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ABOUT CONGENITAL HEART DISEASE

Congenital Heart Defect, also known as a Congenital Heart Anomaly or Congenital Heart Disease (CHD) is a problem in the structure of the heart that is present at birth. CHDs are the most common types of birth defects. These defects can be in the walls of the heart (resulting in hole in the heart), the valves of the heart (resulting in blockage or leakage), the arteries and veins near the heart, which disrupts the normal flow of blood through the heart. The blood flow can slow down, go in wrong direction or to the wrong place.

FACT SHEET

- **1 in 100 children are born with Congenital Heart Disease**
- **Approximately 1,80,000 to 2,00,000 children are born with CHDs each year in India**
- **Only 10,000 to 15000 children are able to access treatment**
- **Rest either do not survive or get added to pool of children waiting for their treatment**

Congenital Heart Defects affect a large number of new born in India and accounts for a high proportion of infant mortality nationally. There are regional differences in the prevalence and distribution pattern of Congenital Heart Defects. The majority of CHD cases are diagnosed between the age group of 0 to 5 years. The lack of experts and specialist in Pediatric Cardiology severely affects the accessibility and early detection of cases of Congenital Heart Disease.



SIGNS AND SYMPTOMS OF CHDs

The signs and symptoms of Congenital Heart Disease are as follows

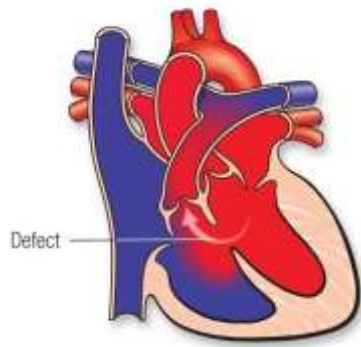
- A bluish tint to the skin, fingernails and skin(The medical term used by doctors is Cyanosis - a condition caused by lack of oxygenated blood)
- Fast breathing and poor feeding
- Poor weight gain
- Recurrent Lung infections
- Inadequate blood circulation



SCREENING AND DIAGNOSIS

The different test for diagnosis of CHDS are as follows

- **Echocardiogram:** A type of ultrasound that takes pictures of your heart. There are different kinds, so ask your doctor what you can expect.
- **Cardiac catheterization:** A doctor guides a very thin, flexible tube (called a catheter) through a blood vessel in the child's arm or leg to reach the heart. Dye is put through the catheter and then X-ray videos are used to see inside of heart.
- **Chest X-ray:** These can reveal signs of heart failure .



KEY CHALLENGES IN TREATMENT OF CHDs

- **Lack of awareness and delay in diagnosis:** A substantial proportion of births in India occur at home, and the infant is likely to die before the critical, ductus-dependent CHD is diagnosed. Fortunately, the rate of hospital deliveries have significantly increased due to several incentivized schemes by the Government of India. However the general masses are ignorant about the prognosis of the disease and number of them believe that a child with CHD is doomed and will never be able to lead a fruitful life, even if intervened. Delay in referral results in poor outcomes as complications and co-morbidities (such as under- nutrition) may have already set in.
- **Lack of Infrastructure and resources:** The resources for treatment of CHD are not only inadequate but also seriously mal-distributed. The geographical distribution of the treatment centers is very uneven. Poverty, which is the greatest barrier to successful treatment of CHD is more common in states with little or no cardiac care facilities. Transport of newborns and infants with CHD is another neglected issue in India. There is practically no organized system for safe transport of newborns and infants with CHD.
- **Financial Constraints:** In most instances, families are expected to pay for the treatment out of their pocket, which they can barely afford. Approximately half of the families borrow money during the follow-up period after surgery .Many families lose their wages as they are away from work during care of these children. The number of public hospitals which provide care at a low cost are very few. Most cardiac centers, especially those set-up more recently, are in the private sector and may not be affordable for the majority. Public hospitals are faced with a very large number of patients and have waiting lists ranging from months to years


JOURNEY OF CHILD HEART FOUNDATION

There is a famous saying which states - **“Follow your heart and your dreams will come true”**

Sadly the truth is something different. In India about 78,000 born with Congenital Heart Disease (CHD) die every year because of inadequate healthcare facilities and lack of awareness. It impacts 6 to 8 children in every 1000 children born in India. According to the estimates approximately 1.5 to 1.8 Lakh babies in India are born with CHDs.

Keeping the above facts in mind and sharing a common expression of pain and experience, 7 parents came together with Dr. Vikas Kohli- one of the renowned Neonatal and Pediatric cardiologist in India and his focus area being interventional cardiology and fetal cardiology. During his journey Dr. Kohli recognized the need for an organization whose sole purpose would be to create awareness about Congenital Heart Defects (CHD) and help poor patients who are unable to support treatment of their children. This resulted in the formation of Child Heart Foundation and it was registered on 7th January, 2013 under the Indian Trust Act 1882.

CREDENTIAL

- **Registered under the Indian Trust Act 1882**
 - **Date of Registration : January 7, 2013**
 - **Registration no : 18, Book No 4, Volume no 7**
 - **PAN No : AABTC3985D**
 - **12 A : DEL-CR22736-18032013**
 - **80 G : DEL-CE24542-18032013**
 - **Guide Star no : 8537**
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- **Transparency Key from Guide Star**
 - **Registered with Charities Aid Foundation**
 - **NITI AYOGE DARPAN registration : DL/2017/0158818**
 - **TISS Empanelment in process**

ABOUT CHILD HEART FOUNDATION

Our Vision

- 🏥 Early diagnosis of child heart disease (CHD) in India, appropriate treatment of CHD with internationally accepted mortality and morbidity
- 🏥 Pediatric cardiac treatment should be within reach of every child irrespective of their financial status and economic background
- 🏥 To have regional Pediatric Cardiac Centers in all states where economically challenged patients can seek best of treatments without spending a single penny

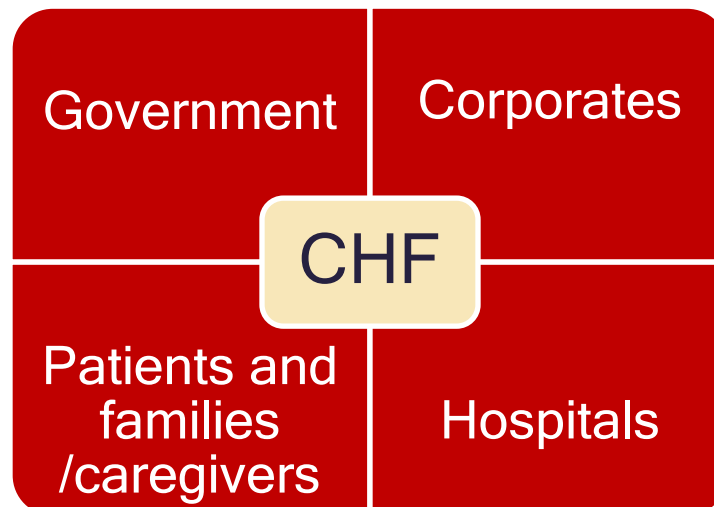
Our mission

- 🏥 To treat each and every child with heart disease
- 🏥 To educate the next generation of leaders in child health care, define and cascade steps for creating pediatric cardiac center's in all the cities of India with the aim of working specifically for underprivileged people
- 🏥 Sharing the knowledge of Pediatric Cardiology amongst medical community to improve awareness and early diagnosis
- 🏥 To uplift Pediatric Cardiology through technological and scientific advancement to achieve international standards of care
- 🏥 Becoming a helping hand for the government bodies for treatment of marginalized children born with CHD

OUR VALUES



OUR STAKEHOLDERS



OUR GOVERNANCE

(A) ABOUT OUR TRUSTEES

Professor Subash Kashyap (President, Child Heart Foundation)



He is a retired physics professor from IIT Delhi. He has a strong educational background and a vast teaching experience in the field of physics. He served as director at Kamla Nehru Institute OF Technology n Sultanpur in 1998-1999, dean in faculty of Engineering, RML, Avadh University, Faizabad (U.P) in 1998-99 and professor in IIT Delhi in June 2011.

Dr. Vikas Kohli (Founder Trustee, Child Heart Foundation)



One of the most renowned Pediatric Cardiologist in Delhi. His major expertise is Interventional Pediatric Cardiology and his interest lies in Neonatal Cardiology, Fetal Cardiology and to improve Neonatal Cardiac survivals in developing countries. His area of interest is in Interventional Pediatric Cardiology; his current area of interest is in Neonatal Cardiology; Fetal Cardiology (Fetal Echocardiography) and improving neonatal cardiac survivals in developing countries.

Varsha Bengani (Treasurer)



She is commerce graduate from Delhi University and has a diploma in Fashion Designing. She is a dedicated homemaker with a loving and supportive family. She has been actively involved in the social work since the last 10 years

Pallavi Bharadwaj



She is a health and lifestyle coach in India. After completing her studies in nutrition in U.S.A and UK, she is practicing as successful holistic health and a lifestyle coach.



Dr. Poonam Kohli

She is an American Board certified Child specialist practicing in Delhi from last 15 years. She has trained in Jackson Memorial Hospital, University of Miami, USA for 3 years. She has worked in Pediatric Cardiac Intensive care at Kolkata for 2 years, Doha Qatar New born ICY for 2 years & Riyadh Saudi Arabia for 2 years. From last 15 years, she is serving patients in India.



Sonal Nagpal

She plays a dual role of a homemaker and a professional. She has worked for twenty years as a Project manager in the delivery lead in the field of content development and E - learning and has worked with brands such as IBM and NIIT. Her forte has always been dedication towards work and commitment towards delivery excellence and client satisfaction. She is passionate towards child and maternal health issues.



Neetu Tyagi

She has strong background of social work and has been active in welfare services of children. She has done M.S.C in human development and has been working for the last 8 years in the field of research and development. Her research papers have been published in several journals and publications

(B) BOARD OF ADVISORS

(I) Mr A.K Nair

Mr Nair is the Director of A. K. NAIR & Co, a firm of Chartered Accountants established by persons having a collective professional experience of over 40 years in providing specialized services in the field of Management Audits, Taxation, Company Law Matters, Corporate Services, Project Development and Financial Consultancy.

(C)OUR TEAM

Ms. Sunita Harkar Shalla, Head of Operations



“Looking at the relieved and happy faces of parents who bring their child for regular follow up after successful treatment reassures me that joining Child Heart Foundation has been one of my best decisions in professional life so far”.

A post graduate in pharmacy with a Diploma in Human Resource Management she has more than twenty years of experience in research, academic and social work. She joined Child Heart Foundation in Feb 2018, She was working in Cancer Awareness and Prevention organization before joining CHF



Abhijit Sarkar, Senior Project Manager, Child Heart Foundation

He has 7 years of experience in the development sector. He is working in Child Heart Foundation as a senior manager and is involved in project conceptualization, function of the day to day operations, volunteer management and event coordination etc.



Ashok Varshney, Senior Executive - Digital Communications

He has 6 years of experience in Digital Marketing and Communications. He has the experience of designing content for reputed organizations such as Markup Design Private Limited, Home Shop 18, Dainik Jagran Prakashan and Wildnet Technologies Private Limited

Overview of Projects

- Two new projects were launched which are CHF SAHYOG - Financial Assistance for Travel Allowance and Medicines for needy families and Volunteer Engagement Program (VEP)
- Child Heart Foundation has been accredited with FCRA Certification

1. PraDAAN™: Pediatric Cardiac OPD

Under this program the patients from all over the country and underprivileged backgrounds are provided free/discounted screening service for diagnosis of Congenital Heart Defects (CHD). The Screening is done through Echocardiography which is a diagnostic tool to diagnose any heart abnormality among infants and children. The target population belongs to 0 to 18 years.



Project Impact	Delhi	Siliguri	Punjab	Total
Number of Free OPDS conducted	48	11	11	70
Number of Echocardiography conducted	912	475	363	1750

2. JEEVANSH™: Fetal Echocardiography Program

Under this program a free of cost screening service is provided to pregnant women from economically weaker section. The patients are referred through independent gynecologist, government hospitals and private clinics etc.



The beneficiaries undergo fetal echocardiography through which a heart health assessment of the unborn baby is done. The results of the test are effectively communicated to the expecting parents along with a treatment plan through a one to one counselling process. The details of beneficiaries' screened under the program are as follows

Project Impact	Delhi	Siliguri	Total
Number of Free OPDS conducted	12	11	24
Number of Fetal Echo	88	121	209

3. CHF HRIDAAN™ : Financial assistance Program for Treatment

Under this program the patients with diagnosed through PraDAAN Programme are registered for further treatment and support. The registration process involves validation of address and income. The parents / caregivers of the patients are also counselled about the fundraising process and the process associated with it such as granting of informed consent by the parents or caregivers, process of obtaining referral letters etc.



A rigorous online counselling process has been developed by Child Heart Foundation under which representatives of Child Heart Foundation periodically counsel the care givers and families and share the regular updates in which the status of the fundraising process is shared.

LIVES WE HAVE TOUCHED THROUGH CHF HRIDAAN



Sourav is a 11 months old boy, born with a hole in heart. Estimated cost of the heart surgery doctor told was 2.2 lakhs which his father was unable to collect as he works in a DTH company as daily wagger. The family reached out to Child Heart Foundation for help. We raised funds and he was successfully operated on 15-04-19. He is now discharged and doing well.



Aarav Pal aged 1 year belonging from Saharanpur was diagnosed with Patent Ductus Arteriosus. Her mother Mrs. Ravita Pal beign a single mother was unable to afford the cost of his heart surgery. Child Heart Foundation raised Rs 1,20,510 for this treatment under CHF HRIDAAN Project. Aarav sucessfully underwent his heart surgery on August 22, 2019



Shayan Saha aged 2 years was born in BhelKhopa a remote village in CoochBehar District of West Bengal. His father Krishna Saha worked as a Daily Wage Labourer. Shayan was diagnosed with Patent Ductus Arteriosus(PDA) during a free OPD conducted in Siliguri. Child Heart Foundation raised Rs 50,000 for this treatment. Shayan sucessfully underwent his Heart Surgery at Dr. Chhangs Superspeciality Hospital in Siliguri, West Bengal



Pooja aged 18 years was diagnosed with Ventricular Septal Defect(VSD) which is essentially a hole in the heart seperating the two lower chambers of the heart. His father - Brahm Kumar workled in a small factory and was unable to afford the cost of Poojas treatment. Child Heart Foundation raised Rs 1,82,572 for her treatment . She sucessfully underwent her heart surgery on October 31, 2019 at Indraprastha Apollo Hospital



Aleena belonging from New Delhi aged 2.5 years was diagnosed with Tetralogy of Fallot - a rare condition caused by a combination of four heart defect that are present at birth. Mrs. Nidhi Haidar Ali parent of a girl with Heart Defect raised funds for Aleena at Airtel Delhi Half Marathon 2019. Through her efforts Child Heart Foundation was able to raise Rs 3,30,000 for treatment of Aleena. Aleena underwent her successful heart surgery named TOF repair on November 12, 2019 at Fortis Escort Heart Institute.



Bhawna at the age of 10 years was diagnosed with Atrial Septal Defect during her screening at Child Heart Foundation. His father Mr. Rohtash requested for financial assistance from Child Heart Foundation. She was immediately registered under the financial assistance program. Child Heart Foundation raised Rs 1,40,000 for Bhawna's surgery over a period of 2 years. She successfully had her heart surgery (ASD Device Closure) on November 19, 2019.



Agamdeep Singh belonging from Punjab, aged 2 years was diagnosed with Patent Ductus Arteriosus (PDA). His father - Mr. Sandeep Singh was working in a private and was unable to support the cost of an immediate heart surgery. Child Heart Foundation registered the child on an urgent basis and raised Rs 65,219 within a few days of his registration. Agamdeep underwent a successful heart surgery on November 15, 2019.



Zaryab aged 15 years was diagnosed with Patent Ductus Arteriosus during his screening in one of the Thursday OPDs. Her mother - Sadia being a single mother was shocked on knowing this. She herself was dependent on her sister and was unable to afford the expensive nature of the treatment. Child Heart Foundation successfully raised funds for Zaryab's surgery, he underwent successful surgery on November 28, 2019 at Indraprastha Apollo Hospital.

The details of all the children who have undergone Heart Surgeries in the year 19-20 is as follows

S.no	Name	Hospital	Amount
1	Saurabh	Indraprastha Apollo Hospital, New Delhi	Rs 1,00,000
2	Jayesh	Indraprastha Apollo Hospital, New Delhi	Rs 3,01,530
3	Aarav Pal	Indraprastha Apollo Hospital, New Delhi	Rs 1,20,510
4	Maanik	AIIMS	Rs 80,000
5	Aleena	Fortis Escort Heart Institute	Rs 1,97,000
6	Puja	Indraprastha Apollo Hospital, New Delhi	Rs 2,12.022
7	Agamdeep Singh	Indraprastha Apollo Hospital, New Delhi	Rs 65,219
8	Ahaan	Indraprastha Apollo Hospital, New Delhi	Rs 30,000
9	Zaryab	Indraprastha Apollo Hospital, New Delhi	Rs 1,96,299
10	Bhawna	Artemis Hospital, Gurugram	Rs 77000
11	Shayan Saha	Dr. Chhngs Superspeciality Hospital, Siliguri	Rs 50,000
12	Angshu Debnath	Dr. Chhang's Super Speciality Hospital	Rs 14500
13	Sumit	AIIMS	Rs 34000

14	Nivik	Indraprastha Apollo Hospital and Holy Family	Rs 1,20,000
15	Ajay	Artemis Hospital	Rs 23227
16	Fareed	Fortis Escort Heart Institute	Rs 2,82,000
17	Abhinav	Indraprastha Apollo Hospital	Rs 1,15,950
		Total amount sponsored for treatment under CHF HRIDAAN	18,07,235

4. SUGYAAN : Community Healthy Heart Awareness Program

During the year 2019-20 different awareness program were conducted under the SUGYAAN PROGRAM to disseminate knowledge about importance of a healthy heart and educating the masses about Congenital Heart Defects. The details of the activities undertaken under the SUGYAAN Program are as follows



S.no	Date	Name of event	Venue	Number of participants
1	23 rd and 24 th of September	India CSR Summit	Hotel Pullman, New Delhi, Aerocity	500
2	12th October	Stall at British High Commission Residence	British High Commission residence	180
3	20 st October, 2019	Participation in Airtel Delhi Half Marathon	Jawahar Lal Nehru Stadium	150
4	29th September 2019	Observance of World Heart Day	USI, New Delhi	350
5	23 rd November 2019	Employee Awareness Program at Digitas	Sector 18, Udyog Vihar, Gurugram	150
6	24th November 2019	Employee Awareness Program at Oyo International	Sector 56, Gurugram	55
7	24 th December 2019	Christmas Celebration with CHD Warriors	Uday Park	70
8	25 th December	Christmas Stall At Uday Park	Uday Park	50
Total people impacted through Sugyaan - 19-20				1505

5. PH Life Care Program: Financial Assistance for people with Pulmonary Hypertension

Under this program counselling and financial assistance is provided to patients suffering from Pulmonary Hypertension. The details of patients to whom financial assistance has been provided under the PH Life Care Program are as follows



S.no	Name	Fathers name / Husbands name	Address
1	Vinay	Sundarlal	3022, Sitaram Bazaar, New Delhi
2	Sanatan Mahto	Sanjib Mahato	Aadarbara, Jaipaiguri
3	Ashad	Kamalluddin	Nagar Panchayat, Udham Singh Nagar, Uttarakhand
4	Varun Singh	ViveK Singh	Jaipur Rajasthan
5	Jyoti Yadav	Satyender Yadav	Goyat Pana, Ward no 14, Meham(Rohtak)
6	Piyush Kumar	Sanjeet Chauhan	Village Makaipur, Post office - Madhura, PS : Korba, District :Katihar, Bihar
7	Sathi Burma	Prasenjit Barman	Coochbehar, West Bengal
8	Rohit Sharan	Referred from Anath Shishu Palan Trust of India	Haridwar Uttarakhand

6. CHF Sahyog

Under this program parents and caregivers of the patients are provided financial assistance for the cost incurred by them on medicines and outstation travel.

The beneficiaries of this program include: -

- Single Mothers
- Parents with Disability
- Patients from remote locations of the country bearing huge cost on outstation travel



At present 4 patients are supported under CHF SAHYOG Program. The details of the beneficiaries are as follows

S.no	Name	Age	State
1	Navneet Kaur	3 years	Haryana
2	Vinay Kumar	17 years	New Delhi
3	Ashad		Nagar Panchayat, Udham Singh Nagar, Uttarakhand
4	Aayush Kumar	4 years	Uttarakhand

7. Hriday Saksham™

Child Heart Foundation has established a training program which is certified by National Skill Development Corporation. The program follows the international outline of training Pediatricians and Neonatologists in diagnosis of Congenital Heart Disease. The training program involved 2 days of intensive introduction



to Echocardiography, 5 days of learning of abnormalities related to CHDs and 6 months of Self - echocardiography studies sent to us over a period of six months. During the year 2019-20 29 doctors were trained under Hriday Saksham Program and their details of are as follows

S.no	Name of the Doctor	Date of Enrolment
1	Dr. Akhileshwar Narayan Chaudhary	27/04/2019
2	Dr. Ruchi Rai	08/05/2019
3	Vineet Gupta	08/05/2019
4	Jaya Raj R	08/05/2019
5	Nilesh Palwankar	09/05/2019
6	Saurabh Mohabey	03/06/2019
7	Niraj Gupta	23/06/2019
8	Teja Mendu	07/07/2019
9	Sung Eun Park	26/07/2019
10	Alok Rai	10/08/2019
11	Moriam Lamina	10-08-2019
12	Chintakrinda Ajay Kumar	25-08-2019
13	Triya Dhawal	25-08-2019
14	Rahiyen Menon	21-09-2019
15	Pradip Paudel	11-10-2019

16	Nilesh Tawade	11-10-2019
17	Nitin Unde	14-10-2019
18	Sridhar Arunachalam	28-10-2019
19	Gurdev Chowdhary	05-11-2019
20	Ankush Khanna	08-11-2019
21	Harendra Meena	23-11-2019
22	Kushal Agarwal	23-11-2019
23	Sumit Jeena	21-12-2019
24	Ayyanar Vetrivel	26-01-2019
25	Poonam Agrawal	022-02-2020
26	Sunil Sharma	022-02-2020
27	Nandish Kishori	06-03-2020
28	Yacine Braham Chaouch	07-03-2020
29	Rohit Kapoor	07-03-2010

8. Volunteer Engagement Program

The Child Heart Foundations Volunteer Engagement Program aims at empowering adolescent and youth volunteers to become ambassadors of social change and ensuring volunteering remains that the core values of Child Heart Foundation. Students and working professional sign up for volunteering specific number of hours with Child Heart Foundation. The minimum commitment to enrol under this program comprises of 50 hours. The thematic areas of volunteering are as follows

- Content writing
- Photographic and Video Documentation
- Social Media
- Community /NGO Outreach
- Awareness for Healthy Heart



The students and working professionals who have volunteered with Child Heart Foundation during the period 2019-20 are as follows

S.no	Volunteer	School/ College / Organization	Area of Volunteering
1	Danika Bashishta	Modern School	Content Writing
2	Deepanshi	DPS	Community Outreach
3	Chanchal Pal	IGNOU	Pradaan(Thursday OPD)
4	Shivani Singh	Delhi College of Arts and Commerce	Community Awareness(Art and Craft)
5	Mudra Gaur	Oyo International	Community Awareness
6	Pranay Baid	Manipal University	Fundraising
7	Harshita Singh	Aryabhata College	Data Management
8	Bhumika	Delhi College of Arts and Commerce	Pradaan(Thursday OPD)
9	Purva Arora	Sri Venkateshwara College	Data Management
10	Aarti		Pradaan and Jeevansh (Thursday OPD)

HOW WE WORK

Step 1 : Free / discounted OPD on every thursday in Delhi and twice a month at Punjab and Siliguri under PraDAAN Program

Step 2 : The patient diagnosed with Heart Defects as a result of free / discounted OPD are registered under the CHF HRIDAAN Program

Step 3 : Filling and scrutinizing the required documents which includes income certificate of the parents, address proof, copy of aadhaar card and date of birth certifiante

Step 4 : Taking informed consent from the family to use the pictures and videos for fundraising

Step 5 : Initiating fundraising through different models

Step 6: Referral to specilaized hospital for facilitating treatment procedures

Step 7 : Continous communucation with the family and facilitating free follow up visits



Awareness at Select City Mall : A two day awareness program was conducted on 4th and 5th of July at Select City Walk. During the program an interactive stall was set up to spread awareness for Congenital Heart Defect. Interactive games and activities were conducted such as Quiz Contest, Puzzles, Photo Booth and simultaneously awareness was spread among children, parents etc



India CSR Summit : Child Heart Foundation participated in India CSR Summit held at Hotel Pullman and Novotel on 23rd and 24th of November 2019. It was a pleasure to receive words of encouragement from Celebrity Actor - Mr. Rajesh Kumar. Through this event more than 400 people comprising of CSR heads and NGO professionals were reached and awareness was created about the programs of Child Heart Foundation



Observance of World Heart Day : Child Heart Foundation in association with Rotary Club South Metropolitan came together to spread awareness on Healthy Heart at United Services International on 29th September 2019. The distinguished speakers and experts gracing the event were Padma Bhushan - Dr. Ambrish Mithal - Chairman and Head of Endocrinology and Diabetes Vision of Medanta Hospital, Padmashree, Dr. Ganesh Mani - Adult Cardiologist - Max Hospital, Dr. Vikas Kohli - Pediatric Cardiologist and Founder Trustee -Child Heart Foundation, Dr. N. Subramanian - Medical Director, Apollo Hospital, Ms. Ishi Khosla- Clinical Nutritionist and Founder of Whole Foods and Mr. Avijeet Kumar, COO, CAF India and Mr. Arun Kumar Begani, Entrepreneur and Marathon Runner



Fundraising at Soul Fest: Child Heart Foundation participated as an associate organization in the yearly fundraiser organized by Canmsupport on October 12th at British High Commission residence. During the event plants were sold to raise funds for children with Congenital Heart Defects



Airtel Delhi Half Marathon :Child Heart Foundation participated in Airtel Delhi Half Marathon held on 20th October at Jawaharlal Nehru Stadium. More than 55 people represented Child Heart Foundation in this annual run and 5 care champions raised funds for treatment of Children with Congenital Heart Defects. Our care champions were - Mr. Arun Kumar Begani, Mr Vikrant Sharma, Mr. RoopaRam Chaudhary, Ms. Kalpana Deka Shaha and Ms. Nidhi Haidar Ali. The total funds raised for Child Heart Foundation were Rs 10,70,472



Corporate Stalls : Awareness and Fundraising Stalls was organized in Digitas and Oyo International on 23rd and 24th of October. More than 300 employees participated in the event. We also raised funds by selling creative products such as Indoor Plants, Unicorn Pens etc



Christmas Celebration with CHD Warriors
:This Christmas celebration on December 25th was very special for all of us at Child Heart Foundation as we celebrated the successful cardiac treatment of our 50th CHD warrior . We thank ' Smile of Hope ' for making this event possible. All of CHD warriors had fun in decorating the Christmas tree and were deeply engrossed in other activities as well! We hope to have many more celebrations in future too:



CHD Awareness Month: Child Heart Foundation celebrated CHD Awareness Month from February 1 to February 29 by spreading awareness about Congenital Heart Defect



ACHIEVEMENTS AND ACCREDITATIONS

FCRA Certificate

Child Heart Foundation received the FCRA Certificate from the Government of India under Foreign Contribution Regulation Act. Child Heart Foundation now can accept donations globally. An outcome of this development has been that an International Payment Gateway has been activated on the Website of Child Heart Foundation and International Donors can donate directly to Child Heart Foundation.



Recognition at Airtel Delhi Half Marathon

It was a proud moment for Child Heart Foundation at Airtel Delhi Half Marathon 2019 Awards evening as our Care Champion - Mr. Arun Kumar Begani was awarded highest fundraiser award in the Gold category. Our Founder Trustee - Dr Vikas Kohli was invited to talk about congenital abnormalities and the overall work done by Child Heart Foundation.



Receipt of Gold Seal of Transparency by Guide Star India

Child Heart Foundation has received Gold Seal of Transparency by Guide Star India. This is a testimony to strong mechanisms of transparency and accountability in operations of Child Heart Foundation,



IMPACT, CHALLENGES AND WAY FORWARD

Impact

Program	Outreach (Direct and Indirect)
PraDAAN (Free Pediatric Cardiac OPD)	1750
JEEVANSH (Free fetal echo for pregnant females)	209
CHF HRIDAAN (Financial assistance for treatment)	17
SUGYAAAN (community awareness program on healthy heart)	10,000
PH Life Care (Financial Assistance f	8
CHF Sahyog	4
Hridya Saksham	29
Volunteer Engagement Program	50
Total lives impacted in 2018-19	12067

Challenges

- Raising funds for critical cases and emergency situation particularly in circumstances which require immediate medical attention and treatment
- Lack of education and poverty makes it difficult to spread awareness at the community level. Continued awareness is imperative to ensure that delay in screening and diagnosis is combatted
- The lack of trained medical practitioners in the remote villages, slums and resettlement colonies, communities etc. is a huge constraint in making treatment accessible to underprivileged communities

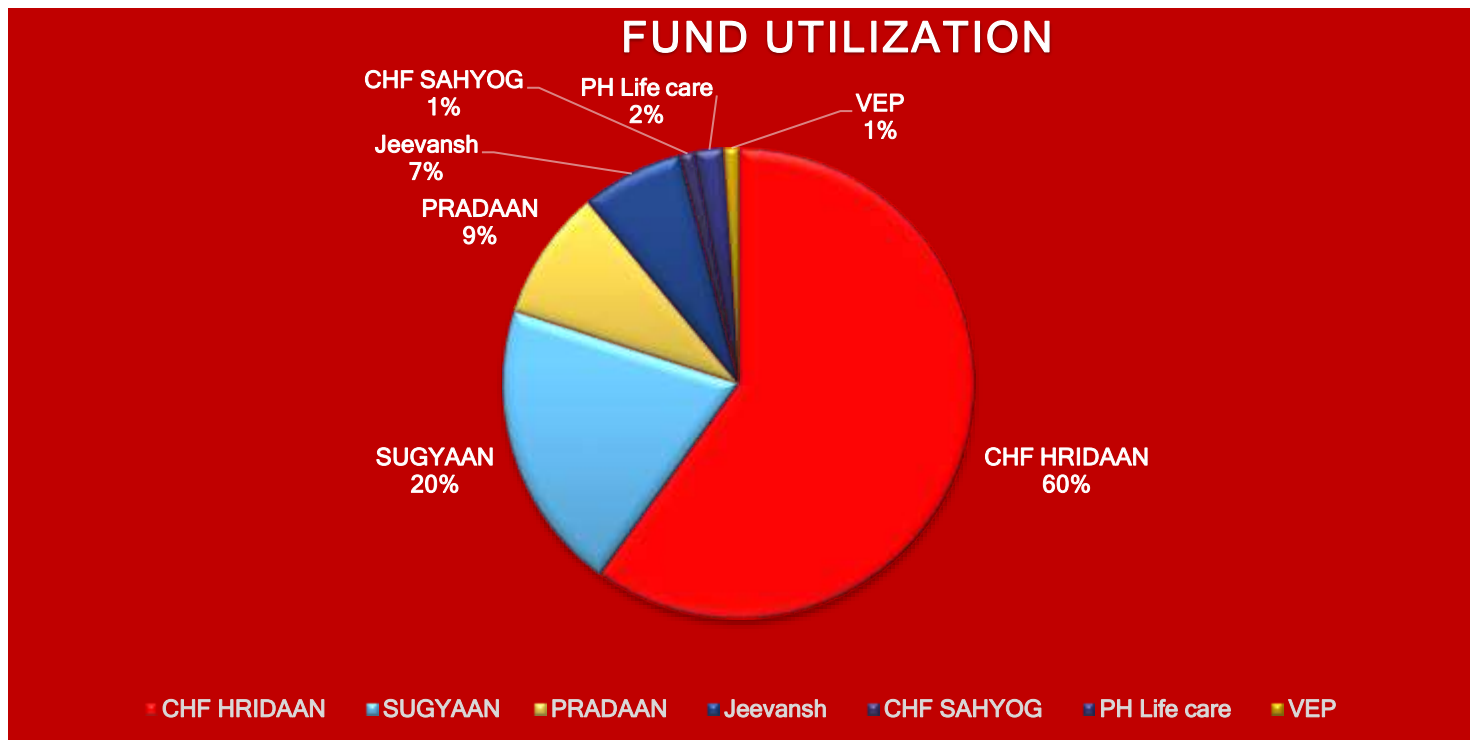
Way Forward

- Expanding our outreach trough programmatic partnerships
- Building our own Cath lab/ Hospital
- Raise more funds for emergency cases
- Developing association with International Organizations and Associations

- Planning and implementing a signature event using creative mediums such as Music and Theatre
- Enhancing visibility of the organization through Digital Marketing and Social Media platforms which will require support of trustees
- Create awareness about Congenital Heart Defects and importance of having a healthy heart



FINANCIAL SUMMARY



The broader heads under which funds raised has been utilized are PraDAAN™, JEEVANSH™, CHF HRIDAAN™, SUGYAAN™, HRIDYA SAKSHAM™, PH Life Care, CHF SAHYOG and Volunteer Engagement Program(VEP)



OUR PARTNERS AND SUPPORTERS



Frick India limited is a public limited company incorporated in the year 1962. Under its Corporate Social Responsibility Frick India Limited is supporting the HriDAAN Program under which financial assistance is provided to children with Congenital Heart Defects from belong to underprivileged backgrounds



Sitaram Jindal Foundation is a charitable organization which was started with the sole objective to help with moral and social upliftment of the weaker sections of the society. In the year 2018-19 Sitaram Jindal Foundation supported in treatment of children with Congenital Heart Defects from underprivileged backgrounds



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