

“NANGAN is the oxygen for the organizations who are working to control the HIV & AIDS pandemic.”

Mukti Nath Koirala, “CWRS”

“NANGAN is an umbrella organization of NGOs working on HIV & AIDS with its main responsibility being to build capacity of its member organizations and to maintain good relations with the government and international donors.”

Ram Pd. Gyanwali, “Naulo Ghumti”

“NANGAN is a national level organization of NGOs working in HIV & AIDS sector through its coordination of and collection of issues from various organizations and through its reporting to the government. From time to time it helps NGOs and assists the government in policy formation.”

Narayan Paudel, “Trinetra”



NANGAN's Executive Board 2008-2010

S.N Name	Organisation	Designation
1. Ms. Tulasa Lata Amatya	CAC-Nepal	President
2. Mr. Hari Prasad Awasthi	CRDS-Nepal	Immediate Past President
3. Ms. Bishnu Ghimire	Sakriya Sewa Samaj	VicePresident
4. Mr. Jagadish Chandra Bhatta	Nagarjun Development Committee	General Secretary
5. Mr. Amba Datta Bhatta	Prasnsa Samuha	Treasurer
6. Dr. Usa Jha	Samjhauta Nepal	Member
7. Mr. Madan Raj Bist	Institute of Culture Affairs (ICA- Nepal)	Member
8. Mr. Sarwan Ranjit	Himalaya Social Welfare Organization (HSWO)	Member
9. Mr. Mahesh Aryal	Bidhyarthi Jagaran Munch (BIJAM)	Member
10. Bijaya Dhakal	Jagariti Mahila Sangha (JMS)	Member
11. Roshan Mahato	Blue Diamond Society (BDS)	Member
12. Basanta Chettri	NAP+N	Member

Note: As per the provision of NANGAN's Constitution five other board members will be represented by the Coordinator of each Development Region. In addition one PLHA member and two members from vulnerable groups' will be represented within the NANGAN Board.

VSO-NANGAN'S PARTNER:

VSO's vision "Sharing Skills - Changing Lives" has been a constant support for NANGAN since May 2004, when NANGAN entered into partnership with VSO. VSO assists NANGAN with staff & board capacity building, organizational management and advocacy support. VSO provides NANGAN with Advocacy and Management Volunteers.

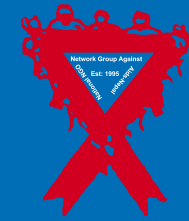
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NATIONAL NGOs NETWORK GROUP AGAINST AIDS-NEPAL (NANGAN)



Is your organisation focused on HIV & AIDS control in Nepal? Come join NANGAN !

Come join the oldest I/NGO network working in Nepal for HIV & AIDS prevention, control, care and support !

WHAT ARE MEMBERS' BENEFITS?

- ▶ Effective lobbying of member organizations' HIV & AIDS concerns at the National level.
- ▶ Valuable advocacy at the National level of policy making.
- ▶ Informative consultative meetings at the Regional level.
- ▶ Collective backing of members' organizational concerns.
- ▶ Supportive capacity building and inter-linkages between donors and members.
- ▶ Useful and appropriate trainings for member organizations upon a majority of members' request
- ▶ Effective capacity building training.
- ▶ Timely communication of vital HIV & AIDS information.
- ▶ Free upload of members' documents and data through the NANGAN website.
- ▶ Free e-mail networking to all members.
- ▶ Free quarterly newsletter.
- ▶ Free availability of NANGAN networking services.

WHO ARE WE?

We are the National NGOs Network Group against AIDS-Nepal [NANGAN] an autonomous, non-political, non-profit organization working in HIV/AIDS control, prevention, care and support in Nepal.

Our **VISION** is a Society without AIDS

Our **MISSION** is supporting its members in the prevention of HIV, giving treatment and care to HIV & AIDS infected and affected persons, with the values of solidarity, empathy and respect for the rights of all by providing effective communication and information sharing, policy influence, capacity building of member organizations, advocacy and coordination.

Our **GOAL** is to contribute effectively to the reduction of current HIV & AIDS prevalence rate in line with the Millennium Development Goal [MDG] for Nepal.



WHAT DO WE DO?

- ▶ Advocate for effective policy at the national and local levels in order to insure the rights of the PLHAs and other vulnerable groups and to implement HIV & AIDS programs in the country.
- ▶ Enhance the capacity of NANGAN and its member organizations through training and establishing decentralized and effective network units.



- ▶ Establish a knowledge resource facility in the HIV & AIDS sector in order to smooth and strengthen network information sharing amongst member organization and other stakeholders.
- ▶ Coordinate, collaborate and cooperate with GOs//NGOs and civil society working for HIV & AIDS prevention, control, care and support.



WHAT ARE OUR SUCCESSES?

- ▶ Assisted in the development of national strategies such as the National AIDS Strategy 2002-2006 and the National HIV & AIDS Operational Plan 2003-2007.
- ▶ Established Regional Coordinators, Activists and Task Force Committee in all Nepal's five Regional Districts.
- ▶ Raised HIV & AIDS awareness through creative street dramas



- ▶ Secured World Bank Project Funding in Mumbai amongst 75 competitors in order to create "PLHAs Friendly Hospitals".
- ▶ Conducted regional and national consultative meetings throughout 2007 and onwards.
- ▶ Conducted a successful Management Workshop for its member organizations.

WHAT ARE MEMBERS' OPINION?

“NANGAN has a good advocating image which helps create meaningful lives for youth and PLHAS.”

Durga Bahdur Thapa, “Naulo Ghumti”

“The first time I heard about NANGAN and got their information I realized that NANGAN was doing good work in the field of HIV & AIDS. I suggest that NANGAN extends its program and continue to maintain good coordination with all its members even though there may not be any donors to fund NANGAN.”

Prabati Thapa Magar, Zonal Police Office, Pokhara.