

#### Background

Bandhu has been awarded 'Building Next Generation Movement Leaders and Organizations in South Asia for Young People's SRHR Phase II' project by Asian-Pacific Resource and Research Center for Women (ARROW). One of the major interventions of the project is to arrange a discussion meeting with young gender diverse youth leaders on Sexual and Reproductive Health and Rights (SRHR) and Comprehensive Sexuality Education (CSE) which is titled as 'Youth Talk'.

HIM initiative which is a platform for young male gender diverse people and from Possibility which is the platform for gender diverse girls and women.

#### Objectives of the event

- Develop the knowledge level of gender diverse youth leaders on SRHR and CSE;
- Capacity strengthening of the participants on SRSH and CSE advocacy and communication;



#### About Youth Talk on SRHR and CSE

It is important to know about the youths thinking and experiences regarding SRHR issues and giving them information on CSE and SRHR is equally important. To bridge the knowledge gap, Bandhu arranges sessions with youth participants. One session will be held in each year. The young participants will be selected from Bandhu's

- Produce an action plan with deliberate thinking and input by the participants.

#### Date

30 November, 2108

#### Venue

Chelakotha, Lalmatia, Dhaka

#### Concept:

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## Recommendations from the participants

- Youth leader selection who will talk on SRHR and CSE among peers
- Training arrangement in education institutions
- BCC and IEC material development
- Arranging campaign in Social media
- Short film making on SRHR issues and animated movie
- SRHR app develop
- Group adda (discussion) on SRHR and CSE
- E-flyer on SRHR and CSE
- Art therapy on SRHR and CSE (particularly for mental wellbeing)
- Photography competition
- Debate arrangement on issues around SRHR
- Workshop arrangement with parents, teachers and care-givers
- Utilizing print and electronic media
- Arrangement of SRHR program with 'Shishu Academy'
- School based SRHR team building
- Work with 'School Scout' and networking with Scout and Girls' Guide.
- A booklet on seven elements of CSE could be developed in Bangla for distributing among adolescents. The seven elements of CSE are- Gender, SRH and HIV, Sexual Rights and Sexual Citizenship, Pleasure, Violence, Diversity, Relationship.

