

## 6.12. Material Development :



One of the activities of the Institute is to develop material for the purpose of community awareness, information, education, research, training, and parent guidance. During the year under report the Institute distributed 74976 number of printed and audio-visual materials among various organisations and individuals.

### 6.12.1 Publications :

During the reporting period following publications were developed and published -

1. Know Your Hearing Aid
2. Voice
3. Stuttering
4. Diary, 2007 and Calendar, 2007
5. Institute Brochure
6. Awareness material on hearing impairment in eight North Eastern languages viz. Assamese, Bengali, Khashi, Mizo, Nagamese, Manipuri, Ao Tribe and Nepali were developed, translated and printed.



7. Ten leaflets, pamphlets and booklets in three different languages viz. English, Hindi and Marathi were modified, translated and reprinted.

## 6.12.2 Inhouse film production :

Educational and awareness films produced inhouse by NIHH during the reporting year is given below -

1. NIHH Film (revised) - 10.52 min
2. Communication Skills with Persons with Hearing Impairment - In Employment Exchange - 53.11 min
3. Auditory Verbal Approach for Inclusive Education - 10.00 min
4. Case of Fluency Disorder - 10.00 min
5. Language Disorder - 12.00 min

### Following films were converted from VHS to DVD and VCD

1. Roshni
2. Surmanthen
3. Ek Anokha Tofa
4. Ek Khel Aiknacha
5. Folk Songs

## 7.0 Other Events

### 7.1. Functioning of SC/ST Cell

A special SC/ST Cell set up in the Institute celebrated Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Jayanti on 14th April, 2006 and his Mahaparinirvana Din was observed on 6th December, 2006. The Cell is also exploring the various welfare measures to be taken for the SC/ST students of the Institute.

### 7.2. Women Cell

A Women Cell for the prevention of sexual harassment has been established. The primary objective of this cell is prevention of any kind of sexual harassment to women staff. The Cell promotes a healthy working environment for women staff.



### **7.3. Inspections**

Inspection of 20 NGOs was conducted by the staff of the Institute on behalf of the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Govt. of India and Rehabilitation Council of India, New Delhi.

### **7.4. Deputations**

The AYJNIHH deposes its staff for various workshops, seminars and training programmes to update their knowledge in their respective field as a part of human resource development. During the year under report 152 faculty and staff members were deputed for workshops, seminars and training programmes.

### **7.5. Participation in International Workshops/Seminars/Training, etc.**

Dr. Geetha Mukundan, Reader and Head, Dept. of Speech Language Pathology was permitted to proceed to USA under the Fulbright Senior Research Fellowship Programme for the year 2006-07 for a period of six months from 6th Sept.,2006 to 18th March, 2007. Her research topic was "A survey of different types of family centers for persons with disabilities and their applicability for improving education and quality of life of children with hearing impairment"