Adolescence is considered to be the highly crucial stage in human life which may engender deviance in behavioral patterns. Neighborhood disorder, ineffective parenting, peer-school achievement and ward’s involvement, with deviant peers are considered to be major risk factors associated with deviant behavior during adolescence. Both girls and boys bring experiences similar risk factors during adolescent phase. The influence of certain risk factors like abuse in the family, poor victimization, lack of parental trust and interaction, deviant peers etc. have a significant role in developing deviant traits in girls. Bad neighborhood and improper status lead to some extent lead to development of behavioral problems in girls. 

The present study seeks:
1) To determine the influence of various risk factors present in the family, school, neighbourhood, among peers leading to delinquency in adolescent girls
2) To understand the impact of individual risk factors (victimization, stress, low self esteem etc.).

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