

## *Computer Aided Literacy Program*

The objective of this initiative is to impart functional literacy and improve awareness on Health and Nutrition of mothers and children, amongst illiterate women and adolescents through computer aided literacy program with an add-on health & nutrition module at the community level.

The project is being implemented jointly by Department of Tribal Welfare, TCS, and local NGO – VACHAN in Triambak and Peth Blocks of Nasik districts.

TCS is providing the hardware, software, training of trainers and support in designing monitoring tools. Department of Tribal Welfare is leading this project by supporting the cost of transportation of computers, cost of procuring primers, UPS, stationeries and covering overhead cost of NGO's. VACHAN who is the main implementer of this project is involved in identification of sites, identification of facilitators (*Preraks*) and day-to-day management of the learning centres. Community is providing space and electricity for the centre.

The expected outcome of the project is to make considerable numbers of illiterate women from interior tribal areas learn about life skills and good practices on health and nutrition.

