



E.K.T.A Resource Centre for Women Milestones in the Journey

Year	Events
1990	✍ Birth of E.K.T.A...
1991	✍ Starting of partnership with Action for World Solidarity (ASW); - Initiation of capacity building process...
1992	✍ Initiation of Study Circles and socio- legal counseling unit...
1993	✍ Launch of student sensitization program in colleges...
1994	✍ Study on the Socio- economic status of migrant women in Madurai slums... ✍ Presentation of the findings of the study at the Asian Regional Fellowship Meeting at Seoul...
1995	✍ Participation in the IV International Women's Conference, Beijing... ✍ Facilitation of pre and post Beijing processes... ✍ Facilitation of a campaign to address the issue of Violence Against Women...
1996	✍ Launch of a campaign to promote and strengthen Women's Political Participation... ✍ Strengthening the Grass root Partnership Program through Womankind...
1997	✍ Highlighting the status of Women through an Exhibition titled Women towards 2000...
1998	✍ Initiation of sixteen Days Activism in schools and colleges to understand the issue of Violence Against Women...
1999	✍ Launch of Micro Credit training as a tool for Women's Empowerment ✍ Initiation of Organizational Development processes for NGOs...
2000	✍ Launch of the White Ribbon Campaign to enlist men's solidarity to address the issue of Violence Against Women... ✍ Initiation of Life Education Programme in schools... ✍ Publication of a Calendar on Women titled 'Pages from Her Story, Glimpses of Women's Struggle in Tamil Nadu'...
2001	✍ Decennium celebration of E.K.T.A; Reflection to strengthen Perspective and commitment... ✍ Publication of an Anthology of Women of Achievers' Life Stories from Tamil Nadu...

2002	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Launch of Campaign for Domestic Violence Bill... ✍ Study on the 'Functioning of Gram Sabha' in six Southern Districts of Tamil Nadu
2003	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Strategic planning to evolve the future plan of action... ✍ Initiation of Social Audit Processes... ✍ Translation of 'Understanding Gender' into Tamil...
2004	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Strategic planning – programmes finalization ✍ Publication of CEDAW in Tamil ✍ Reprint on Publication of an Anthology of Women of Achievers and Ten women Bicycle ✍ Poster on Sexual Harassment & Patriarchy
2005	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Protection and promotion of Childhood programme in Cuddalore District ✍ Study on <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Gender and Tsunami ➤ Gender and HIV/AIDS ➤ Family court ✍ Programme with youth in collaboration with NSS ✍ Programme with adolescents in Schools ✍ Study circle ✍ White Ribbon campaign among college students and men ✍ Training on Gender and Law, Gender and Health ✍ Networking and solidarity ✍ Sexual harassment at work place committee ✍ Strategic planning process ✍ Poster on Women's day ✍ CEDAW booklet and reprint of booklet Ten women bicycle and Anthology of Women of Achievers- Life Stories from Tamil Nadu ✍ EKTA office building inaugural
2006	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Cuddalore Resource Centre coordination ✍ Shelter home for children at Killai through Protection and Promotion of childhood programme and the work in 21 target villages of Cuddalore district ✍ Programme for college students on Disaster management ✍ Students for change campaign initiated for college students ✍ Life Education Programme with focus on Child rights Convention

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Training on Gender, Panchayat raj, Domestic Violence Act, CEDAW and Right to information act ✍ Women's Political empowerment day celebration at state level ✍ Posters on Panchayat raj and reprint of posters on Sexual harassment at work place and Stop violence poster. ✍ Booklet on our Body – Good touch Bad touch ✍ Internal Evaluation of EKTA ✍ EKTA Training Centre inaugurated at Kodimangalam ✍ Visit by the OXFAM team from Srilanka
2007	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Nambikkai Centre inaugurated (Shelter home of EKTA-CESVI) at Killai ✍ Workbook on Child Rights for School children ✍ Release of the Short stories for women and children- "Sigarathai Noekke", "Evarkalin Vazhu or Elatchia Payanam" ✍ Release of the study - "A study to understand the factors responsible for the incidence of HIV / AIDS and their impact on women"
2008	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Publication of CEDAW concluding comments ✍ Release of Posters depicting the impact of Corporal Punishment in Schools ✍ Publication of the study report on Family Courts in Tamilnadu. ✍ Story book for children and women published ✍ Regional consultation on Gender and Masculinity at Madurai
2009	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Release of poster on Political participation of women , CEDAW and Optional Protocol ✍ Partnership with SANGAT and conduct of Gender and Development Course. ✍ Regional consultation on Gender and Masculinity at Chennai
2010	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Coordination of Reservation Express Campaign ✍ State level consultation to monitor the implementation of PWDVA ✍ Study on 498 A ✍ Reflection on 20 year of EKTA
2011	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Release of Study on 498A in Tamil Nadu ✍ Work with PRI
2012	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Launch of OBR ✍ CEDAW/PWDVA South Regional Workshop
2013	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✍ Work with Adolescent Girls on Sumangali Scheme ✍ Wada Na Toda – Madurai Zonal Meeting

	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✍ State Level Consultation on Prevention of Sexual Harassment at Workplace✍ Work on Safe Madurai
2014	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✍ Release of Exploring Masculinity (Translation)✍ Work with Youth on Masculinities.
2015	<ul style="list-style-type: none">✍ Girls Count Campaign✍ Collaboration with IWPG, South Korea.✍ Launch of Global Women's Climate Justice Day of Action✍ Launch of 17 Days of Activism for the Empowerment of Rural women and their community

