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Developing group dynamics index for self-help group members

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SUMMARY : The present study conducted at Theni district of Tamil Nadu. For developing group dynamics index twelve self-help groups have been selected and the data were collected through focus group discussion and personal interviews with the respondents. The purpose was to analyse the group dynamics among the members of rural self-help group women by developing an index called Group Dynamics Index (GDI). Group co-operation, Group communication, decision making process, group role, motivation, participation, leadership behaviour, group value and group behaviour have been selected as group dynamic components.

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