

## 1. Organization Building Among the Poor

PROSHIKA has pioneered the concepts and methods of organization- building among the poor that are living in the rural and urban areas and encouraged them to organize themselves into groups, popularly known as *samitis*. The primary groups form group federations at village, union and upzila levels already reaching to 10,255 broader organizational networks. These form the basis of the participatory development and spur on acquisition and strengthening of human, socio-economic and cultural resource bases of the poor.

