



SOCIAL CHALLENGES DURING AND AFTER LOCKED DOWN

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ABSTRACT:

Unpredictable attack of covid – 19 on human life is going to be an unforgettable crises in the history of development .Effect of pandemic covid-19 see in every sphere of life. Government announced lock down for prevention from community spread. Still medical science could not find exact medicine or vaccine on this contagious disease. Therefore, physical distancing is the best prevention option by infection. So many countries including India have passed the orders of lockdown to prevent the spread of covid-19. The lockdown means the overall stop to all dealings, services , transport, entertainment, manufacturing, etc. The remedy and prevention from the infection of this disease are the home-staying and the physical distancing all the way. But the lockdown leads so many problems in the society

From 1st lockdown to 5th lockdown, the tremendous change occurs in society. Due to lockdown, so many challenges are faced by the people.

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Social Challenges during locked down :-

The corona period is being proved very critical to every member of the society. Nobody has ever experienced such type of lockdown period since the human origin up to this progressive phase of the human life and as a result, this crisis has born to some new social problems. The labour class in the different areas in the country has been highly getting suffered from the lockdown.

The Labours Are In Exile:-

The labour class in the country seems highly suffered from the corona and the lockdown stage. The migrant labours from the different parts of the country have been badly trapped in their working places and as a result of lockdown to their employment equally, they face a starvation problem. There was no possibility for the labours to return to their native places in lack of transport and non employment. They were helpless to decide whether to get infected of the disease or to be starved.

A damage to a private occupations:-

Lockdown led a great damage to the small sector businessmen. e.g. Saloon shops, footpath market sellers, plumbers, electricians,

carpenters have met the worst time of starvation.

❖ The Economical Problems:-

❖ The financial system collapsed:-

The lockdown bears the most horrible problem, 'economical problems'. As a result of the complete lockdown in all the states of the country, all the trades, businesses, dealings, marketing, export-import deals have nearly come to choke up. This lockdown choked up the taxes and revenues generating from the market and buying-selling deals. The economy of the states and country may face a great crisis in future as a result of lockdown.

❖ Growth In The Unemployment:-

The lockdown damaged all the trades, industries. Private businesses. As a result, there is a growth rate in the unemployment. Except the government employees, the private sectors employees have been facing the great crisis while the labours , maids and daily wages workers have been facing an ordeal in earning the bread and butter.

❖ The Social Problems:-

The lockdown bore the so many social problems at great extent as,

➤ **Growth In Social Discontent:-**

Along with so many social problems in the society, the growth in the social discontent in the country is the main crisis. The common people in India understand that the Tabligi samaj (one of the sects from Muslim community) are responsible for the spread of covid-19. This misunderstanding bore the disharmony between the Hindu and Muslim communities and may affect possibly the secular structure of the country. And in adding a fuel this misunderstanding, instead of cooperation and responsibility, some Muslim people attacked the doctors, nurses, policemen and service providers that sowed the seeds of disgustingness and hatred among other societies.

➤ **Growth In Crime:-**

The lockdown situation made the labour class and other daily wages workers jobless. And as a result of emptiness and worse mentality, they are prone to commit the crimes. Most of the prisoners and criminals after awarding the leave of parole as a part of prevention from an infection of covid-19, are committing other crimes in addition. There is a growth in the rate of crime and violence in this lockdown period more than other time.

❖ **The Family Problems:-**

➤ **Growth In Domestic Violence:-**

In the lockdown period, there is growth in the women violence all over the world. As the lockdown periods extends in the world, the news of women violence break out. In Turkey, about 14 women have been cruelly killed by their life-partners in this lockdown period. During this lockdown period, the helpline in Pune has recorded the rate of growth of complaints of domestic violence more than 83%. About 60% women are highly educated, middle class and upper class out of these affected women. All the natural and man-made disasters at last affect

the women and other weakened classes specially. It is really a matter of worry that there is growth in the rate of domestic violence on women in the safe frame of home in this crisis time.

➤ **Growth In Family Tensions:-**

Because of lockdown, the whole family is having a holiday together. Apart some conscious families, there seems some stress and tensions in many families where the matured children, parents, grandparents stay together. The internal disputes have been emerged among the families in the modern culture in lack of privacy.

➤ **Growth In Economical Thrift:-**

In the lockdown period, the people under the poverty line seems struggling to earn their bread and butter. They face a great financial problems while earning the livelihood to purchase the grocery and other daily needs.

➤ **Growth In Old People's Problems:-**

In the lockdown period, there is a growth in the problems of old people in the home. The working members of the family being already in the worry of scarcity of money and compulsory leaves, they struggle to balance all the things well and cope with the old people and their hygienic problems.

❖ **Deterioration In Mental Health:-**

On the background of Covid-19 and lockdown situation, the most people have been literally locked in their own house. As a result, there is no job/work to their hands, somebody has a scarcity of money, some family members have been stranded in other parts of the country are making them worried and stressed. The uncertainty and fear of this epidemic covid-19 made most people depressed, stressful, worried and unbalanced that resulted in embarrassment and mental shock in the society. So many mental illnesses and mental peculiarity alike depression, helplessness, uncertainty, delusion, are found in the people's behaviour and treatment.

❖ **The Educational Problems:-**

The government has ordered to close all the educational institutes, schools and colleges in the lockdown period. As a result of lockdown, all level exams have been delayed uncertainly. There is no time guarantee of commencing these exams due to lockdown, made many students fearful and stressful from the point of their career building. They never experience such horrible situation before.

❖ **After locked down period**

➤ **Relaxation in social life:-**

It seems that lockdown brought a relaxation in the social life as a result of instability in all dealings, educational institutes, and non-transport led so many problems. All these worse conditions slackened the development speed of the society.

➤ **Fall In Growth Rate:-**

As the economy gets strengthened, the graph of the progress of the country goes high as well. But , the lockdown causes the economy of the state and country for their fall in the growth rate in the development. So after locked down period ,great challenge before government to increase fallen economic growth rate.

➤ **A great loss to the education sector:-**

The great loss is being occurred to the education sector from the locked down. All the educational institutes have been shut down in the locked down period which made the students and their parents confused equally as well. The great problem before the educationists is how to manage a damage to the education after the lockdown period.

➤ **To normalise the life:-**

The government will have to face the challenge to restart all the businesses, occupations, institutes, offices as they were before normal.

➤ **To provide the mental security:-**

The government has to face the challenge to stabilise the disturbed society, firstly protecting them from the infection of the corona-19 and secondly providing them mental security as well.

CONCLUSION:

In this way, during the lockdown period in prevention to covid-19 and its spread in the communities ,has given birth to so many problems in the society. but not only during locked period but after locked down period society will be fighting with number of social issues born due to locked down.

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