

SyndicateBank
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PRIORITY SECTOR CREDIT DEPARTMENT

PRIORITY FOR WOMEN – TOWARDS GREATER EMPOWERMENT

- Women have occupied pride of place in the Bank in employment as well as in credit dispensation.
- Bank pioneered the concept of “**All Women Branch**”. The first such branch at Seshadripuram in Bangalore was opened as early as 1962.
- 21.00 % of credit outstanding under Govt. Sponsored **Anti Poverty Schemes benefit women**.
- Out of 2,05,979 Self Help Groups with credit assistance amounting Rs. 2165.43 crore, 1,82,359 are women groups with a credit assistance of Rs. 1868.10 crore. **Women groups** constitute 88.53 % in terms of number and 86.27% in terms of amount.
- Out of total 2,60,116 unemployed youths trained for taking up self-employment ventures at **Rural Development and Self Employment Training Institutes (RUDSETIs)** sponsored by the Bank, 95815 were women candidates constituting 36.84 %.
- Out of total 72,376 unemployed youths trained for taking up self-employment ventures at **Syndicate Institute of Rural Entrepreneurship Development (SIRD)** sponsored by the Bank, 43761 were women candidates constituting 60.46 %.

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