

**Construction of Three Positive Resting Homes for  
Menstruating Women in Dhanora block Gadchiroli,  
Maharashtra.**

**Status Report**

**04 Nov 2025**

## 1. Village Meetings and Execution Planning

- Conducted **1 village-level meeting** and **2 women's group meetings** in each of the target villages.
- Discussions covered:
  - Project approval updates
  - Community participation and roles
  - Identification of temporary stay arrangements for menstruating women
  - Material storage logistics
  - Finalization of **Bhoomi Poojan** (groundbreaking ceremony) dates



## 2. Demolition of Existing Period Houses (Kurma Houses)

- The demonstration and removal of existing **Kurma houses** have been successfully completed at all sites.



## 3. Bhoomi Poojan Ceremonies

- Bhoomi Poojan ceremonies for the new community houses were conducted as per the following schedule:
  - A) **Mohali Tola** – 28th May 2025
  - B) **Toyagondi** – 29th May 2025
  - C) **Pawani** – 30th May 2025





#### 4. Layout Marking

- Completed layout marking for all three houses based on the approved architectural drawings.



#### 5. Foundation Excavation

- Excavation for footing pits has been completed at all three locations: Mohali Tola, Toyagondi, and Pawani.



## 6. Eco-Brick Training and Production

- Required initial materials (PET bottles and sand) have been delivered to all three locations.
- **Eco-brick (bottle brick) training** was successfully conducted for women in all villages.
- Eco-brick production has been initiated.
- **Status of Filled Bottles as of 4th Nov 2025:**
  - A) **Mohali Tola:** 3,560 bottles
  - B) **Toyagondi:** 3,100 bottles
  - C) **Pawani:** 3,250 bottles



## 7. Vendor Selection & Procurement

- The vendor selection process has been successfully completed for all three sites
- Mason and helper mason selection has been successfully completed.
- Procurement of the initial required building materials has been finalized.

## 8. Construction Status

### A) Mohali Tola

- Construction of footing has been completed.
- Construction of the plinth beam has been completed.
- Brickwork has been completed up to the plinth level.
- Murrum filling in the plinth area/section of the building has been completed.
- Construction of brickwork and bottle brick walls work is constructed upto door lintel level.
- Window grill and Door frames installation is completed.
- Brick work of toilet and bathroom work is completed and slab casting also completed.
- Construction of all 6 columns upto the door plinth level.



- Balcony bottle wall is completed from two sides.
- Construction of bottle wall and column is ongoing over the door lintel level.





## B) Toyagondi

- Construction of footing has been completed.
- Construction of the plinth beam has been completed.
- Brickwork has been completed up to the plinth level.
- Murrum filling in the plinth area/section of the building has been completed.
- Construction of brickwork and bottle brick walls work is constructed upto door lintel level.
- Window grill and Door frames installation is completed.
- Brick work of toilet and bathroom work is completed and slab casting also completed.
- Construction of all 6 columns upto the door plinth level.
- Construction of bottle wall and column is ongoing over the door lintel level.



#### D) Pawani

- Construction of footing has been completed.
- Construction of the plinth beam has been completed.
- Brickwork has been completed up to the plinth level.
- Construction of brickwork and bottle brick walls work is constructed upto door lintel level.
- Window grill and Door frames installation is completed.
- Brick work of toilet and bathroom work is completed and slab casting also completed.
- Construction of all 6 columns upto the door plinth level.
- Balcony bottle wall is completed from two sides.
- Murrum filling in the plinth area/section of the building is ongoing.
- Toilet and bathroom slab casting preparation is ongoing.
- Construction of bottle wall and column is ongoing over the door lintel.







## 9. Next Steps / Upcoming Plans

- ❖ **Speed up the bottle filling process:** Mobilize the woman's and provide needful support for speed up the eco brick making.
- ❖ **Complete Wall Construction:** Finish brick and bottle-brick wall work upto the roof level.
- ❖ **Plumbing Work:** Start the plumbing work for bathroom and toilet section.
- ❖ **Flooring:** PCC bed preparation completion for flooring.
- ❖ **Roof Work:** Shed installation as per design.
- ❖ **Plastering & Flooring:** Do internal/external plaster, then start flooring preparation.
- ❖ **Community Engagement:** Conduct meetings and awareness sessions for use & maintenance.
- ❖ **Monitoring & Documentation:** Supervision, Record progress, community participation, and expenses.