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MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING

This contract agreement is made on date 15/11/2022 between The Principal and Psychology Dept, Government Aizawl West College (hereinafter shall be addressed as **First Party**) at Dawrpui Verghar, Aizawl, Mizoram and SHALOM Society (hereinafter shall be addressed as **Second Party**) having its office at A-48/1, Lalrengpuia Building, Lower Zarkawt, Aizawl – 796007, Mizoram.

Both the parties have come together to collaborate and to make mutual efforts; and have agreed to enter into a collaborative agreement for the following purpose:

- To raise awareness about HIV&AIDS and its related issues, especially among the young adult population including the college students.
- To inform and educate communities and promote awareness on HIV&AIDS and related issues, with the purpose of mitigating the epidemic in the state of Mizoram and reduce or prevent further transmission of the disease among the general communities, particularly among the young adult population.

SHALOM is implementing **Project Sunshine**, a PEPFAR (President Emergency Plan for AIDS Relief) project funded through **PATH** (a non-profit international organization, a global team of innovators working to advance health equity through innovation and partnerships) in the state of Mizoram, with Mizoram State AIDS Control Society as the Nodal Agency for the project. Among the four objectives of the project, intervention among adolescent and young adult population is one of the key and integral part, with the purpose of sensitizing and educating the targeted population on HIV&AIDS and its related issues, preventing HIV transmission and promote safe behaviours.

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Both parties, being legal entities in themselves desire to sign this MoU for advancing their mutual interests. Both the parties have expressed a common interest in achieving the goal of strengthening the youth with knowledge through this platform.

Now therefore, it is hereby agreed by and between the parties as follows:

1. Government Aizawl West College will provide a room to SHALOM within the college premises.
2. SHALOM will utilize this room to provide the following services: -
 - a. HIV Testing services on a weekly/fortnightly basis through the Case Detection Units (CDUs) of Project Sunshine, comprising of a Counsellor and a Laboratory Technician.
 - b. The room will be utilized to provide meeting space and encourage interaction discussion among students at least once every week or fortnightly. SHALOM staff will facilitate the meeting, and all meeting cost will be borne by SHALOM.
 - c. The room will be utilized to provide a platform for ideas, comments, and suggestions. Materials required will be provided by SHALOM. An informal helpline channel, preferably through social media platform will be developed through collaborative effort of the students and SHALOM staff.
3. Both parties will jointly conduct a survey amongst the students to assess their level of awareness regarding HIV&AIDS and related issues including substance abuse.
4. Any study or research conducted through this partnership will be a joint effort with involvement of both parties through mutual documented agreement.
5. Aizawl West College will assist in identifying volunteers among their students, who in turn will be the key players for achieving the objective of the partnership.

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Aizawl, Mizoram

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6. Both parties will jointly develop IEC materials with support from IEC Division of MSACS, and involvement of the volunteers, which will be utilized to raise awareness on HIV&AIDS and related issues among the targeted population.
7. Peer referrals will be encouraged for availing testing services.
8. The following details shall be included in the college's brochure in order to endorse the services that will be provided by SHALOM:
 - a. Name of the NGO, i.e., SHALOM (Society for HIV/AIDS and Lifeline Operation in Mizoram).
 - b. Official Logo of SHALOM
 - c. Services provided
 - d. Address and official email:
Lower Zarkawt (opp. Zote Bakery)
Aizawl- 796007, Mizoram
Email: shalom_azl@rediffmail.com, shalomazl2014@gmail.com

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SIGNED BY:

1. For and on behalf of Government
Aizawl West College:


(PROF. C. LALTHLENGLIANA)
Principal
Government Aizawl West College
Dawrpui Vengthar



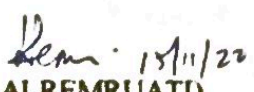
2. For and on behalf of SHALOM


(DR. CHAWNGLUNG MUANA),
Chief Executive Officer
SHALOM
Lower Zarkawt, Aizawl
Chief Executive Officer
SHALOM

3. For and on behalf of Authorized Faculty Members, Department of Psychology,
Government Aizawl West College, Dawrpui Vengthar:


(DR. LALROHLUI)
Assistant Professor & Head of Department


(MALSAWMTLUANGT CHUAUHANG)
Assistant Professor


(DR. LALREMRUATI)
Associate Professor


(DR. LALREMRUATI PACHUAU)
Associate Professor