

## **Proposal for Rs. 13500 to Nishtha Night Shelter Supported by Asha Atlanta Chapter, March 2015**

Main proposal: [http://www.ashanet.org/projects-new/documents/756/UpdatedAnnualBudget2014\\_2015.pdf](http://www.ashanet.org/projects-new/documents/756/UpdatedAnnualBudget2014_2015.pdf)

### **Additional Amount Requested by Nishtha: 13500**

During Padmanava's visit to Nishtha in January, Minadi mentioned that Government officials told them about a new circular which mandates boys and girls to reside in separate centers. So Nishtha has rented a separate place for the boys in Night shelter and the additional funds are requested to cover that cost.

The rent & electricity for the center - 1500 /month

The salary for the caretaker - 3000/month.

It started in January 2015 and Atlanta is sending funds till March 2015 during March 15 disbursal.

**So for Jan-March 2015, the budget is  $4500 \times 3 = \text{INR } 13500$ .**

The overall goal of the project is to provide a safe haven for 36 children of sex workers who are at high risk of being forced into the flesh trade. Asha provides funds to operate the night shelter with food, clothing and education to 36 children in Baruipur, West Bengal. In addition to providing funds to feed, clothes and educate the children, Asha also provides the salaries of the staff that help run the center.

Project Page, proposal and site visit updates can be found at:

<http://www.ashanet.org/projects/project-view.php?p=756>

Site Visit: The site visit was conducted by Padmanava from Asha Bangalore/Atlanta on January 2, 2015.