

# Tihar holds onsite prison staff training programme



India Vision Foundation with United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC) held a workshop in Delhi in association with the prison staff of Tihar Central Jail Number 6. The aim of this workshop organised on October 18 was to strengthen the project being run by Social Education and Health Advocacy Training (SEHAT).

The project focuses on HIV, Drugs and empowering the inmates with life skills and enabling the inmates to face the world on their own after the release.

At the workshop, the prison staff including the superintendent, medical staff, deputy superintendent and the rest of the jail officials performed their own characters in a play.

Dr. Sarangi, consultant UNODC explained the staff the importance of their participation in the structure explained during the workshop while

Kunwar Vijay Pratap Singh, DIG Amritsar Central Jail shared with the participants his experiences and challenges he faced during the reformation of Amritsar jail.

C.R.Garg, DIG Tihar was also present on the occasion and extended his full support to the project and appealed to his staff to come forward to take upon themselves this project.

**A similar training module will be organized at Amritsar Prison on November 10, 2006.**