

# "The true measure of a man is how he treats someone who can do him absolutely no good."

Samuel Johnson







# OUCHING LIVES OF 1728686 PEOPLE THROUGH PARTNERS COVERING GO **OCATIONS** ACROSS INDIA

## "I wish every child gets best nutrition and clean water" Dr. Bhatt

In our drive towards healthcare for underprivileged, the doctors of Max Hospitals play an important role and take pains to provide their services to the needy, away from their air conditioned units in the hospitals.

Dr. Rafiq Bhatt from Max Hospital Saket is one such doctor, who has been quite regular at our camps and treats patients with extreme affection and care.

Extremely passionate about his profession, Dr. Rafiq is one of the few doctors who are looking for an opportunity to serve the underprivileged. "I believe that if doctors have been blessed with this talent to save lives, we should give something back to this world", he says. Dr. Rafiq has had a difficult childhood and perhaps that's what reflects in his attitude towards the needy. "I have seen a lot of struggle in my childhood. Raised by a single mother, I have studied in a very ordinary Government school and had limited means and access to good facilities. But I feel when you rise from the grassroot, you actually realise the value of life", he shares. "It is not always important to have the right



conditions to work but most important is to have the right attitude – and that is the sense of service", smiles Dr. Rafig. This Sevabhav is a hallmark of Max doctors and nurses.

When we asked him what is the one thing he would like to change about these children, "Good and nourishing diet along with clean drinking water is what I wish that every child should get. If that is achieved, the need of medicine will automatically go away", replies the Doctor.

#### LIFELINE EXPRESS – HEALTH ON WHEELS



Doctors from Max Hospital Patparganj and Max Super Speciality Hospital, Saket, served at the Lifeline Express camp in Shivpuri, Madhya Pradesh from April 2 to 22.

**Dr. Vivek Dutt**, Orthopaedic surgeon, Max Saket, **Dr. Sonalika Singh** – Gynaecologist, Max Saket, **Dr. Smita Batni**, Gynaecologist, Max Patparganj, **Dr. Sunoor Jain**, Anaesthetist and **Dr. Jai Kishan Anandani**, Anaesthetist from Max Hospital Patparganj participated in the camp in which they conducted 21,174 OPDs, 614 operations; distributed 6,700 spectacles and 575 hearing aids. A big thank you to all the Doctors!

Lifeline Express, a medical operation train is an initiative driven by the Impact India Foundation to provide better health facilities to the masses of rural Madhya Pradesh, mainly in the Gwalior-Chambal region. It is based on a novel concept of providing free and comprehensive rural medical facilities in the form of surgical intervention, rehabilitation and preventive treatment of curable disabilities including cardiac checkups, correction of polio, treatment of cleft lip and burn contracture.

The Express is a fully functional five-bogey train with operating theatre facilities, examination equipment and rest areas, and is parked in a designated area for a month. It enables poor and disabled patients to live in camps close to the railway station where the train is stationed and allows them to be examined and operated on by specialists.

# 200 people treated at Sanghol village and 264 benefitted at Dhakrani health camp

200 underprivileged people were treated at a free multispecialty health camp organized by Max India Foundation at **Sanghol village**. The camp was organized in association with Max Super Specialty Hospital, Mohali and Max Specialty Films, the production unit of the Max Group based near Ropar.

A team of nurses, doctors, pharmacists and paramedic staff comprising of Dr. Ashok Gupta, Internal Medicine, Dr. Divya Awasthi, Gynaecology, Dr. Harpreet Kapoor from Ophthalmology, Dr. Iqbal Singh from General Surgery and Dr. Monika from Paediatrics addressed the healthcare needs of all those present at the camp. The camp was conducted in collaboration with Cordia Group of Educational Institutes, situated in Lord Rana Edu-City, Sanghol.

264 people in **Dhakrani** were benefitted at a Multi Specialty Health camp. Doctors from Max Super Speciality Hospital, Dehradun, marketing and nursing staff along with Max Life Volunteers played a crucial role in the execution of the camp. Thanks to Dr. Devdas Samala, Dr. Bhawna Tiwari, Dr. Salil and Dr. Jagdish for your valuable services. MIF provided free eyeglasses to 60 patients at the camp with the help of NGO, Vision Spring.



# MORE THAN **5,000 PEOPLE** HELPED WITH SURGERIES

Max India Foundation has supported 5,127 high-end surgeries for the under-privileged since inception. These surgeries include a large number of pediatric cardiac surgeries, brain tumor surgeries, reconstructive surgeries, neuro surgeries, orthopedic surgeries, cataract surgeries, oncology care and renal transplant.



#### **PEHAL:** Employee Volunteering at Max Life Insurance



Pehal, the CSR employee volunteering program of Max Life Insurance, marked a significant step in the journey of giving back to the community.

The program which saw participation from over 50 employees was formally launched on April 27 with a cleanliness drive around the DLF Square building, Gurgaon, in the presence of Mr. Y Puran Kumar, IPS, Joint Commissioner of Police, Gurgaon, Mr. Amit Khatri, IAS, Additional Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Gurgaon, Mrs. Mohini Daljeet Singh, CEO, Max India Foundation, Mr. Rajesh Sud, CEO and MD, and the senior management team of Max Life.

#### Towards a mission to create Dhakrani as a model Village

Our mission to create Dhakrani as a model village continues and this could not be possible without the passion and effort from team Max Life Dehradun. A team of 50 Max Life Insurance employees and agent advisors volunteered to visit 100 households at Dhakrani on April 28, to sensitize the villagers on waste management, cleanliness, hygiene and introduce them to financial literacy.

So far, 500 households have been covered under this campaign.



# **GLIMPSES OF HEALTH AND AWARENESS CAMPS**

A total of 67 Health camps were conducted in April benefitting 14,695 people across locations. Awareness camps on various health issues including oral, menstrual and general hygeine were also conducted during the month to reach out 1,508 people.



Immunization camp at Dhakrani village by our NGO partner, Bella Health

## **IMMUNISATION CAMPS THIS MONTH**

Name of the NGO	Location	Vaccination provided			
		MMR	Typhoid	DT/TD	Hep B
AICB Gurgaon	Gurgaon				100
Chetanalaya	Bhatti Mines & Mandi Pahadi	100			86
Sshrishti (2 camps)	Vasant Kunj				140
Vidya and Child Barola (2 Camps)	Noida				322
Niveda	Morna, Noida		100		
Rasta	Prem Vihar		100		
Khushii	Deoli Village	55			
Noida Lok Manch	Chaukhandi		100		
Swabalamban	Malviya Nagar		100		
Bella Healthcare	Ward 1 Haripur, Dhakrani	65			

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