

3R GOOD PRACTICES IMPLEMENTED BY NGOs/



3R Good Practices in Nepal

NGO /CBO	PRAYATNA
Activity	Waste management
OUTLINE OF 3R GOOD PRACTICES	
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3R Practice	Reuse, Recycle
Website / Data Source	Interview

OVERVIEW OF PRACTICES

Introduction

PRAYATNA is a non-governmental organization established in 1999, which is committed to the integrated development of children and women for their self-reliant development through education, awareness and capacity building for the empowerment of the disadvantage segment of the community. This organization includes development workers from various governments, non-government and international non-government organization. The organization is involved in implementing various environmental, educational and community development activities in a participatory way.

3R Good Practice

The project implemented by Prayathna focused on promoting household and scrap waste recycling and solid waste management. Some of the activities of Prayathna are;

- Training housewives and school children on reuse and recycle of waste
- Training on preparing instructional teaching material from the household waste for different levels and subject teachers of schools.
- Empower and capacitate community vulnerable women to duce, reuse and recycle household waste.

Different gift materials are made from recyclable waste materials by women/youth groups in the community and have been exhibiting their skills at various events. Several training programs are organized by the organization in order to empower the local community, increase public participation and ensure the sustainability of the project.

Outcome of the Practice

- Increased the skill, confidence and capacity of the community people and improved their Environment and Socio-economic situation through Education, awareness and capacity building activities.
- Reduced wastes plastic, paper and other scrap waste disposed haphazardly in streets, by the community.
- This organization has become model motivating other communities, schools in the district for its success in mobilizing women and students of the community and training them on cleaning the waste disposed in the streets.



Reuse of plastics waste



Gift items from plastics and paper waste



Training and display of materials made of recyclable waste