

3R GOOD PRACTICES IMPLEMENTED BY NGOs/



3R Good Practices in India

NGO /CBO	Enviro-Vigil
Activity	Biomedical waste management
OUTLINE OF 3R GOOD PRACTICES	
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OVERVIEW OF PRACTICES

Introduction

Enviro-Vigil is a Thane based Non Government Organization (NGO), which was formed in the year 2000, with an objective to educate and train the society on environmental issues. This NGO is committed to provide Clean, Healthy and Hygienic Environment to the citizens of Thane. With a group of dedicated and committed volunteers, it has undertaken several innovative activities and projects to create environmental awareness among the people of the society.

Activities

- Creating public awareness regarding solid waste management with the involvement of famous cinema and stage actors and actresses
- Development of "Theme Park" for solid waste management to educate the people in this regard
- Enviro-Vigil's Common Bio medical waste treatment facility

One of the projects of Enviro-vigil is "Bio Medical Waste Management in Thane". This project implemented a system of hospital waste disposal from 15 March 2003 in the city of Thane and its periphery. This system includes more than 950 hospitals where the hospital staffs are instructed to segregate waste properly. The segregated waste is collected by the transport division of Enviro vigil in specially designed vans to the disposal facility at Kalwa behind Chhatrapati Shivaji hospital.