her husband, children and mother-in-law in her own house. Her husband works as a driver. She came to know about the Azad foundation from her friend's aunty who had done her Driving training from Azad as well. After getting the information, she discussed with her husband & mother-in-law. They supported her and encouraged her to get enrolled in the training. She has always been an expressive and vocal woman, but after joining Azad she has also learnt to express herself effectively. She likes gender and English-speaking classes the most as it helps her become more confident. She wants to become a professional driver and own a taxi in future. She has currently discontinued her training as she needs to take care of her children who are otherwise left alone.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/89

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RIPUL
20/04/1997
12TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
15/02/2017
12/04/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Ripul lives with her maternal aunt and uncle in Delhi. They take care of her as they would their own child. She thinks of them as her real parents and only meets her biological parents once or twice a year when she goes to her village. Her uncle is a tailor and earns for the family. She completed her 12th grade and is pursuing BA 1st year through Open learning. She always wanted to earn money for herself so she joined Azad foundation to train and ultimately get a source of income in the future. She wants to use the money she earns later to complete her studies and become a teacher. The training has given her the self-confidence and motivation to pursue anything she needs in her life. She is currently working elsewhere to meet her financial needs.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/87

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

VAISHALI
14/01/1997
10TH PASS
BHALSWA
UNMARRIED
0
15/02/2017
12/04/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Vaishali lives with her parents and younger siblings in a rented house. Her father works as a daily labourer in the Mandi and mother works in a hairband manufacturing company. Her siblings are all studying in school and she is studying in the 12th standard at the national institute of open schooling. She wants to contribute to the family income so she joined Azad to train and ultimately get a job. She got her driver's license in two months because she is a fast learner, punctual and obedient. She says that Azad has been a constant support system and motivation for her. Her ultimate goal is to become a teacher, however she wants to fund her own education first. She is currently working elsewhere to meet her financial needs.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/86

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SADMA PARVEEN
05/09/1998
8TH PASS
ADARSH NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
21/01/2016
05/05/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Sadma Parveen lives with her parents and siblings in a rented house. Her father is a fruit vendor and the only bread earner in the family. She came to know about Azad through a mobilization activity in the community. At first it was difficult for her to believe that such a programme as WoW existed and someone like her could learn to drive, but once she discussed it with the mobiliser she was eager to join. She was fully satisfied when she visited the office and saw other women at the training centre. She feels that the training at Azad Foundation helps her open her mind. She likes the self-defence classes and English communication because it helps her in acquiring the skills she needs to protect herself. She wants to continue her education once she gets a job. Azad Foundation helps her to believe in her dreams.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/85

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KIRTI SONKER
08/04/1993
GRADUATE
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
28/12/2016
22/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Kirti lives with her mother and sister at her paternal uncle's place. Her father left them when Kirti was only 1 year old. Her mother works in an organisation and elder sister works at McDonald's. She is a national basketball player and completed her graduation from Dehradun. She found out about Azad through their mobilisation activity and was inspired. Her mother supported her to enroll for the program. She was extremely motivated by the training to empower women in non-traditional livelihoods. She felt very brave and confident after the self-defence classes. She wants to get a job soon and her mother financially. Her next step is to prepare for Delhi Police to fulfil her mother's dream.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/79

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GANGA
27/10/1998
8TH PASS
MUKUNDPUR
UNMARRIED
0
20/11/2016
06/05/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Ganga is a fun loving 19 year old who enjoys her time at training. Her father's behaviour at home is unpleasant so she joined Azad initially to stay away from him. She couldn't concentrate on the training initially but soon she completed her training and evolved as a responsible and focussed driver. From the communication and work readiness modules she learnt how to effectively communicate with others without fighting with them. She says her top priority is to give her mother a comfortable life by becoming a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/75

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PINKI
01/01/1979
8TH PASS
SAMYPUR BADLI
MARRIED
6
23/11/2016
24/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Pinki lives with her children in Samypur Badli. She got married when she was only 15 years old. She has 3 daughters and 3 sons. Her husband works as a daily labourer in Punjab. Her eldest son also works as a daily labourer to help the family financially. She wanted to add to the family income as well, so she joined Azad to become a financially independent woman and help her husband. During her training at Azad, she took leave to visit her relatives in Bihar. Unfortunately, the family couldn't return back to Delhi due to personal circumstances and had to permanently stay back in Bihar.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/68

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ARCHANA KUMARI
05/03/1985
10TH PASS
SHARDANAND COLONY
MARRIED
3
23/10/2016
24/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Archana lives with her 14 year old daughter and 12 year old son in a rented house in Jahangirpuri after separating from her husband. Her husband was an alcoholic and would abuse her under the influence of alcohol. She had to leave him as she couldn't survive the torture and moved with her younger brother who also contributes towards the house rent. She sells dupattas, stoles and scarves at the Jahangirpuri market. Her eldest daughter lives with her sister. She wants to earn more money to provide better education to her children and thus she joined Azad Foundation. However, despite clearing her permanent license test easily, it was not easy for her to be regular at the training as she is only bread earner of her family and has to continue putting up her stall, due to which she finally discontinued the training

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/60

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SAVITA
23/07/1994
GRADUATE
JAHANGIRPURI
UNMARRIED
0
14/09/2016
11/04/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Savita lives with her parents, two younger brothers and an elder sister in her own house in Jahangirpuri. Her father works as a driver and is the only bread earner in the family. Savita got enrolled with Azad last year in 2016. However, she had to leave in between her training to attend to the construction of her house. She later re-joined and wanted to complete the training, and even obtained her permanent license but her family fixed an arranged marriage for her and again she had to leave. She hasn't been able to re-join as yet.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/40

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ASHA
29/01/1996
8TH PASS
JAHANGIRPURI
MARRIED
1
28/08/2017
21/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Asha lives with her mother and siblings in a slum in Jahangirpuri after her husband passed away two years ago. She was married at the age of 16 and she has a 5 year old daughter to take care of. She dreams to be financially independent to support her mother and enrol her daughter in a private school. In order to achieve that she joined Azad after her aunt's daughter completed the training and started working as a commercial driver through Sakha. She couldn't take the classes in 2016 when she joined due to work commitments. She soon wants to complete her training and become a professional driver. Her favourite part of the training was the gender and legal rights class which gave her so much knowledge about the legal rights and safety of women.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/34

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SMIKSHA SHARMA
01/01/1999
12TH PASS
BURARI
UNMARRIED
0
06/06/2017
12/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Smiksha lives with her parents and her siblings in her own house. Her father drives a tourist bus, her mother is a house wife and her sister works as a ground staff with Etihad airlines. This year Smiksha has enrolled herself in an undergraduate program from School of Open Learning, University of Delhi. She came to know about Azad through her father's friend, whose daughter was trained here. After joining Azad Foundation, she feels more confident and mobile in life. Her favourite module was the First Aid module which she put to use when her mother was injured. She wants to become a professional driver and earn money to continue her education.

Enrolment No. DL/ND/2016-17/106

Due to lack of consent, names and stories of trainees have been with-held.



SOUTH*DELHI*

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RUHI PARVEEN
10/02/1998
12TH PASS
TUGHLAQABAD
EXTENSION
UNMARRIED
0
21/12/2016
27/04/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Ruhi stays with her parents and 3 siblings in their own house. Her father is a tailor and mother is a homemaker. Academically, she is pursuing her graduation. However, one day her friend showed her Azad Foundation's pamphlet and she took an instant interest in joining the course. Her father was not supportive of her decision, but determined to pursue her interest, she joined the training. Ruhi wants to get a job as a DTC Bus Driver. Due to her father's deteriorating health, she had to leave the training after attaining her Permanent License. She is now employable as a driver if she wishes.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/71

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUMAN DEVI
01/01/1974
8TH PASS
FARIDABAD
MARRIED
3
21/12/2016
07/07/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Suman was married when she was 18. She lives with her husband, children and younger brother in Faridabad. Her husband works in an export company. Initially, she had a lot of differences with her husband during which her parents gave her a lot of support. It was her daughter who told her about Azad. She was hesitant at first but gathered the courage to join training. After coming to Azad, she feels that she has become more independent. She believes that had it not been for the training she received, she would have been dependent on her children only. Now she feels confident and also has the support of her family. She had acquired her permanent license and was training when she had to leave to help in the renovation of her house.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/73

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

LATA RATHORE
25/06/1982
10TH PASS
JAITPUR
MARRIED
3
21/12/2016
27/04/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Lata got married at the age of 17 and moved to Delhi from Chattisgarh. She lives with her husband and 3 children. She studied till 10th grade and used to do stitching until it started affecting her eyesight. She came to know about Azad through mobilisation activities of the team in her area and was keen on joining the program. She is extremely happy with the training now and it helps her forget her worries. She is now more confident to travel alone. She has started raising her voice against any kind of violence in and outside of home. Her biggest achievement was to be able to overcome her own fear of driving. She has successfully attained her PL and is waiting to be employed as a professional chauffeur.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/74

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SONA
01/06/1990
LESS THAN 8TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
WIDOWED
2
21/12/2016
12/04/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Sona along with her two children were staying with her parents after the untimely demise of her husband in a road accident. One day through mobilization activity in her community she came to know about Azad Foundation and the WoW program. She joined the training program in the hope of being financially independent and to give her children a better future. Her family members were supportive of her decision. Sona successfully attained her Permanent License. However, unfortunately her brother fell seriously ill due to which she had to leave the training to look after him.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/77

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

POONAM KUMARI
28/01/1986
12TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
16/01/2017
13/04/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Poonam shifted from Bihar to Delhi and lives with her parents and 4 siblings. Her father is a cook and younger brothers are drivers. She came to know about Azad through a woman leader from the Azad Feminist Leadership Programme. She says that she has always been interested in driving and so she joined the program. She knew how to drive a two-wheeler when she joined. Initially her family wasn't supportive of her pursuing driving as a profession. However, as she progressed with the training, they started accepting her decision. She feels that the training is her road to independence. She is now confident to raise her voice against violence and is also able to help people in emergencies by providing immediate first-aid, owing to the training she received. She wants to make driving her stable profession and is waiting to be employed through our partner, Sakha.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/82

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KAMLA DAS
01/01/1978
LESS 8TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
MARRIED
1
16/01/2017
18/05/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Kamla lives with her husband in Delhi. She manages the finances of her family as her husband is unable to earn due to his medical condition. She got to know about Azad through mobilisation activities. She was supported by her daughter but other family members were reluctant. However, she followed her heart and joined the program. She learnt about her own rights at Azad and also managed her job, family and training at the same time. She is now waiting to be employed so that one day she can get a house of her own in her original city, Kolkata.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/83

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUSHILA
05/03/1988
12TH PASS
LAJPAT NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
10/02/2017
12/04/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Sushila lives with her parents and 2 brothers in Delhi. Her father had a government job at the Jal Board. However, he met with an accident at work and was paralysed. He however continues to receive salary from his job. She came to know about Azad through another trainee. She ignored comments that her neighbours passed about a woman going for a driving course. Her family supported her decision and she joined training. She gained new friends and knowledge about concepts such as gender and women's rights at the training. She successfully attained her PL but she had to leave training to take care of her brother who got seriously injured in an accident.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/86

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AARTI
07/01/1999
10TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
10/02/2017
27/06/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Aarti lives with her father, a salesman her mother, a homemaker and 4 sisters. She came to know about the Azad training through one of the FLP leaders. Having seen some women from her community who had completed the Azad training and had become drivers she too got inspired to join the program. Aarti shared that through the non-technical modules such as gender, self-defense and others, she has gained confidence to become independent and to raise her voice against any wrongdoing. Currently, she is waiting to be employed. She says: "I wish to create my own identity and become financially independent."

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/89

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAMTA CHAUHAN
10/07/1994
12TH PASS
GAUTAMPURI
UNMARRIED
0
10/02/2017
04/09/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Mamta lives with her parents and four siblings in Delhi. She is pursuing her graduation. She came to know about Azad through her sister who is herself a trainee in the WoW program. She liked the driving training program and decided to join it. Her family also supported her decision. She attained her PL and aspired to become financially independent and finance her own studies. However, due to her personal health condition she had to leave the training before she could be offered employment.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/90

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

DIPTI
10/06/1993
12TH PASS
SANGAM VIHAR
UNMARRIED
0
03/03/2017
18/05/2017
EMPLOYED



Dipti lives with her parents and 3 sisters, in a rented house in Delhi. Her elder brother is married and stays separately. Her father works as a water supplier. One day her sister got to know about Azad through a trainee and she informed Dipti about the program. With the support of her family, Dipti joined Azad. After attending non-technical modules like gender and self-defense, she feels she has gained knowledge and confidence to protest against any inappropriate behavior that she witnesses. An independent person, Dipti likes to take leadership and wants to financially support her family. Currently, she is able to fulfill her dream by working as a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/91

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MANISHA
05/05/1994
LESS THAN 8TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
SEPARATED
2
03/03/2017
25/05/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Manisha lives in her mother's home with her sons. Due to the untimely demise of her father, she had to discontinue her education and got married at a young age of 15 years. Her husband was an alcoholic and would often leave his job. Tired with daily struggles, she decided to leave her husband's house with her two sons. One day through a career camp organized by another NGO, she came to know about Azad. With a dream of being financially independent and to give a bright future to her children, she decided to join Azad. She shared that she feels happy after joining Azad and that it has given her the opportunity to make new friends. She liked the gender class as she learnt about her rights. After completing her training, she is currently waiting to be employed.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/93

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHABNAM
21/10/1980
12TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
SEPARATED
1
03/03/2017
05/05/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Shabnam lives with her parents and 4 brothers in their own house. She got married at the age of 19 years. A survivor of violence, she separated from her husband and moved out with her son who is now 10 years old. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity in her community. With the hope of being financially independent and in order to give good education to her son, she decided to join the training. She shared that the training helped her in gaining new knowledge, especially about her own rights. She attained her PL and wanted to become a professional driver. She wants her son to become a doctor. However, during the course of the training her mother fell ill and she had to leave the training in order to provide care.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/95

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHAKUNTALA
25 /08/1997
10TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
03/03/2017
28/06/2017
EMPLOYED



Shakuntala lives with her mother and 2 brothers in their own house. Her mother works as daily wage earner and her elder brother works as driver to manage the household expenses. She had to leave her education after her father's death. She got to know about Azad's training through her neighbor who also was a trainee with Azad and decided to join the training to financially support her mother. Shakuntala shared that she is proud that she is taking driving training. She has learnt how to effectively and confidently communicate with people. Currently, she is fulfilling her dream of working as a professional driver and in the future, she also wants to resume her studies.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/98

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NIDHI
03 /07/1996
GRADUATE
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
03/03/2017
18/05/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Nidhi stays with her parents and her four siblings in Delhi. Her father sells candles at the weekly market. After completing her graduation, she came to know about Azad through a career camp organized by another NGO. Supported by her parents, Nidhi wanted to join the training to contribute to the finances of the family. After joining Azad's training, Nidhi feels confident to take decisions for herself. She shared that she has gained awareness about her rights, which earlier she did not have. She aspires to work as a professional chauffeur and drive her family to different places. Currently, she is waiting to be employed.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/99

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

DEEPSHIKHA
31/05/1998
8TH PASS
PALAM COLONY
UNMARRIED
0
27/03/2017
07/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Deepshika lives with her mother and two sisters in Paalam. Her mother works as a supervisor at Udyog Bhawan and she witnessed a Sakha driver one day and motivated Deepshikha to also join Azad's training. She was extremely happy after joining Azad as she created a social network of her own and made new friends. She enjoyed the non-technical modules the most like english, self defence and gender which gave her communication, legal and gender related knowledge. She is currently training and soon wants to become financially independent and help her mother by getting a job as a professional driver. She also wants to pursue further studies.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2016-17/106

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

HEMLATA
01/01/1985
10TH PASS
OM ENCLAVE
SEPARATED
0
03/05/2017
05/09/2017
EMPLOYED



Hemlata lives with her father and two children of her sister. She moved out of her husband's house because he did not support her decision of taking care of her sister's children. She came to know about Azad through her friend who is a trainee in Azad. She wanted to join the program to give the children a better education and she had her father's support in doing so. Hemlata liked the gender and legal rights module. Earlier, she used to normalize her experiences but after attending the gender class she realized what is right and wrong. She actively participated in the activities of the One Billion Rising campaign as well. Currently, she is living her dream of working as a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/1

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

BABITA
07/12/1984
LESS THAN 8TH PASS
LAL KUAN
MARRIED
2
07/05/2017
04/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Babita along with her husband and two children live in Delhi. Her husband works as tailor and is the sole earner for the family. She came to know about training through Azad's mobilization activity in her area. With an aim of contributing to the family income, she decided to join the program. Her husband supported her decision and she embarked on her journey with Azad. She shared that after joining Azad, she learnt how to effectively and professionally communicate with people. Currently, she is waiting to be employed. She wants to become financially independent and give good education to her children.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/2

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KRISHNA
04/01/1986
GRADUATE
JAITPUR
UNMARRIED
0
28/04/2017
29/08/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Krishna stays at her aunt's house in Delhi with her siblings. Her parents stay in Haryana. After her father's illness, her brother migrated to Delhi in search of job and a steady income. However, as he was the sole earner for the family, the income was not enough for sustenance and hence, Krishna also decided to migrate to Delhi. After coming to Delhi, she learnt the skills of a beautician and worked in a beauty parlor for three years. One day, through mobilization activity near her community, she came to know about Azad. As she was interested to learn driving, her family supported her decision and she joined the course. After joining Azad, she says that she has become more confident in putting forth her views in front of people. Currently, she is waiting to be employed as a professional driver and financially help her family.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/3

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MADHU JHA
17/01/1987
8TH PASS
OKHLA
SEPARATED
3
28/04/2017
06/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Madhu lives with her parents, younger brother and three children in Delhi. She got married at the age of 15 and only studied till 8th grade. She conceived her first child at the age of 16 and suffered violence and abuse from her husband, after which she left him and went to her parent's house and filed for divorce. She told her uncle one day about wanting to become a driver and he told her about Azad foundation. She then contacted the mobilisation team and enrolled herself for the program. She has completed her training and is waiting to be employed. She wants to be financially independent to take the responsibility of her children and her family and not burden her parents.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/4

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NOORJAHAN
26/01/1988
12TH PASS
KHANPUR
MARRIED
2
04/05/2017
CAME WITH PL
UNDER TRAINING



Noorjahan lives with her husband and two sons in a rented house in Delhi. Her husband works as a marble finishing contractor. While she was doing a computer science course, she got to know about Azad. She visited the training centre and enrolled herself. She had to leave the course as she became pregnant. She again joined but had to leave again due to personal health issues. She soon got better and came back for training. She has earlier worked in various places as a nurse, placement coordinator etc. but she is keen to become a professional driver. Her husband isn't supportive but she really wants to encourage minority girls to come forward and train as well. She feels relaxed with her fellow trainees and is currently practicing to become a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/5

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AARTI
04/05/1998
8TH PASS
QUTAB VIHAR
UNMARRIED
0
11/05/2017
05/09/2017
EMPLOYED



Aarti originally belongs to Jhansi where she used to stay with her relatives who discontinued her education and wanted her to get married against her wishes. She called her uncle in Delhi for help and he asked her to move to the city with his family. He came to know about Azad through his niece and persuaded Aarti to join the training for a better future and she agreed. After staying with her uncle and his family for few weeks she shifted to YWCA Hostel, as she did not want to be a burden on them. Throughout her training, her uncle supported her travelling expenses. She finished her training and is currently working as a professional driver which has helped her become financially independent.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/7

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ANJU
11/11/1998
10TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
05/06/2017
04/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Anju came to know about Azad through her aunt who also took the training at Azad and worked as driver. Her family, where her father is the only bread earner, supported her decision of becoming a professional driver. She wanted to join in order to supplement the family income. Initially she was nervous to step out of the home alone. After attending non-technical modules such as gender and self-defense, she has become more confident in putting forth her thoughts in front of her family. She has acquired her PL and has finished her training. She is waiting to get employed through our employment partner, Sakha.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/15

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AARTI
29/11/1996
10TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
30/06/2017
31/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Aarti lives with her parents and her four siblings in their own house. She felt inspired by her sister, who is a trainer at Azad, and wanted to do something for her family. Therefore, she joined training. Aarti shared that before training. She used to stay at home and was not confident to commute independently, despite her sister's efforts, but now she has gained the confidence to come to the training center alone. She has made a social network of her own in Azad. She says that after attending the communication module she has learnt to effectively communicate. With complete support of her family, she has completed her training and is waiting to get employed.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/17

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SAVITRI
05/05/1994
12TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
30/06/2017
04/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Savitri lives with her parents and two brothers in their own house. Her father was as a carpenter but his hand got injured and could not continue his work further. This was a difficult time for the entire family as it became a challenge to earn sustenance. Savitri came to know about Azad through her neighbor. She had a keen interest in driving and also wanted to work as a driver so she joined the training. Her mother was very supportive of her decision but her elder brother was not so happy. Nonetheless, her determination to complete the training was strong and she was able to finish it despite her brother's resistance. She feels that attending the various trainings has made her confident in communicating with people and she is now able to stand up for what she believes in. She wants to become a driver and financially support her family.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/18

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GUDDO
24/02/1998
10TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
27/07/2017
31/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Guddo lives with her parents and three siblings in Delhi. Her father who is a driver, is the sole earner for the family. She came to know about Azad through one of Azad's mobilizers. With the support of her family, she enrolled herself in the training program as she also wanted to become a professional driver. She was inspired by her cousin who took training in Azad and is now working as a driver. Guddo shared that she has become confident after attending various non-technical modules. She has completed her training and is waiting to get employed so that she can become financially independent and help her family as well.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/24

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RANI
14/02/1984
8TH PASS
MANDI HOUSE
WIDOWED
2
27/07/2017
25/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Rani lives with her children. After her husband passed away, she was looking for a way to earn a living. One day she saw one of the Sakha drivers, driving a Sakha cab near her house. Through the driver she came to know about Azad Foundation. As she was interested in the program she visited the office with her neighbor to enroll herself. After joining Azad, Rani became more confident in communicating with people, putting forth her views in front of people and most importantly, she says that she has started to live freely. She was able to acquire her permanent license in her first attempt. Rani's dream is to professionally work as a driver after completing her training to give her children a better future.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/25

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

POORNIMA
12/01/1998
12TH PASS
MADANGIRI
UNMARRIED
0
27/07/2017
09/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Poornima loves to sing and dance. She is currently pursuing her graduation. She came to know of Azad through her friends who were training with the organization. She also became interested and thought this would be a good way to earn a livelihood and help her family, where her father is the only earner. Poornima shared that after attending various non-technical modules such as gender, self-defense, she has become more confident and has also made new friends in Azad. She feels that through her driving she will be able to pursue her dreams. She has completed her training and is waiting to be employed.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/26

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SONAM
10/08/1994
10TH PASS
GAUTAM PURI
UNMARRIED
0
27/07/2017
06/11/2017
EMPLOYABLE



One of the female trainers at Azad lives in Sonam's locality, which is how Sonam got to know about Women on Wheels programme. Since her family knew the trainer, they supported her in joining the programme. She says that before she joined training, she was not able to talk much even within the family, but now she can put her views in their midst with confidence. She was a little nervous when she started learning to drive, but clearing the test for the Permanent License in her first attempt gave her immense courage. She felt more in control of her life and wanted to be financially independent. She left training because she got another job opportunity which suited her more at that time.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/27

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYA
30/05/1991
12TH PASS
MADANGIRI
UNMARRIED
0
27/07/2017
09/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Priya lives with her parents and elder brother in their own house. Her cousin was a trainee with Azad and is currently working as a driver, which inspired her to join the program as well. She was interested in driving and with her family's support she joined Azad. Priya shared that after joining Azad she got exposure to new things and knowledge. Earlier she used to stay at home but after joining the course she has gained the confidence to visit different places. Additionally, non-technical modules such as Communication have been helpful for her in giving her courage to speak to different people. Her determination to become independent helped her finish her training and now she is waiting to be employed.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/28

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SAHIBA
18/10/1994
12TH PASS
SARITA VIHAR
UNMARRIED
0
31/07/2017
27/10/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Sahiba stays with her parents and siblings in their own house. Her father works as a driver. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity in her area. She wanted to become financially independent, for which she joined the training program. After coming to Azad, she shared that she gained knowledge about women's rights and was also informed about first-aid and other non-technical trainings which are conducted at Azad. She says that she enjoyed these very much as they were informative and taught her something new. While at Azad, she made many friends with whom she has become very close. However, after she attained her permanent License, her parents wanted her to get married. She was soon engaged, but her fiancé did not want her to continue with the training, due to which she left the program.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/29

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SAPNA
16/07/1997
12TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
31/07/2017
31/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Sapna stays with her parents in their house in Delhi. Her father works as a driver and is the sole earner for the family. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity. She was interested in becoming a professional driver and therefore joined the program. However, her family wanted her to take up another job so that she could start earning. Despite the resistance, she continued the training and successfully completed it as well. Presently she is waiting to be employed. Sapna shared that earlier she was scared of going out of her house alone but now she has gained the confidence to independently travel. After coming to Azad, she believes her communication skills have improved because of participating in various non-technical modules. Sapna wants to become independent and help her family financially.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/30

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PINKI
27/06/1992
10TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
16/08/2017
20/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Pinki has completed her education up to 10th standard, but has the desire to study further. She has had to face financial difficulties due to her father being the only earner in the family. When she found out about Azad and wanted to join, her parents supported her and helped her enroll in the course. She shared that, after coming to Azad she has learnt new things and has gained the confidence to raise her voice against any atrocities. She has learnt to communicate effectively and confidently. She is determined to complete the training and take up a job as a professional driver and live her dream of being financially independent. She wants to help her family financially and also wants to build her own house.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/32

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA
06/07/1999
10TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
16/08/2017
03/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Rekha, originally from U.P., stays with her family in a rented house in Delhi. Rekha's father works as a house-keeper in a hotel and her mother is a beautician. She came to know about Azad through a camp in her community. She wanted to become financially independent and thus joined Azad. She shared that after joining Azad, she has gained new knowledge and that she especially liked the first-aid class. Rekha is determined to finish her training and get a job as a professional chauffeur. She wants to own her own house and financially help her family.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/38

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

DEEPIKA
17/12/1996
12TH PASS
BADARPUR
UNMARRIED
0
06/09/2017
05/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Deepika lives with her parents and siblings in a rented house in Delhi. Her cousin met Azad's mobilization team and then shared the information with Deepika. As she was keen to learn driving, she contacted the mobilization team and enrolled herself in the program. She felt very happy when she joined Azad. She has attended all her non-technical modules and liked self-defense module the most. She also shared that after attending the Gender and Legal Rights class she has gained important legal knowledge. She wants to finish her training and work to become financially independent.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/42

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PINKI
28/03/1997
12TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
26/09/2017
16/12/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Pinki stays with her parents and two younger brothers. Her father is a vegetable seller and is the sole earner in the family. Pinki came to know about Azad through her cousin who after completing her training from Azad, is working as a driver. She was inspired by her cousin and joined the training program. Her family is supportive in her decision to become a driver. After joining Azad, she has become confident in communicating with other people and to raise her voice against any atrocities. Pinki dreams of building her own house and she also wants to buy a car. She has completed her training and is waiting to get employed.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/45

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEELAM
14/07/1989
10TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
MARRIED
1
26/09/2017
20/11/2017
EMPLOYED



Neelam lives with her husband and a daughter in a rented house in Delhi. Her husband works in a garment shop. Once Neelam saw a Sakha Cab and was intrigued by the woman driver. After sometime, through a mobilization activity she got to know about Azad and the WoW program. She had keen interest in driving and enrolled herself for the training. Neelam shared that she feels free when she comes to Azad and she has learnt to take her own decisions and put forth her views in front of others. She has completed the training and is employed as a professional driver. She dreams of making a better future for her daughter.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/46

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SAVITA
06/07/1999
12TH PASS
MADANPUR KHADAR
UNMARRIED
0
29/09/2017
15/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Savita lives with her parents and siblings in Delhi. She got to know about Azad through a pamphlet and as she had interest in learning driving, she joined the training program. She shared that she felt very happy when she joined Azad and befriended the other trainees. She liked the non-technical modules especially self-defense and first aid. She says that now if an emergency situation arises she is confident of helping herself as well as others. She is determined to finish her training and get a job. She also wants to pursue further studies.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/48

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHIVANI
01/01/1986
LESS THAN 8TH PASS
NEHRU NAGAR
SEPARATED
2
24/10/2017
CAME WITH PL
UNDER TRAINING



Shivani lives with her mother and two sons in Nehru Nagar in her mother's house. She used to live with her husband, but had to face domestic violence and therefore separated from him. She came to know about Azad through mobilization activity in 2013, but at that time she did not have enough money to make ends meet and did not join. In 2017, she decided to join the training. Initially her mother did not support her decision but now she supports her. She feels that after joining Azad she can build an identity for herself and fulfill her dreams. Shivani shared that she has gained confidence after attending non-technical modules like Gender, Communication. She wants a better future for her children and wants to buy her own house by working as a professional driver.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/54

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEHA
15/09/1999
8TH PASS
GAUTAMPURI
UNMARRIED
0
31/10/2017
20/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Neha stays with her parents in Delhi. She got to know about Azad through mobilization activity in her community. As she wanted to become independent she joined the training program. She has attended and enjoyed the non- technical modules. Neha shared that earlier she was hesitant in going out of her house but after joining Azad she has gained confidence to travel on her own. She wants to complete the training and start earning as a professional chauffeur.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/60

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AANCHAL
13/01/1990
GRADUATE
DURGAVIHAR
SEPARATED
0
23/11/2017
06/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Aanchal is originally from U.P. but currently she is staying alone in Delhi. Her family, including her parents and brother, continue to stay in her village. She came to Delhi in 2009 in search of employment. She worked for 7 years in a marketing job. Later she came to know about Azad through her neighbor. She already had her learning license and was keen to learn driving, and to work as a driver. She then left her job and joined Azad as she wanted to follow her passion. Aanchal shared that Azad has given her a social network of her own as she made new friends here. She says after attending the non-technical modules she has gained knowledge about women's rights and she also likes the self-defense class. Her dream is to own a house.

Enrolment No. DL/SD/2017-18/70



JAIPUR

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEETU MAHAWAR
18/07/1994
LESS THAN 8TH
AGRA ROAD
UNMARRIED
0
14/12/2016
13/4/2017
EMPLOYED



Neetu resides with seven family members in Agra. Her brother is the only person who earns for the entire household, therefore, the financial conditions are restrained. Her father is a heart patient and his treatment also requires a lot of money. There is recurrent domestic violence at her household and there are restrictions on women. She wants to build her own identity so she joined Azad Foundation after she witnessed a canopy in her area. She faced some difficulty, she even failed in her first Permanent License test but constant training, hard work and motivation from her trainers made her pass in the second attempt. Training taught her to drive a car, gave her confidence to travel alone in the city.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2016-17/38

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEELAM BAIRWA
10/07/1997
8TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
15/02/2017
11/04/2017
EMPLOYED



Neelam, a resident of Jawahar Nagar, got to know about Azad Foundation through a Sakha driver. Motivated by her she got herself enrolled in the training. Her father was not supportive of her even after being a driver himself. Hence she decided not to tell her father and continued her training sincerely and got her Permanent License test cleared in first attempt. When her father got to know, he tried stopping her but Neelam convinced him. She was happy about the fact that she drives a car by herself on the city streets. She was able to get out of the fear of travelling alone and got a lot of confidence. She wants to be a professional driver soon and wants to continue her education.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2016-17/46

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUNITA
01/01/1990
LESS THAN 8TH
KACCHI BASTI
MARRIED
3
08/03/2017
05/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Sunita got married at a very young age and faced a lot of violence since her husband was a drunkard. She then found out about Azad Foundation through her neighbours and then she decided to inquire further. After meeting the mobilization team, she got herself enrolled for the training. When she first drove the car, it was a very happy moment for her and she shared her happiness at home. Sunita was very scared before her Permanent License test, but overcame her fear and managed to make an eight in reverse and cleared the test. Her dream is to become a successful driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2016-17/48

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHABANA BANO
25/12/1991
8TH PASS
SHASTRI NAGAR
MARRIED
2
08/03/2017
16/05/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Shabana stays in Naka Shastri Nagar with her in-laws. She has two daughters because of which she was asked to leave the house, hence she stayed with her husband in a rented house. Since childhood she aspired to be independent, work and make her own identity. Her husband supported her when she shared information about Azad Foundation and then she sincerely took all her training. She enjoyed both technical and non-technical trainings and it helped her to leave her fear behind and drive on busy streets with confidence. She believed in herself to be a successful driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2016-17/49

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SANTOSH MEENA
22/04/1992
GRADUATE
SANGANER
UNMARRIED
0
09/03/2017
05/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE

Photo Not Available

Santosh lives in a community near to the airport. Her family consists of five siblings along with her parents. Father is a confectioner and they have been managing the household expenses somehow. She strongly feels the need to do something for her parents because of which she was looking for a job. While hunting for job she came across Azad foundation and its training. She found it interesting and decided to learn it sincerely and make her own identity. Technical training got her permanent license whereas non-technical helped her build her knowledge especially gender class and self-defence class. It's her dream to get on to job and be independent.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2016-17/50

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KOMAL NARUKA
03/03/1998
12TH PASS
HANUMAN NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
15/03/2017
07/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Komal came to know about Azad through a friend of hers, with whom she went to the centre to inquire further. There she saw many women learning driving and got inspired to do it. Her difficulty was long distance from her place to the training centre, but she was very keen to take it up, hence she started. Learning driving in Maruti school, was an unforgettable moment for her. When she got her Permanent License she felt proud as she was the first girl in the family to drive a car. Now she fearlessly drives on the streets of the city.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2016-17/51

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYA MEENA
01/07/1992
10TH PASS
JAGATPURA
UNMARRIED
0
08/04/2017
22/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Priya was a survivor of violence and was also abandoned by her family, following which she moved to her friend's place. The friend was abusive and Priya managed to escape to a Mahila Ashram where she completed her 10th standard. She got to know about Azad from there and enrolled herself. Post enrollment she moved to her relatives and stayed with them for a while. The training made her confident. Post her driving training she got her Permanent License made and she also made a lot of friends who motivated her. Due to constant quarrels with her relatives, she moved back to the Ashram. Meanwhile she also met a person whom she got married to but left the training on his demand.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/1

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GURDAYAL KAUR
09/07/1980
GRADUATE
JAWAHAR NAGAR
WIDOWED
0
08/04/2017
22/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Gurdayal lives in Jawahar Nagar with her father. Her husband became abusive after getting into substance abuse therefore she left him. She got to know about Azad Foundation through a friend as well as canopy held in her community. Her father was reluctant to let her drive as he was a driver himself and did not like the profession much but agreed because he wanted her to be independent. After joining Azad she gained confidence to travel alone and got her very first document, her driver's license. She has gained a lot of encouraging friends and knowledge about realities of society. She has received her Permanent License and she wishes to soon be able to get a job.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/2

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

YOGITA BAIRWA
08/08/1984
BA
HASANPURA
SEPARATED
1
08/04/2017
22/06/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Yogita Bairwa separated from her husband and stayed with her father and children. She is a teacher in a private school which runs through an NGO. That is how she got to know of Azad Foundation. When she went to Azad's office and understood about training she decided to join right away. She couldn't leave her job also since entire expenses were being managed by her income. Initially she was very scared when she joined the training but then found her courage to go to government offices, drive the car and speak her mind. Now when her Permanent License has been made she can travel anywhere and is very happy about it. To get a job is a necessity for her and to be a professional driver her dream.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/3

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYANKA LODHA
08/04/1997
8TH PASS
JHALANA DUNGRI
UNMARRIED
0
13/05/2017
02/08/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Priyanka had always aspired to become a pilot but had to discontinue her studies due to poor financial conditions. She lives with her family and was always dejected about why her father never took any responsibility. She has always wanted to do something for her family and while looking some opportunities she saw trainees of Azad Foundation in her area. She found about it in detail and was happy to get herself enrolled for the training. She started speaking up for herself at home which is very unusual. She shared that driving made her nervous, but now technical training has given her confidence and she enjoys it. Her Permanent License is made and she drives across the city and dreams of building her own house one day.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/04

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

GANGA MANDAL
05/10/1986
10TH PASS
JASINGHPURA KHOR
DIVORCED
2
17/05/2017
01/08/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Ganga used to live in Kolkata with her husband. She had two daughters and her in laws forced her to give one of her children to their daughter as she had none. When Ganga refused, they abused her. She moved to Jaipur with husband, however things didn't get better and she left home and stayed at a shelter home for a year. She got to know about Azad there and joined the training. There she learned a lot through training, made many friends and developed a new lifestyle for herself. She has currently got her Permanent License and can drive a car independently. She dreams to be a driving trainer.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/5

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SANTOSH DEVI
11/12/1990
LESS THAN 8TH
JAWAHAR NAGAR
WIDOWED
2
13/05/2017
06/09/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Santosh stays in Jawahar Nagar and got to know of Azad Foundation through a Sakha Driver. She got herself enrolled and her Permanent License was made in three months of the training. Due to financial crisis, her husband committed suicide after which she discontinued training. She managed her two kids and her house somehow by cooking in different houses. That time she felt that there is nothing more to life, but then she didn't give up and continued her training. She shared that Azad gave her confidence and that she learned a lot. Through these she could learn to speak up against violence and her mobility increased. She is eager to get on to job and become completely independent.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/6

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

JYOTIKA TEPAN
01/07/1995
12TH PASS
JAGDAMBA COLONY
UNMARRIED
0
17/05/2017
01/08/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Jyotika stays in Jagdamba Colony, which is 50 km away from Jaipur and her father and mother both work as labourers. She got to know of Azad Foundation from her cousin from where many women were associated with Azad Foundation. While taking training she faced difficulties staying at relatives' due to which she was about to leave. Clearing her Permanent License test gave her the encouragement to complete her training soon, get a job and rent a place for herself. Training helped her learn routes of the city and gain confidence to drive. She also got many friends and now she wants to be a professional driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/7

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RAJKUMARI JANGID
01/01/1982
10TH PASS
SAIPURA
MARRIED
3
12/05/2017
03/08/2017
EMPLOYED



Rajkumari lives with a family of seven in Sahipura village. She got to know about Azad Foundation from her husband, who got to know from a canopy of Azad Foundation. He was very supportive and enrolled her for the training. She didn't want to tell anybody about the training as driving is understood to be less respected job. Even after restrictions from in-laws she continued training because of her husband's encouragement. She was very shy to learn driving but after joining Azad she found courage and left all hesitation behind. Non-technical training helped her understand gender discrimination at home and the various laws related to it. She has passed her Sakha test and is waiting for her job.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/8

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUNITA HARIJAN
16/04/1995
12TH PASS
INDRA COLONY
UNMARRIED
0
29/05/2017
14/08/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Sunita lives with her five family members in Dudh Block, 45 kms away from Ajmer. Her parents do cleaning work in nearby areas. She got to know about Azad Foundation at her relative's place and she convinced her family to allow her to join. She was the first girl from her community to join training. She learnt english, self-defence, communications, map reading in her training and was glad to gain knowledge about them. She got her permanent license made and is happy driving a car alone in the city. Azad changed her life as she found many friends and now wants to be an empowered lady driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/9

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAMTA BAIRWA
07/06/1994
GRADUATE
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
27/05/2017
16/08/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Mamta lives with her family in Jawahar Nagar. Her father works as a labourer and mother sells vegetables. Many girls from her area joined Azad's training and therefore she and her sister enrolled through a canopy at her basti. Her brother was against the training as he thought that society won't accept them. However, after consulting an Azad's mobilization team everybody agreed. She was initially very scared but managed to clear her Permanent License test and was very excited about it. She learnt a lot in training like self-defence, routes of city, gender discrimination etc. She wants to soon get a job and become a driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/10

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KIRAN NAKWAL
13/09/1991
LESS THAN 8TH
MALVIYA NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
04/09/2017
CAME WITH PL
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Kiran's parents and brothers work as sweepers, however, she didn't want to take up the same job as for her it seems like a disrespectful job that nobody pays gratitude to. She wasn't able to finish her schooling due to her ill health. While looking for options to earn respectfully, she came across a team member from Azad and decided to join the training. Initially she was very hesitant of her own capabilities but everybody made her relax during training. She felt mixed feelings of thrill and fear while holding the car steering for the first time. She is waiting for the day she can earn her own money and take her mother on a ride

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/85

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYA BADGUJAR
22/11/1996
12TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
29/05/2017
14/08/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Priya lives with a family of five sustained by her father who works as a labourer and her mother a vendor. She came to know about Azad Foundation through her friends in the locality. Due to financial issues she wanted to work and therefore joined the program. Initially she disliked the course but then started to enjoy when the training for driving started. She again lost interest due to a severe pain she got in her neck due to reverse training. However, she rejoiced at her skills when she cleared the permanent license test at once. She particularly fancied english and self defence and realised the monopoly men over everything through her training. Despite that she wants to create an identity of her own.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/11

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KAVITA JALUTHRIYA
02/09/1998
12TH PASS
JHALANA DONGRI
UNMARRIED
0
27/05/2017
01/08/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Kavita comes from a family of seven in Jhalana Basti. Her father is an agent in Bhartiya Jeevan Bima Nigam Ltd. She got to know about Azad through a canopy in her community. Her father didn't respond to her request for joining, however he soon agreed after discussions with Azad team and visit to the office. Training at Azad helped her be aware of her rights and the go to numbers for emergencies. She got the confidence of becoming a professional driver after getting her Permanent License. She shared that she couldn't believe the same person to drive a car who was afraid of crossing a road. She can see her dream being fulfilled.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/12

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ANURADHA GURJAR
02/08/1995
GRADUATE
JHALANA DUNGRI
MARRIED
0
29/05/2017
01/08/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Anuradha stays in dudh block with her parents. Her father is a bus conductor in the Rajasthan roadways and mother is a housewife. She came to know about Azad from a friend Jyotika, who also joined with her. Even after the difficulties in travelling she managed to take training daily. Training at Azad helped her gain self-confidence, helped her learn a lot about the city and make lots of friends. One thing she found best was work-readiness module. For her the Permanent License test at RTO was different from usual, yet she did her task sincerely and succeeded. She desires to become a driver and drive the bus.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/13

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

**SUMITRA
KUMARI BAIRWA
06/01/1994
GRADUATE
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
27/05/2017
16/08/2017
EMPLOYABLE**



Sumitra stays with her family in Jawahar Nagar terminal 6. Her father is a daily wage worker and mother a vegetable vendor. A lot of women of her colony have been associated with Azad and a few have a job. After a canopy in their area, she and her sister decided to enrol. However, their brother opposed to this idea. They consulted the mobilization team at Azad, who convinced everyone in their family to let them join. Despite the disappointment after failing her first Permanent License test at RTO, she worked hard, got motivated by her trainers and passed her test in second attempt. She has learnt many things like self defence, road maps, gender discrimination through training at Azad. She wished to be a driver soon and earn.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/14

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

**KRISNA DEVI DHANKA
08/11/1985
8TH PASS
JHALANA DUNGRI
MARRIED
2
27/05/2017
01/08/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA**



Krisna stays in Jhalana basti with her husband who works with a contractor in nagar nigam limited. She came to know about Azad from one of the places where she cooked. She talked to her husband about it and he agreed to it. She liked the training a lot and feels proud to have reached a stage which she never expected. She even made friends at Azad and they help each other when needed. She feels happy about the fact that Azad gave her skills to be a professional driver and she strongly believes that soon she will become a driver. She said that her husband supported her a lot but he also had to face the brunt of the society. Hence she wants to become a successful driver and be an example in her society.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/15

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEETU KHODA
11/03/1997
8TH PASS
MALVIYA NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
08/06/2017
20/09/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Neetu stays with a family of six in Malviya Nagar. She had witnessed a lot of girls from her basti going to Azad Foundation which motivated her to join. Her mother was repulsive to the idea of driving because of her husband who drinks and drives a truck until mobilisation team came to convince her. After coming to Azad she is proud to have found confidence to travel alone. She has received her Permanent License and loves driving around the city. She had to leave her dream of dancing but now she is sure her dream to become a driver will soon be fulfilled.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/16

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

JYOTI KHODA
09/09/1995
10TH PASS
MALVIYA NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
08/06/2017
14/09/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Jyoti is Neetu's sister. Together they started training. They were initially dependent on each other to come for training and if one decided to skip a day, the other would too. However, they slowly started coming alone to the Maruti Driving School. Jyoti became much more confident to talk after coming to Azad. She even became braver and wanted to drive her car back home to show her mother her skills. After she got her Permanent License, she drove the car with the help of her trainer to her basti and surprised everyone. That was a moment of pride for her. She has started respecting herself after coming to Azad.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/17

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SEEMA MAURYA
22/05/1994
8TH PASS
JHALANA DONGRI
SEPARATED
0
08/06/2017
15/09/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Seema stays with her family in Jhalana Dungri. Her father and brothers all work as painters. She was married at a very young age but with the support of her father got separated from her husband as her in-laws troubled her and abused her. She wanted to join Azad Foundation as she saw a lot of girls from her basti associated with it, but she didn't get a permission from her family. She however, joined Azad and started gaining confidence at the Maruti Driving school. She learnt about gender discrimination in Gender class and understood the reasons behind the restrictions at her household. Even though she was scared, she passed and achieved her permanent license test with flying colours.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/18

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

**MAYA KUMARY BAIR-
WA**
10/08/1997
12TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
30/06/2017
04/11/2017
**WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA**



Maya resides in Jawahar Nagar with a family of seven. All of their finances are sustained by her father's earnings as a daily wage worker. She wanted to be a teacher but she couldn't concentrate on studies due to familial issues. She therefore decided to join Azad after getting to know about it from a few friends from her basti. She learnt a lot at Azad about travelling around the city using maps and first-aid in her non-technical training. She persevered even after getting vertigo at the Maruti Driving School and has become much more confident. Azad would be her gateway to earning for her family and helping her father.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/20

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KIRAN
08/09/1996
12TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
30/06/2017
30/11/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Kiran has 7 members in her family all residing in Jawahar Nagar. The only source of income is from her mother's sewing work and her father's grocery shop. Unfortunately, her father was diagnosed with a brain tumour and all their savings went into his treatment. She came to know about Azad Foundation from her friend and since her family was supportive she got herself enrolled. In Azad she learnt the importance of fulfilling one's dreams and to fight for our rights. She used to make a lot of mistakes on the track, however she persevered and successfully passed the test. This gave her courage to move forward and pursue becoming a professional driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/22

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHAKILA BANO
08/11/1982
LESS THAN 8TH
SHAKTI COLONY
WIDOWED
0
08/07/2017
19/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Shakila is from Amadagh Basti at the Delhi by pass. She was married at a very young age but got widowed and returned to her father who is a daily wage worker, to be able to sustain her children. One day she was introduced to mobilization team of Azad Foundation and they convinced her father to let her start training. She was initially scared and repelled any kind of work on the computer. Eventually, she became much more comfortable and worked through various options like Oral tests etc. She received her Learning License along with which she also got a lot of confidence. She practiced hard, gained confidence and started speaking up for herself. She now has a Permanent License and is hoping to get a job and start helping her father financially.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/23

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ASHA DEVI
20/07/1983
LESS THAN 8TH
SHASTRI NAGAR
MARRIED
2
08/07/2017
23/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Asha lives with her children and husband in Shastri Nagar Kacchi basti. Her husband is a rickshaw driver and most of his income goes for its rent, hence she wanted to contribute in it. She got to know about Azad Foundation from a canopy at her basti. She initially was very scared which led to three accidents while she was taking training but after working on her self confidence she started again. She learnt a lot of things at Azad out of which she liked Badlav ka Safarnama the most because she could measure her learning. Now when she had received her permanent license she can drive in crowded roads of the city and has made so many friends. She wants to finish training soon and show her family what she has learnt.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/24

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SAROJ MENDIWARIYA
05/12/1988
10TH PASS
BAHAR MANDI
UNMARRIED
0
08/07/2017
04/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Saroj lives with her parents where her father is a labourer and brother also works. Opposing her parents, she doesn't want to get married but wants to get a job or some vocational training. Seeing a lot of women taking driving lessons and also a canopy of Azad Foundation she joined it. She managed to convince her parents after a lot of efforts. She started to learn about her rights and went back home and questioned her father for equal property rights for herself and started putting forward her views boldly. She was initially hesitant as to how much she can learn but after having her Permanent License and a lot of self confidence, she now drives a car on routes she had no idea about before. She wants to get a job as soon as possible.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/25

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RITU KANVAR
13/11/1996
12TH PASS
SHASTRI NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
08/07/2017
23/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Ritu stays in J.P colony Shastri Nagar with her family of six members and her father did labour work. She wanted to become a dancer but faced strict opposition from family. After which she came to know about Azad Foundation through a survey. Since she wanted to support her family she gave a thought to joining the course. Her uncle being a driver himself opposed but this time she was firm on her decision. She then started coming to Azad and really liked the atmosphere. She took part in a lot of training and gained a lot of confidence. She shared that it became easy for her to visit any government office and get her work done now. She could shed her fear and started driving on the crowded roads. Her Permanent License is made and now she wants to complete her training soon and get a job.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/26

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MOBINA
25/03/1992
LESS THAN 8TH
AMARGARH
UNMARRIED
0
24/07/2017
17/10/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Mobina stays in amargarh on Delhi by-pass road with her family where her brothers are drivers. But when she expressed her desire to be a driver, it was denied. Her mother was the only supportive figure because of whom she moved on. She got to know of azad through a cousin, who was already taking training. After joining she made lots of friends with whom she could share her thoughts and exchange ideas. while commuting gave her confidence, failing her first permanent license test and clearing it in second attempt gave her strength. She shared that she learned in Azad to keep oneself strong in any situation and hence celebrated her PL success. She now awaits to have a bigger celebration after getting a job.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/27

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHABNAM
15/12/1989
LESS THAN 8TH
GULZAR COLONY
SEPARATED
2
24/07/2017
17/10/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Shabnam lives in Gulzar colony with her family. She has 7 siblings and her father is a fruit vendor and a labourer. Therefore, financial conditions were not good enough for her to continue her education. It was her supportive husband because of whom she could join Azad Foundation as soon as she came to know of it through a survey held in her community. She has learnt a lot in training from gender discrimination to self defence and various routes of the city in map-reading classes. After receiving her permanent license she can now drive on crowded streets and has the confidence to become a professional driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/28

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

BAVRI GITA BEN
04/04/1993
LESS THAN 8TH
BABA RAMDEV NAGAR
WIDOWED
2
24/07/2017
18/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Geeta Ben is from Ahmedabad but lives in Jaipur in a rented house. After her husband passed away since then she has taken care of her children by working at houses. However, that job seems disrespectful to her, therefore, decided to move ahead. When she heard about Azad through a meeting held at her basti she joined it soon after. Through time management and overcoming difficulties, she completed her training and received her permanent license. She persevered to show the society that even a widow can do whatever she wants to. Through Azad she has found many friends and a social circle which never lets her feel alone in the city.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/29

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

DEEPTI BURMAN
16/06/1999
8TH PASS
JANPAT MARG
MARRIED
0
08/08/2017
19/11/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Deepti is originally from Kolkata but shifted to Jaipur after marriage. She soon got separated and lives with her mother. She came to know about Azad through a friend and after visiting the centre and interacting with other trainees she was determined to join the program despite the distance from her place. Her training at Maruti Driving School was the most memorable, and after her training and getting her Permanent License, she is now well versed with the routes of the city and can travel alone. She is proud to be the first woman in her family who knows how to drive. While driving by herself she saw her husband on road and wanted to show him what she had achieved. She wants to continue driving, earn money and educate herself further.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/30

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

VANDANA YADAV
27/09/1983
12TH PASS
MALVIYA NAGAR
MARRIED
2
08/08/2017
04/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Vandana is from Jhalana basti and her husband runs a grocery shop from home and that's the only source of income in the family. Vandana saw many girls from her basti are associated with Azad's training and few are even doing job, which motivated her to join Azad. During her Learning License classes she felt a confidence in herself working on the computer for the first time and then she managed to pass her permanent license test in first attempt. She got a chance to know the roads of her city through Azad felt proud that she can now converse in English and put across her thoughts effectively. She wants to be a professional driver and take her family for a ride.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/31

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA SANGAT
07/08/1999
LESS THAN 8TH
MALVIYA NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
08/08/2017
06/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Rekha lives with her parents, her father works as a cleaner in a hospital and mother works at homes. She saw a Sakha driver, who inspired her to take this training. When she came to Azad Foundation she learnt that even girls have equal right in the property of their family, which was against her community rules. Through the training she broke away from the fear of driving and cleared her permanent license test and now is able to move out of the house even at late night. In non-technical training she enjoyed self defence training the most. She and her parents are ready for her to take a job after training.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/32

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAYA KUMARY
24/04/1998
12TH PASS
BRIJLAL PURA
UNMARRIED
0
24/08/2017
13/12/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Maya lives in a family of four at Braj Lal puri Mansarovar. Her father works at construction sites and mother stays at home therefore their financial condition didn't allow her and her sister to continue studying. As soon as they got to know about Azad Foundation, they were really excited and their father also approved of the organisation. After her training, she soon cleared her Permanent License test fighting her nervousness and fear. Her success made everyone happy at her home and she even distributed sweets at the centre. She shares her technical and non-technical training with her peers at her community. She soon wants to start helping her parents financially.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/34

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ASHA BAIRWA
13/08/1997
12TH PASS
BRIJLAL PURA
UNMARRIED
0
24/08/2017
27/11/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Asha lives with her parents in Ajay raj pura. Her father is a construction labourer and earns very little, hence she wants to help her father financially. She got to know about Azad Foundation from a friend and met the mobilization team. Her father is very restrictive but he let her join Azad after he witnessed a street play by them. She was scared of driving initially but her friends at Azad gave her confidence. When she got her Permanent License, it made her parents really happy and proud.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/36

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KRISHNA MEHRA
15/03/1997
8TH PASS
AMBEDKAR BASTI
UNMARRIED
0
07/09/2017
27/11/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



When Krishna decided to join Azad Foundation everyone opposed but her mother was the one who helped her join Azad. When she was going through her driving training, she drove across her house to show everyone who discouraged her, that's when they believed that Krishna could actually drive. During her permanent license test she fought all her fears and successfully made an 8 in reverse and cleared the test. After this she gained not only confidence but a lot of respect in her family, when she shared her success with them. She has made many friends in Azad who have helped her and now she hopes to start working as a professional driver soon.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/39

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUNITA BAIRWA
01/06/1990
8TH PASS
MALVIYA NAGAR
MARRIED
3
07/09/2017
27/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Sunita got to know Azad through a survey held in their community. Her mother has always been supportive of her and encouraged her to join, as she didn't want her daughter to face the same violences that she did. Despite her fears she learnt how to work on a computer, she learned about gender violence in her gender class and could correlate it with situations at home. She now felt very confident and took a car to her community with the help of her trainer, to prove everyone who discouraged her. She earned respect in her family after she got her Permanent License and she soon wants to be a contributing member in her family.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/40

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA DEVI
10/10/1983
12TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
MARRIED
3
07/09/2017
06/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Rekha has had a tough family life because her family was very abusive and when she joined Azad Foundation; her in-laws started shaming her for attending Azad in front of the community and threw her out of their house. She shifted to her father's place but he started forcing her to start getting some money in the house, so she shifted to her friend's place who also funded her commute for a while. After coming to Azad she realised the various violences she had witnessed and what was wrong with them, also she gained confidence to fight it. She recently got a Permanent License and now she wants to get a job to get her own house and live with her daughter.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/44

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RINKI AGARWAL
05/11/1992
LESS THAN 8TH
JHALANA DONGRI
MARRIED
1
25/09/2017
19/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Rinki lives in Jhalana area where she works as domestic help, but their financial condition is very poor and she wanted to earn better. She got to know about Azad from mobilization team in a meeting and got herself enrolled. She used to feel nervous about travelling alone but training at Azad gave her confidence and now she can travel in a metro also. The map reading training made her really confident and the gender and legal rights training also helped her gain a lot of knowledge. She worked hard and got her Permanent License. Now she is eagerly waiting to get a job.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/46

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYA
01/01/1985
LESS THAN 8TH
SHYAMPURI
MOCHIYON KI GALI
MARRIED
0
25/09/2017
15/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Priya was a resident of Assam and had an arranged marriage in Jaipur. She is a survivor of domestic violence, caused by her brother and her husband. When she got to know of Azad Foundation she joined it soon after. When the city was new for her commuting was also difficult for her but now she can travel in the city alone. She sincerely prepared for Permanent License, and got her test cleared. During Azad's training on gender, she got an understanding about violence and gained the confidence to speak up against it. She also found many friends in Azad who helped her and now she wishes to get a job soon.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/47

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHABANA
19/09/1993
12TH PASS
GULRAHA COLONY
UNMARRIED
0
25/09/2017
06/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Shabana lives with 7 family members in her house. Her father is a construction labourer due to which financial condition isn't good at home. She got to know about Azad Foundation from her mother who found a pamphlet of Women on Wheels program. They visited the centre and seeing women do all kinds of work motivated them and she immediately joined Azad. Training at Azad taught her about gender and the repressed cultures of the society. Now that she received her permanent license and is done with her training she is confident to go to the market alone or anywhere else in the city. She has not only learnt how to drive in the city but made a lot of friends in the process also.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/48

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHASHI CHHIPA
01/03/1991
10TH PASS
RAMPURA ROAD
MARRIED
2
25/09/2017
15/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Shashi lives in Sanganer with her husband and in-laws. Her husband is a driver in a travel company. Her husband was reluctant initially but when she found a friend to go with her he went with them to get them enrolled. When she went to get her learning license made, there came some issue in the office which she solved all by herself. It was the first time that Shashi went to government office and the confidence that this gave her made her even braver. When she got her permanent license, she became sure that she too can become a successful driver and add to her family's financial pool. Azad has changed her life and gave her a way to fulfill her dreams.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/49

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MOSAMI NATH
01/01/1993
12TH PASS
SARITA VIHAR
MARRIED
3
25/09/2017
09/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Mosami lives in Sanganer with her husband who mostly stays away from home because of his job as a professional driver. She got to know about Azad Foundation from a friend, with whom she visited the office. She started her training on the computer, which she used very first time in her life, and overcame her nervousness. She went to the government office to get her Learning License by herself and when she got her Permanent License made, that made her feel very proud of herself. She took her husband for a drive and felt extremely happy when her husband exclaimed, "You are now a driver!".

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/50

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KANTA BALAI
01/07/1984
10TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
MARRIED
2
08/11/2017
23/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Kanta Balai lives with her husband and children. Since her husband works as a construction worker and earns seasonally, she wanted to contribute in the income. When she heard about Azad foundation from the mobilization team, she immediately joined. Initially she was very nervous but seeing other girls gave her confidence. She went to get her Learning License herself at the RTO; and when she got her permanent license her husband felt really proud of her. She learnt a lot from Azad, especially in the legal rights classes, gender classes, map reading classes because of which she gained the skills to travel in the city. She dreams to work in a good company.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/52

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RENU BAIRWA
01/07/1998
12TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
08/11/2017
21/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Renu lives in the Jawahar Nagar with her family. Her father is a daily wage labourer and gets a meagre income. When she got to know about Azad Foundation, her father gave her the freedom to decide because he trusted her decision, so she joined. At Azad she learnt many things from using a computer to visiting government offices. After this opportunity she found a lot of confidence. She learnt about the city through map reading classes and the gender classes helped her recognise the discrimination in the society. Now she is the first member in her family to have a driving license. She wants to become a successful driver one day and help her family.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/53

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NIRMALA DEVI
MEGHVANSHI
03/07/1996
10TH PASS
JHALANA KUNDA
UNMARRIED
0
08/11/2017
26/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Nirmala Devi, resident of Jhalana Kundi lives with her family of 4 members. Her father is a construction worker and mother accompanies him. She got to know about Azad foundation through a meeting held in her area and also saw women associated to Azad, often visited her locality and got motivated by their independence. Her father did not support her initially but later mobilization team were able to convince him. Despite facing difficulties in her first few days she eventually got her Permanent License and now is able to drive the car alone and confidently. The journey at Azad gave her immense confidence and a lot of friends. She has taken her route towards her dream to take her mother for a long drive and help financially.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/54

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA CHANDEL
03/07/1996
10TH PASS
SHIV COLONY
UNMARRIED
0
08/11/2017
25/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Rekha lives in the Jhalana with her family where the only earning member in the family is her mother who works as a construction labourer. She got to know about the Azad foundation when mobilization team visited her home and her father completely supported her. She feels happy to share that because of training at Azad she can go anywhere alone, she got to learn a lot in gender class where she realised why she had not been able to study further. She realised that it is important for everyone to get equal opportunities at home. Now she has received her permanent license and is eager to get a job soon.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/55

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEELAM BARSIWAL
02/07/1998
10TH PASS
SHIV COLONY
MARRIED
0
08/11/2017
24/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Neelam, a resident of the Jhalana lives with her family of six members and her father is a police constable. When mobilization team visited her house and gave her the information about trainings in Azad she was interested to join and her father was supportive. She would miss her initial days of training because of fear of travelling out of the house alone. But later she was able to shed her fear to commute alone in public transport. Understanding about Gender in her non-technical training in Azad helped her realise why she did not get an opportunity to study further at home. Her happiness knew no bounds when her Permanent License got made and now she cannot wait to finish her training and get on job.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/56

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

LATA TANWAR
24/02/1993
LESS THAN 8TH
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
08/11/2017
24/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Lata's father is an auto-rickshaw driver and mother works as a domestic cook. When Lata expressed her wish to join Azad Foundation, her parents supported her. After getting herself enrolled, practicing on the computer was a great experience for her. Gender classes helped her understand how the society discriminates between men and women, to get the first-aid training she visited the Fortis hospital. Because of Azad she got the opportunity to see such places and take important trainings and this made her feel really good. She got her permanent license and is driving on new and different roads of the city.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/57

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

LAXMI ATAL
02/11/1992
12TH PASS
BRAJLALPURA
MARRIED
1
15/11/2017
14/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Laxmi was married at a very young age and her husband being a daily wage worker it was difficult to make two ends meet. While searching for jobs she got to know about Azad Foundation, to which her husband refused. She then mobilised few more women in her area for training at Azad, which convinced her husband. In Azad she used computer for the first time, practised on it and cleared her Learning License test. It was a moment of joy at home, felt like clearing board exams. Azad built her confidence and gave her courage to travel. She feels that azad gave her the opportunity to explore the city which she never got at her home.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/60

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

LILA VERMA
03/06/1987
8TH PASS
SHIV COLONY
MARRIED
2
15/11/2017
21/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Lila stays with her husband, who is a vegetable vendor and her mother-in-law does some labour work. Lila also does some stitching work but it is not regular hence the family expenses are managed by husband and mother-in-law's income. An FLP leader told her about Azad foundation and its training, to which her husband refused initially but got convinced later. She immediately joined the training and got her Learning License made which made her very happy. After preparing further, she got nervous on the day of her permanent license test looking at the crowd but managed to clear the test in first attempt. It was a long awaited success for her which brought happiness. She eagerly waits to complete her training and get the job so that she can help at home.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/61

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ANITA KANWAR
28/07/1997
12TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
22/11/2017
19/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Anita, stays in Jawahar nagar and she does some stitching work, from which she earns monthly 1500 Rs. Anita got to know about Azad Foundation through an FLP leader but her father refused because he himself being a driver felt it to be an unsafe place because of late night duties. But the FLP Leader managed to convince him. She joined the training at Azad, even after difficulties she managed to clear her Learning License test which boosted her confidence. Through her non-technical training she learned about gender, self-defence, first aid etc and got an exposure with a pool of knowledge. After a sincere practise she got her permanent license and now she wants to complete her training soon and become a successful driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/63

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

URMILA MALI
05/07/1996
12TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
22/11/2017
19/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Urmila Mali resides in Jawahar Nagar with her father, who works at a tea stall, and is the only person in her family besides herself as her mother died long ago due to a fatal illness. Urmila found out about Azad through a survey held in their area. When she mentioned training under the Azad foundation to her father, he refused without question. But she managed to convince him and joined Azad. Her experience at the training centre was enlightening. She learnt about legal training, gender discrimination, and the rights of a woman in the society in her non-technical training module, which gave her a real picture of society. She practised sincerely and achieved permanent license and now wants to work as a driver and earn money to aid her father.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/64

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA KUMARI
27/07/1987
8TH PASS
MALVIYA NAGAR
MARRIED
0
22/11/2017
28/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Rekha Kumari is a resident of Malviya nagar and she lives with a family of five. Her husband was the only earning member but his income was very inconsistent. She got to know about Azad Foundation through mobilization team in the basti and also saw a lot of women from her area associated with the organization. Her husband was glad and supported her because of the fact that there will be another earning member in the family. She was excited to join the training and hence she thoroughly enjoyed learning on the computer. Learning about gender discrimination, self-defence along with legal rights gave her a new sense of confidence. She successfully received her permanent license and confidently drives the car in the city.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/65

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AARTI KALA
14/01/1985
12TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
22/11/2017
26/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Aarti Kala lives in Jawahar nagar where she learnt about Azad foundation through an FLP leader of her locality and immediately her father encouraged her to find out more about the organisation and what it has to offer. She had a unique experience while training for Learning License because it was her first ever time to come in contact with a computer. When she went to RTO to give the LL test, the documents in her hand and the long line for the test made her extremely nervous. However, after the test she was glad as she passed on her first try. Subsequently she learnt to drive a car from Maruti School and soon received her Permanent License also. She is hopeful that she will receive a job offer in the coming days.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/66

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RADHA KANAWAR
04/12/1978
8TH PASS
MEERA MARG
MARRIED
2
05/12/2017
22/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



40 year old Radha Kavar has lived separately from her husband and kids for 12 years. She used to live with her two daughters after her divorce however both of them got married. Now she lives in the Mansarovar basti on rent and has no idea about the whereabouts of her husband and children. Her brother sometimes supports her financially. She came to know about Azad through a survey conducted in her area. On joining and working sincerely to gain a permanent license, she gained confidence. She also learned self-defence, about various laws, gender discrimination in the society and first aid at the time of emergency. She wishes to earn a lot after becoming a professional driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/69

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

INDRA KUMARI
13/07/1991
12TH PASS
GOVIND NAGAR
MARRIED
0
05/12/2017
21/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Indra Kumari lives in Sanganer with her husband. She recently shifted to the village and had been scouting for a job as her husband works inconsistently. After learning about Azad foundation she consulted her husband and decided to join the program. When she first started her training she had a hard time working on a computer. Despite difficulties she passed her test and got her license which gave her immense contentment. She not only learned how to navigate the map of an unfamiliar city like Jaipur but also gender sensitisation and legal rights in her non-technical training. Azad foundation not only provided her with immense confidence and knowledge but also a group of really close friends. She wishes to become a highly respected driver.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/70

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ARATI TAWAR
12/10/1998
12TH PASS
JAGATPURA
UNMARRIED
0
05/12/2017
20/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Arti Tawar lives in Jagatpuri with a family and both her parents work for a living. She wanted to continue her education however her family's financial situation was not enough to fund her education. She got to know of Azad Foundation while looking for some work, through a member of mobilization team in her basti. She started her training with her mother's approval, even though she couldn't convince her father. She informed him only when she got her learner's license. She then got her father's approval and continued her training and cleared her test for permanent license. Training at Azad helped her find confidence to move out of the house alone, learn methods to be a successful driver, know her city better and gain knowledge on gender discrimination and self defence through non-technical training. She awaits to quickly complete her training and get into the job.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/71

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MANTASHA
27/02/1998
12TH PASS
SUBHASH CHOWK
UNMARRIED
0
05/12/2017
21/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Mantasha lives in Subhash Chowk with a family of six members and faces a lot of restrictions in the family. Expenses of her household are managed by her grandfather as he is the only earning member. Since she joined Azad Foundation without telling her grandfather, she was refrained from training further when it came to his notice. However, mobilization team came to rescue, convinced her grandfather and restarted Mantasha's training. Her training got delayed but she cleared her permanent license test in first attempt. Training in Azad foundation helped her gain a lot of knowledge as well as lifelong friends, and gave her way towards her dream.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/74

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

REKHA
12/11/1997
8TH PASS
MALVIYA NAGAR
SEPARATED
0
05/12/2017
21/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Rekha is from the Tok district and shifted to a basti near sanganer with her family five years ago. Her family expenses were managed by her husband working as an artisan.. She got to know about Azad Foundation from various women who were already part of the program. She decided to join the centre and successfully convinced her family as well. Even after facing difficulties while practicing for her Permanent License, she successfully passed the test. After joining Azad Foundation Rekha found confidence to visit any government office without fear, could interact with her father and also participated in the decisions of the family. She wishes to get into job as soon as possible so that she can be a helping hand to her family and build her own house.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/75

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEETU
04/09/1997
12TH PASS
HASANPURA
UNMARRIED
0
05/12/2017
29/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Neetu Mehra, a resident of Hasanpura, was refused to join training at Azad Foundation by her father because he being a driver considered it to be disrespectful profession. It was more so because he was also looked at as an inferior. However, her persistence was able to convince her father. Initially she faced a lot of difficulties while training and was scared of her failure leading to permanent restriction from training. But her happiness knew no bounds when she passed the permanent license test in first attempt. The training at Azad has brought a new light to her life because she has a new found confidence to go to government offices alone. She is also more comfortable with talking to her father and is part of the major decisions of the family. Her dream to drive a car on the roads of Jaipur also came true.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/76

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUGANA DEVI
05/05/1992
LESS THAN 8TH
JHALANA DUNGRI
MARRIED
2
17/12/2017
29/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Sugana Devi lives in a huge joint family which makes it difficult for her to work outside. A lot of women from her basti worked at Azad Foundation therefore she was also keen on being a part of the program. However, on facing lots of restrictions from the family she sought help from mobilization team of Azad Foundation who convinced them to let her work. For her to get the opportunity to drive a car and travel alone in the city was special as it boosted her self-esteem. Training at Azad helped her get information about traffic rules and also the importance of being a safe driver. She wants to create a safe space for women so that none of their dreams are left unfulfilled.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/77

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUMAN VERMA
16/07/1984
12TH PASS
JHALANA DUNGRI
MARRIED
0
22/12/2017
29/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Suman lives in a joint family in Jhalana Dungri. Her only support in the family was her husband, to whom after gauging her interest about Azad foundation she finally started training. It was a totally new experience for her at Maruti School, driving a car, reversing and making an eight with a car. Training was getting difficult for her, so much so that she would fear of failing in the permanent license test. But she gathered courage and passed with flying colors. Suman was very delighted that Azad provided her the courage in life, knowledge about laws in legal rights class, gender discrimination in her gender class and methods for self defence in her non-technical training. She made amazing friends and enjoyed driving in the city traffic.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/78

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NEETU DHANKA
01/01/1994
GRADUATE
JAGATPURA
UNMARRIED
0
02/01/2018
28/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Neetu Dhanka lives in Jagatpura in a family of five members. Her father is an artisan who helps build houses and her mother is a housewife. She got to know about Azad Foundation from a woman in her basti who was already part of the program. She faced opposition from the family on mentioning her interest to take training at Azad. She then asked for help from Azad mobilization team to convince her family. It was overwhelming for her to prepare for learning license on a computer for the first time, learn about gender discrimination in the society in her non-technical training and then receive a permanent license. She was happy to be able to move around the city alone and now she awaits to join a job soon.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/83

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYANKA BAROLIYA
28/12/1998
12TH PASS
JAGATPURA
UNMARRIED
0
02/01/2018
23/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Priyanka, is a resident of Jagatpuri, whose parents are uneducated and work as labourers. She heard about Azad Foundation from a mobilisation team in the basti. Knowing about initiatives of Sakha also motivated her and hence she started her training in Azad. Priyanka is grateful to Azad as she got the opportunity to learn on computer for the first time, learn at driving school, learn about gender discrimination and self-defence in non-technical training. Getting permanent license made her confident on the streets of Jaipur and now she aspires to become a bus driver in future.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/84

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AMBIKA SHARMA
21/10/1985
10TH PASS
VRINDAVAN VIHAR
MARRIED
1
08/01/2018
04/11/2008
UNDER TRAINING



Ambika Sharma resides in Khania. Her husband is a dance teacher and that is the only mode of income for her. Before joining Azad she had a permanent license made in 2008 because she wanted to buy a car for her family. However, her financial condition did not allow for that to happen. Therefore, when she came to Azad, she had a PL but no training and she was finding difficult to catch up with the training as well. However, after going to the Maruti school she realised that she couldn't drive properly even on the simulator. She then earnestly took training at the Maruti school and got trained for the Permanent License at the RTO. She could successfully do reverse parking. Non-technical training at Azad helped her understand the reason behind gender inequality which made her feel enlightened.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/89

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PARWATI MAHAWAR
21/10/1985
10TH PASS
VRINDAVAN VIHAR
MARRIED
0
12/01/2018
28/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Parwati Mahawar's father works at a tea stall and she lost her mother when she was just ten years of age. She wanted to help her father as he had never refused her to do anything that she wished for. Since she belongs to Indra Nagar kacchi basti, she witnessed a lot of women from there training at Azad Foundation and getting jobs. She therefore decided to ask her father if she could join the training and her father allowed for the same. She got very excited to be part of the training program and consequently be capable of aiding her father. She shared that after joining the training and getting her permanent license made she gained confidence, got encouraged to travel alone and also found lots of friends.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/90

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KOMAL KANWAR
11/03/1998
8TH PASS
JAWAHAR NAGAR
UNMARRIED
0
12/01/2018
29/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Komal is a part of a family of five members and her father is a driver himself. However, he was very sceptical about letting her get trained to be a driver because he believed that a woman is unsafe in such a profession and will also be looked down upon. However, her persistence convinced him to let her try the training. When she joined the Maruti driving school she felt as though she had wings. Learning to drive on the city roads, helping her peers, all of these experiences were magical for her. She found a new family for herself. She received her permanent license, and she drives on the congested roads of the city. Her family is eager for her to get a job and she is excited to finally fulfil her dream of driving alone.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/91

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AARTI BUNKAR
02/06/1998
10TH PASS
JAGATPURA
UNMARRIED
0
08/01/2018
28/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Aarti Bunkar lives with her family in Jawahar Nagar. She wanted to help her family financially for which she decided take up training at Azad Foundation. Her father being a driver himself refused for her training, as he believed it is not a respectable job for women. But on being convinced by her mother he finally approved for her training. Despite all the difficulties, she passed her Permanent License test in first attempt. She was very happy about it and shared the news with her father immediately. Training in Azad helped her find confidence to go to government offices, put forward her views in the family and bring a change in her life. She could now see her dream come true.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/93

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NISHA BAIRWA
02/07/1996
8TH PASS
SANGANER
MARRIED
0
08/01/2018
20/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Nisha, a resident of Ajmer, could not continue her education because of restricted mindset of the family and also lack of schools in her area. After getting married, she and her husband got into debts, because of which Nisha wished to help run her household better and that brought her to Azad foundation. Training helped get experience of working on the computer, gain confidence to go to government offices and also get her permanent license made. She was happy and proud to complete all her training confidently and grateful to azad for her experience. Her dream is to buy her own house as soon as she gets a job.

Enrolment No. RJ/JP/2017-18/94



KOLKATA

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PUSHPA BISWAS
21/12/1995
12TH PASS
MATHURAPUR
UNMARRIED
0
15/05/2017
28/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Pushpa Biswa is a resident of Mathurapur area of Kolkata. She lives with her parents and younger brother. Her father is a security guard, mother is a housewife and her brother is currently in school. She has completed her education till higher secondary. She came to know about Azad from its partner, Lutheran World Service (LWS). She believed that women should be able to do everything that men do and they should be treated as equals. She enrolled herself into Azad's training with a dream to be financially independent. She particularly liked the training on legal rights as it made her aware of her rights as a woman and as a driver. After completing her training, she wants to work as a professional driver.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/1

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAMATA MALI
13/06/1989
LESS THAN 8TH
VIP NAGAR
SEPARATED
1
22/05/2017
04/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Mamta lives with her mother and daughter. She separated from her husband after facing continuous abuse. She wanted to get out of the negative environment especially for the sake of her daughter and thus came to live at her mother's house. It was here that she heard about Azad foundation from Anjali, a mobilizer of the Thoughtshop Foundation. She thought about the training for a week and decided to take up the training for her daughter's future. She says that she has enjoyed the communication training and Sexual and Reproductive Health Rights classes the most in the organization. She is currently on her way to becoming a professional driver.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/2

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ANITA SINGH
18/01/1983
12TH PASS
DHAKURIA
UNMARRIED
0
22/05/2017
08/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Anita Singh is a resident of Dhakuria in south Kolkata. She is currently living with her parents and is the sole bread-earner of the family. She started working in a private firm while in college, and later started a small shop which sold mobile phone accessories. One day she heard about Azad foundation from a friend who is associated with the Thoughtshop Foundation. Having dreamt of driving a car since childhood, she readily enrolled herself into the driving-training programme. At Azad she really likes the English language classes as they make her feel more confident in communicating with people. She is under training and wants to pursue a career in driving.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/5

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NUSRAT BANO
05/10/1995
8TH PASS
PARK CIRCUS
SEPARATED
2
22/05/2017
21/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Nusrat Bano is a resident of Park Circus area of central Kolkata. She separated from her husband and presently lives with her parents and two sons. Her mother is a housewife and father is a school teacher. Both her sons are currently studying in school. She has studied till 9th standard and was working in a supermarket before joining Azad Foundation. She heard about Azad from a friend and enrolled herself to become a professional driver. She enjoyed the law and gender sensitization classes at Azad as they made her more confident about her rights as a woman. After completing the training Nusrat wants to become a professional driver to ensure a bright future for her sons and herself.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/6

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAMONI BHUIA
01/03/1990
10TH PASS
UTTAR SHASHON
MARRIED
1
01/06/2017
28/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Mamoni Bhuiya lives with her husband and son in Uttar Shashon area of the South 24 Paraganas district. Her husband works in a glass shop and her son studies in 4th standard. She, herself, has studied till 10th standard and before joining Azad worked with the village Panchayat. She came to know about Azad from their partner organisation Lutheran World Service (LWS) and enrolled herself into the driving training course. She always wanted to be financially independent and professionally successful. She particularly enjoyed the English language classes at Azad, as it gave her command over the language and made her more confident than before. After completing her training at Azad she wants to become a professional driver and buy her own car to go on a long drive with her husband and children.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/8

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ARPA MONDAL
03/02/1999
12TH PASS
BASANTI
UNMARRIED
0
01/06/2017
11/09/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Arpa Mondal is from the Basanti area of South 24 Parganas district. Currently she lives in a hostel in Entally, North Kolkata. Her family consists of her parents and a younger sister. Her sister was married off while Arpa was studying in 9th standard. Arpa completed her secondary education and wanted to become a nurse, but due to financial difficulties she could not pursue higher studies. Before joining Azad she was working at the Lutheran World Service (LWS) India Trust and got to know about the Azad training programme from there. She was excited with the prospect that this was something different for women to pursue. She enjoyed the English language, gender and sexuality training at Azad. Now she aspires to become a professional driver post completion of training in order to support her family and contribute to her sister's education.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/9

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

KANIKA HALDER
28/02/1994
12TH PASS
NAMKHANA
UNMARRIED
0
05/07/2017
30/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Kanika Halder is from Namkhana village of the South 24 Parganas district. She is 23 years old and lives with her younger sister, mother, aunt and grandmother. Her mother is a nurse and the only earning member in the family. Kanika is pursuing her graduation and the Women on Wheels training at Azad simultaneously. She wants to be a professional driver and support her family. English Communication and sexuality are courses she has liked very much during her training as they have helped her become more confident and aware of her body and rights.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/11

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MANIKA HALDER
28/02/1996
12TH PASS
NAMKHANA
UNMARRIED
0
05/07/2017
20/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Manika Halder is from Namkhana village of South 24 Parganas district. She is 21 years old and lives with her mother, elder sister, aunt and grandmother. Her father does not stay with her, and so the mother who works as a nurse is the sole earning member of the family. She came to know about Azad foundation from the Lutheran World Service India Trust. She always loved taking up challenges, so she took up this training to be able to contribute to the family income, along with her sister who is also part of the training at Azad. She particularly enjoyed self-defence and spoken English classes during her training as it gave her the confidence to speak and stand up for her rights.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/12

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MADHUMITA DEY
27/09/1988
12TH PASS
SOUTH 24 PARGANA
MARRIED
2
05/07/2017
04/12/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Madhumita dey is a 29 year old woman from Dhapa village of the South 24 Parganas. After passing her higher secondary exam she got married. Now she lives with her husband, mother-in-law and two children- a daughter and a son. She came to know about Azad while the Talaash foundation was having their auto campaign and distributing their leaflet. She joined the training despite opposition from her family as she dreamt of being a professional driver. Every day, she drops her children at her father's house before going for training. Self-defence and sexuality training were the most interesting classes for her as they made her aware of her self , rights and gave her the confidence to stand up for them.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/13

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUCHARITA BHUINYA
25/04/1985
12TH PASS
MANOHARPUKUR
MARRIED
1
05/07/2017
20/11/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Sucharita Bhuinya is 30 years old. She lives with her husband, a 5 years old son and mother-in-law. She got married while she was in the second year of her graduation. She came to know about Azad Foundation through the mobilisation activity of Talaash foundation, in the area where she lives. After joining Azad, and attending the trainings now she can combat her fears. She enjoyed gender and sexuality trainings the most and it has made her more aware. She has now learned to speak with people within and outside her family.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/14

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

LABANI SARDAR
15/10/1995
12TH PASS
BISHNUPUR
UNMARRIED
0
05/07/2017
30/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Labani stays with her parents and brother in Bishnupur in the South 24 Parganas district. She is 22 years old. She came to know about Azad foundation and the WoW training through the Thoughtshop Foundation. She always wanted to learn driving but was afraid of pursuing it. After attending the training at Azad, she has become considerably confident. Her parents were hesitant as well and did not like the training, but she knew that if she became a successful driver they will support her. she enjoyed the English communication and self-defence training the most as it gave her the confidence to speak and stand up for her rights.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/15

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SNIGDHA MONDAL
14/04/1985
8TH PASS
SALT LAKE
DIVORCED
1
27/07/2017
30/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Snigdha lives in the Salt Lake government housing in Swayam Siddha. She is 32 years old and a divorcee. She has a 13 year old daughter who lives with her ex-husband and mother-in-law. Snigdha is an orphan who has spent her childhood in an orphanage. She fell in love and got married at the age of 14, however she faced many difficulties with her in-laws. Now she stays alone in a rented house and runs a small tea stall at the railway station. She even teaches at the Women's Interlink foundation. She saw a poster of Azad foundation near her tea stall and decided to take the opportunity to earn more. She joined the Azad training in July 2017. She hopes to be able to finish her training, get a job and bring her daughter back to stay with her.

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYANKA BASAK
17/01/1999
10TH PASS
BARASAT
UNMARRIED
0
27/07/2017
09/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Priyanka is a resident of Narayanpur village of the Barasat area. She is 19 years old and lives with her parents and sister. She joined Azad foundation in June 2017 and is simultaneously studying in the 12th standard. In her family most of the members are professional drivers, but she will be the first female driver of the lot. This is something that makes her proud. The gender and sexuality training sessions at Azad were her favourite as they made her aware of her rights. Now she feels confident that she can become a professional driver. After getting a job, she dreams of buying a car in which her father will be the passenger and she, the driver.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/23

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

BANDANA NASKAR
25/10/1993
8TH PASS
SONARPUR
SEPARATED
0
07/09/2017
08/01/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Bandana Naskar is a 24 year old woman from Sonapur village. She lives in a rented house with her friend. She has been working as a swimming trainer. She is a survivor of physical and mental abuse in her marriage. Her parents' interventions to save the marriage were unsuccessful and she separated from her husband. Her mother still wants her to go back to live with her in-laws, but Bandana would rather be independent. As swimming training is a seasonal job, she wanted a permanent job as a professional driver. She came to know about the Women on Wheels program through a pamphlet. She found many new friends at Azad who do not judge her. She can share anything with them. Self-defence and sexuality training sessions were her favourite at the organization.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/28

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MAMONI DAS
12/03/1991
10TH PASS
JADAVPUR
UNMARRIED
0
31/10/2017
26/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Mamoni, comes from Kakdwip, a city in the South 24 Parganas district. She lives in Jadavpur as a paying guest. She is the only member in her family who has studied till 10th standard. Her family has never been supportive towards her, but her friends and neighbours have been there for her. She came to know about Azad foundation through the Talash foundation. She now wants to become a professional driver and own a small house of her own someday. She enjoyed the self-defence and gender training sessions the most during her training as they gave her an awareness and confidence to fight for her rights.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/29

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SALMA KHATUN
05/11/1990
10TH PASS
TOLLYGUNJ PHARI
UNMARRIED
0
31/10/2017
26/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Salma is 22 years old and lives in the Tollygunj Phari area. She lives with her parents and brother. She came to know about Azad foundation from a Talash campaign. She joined the foundation in November 2017 and passed the Permanent License exam right after 4 months at the first attempt. Before joining the organization, she had a notion that all NGOs did something wrong with the women and were the same, but after having her own experience at Azad she feels safer, stronger and fearless. Now when she drives she feels good. She enjoyed the English classes at Azad as it gave her the confidence to speak; for her the organization is her own place.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/32

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SUSHOMA MONDAL
22/02/1992
8TH PASS
ANANDAPUR
SEPARATED
1
31/10/2017
26/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING

Sushoma is from Anandapur village. She lives with her parents and a 9 year old son. She came to know about Azad foundation from the Talash Foundation's auto campaign. Apart from the training, she even does nursing as a night-shift job to sustain her family. Now she feels proud being a woman who can drive. She enjoyed the English communication and gender training sessions, that has made her aware and confident to talk to everyone but most of all she enjoys her freedom.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/34



NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

DEEPMALA SHAW
05/02/1983
8TH PASS
DHARMATALA ROAD
MARRIED
0
31/10/2017
26/02/2018
UNDER TRAINING

Deepmala is 34 years old. She lives with her husband and an 11 years old son near Kasba area. She came to know about Azad from Ritu Shaw, a trainee at the foundation. She passed her Permanent License exam just 4 months after joining Azad. She enjoyed the English and gender training classes. Now she knows what should be done if she faces violence, and this makes her confident. She wishes to be self-sufficient and earn more through driving.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/35



NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ANJANA SARKAR
30/11/1985
8TH PASS
ADARSH NAGAR
MARRIED
2
28/03/2017
26/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Anjana comes from Ruby Adarsha Nagar. She came to know about Azad foundation from a Talash Campaign. She lives with her husband, a son and one daughter. She has studied till the 9th standard. The reason she joined the training was because she wanted to find a reason to be able to step out of the confines of her house. Her son supports her in her endeavours. There have been a few legal issues in her family, but after the legal training from Azad she is aware of how to resolve the issues. She is now confident enough and even knows the roads in her city. She found English and Work Readiness training sessions very useful.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/71

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PALLABI DOLUI
15/01/1994
10TH PASS
BAROWARY TOLA RD
UNMARRIED
0
28/03/2017
29/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Pallabi Dolui is a resident of the Belegkata area of Central Kolkata. She lives with her parents. Her father is a security guard and mother a housewife. She has completed her education till higher secondary level, after which she worked in a private firm. She came to know about Azad from a close acquaintance. She enrolled with the training programme due to the desire to learn driving and the need to earn more money. She enjoyed the English language and self-defence classes the most as they have given her the confidence to speak up for her rights. After joining Azad she feels like she has learned to control her temper and has even become wiser. She now desires to become a successful professional driver so that she can make her parents proud and happy.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/68

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MITALI MONDAL
16/12/1982
LESS THAN 8TH
MOTILAL NEHRU RD
SEPARATED
1
28/02/2017
08/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Mitali lives near Motilal Nehru road with her mother, brother and 8 years old daughter. Her brother works as an electrician and her daughter studies in 3rd standard. She herself has studied till 8th standard. She got married in 2008, but after the birth of her daughter she moved back with her mother due to difficulties with her in-laws. She was working as domestic help before joining Azad and got to know about the opportunity through the Talash Foundation. With their help she has enrolled into the driving training programme and has enjoyed the self-defence training as it gave a boost to her confidence. She wishes to become a successful professional driver after completing her training.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/65

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PARVEEN BEGUM
05/06/1983
LESS THAN 8TH
NARKELDANGA
WIDOWED
1
25/01/2017
08/08/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Parveen Begum is a resident of the Narkeldanga area of north Kolkata. She lives with her parents, brother and son. She worked as a tailor before joining Azad. She came to know about Azad foundation through the Thoughtshop Foundation. Driving a car has been her dream, because of which she enrolled herself in the programme. She enjoyed the first aid and English communication sessions at Azad, as they made her more confident and prepared for any problems that she may encounter. After completing her training she wants to become a successful professional driver so as to secure her son's future.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/61

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MARIYA KAYAL
02/10/1991
12TH PASS
SOUTH 24 PARGANAS
UNMARRIED
0
25/01/2017
20/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Mariya resides in South 24 Parganas. Her father is a daily labourer and her mother is a housewife. She has studied till 12th standard. She always wanted to become independent and her family supported her. Before joining Azad, she used to give private tuitions, but for her it had no future. She always wanted to do something different. She came to know about the Azad driving training programme through LWS. She cleared her Permanent License in the first attempt and was very happy that day. She enjoys driving training and English training the most as they give her confidence. She wants to complete her training soon, become a driver, and with her first salary desires to buy a beautiful sari for her mother.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/58

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHILA NANDI
16/04/1984
8TH PASS
TOLLYGAUNJ
MARRIED
2
26/12/2016
29/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Shila resides in the Charu market area of Tollygunj. There are 6 members in her family; her husband, mother-in-law, sister-in-law, a son and a differently abled daughter. She has studied till the 8th standard. Before joining Azad, she worked as a beautician. The reason she decided to join Azad was because she had a dream to drive a car. It was only when she passed her Permanent License exam that she believed that she will become a professional driver soon and she will be able to financially support her family as well. She made many new friends at Azad and enjoys the training. She enjoyed gender training very much as it made aware of her rights. She is now more confident about herself and wishes to become a competent driver, after completing her training.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/57

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

BILKIS BIBI
10/01/1989
10TH PASS
TOLLYGAUNJ FARI
MARRIED
1
26/12/2016
29/06/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Bilkis Bibi comes from the Tollygaunj area. She lives with her husband and a son. She comes from a resource poor family, so she wanted a job, but the challenge was her limited education, which was only till 10th standard. She was searching for a job also because she felt that it was only having a source of income which could empower a woman. So when she heard about Azad from Talash Foundation, she joined immediately. For her all the trainings were very important. Make her confident to move anywhere and do any type of work. She was very happy after passing the Permanent License exam. Now she wants to become a professional driver soon and go for long drives with her family.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/56

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SARINA KHATUN
05/06/1992
GRADUATE
SOUTH 24 PARGANAS
UNMARRIED
0
26/12/2016
29/06/2017
EMPLOYED



Sarina Khatun is from Kalyanpur village of the Diamond Harbour area. She belongs to a big and happy family. She lives with her father, mother and 3 younger sisters. Her sisters are all studying. She is an arts graduate and has always aspired to do something different and interesting. So when she heard about Azad from a friend at the Thoughtshop foundation, she immediately joined. After meeting so many women trainees and drivers at Azad, she felt very happy and determined to become a good driver as well. Driving on the road has been the most exciting moment in her life and postemployment with Sakha, she has fulfilled her desire to drive alone.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/55

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYA DEY
26/07/1991
10TH PASS
BAGUIHATI
UNMARRIED
0
26/12/2016
04/07/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Priya Dey comes from the Baguihati area and stays with her mother, brother and sister. Her mother and she are the only earning members of the family. She has completed her graduation and throughout her youth she has been very interested in driving. Whenever she travelled by bus, she always chose to stand beside the driver and watch him drive. She aspires to become a driver too and drive her own car someday. Suddenly one day she came to know about Azad foundation and joined right away. She has passed her Permanent License training and is now doing her self-driving training. She went through various trainings in the organization, but English training was the one she liked the most. She wishes to become a good driver as soon as possible and help her family financially.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/54

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NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PINKI SHAW
10/09/1980
LESS THAN 8TH
FULBAGAN
MARRIED
2
21/11/2016
16/05/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Pinki is from Narkeldanga village of the Fulbagan area. She lives with her husband, son and daughter. She has studied till 8th standard. She always stayed home before joining Azad, but when she came to know about Azad and the work they do, she joined. Her husband motivates her, as he himself is a taxi driver. Before joining Azad, she was scared of travelling anywhere alone. But through the training she has overcome her fear and has gained the confidence to go wherever she wants. She also made friends here and learned many new things. Now she is self-confident and wants to become a professional driver. One day she even wants to drive her car with her son, daughter and husband as passengers.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/53

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

BHARATI DAS
16/03/1994
GRADUATE
BANKURA
UNMARRIED
0
21/11/2016
17/05/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Bharati is from the Bankura district, Kolkata. Her father is a cook, mother is a house-wife and sister is in the 12th standard. Being the eldest daughter in the family, she wanted to take more responsibility of her family given the family's financial constraints. It was from there that she came to know about Azad and joined the driving-training as it seemed interesting with a future potential of earning well. During the initial sessions of driving, she wasn't confident enough, but gradually she overcame it and passed the permanent license exam. The English training was her favourite because she could communicate in a new language now. She wishes to complete her training and work as a professional chauffeur, as she loves to drive. With her earnings she wants to help her family, poor people and the church.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/48

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SARMINA SHAIKH
10/04/1995
12TH PASS
SOUTH 24 PARGANAS
UNMARRIED
0
26/09/2016
21/04/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Sarmina is from Dakshin Barasat area of the South 24 Parganas district. She stays in a house with her mother and siblings, since her father never took their responsibility. Her mother works in a fruit garden and is the sole earning member of the family. She is her inspiration. Presently she is pursuing her graduation and desires to get a job as soon as possible. When she heard about Azad driving training from the Lutheran World Service India Trust, she joined to be able to become an earning member. Among all the training sessions self-defence was her favourite, as it gave her the confidence to live her day to day life without fear. She wants to be a good professional driver to help her mother and her family. She even plans to build her own house one day, where she can live happily with her mother, brothers and sisters.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/44

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

PRIYANKA MONDAL
02/05/1993
GRADUATE
NORTH 24 PARGANA
UNMARRIED
0
26/09/2016
05/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Priyanka belongs to Hingalgaunjare village of the North 24 Parganas district. Her father is a daily labourer and mother a housewife. Her brother, is studying for his graduation. She herself is also a graduate but her parents wanted her to get married early. She, on the other hand, wanted to do a job. She worked in a Christian children's home before joining Azad and lived at the same place where she worked. It was from the same institute that she came to know about Azad. She has now passed her Permanent License exam and is very confident to travel anywhere and face any problem after the Azad training. She wants to complete her training soon and become a driver to support her family.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/43

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHIPRA NASKAR
25/07/1976
10TH PASS
SOUTH 24 PARGANA
MARRIED
1
24/08/2016
30/10/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Shipra comes from Kabardanga village of the South 24 Parganas district. She is 47 years old and stays with her husband and son. She came to know about Azad foundation from a faculty member in south Kolkata training center of Azad. She was excited to know about the training as she wants to support her family financially and make them proud. Initially her husband did not agree with her decision to undertake the training due to the time commitment it required, but now he understands and even supports her. She enjoyed the spoken English class and self-defence training the most. She hopes that she will complete her training soon and wishes to become a professional driver.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/41

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

NAHID PARVEEN
14/02/1990
LESS THAN 8TH
SEALDAH
UNMARRIED
0
24/08/2016
23/05/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA

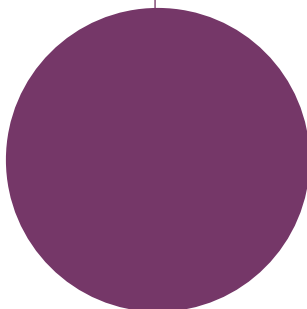


Nahid Parveen lives with her father, mother and three brothers. She wanted to continue her studies but due to ill health, she has had to take a break from her education. Before joining Azad, she stayed at home and did household chores. Her mother came to know about Azad from Thoughtshop Foundation and encouraged her to join. One of her brothers tried to oppose and subjected her to physical violence; however, with the help of the Thoughtshop foundation and her mother, she was able to overcome the threat. She got her Permanent License and now after getting a job, hopes that she can proudly claim her space in front of those who have not supported her. Self-defence was one of her favourite trainings at Azad as it gave her the courage to stand up against violence.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/38

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

RANI DAS
01/09/1996
8TH PASS
TOLLYGAUNJ
UNMARRIED
0
20/07/2016
21/04/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Rani Das is from Charu market in Tollygaunj area. She stays with her father and mother. Her father is a daily wage worker due to which there have always been financial problems in the family. She has studied till 9th standard, after which she had to quit studies and get into employment to support her family. She trained to become a beautician first but she was not successful in earning much. When she heard about the Azad foundation and the driving training programme, she joined to learn skills for better employment opportunities. It was very exciting for her to get her Permanent License. English Communication training is what she likes the most since she feels confident when she is able to converse in this foreign language. After getting a job, her dream is to build a house of her own and live with her family happily ever after.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/37

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

AFSARI KHATUN
24/10/1997
12TH PASS
PARK CIRCUS
UNMARRIED
0
20/07/2016
21/04/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Afsari stays with her mother and sister in Park Circus area. Her mother is the only earning member of the family. She always wanted to study, she has passed her higher secondary exam and is doing her graduation. She came to know about Azad foundation from a friend. She always dreamt of driving a car, so when she heard about it she decided to join. Her mother was against driving, but she managed to convince her. She has gone through various non-technical trainings, amongst which English and self-defence were the ones she liked the most. She thinks it will be very helpful when she gets a job as a driver. Post training, she wants to help her mother and family with her earnings as a professional driver.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/34

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SHIULI MUKHERJEE
13/11/1997
8TH PASS
NORTH 24 PARGANA
SEPARATED
0
20/07/2016
12/06/2017
WAITING FOR
EMPLOYMENT
THROUGH SAKHA



Shiuli is from Rajarhat village of the Newtown area. She is separated from her husband and stays with her parents. She appeared for the 10th standard board exams but could not pass. She used to give private tuitions to children before joining Azad. She came to know about Azad from the Thoughtshop foundation. It was her dream to sit on the driving seat of a car. She got upset when she could not get her Permanent License in the first attempt but was excited when she got the same. She enjoyed the English communication training and now can read hoardings written in English on road side shops. She is very happy and confident that she will become a professional driver soon. She wants to help her father and mother financially after getting the job.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/30

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

ANJALI HALDER
02/04/1985
8TH PASS
SOUTH 24 PARGANA
MARRIED
1
20/07/2016
13/06/2017
UNDER TRAINING



Anjali lives with her husband and daughter in the Sonarpur area of the South 24 Parganas district. They have a small business of home-made sauces and jelly. She always wanted to do something new so when she heard about the Azad from the Thoughtshop foundation, she joined immediately. She has gained a lot from her journey in Azad. Especially important was her self-defense training which is very important for every girl and woman in present day society. Her training had been temporarily disrupted due to a severe accident involving her husband which also led to the accidental death of her father. Due to long absenteeism, the validity of her Learners' License lapsed but she soon rejoined and got her Permanent License. Post Training her dream is to get a dignified job and give her daughter a bright future.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2016-17/29

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SANGITA ROY
28/07/1995
12TH PASS
PANCHANNA GRAM
UNMARRIED
0
16/03/2016
28/08/2017
EMPLOYABLE



Sangita lives with her parents and younger brother in Panchanna Gram. She came to know about the Azad foundation from Thoughtshop Foundation and enjoyed the sexuality and self-defence classes in Azad as they gave her courage. Earlier, she was afraid to leave her house alone, but now she feels confident enough to do so. Her father works in the driving sector and inspired by him, she too wants to complete her training and become a professional driver.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2015-16/41

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

MADHUMITA RAI
24/08/1984
8TH PASS
HOWRAH
MARRIED
2
20/12/2017
27/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Madhumita lives with her husband and two children. She came to know about Azad from a survey by Talash. She always wanted to learn driving so she did not miss this opportunity and joined soon after. She mentioned that she learnt how to speak confidently and how to walk on the street alone without being scared from the training at Azad. Now she wants to become a professional driver and make her family proud.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/47

NAME
DATE OF BIRTH
EDUCATION
LOCALITY
MARITAL STATUS
NUMBER OF CHILDREN
DATE OF JOINING
DATE OF PERMANENT LICENSE
CURRENT STATUS

SIKHA MONDAL
30/06/1985
10TH PASS
DUMDUM
SEPARATED
1
01/11/2017
28/03/2018
UNDER TRAINING



Sikha lives with her parents in the Dumdum area. She is separated from her husband who had subjected her to domestic violence. She came to know about the Azad Foundation through a campaign by Lutheran World Service India Trust. She feels much more confident after being a part of Azad and enjoyed the sexuality and self-defence classes the most as they gave her new information and a courage to stand up for herself. Now she wants to earn soon after completing her training, become a professional driver, raise her son well and fulfil all her dreams.

Enrolment No. WB/KOL/2017-18/37



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