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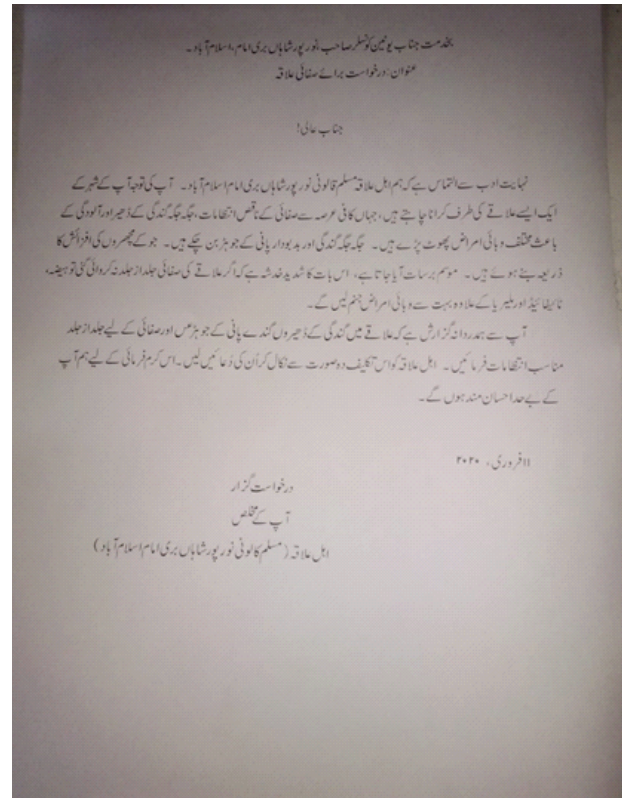
Case Study

Child Protection Committees take up children's right to health

As a result of Group Development Pakistan (GDP)'s community mobilization by field officers, five child protection committees have been formed in communities around Mashal School in Bari Imam and in the E-11 sector.

In Bari Imam, GDP trained community members (men and women) on domestic and environmental hygiene, as a result, the Ispalal area committee has come up with a plan to clean up the locality to contribute to their community's public health. Committee members have written an application to the Councilor of the Union Council with the demand to have the area cleaned up via effective garbage removal, so that children's right to health would be fulfilled. This is the direct outcome of the sensitization sessions on child rights - which underlined the children's right to health and life- conducted with vulnerable communities targeted under this project.

One of the mothers, who was engaged at community level, followed up with the Union Council after this letter and eventually, the municipality came to clean up the area! (see picture underneath)



Letter sent to the union council by committee members to ask local authorities for a cleaner environment