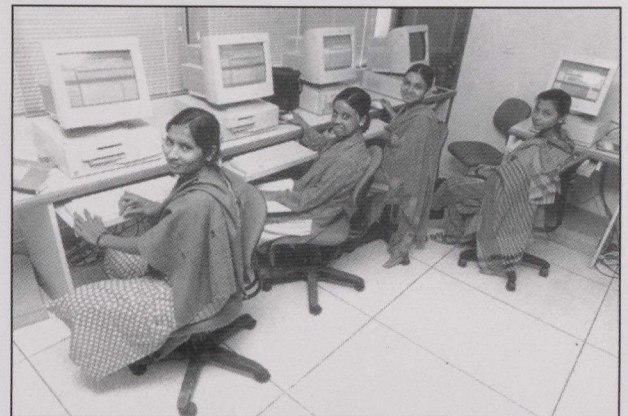




Skill training provided to enable them to initiate micro enterprises by utilising their own resources



'The Miracle Grass'  
Vivifer grass planted on the embankment  
to protect from erosion by rain and flood



Rehabilitation service to assist acid survivors

## CROSS CUTTING THEMES

Gender equality and environment are integrated into all projects and are also addressed through specific initiatives

### GENDER EQUALITY

- Policy Leadership and Advocacy for Gender Equality (PLAGE) helps the Ministry of Women & Children Affairs to promote gender equality in policy planning within Government of Bangladesh.
- A local NGO initiative in support of women garment workers.
- Acid Survivors' Foundation.
- A responsive gender fund for local NGOs.

### ENVIRONMENT

- CIDA manages a responsive local fund for environment issues.
- Support through CARE (The Co- operation for American Relief Everywhere) for reducing vulnerability to climate change.