

NEWSLETTER



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Child Help Foundation recognised by Hon'ble Chief Minister of Maharashtra, Shri Devendra Fadnavis Ji

Mumbai, Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation (CHF) received a message of appreciation from the Hon'ble Chief Minister of Maharashtra, Shri Devendra Fadnavis Ji, acknowledging its work across healthcare, education, WASH, women's empowerment, child protection and rural development. CHF dedicates this recognition to its trustees, employees, volunteers, donors and supporters, whose collective efforts continue to drive meaningful change for children and underserved communities across Maharashtra and beyond.



Mantralaya, Mumbai 400 032



Devendra Fadnavis
Chief Minister
Maharashtra

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MESSAGE

I am pleased to know about the commendable work being carried out by Child Help Foundation in Palghar, one of Maharashtra's Aspirational Districts, for the welfare of children, women, tribal communities, and economically disadvantaged families.

The Foundation's initiatives in healthcare, education, WASH (Water, Sanitation and Hygiene), women's empowerment, child protection, and rural development have made a meaningful contribution towards improving the quality of life of vulnerable communities. The efforts to promote health awareness, strengthen educational infrastructure, encourage menstrual hygiene, and support child protection are truly appreciable.

I appreciate the dedication and commitment of the Founder, trustees, staff, volunteers, donors, and all those associated with Child Help Foundation in serving society with compassion and sincerity.

I extend my best wishes to Child Help Foundation for its future endeavours and wish the organisation continued success in its mission of contributing to the inclusive and sustainable development of Maharashtra.


(Devendra Fadnavis)

About Us



Child Help Foundation (CHF) is a pan-India non-profit organization, registered under the Bombay Public Trust Act 1950, which started in the year 2010. We aim to accomplish the objectives set by the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (UN SDGs) for global development. Child Help Foundation's principal purpose is to empower the disadvantaged holistically with some of our initiatives like Good Health and Well Being, Quality Education, Zero Hunger, Clean Water and Sanitation, Gender Equality, Humanitarian Relief, Life on Land, Life Below Water and Village Development.

Rath Yatra 2026, Serving Devotees Through Food Support

On the occasion of the world-famous **Rath Yatra in Puri**, Child Help Foundation (CHF) organised a free food distribution initiative to provide timely nutritional support to devotees participating in the grand religious celebration. The initiative was conducted at two locations—**in front of KV School, Talabania**, and at the **open ground near Yatri Nivas, East Coast Railway, Puri**—and successfully benefited approximately **15,000 devotees**.

As thousands of devotees gathered in Puri to witness and participate in the Rath Yatra, CHF extended its community service efforts by distributing freshly prepared meals to those attending the festival. The initiative aimed to ensure that devotees had access to nutritious food during the large-scale gathering, particularly as many participants spent extended hours at the festival venues. Through this effort, CHF reinforced its commitment to hunger alleviation and supporting communities during significant public and cultural occasions.

Continuing its support beyond the main Rath Yatra, CHF also extended the food distribution initiative to the **Bahuda Yatra**, marking the return journey of the deities. At **Location 1**, freshly prepared meals were distributed among devotees, ensuring timely food support during the religious gathering. The initiative provided nourishment to participants while contributing to a more comfortable and supported experience during the celebrations.

At **Location 2**, the food distribution drive was conducted at the **East Coast Railway Ground, Puri**, where additional devotees were provided with free meals. The initiative further strengthened CHF's efforts to reach

people gathered at key locations during the festival and ensure that food support remained accessible throughout the celebrations.

Across both Rath Yatra and Bahuda Yatra, the initiative reflected the spirit of compassion, service, and community participation. The distribution of freshly prepared meals not only addressed an essential need but also helped enhance the overall well-being of devotees during one of India's most celebrated religious festivals.

Through such community-focused initiatives, **Child Help Foundation continues to work towards alleviating hunger and extending essential support to people in need**. The Rath Yatra and Bahuda Yatra food distribution drives reaffirmed CHF's commitment to serving communities with compassion and ensuring that important occasions are accompanied by care, dignity, and meaningful support.



Rath Yatra 2026, Serving Devotees Through Food Support



Learning Loss After Crisis: How Disruptions Deepen Inequality

Education is more than reading textbooks or passing examinations; it is the foundation upon which children build their confidence, aspirations, and future opportunities.

However, when crises such as pandemics, natural disasters, conflicts, or forced migration interrupt education, children often lose much more than classroom time. They lose routines, social connections, emotional security, and, in many cases, the chance to realise their full potential. For children from vulnerable communities, these disruptions can deepen existing inequalities, making it even harder to return to school and keep pace with their peers.

The COVID-19 pandemic demonstrated how quickly education systems can be disrupted.

According to UNESCO, school closures affected more than 1.6 billion learners worldwide at their peak, exposing stark inequalities in access to education. Many children lacked internet connectivity, digital devices, or even a quiet place to study, causing significant learning loss that continues to affect students today. Research by the World Bank has also highlighted that prolonged learning interruptions can reduce future earning potential and widen educational disparities if timely interventions are not made.

Beyond pandemics, natural disasters such as floods, cyclones, earthquakes, and landslides frequently interrupt children's education. Schools may be damaged, converted into relief shelters, or become inaccessible due to damaged infrastructure. **Families struggling to rebuild their lives often prioritise immediate survival needs, leaving education temporarily or permanently behind.**

Similarly, migration caused by economic hardship or environmental challenges often forces children to move frequently, making continuous schooling difficult. **Without proper support, these children face an increased risk of dropping out altogether.** The effects of learning loss go far beyond academics. **Young children may struggle to regain foundational**

literacy and numeracy skills, while older students often experience reduced motivation and confidence.

Extended breaks from school can also affect children's emotional well-being, increasing feelings of isolation, anxiety, and uncertainty. For many children, **schools provide a safe environment where they receive not only education but also emotional support, nutritious meals, and opportunities for social development. When these protective spaces are disrupted, children become more vulnerable to exploitation, child labour, child marriage, and other forms of abuse.**

Girls are often disproportionately affected during prolonged crises. **In many communities, financial pressures may lead families to prioritise boys' education, while girls take on additional household responsibilities or are pushed into early marriage.** Children with disabilities and those living in remote or marginalised communities also face greater barriers in accessing alternative forms of learning during emergencies, further widening educational gaps.

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Healthcare Programme

SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being

Emergency Medical Support



V Ganadhyakshaya Rudra, 1 Year
Beta Thalassemia Major

A Little Warrior Battling Thalassemia

"It's hard to see your one-year-old go through blood transfusions every month, knowing there's little we can do to change that on our own. But we haven't lost hope. We believe our son can get better, and we will fight for him till the very end."

Vennela Balaji (Father)

Vennela Ganadhyakshaya Rudra, the one-year-old son of Vennela Balaji and D Lavanya from **Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh**, was diagnosed with **Beta Thalassemia Major** early in his life, a condition that leaves him dependent on regular blood transfusions to survive.

There are many more children who need urgent treatments, and your small contributions can make a huge difference.

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Maria R, 2 Years
Neuromuscular Spinal Deformity



Samarth Rajale, 6 Months
Complex Heart Disease



B/O Satvashila Wanjare, 14 Days
Premature Birth Complications



Abhinav Gugloth, 4 Years
Complex Heart Disease

Emergency Medical Support



Divyajeetsingh Pardeshi, 3 Years
Thalassemia Major



Baby of Nikitha, 7 Days
Premature Birth Complications



Baby of Ummu Kulsu, 2 Months
Complex Heart Disease



Sriharini Rao, 2 Years
Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia



Baby of Rinky Yadav, 15 Days
Premature Birth Complications



U Jwalitha, 2 Years
PFIC-3

Emergency Medical Support



Shraddha Magare, 5 Years
Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia



Tanisha Begum, 1 Year
Complex Heart Disease



Ansh Kumar Bhagat, 12 Years
Complex Heart Disease



Laxman Mohite, 13 Years
Osteochondromas



Alfiya Bano, 10 Years
Complex Heart Disease



M Nandika, 7 Months
Leucocyte Adhesion Defect

Emergency Medical Support



Ananya Modak, 11 Years
Complex Heart Disease



Muhammed Aakhil, 7 Years
Cerebral Palsy with Bilateral Crouching

Success Stories



Twins of Mahalakshmi

Twin girl and boy from Dindigul, Tamil Nadu, were born extremely premature with very low birth weight, facing severe breathing difficulties that required intensive NICU care. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, they received the critical treatment they needed. Today, these two tiny fighters are recovering steadily, taking their first steps toward the healthy start in life they deserve.



Vishakha Jadhav

Four-year-old Vishakha Jadhav from Nashik, Maharashtra, was born with VSD, spending much of her young life in and out of hospitals instead of simply being a child. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, she received the corrective heart surgery she needed. Today, Vishakha is recovering steadily, stepping closer to the healthy, active childhood she truly deserves.



P Shivansh Reddy

Three-year-old P Shivansh Reddy from Medak, Andhra Pradesh, was diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia (ALL) after persistent fever and low blood counts. Doctors advised urgent chemotherapy to help him overcome the disease. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, Shivansh received the treatment he needed. Today, he is recovering steadily and looking forward to returning to a happier, healthier childhood.

Success Stories



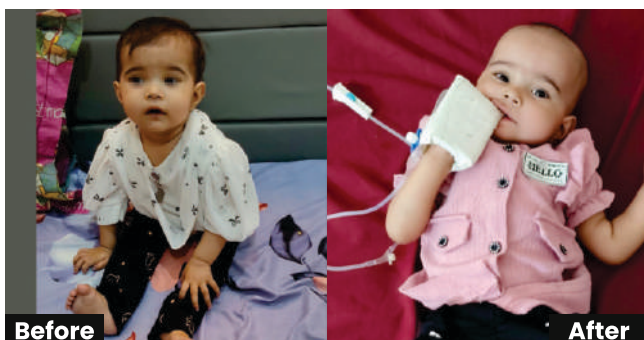
Vignesh Shivan

Five-month-old Vignesh Shivan from Kothakota, Telangana, was diagnosed with a complex heart condition involving Congestive Heart Failure, Patent Ductus Arteriosus, and Pulmonary Arterial Hypertension. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, he received the corrective surgery he needed. Today, Vignesh is recovering steadily, taking his first steps toward the healthy life he truly deserves.



Baby of Priya Kumari

Eight-day-old baby boy of Priya Kumari and Raj Kumar Das from Madhubani, Bihar, was born prematurely and faced severe complications, including early Retinopathy of Prematurity. After losing his twin sibling, he required specialised NICU care to survive. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, he received the critical care he needed. Today, the little fighter is recovering steadily and growing stronger each day.



Zeenat Tamboli

Eleven-month-old Zeenat Tamboli from Nashik, Maharashtra, was diagnosed with a complex heart condition, Tetralogy of Fallot with VSD, requiring urgent intervention. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, she received the corrective heart surgery she needed. Today, Zeenat is smiling brighter, healing steadily with each passing day.

Success Stories



Shreyansh Mhatre

Fourteen-year-old Shreyansh Mhatre from Raigarh, Maharashtra, has battled a serious heart condition since infancy, undergoing his first open-heart surgery at just two years old. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, he received the redo cardiac surgery he needed. Today, Shreyash is healing steadily, holding on to the future he has fought so hard for.



Swara Jadhav

Four-year-old Swara Jadhav from Jalna, Maharashtra, has lived with a complex heart condition since birth, often growing tired and breathless while other children her age run and play. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, she received the corrective heart surgery she needed. Today, Swara is healing steadily, smiling her way toward the joyful childhood she deserves.



Baby of Silvy Prince

Four-month-old Silvy Prince's baby boy from Keralam was born prematurely and faced multiple life-threatening complications, including severe heart and respiratory conditions. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, he received the critical cardiac intervention and prolonged medical care he urgently needed. Today, the little fighter is recovering steadily, bringing renewed hope and happiness to his family.

Success Stories



Reshi

Twelve-year-old Reshi from Telangana underwent his first heart surgery at just one year old, but continued facing chest pain and exhaustion that made everyday activities difficult. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, he received the redo surgery with pulmonary valve replacement he needed. Today, Reshi runs and plays with newfound ease, a stronger boy with each passing day.



Ananya Jadhav

Seven-year-old Ananya Jadhav from Nanded, Maharashtra, was diagnosed with B-Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia after months of unexplained fever and weakness. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, she received the chemotherapy and treatment she needed. Today, Ananya is fighting bravely, growing stronger with each passing day.



Prachi Kurhade

Three-year-old Prachi Kurhade from Nashik, Maharashtra, has battled osteomyelitis of the right femur with a pathological fracture, enduring pain that kept her from running and playing like other children. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, she received the surgical care she needed. Today, Prachi is healing steadily, taking each step closer to a pain-free life.

Success Stories



Abhinav Gugloth

Four-year-old Abhinav Gugloth from Medak, Telangana, has lived with severe pulmonary stenosis since birth, often struggling with fatigue while other children ran and played freely. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, he received the Balloon Pulmonary Valvotomy he needed. Today, Abhinav is growing stronger, embracing childhood with newfound energy.



Zira Mariya

One-year-old Zira Mariya from Thrissur, Keralam, was diagnosed with B-Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia after experiencing sudden difficulty breathing. With timely support from Child Help Foundation donors, she received the chemotherapy she needed. Today, Zira is fighting bravely, reclaiming the childhood she deserves.

Home for Bone Marrow Transplant (BMT) or Arogya Sadan Update

Mumbai, Maharashtra

Home for Bone Marrow Transplant is a facility dedicated to supporting patients undergoing Bone Marrow Transplants (BMT) and their families by providing accommodation and care throughout their treatment.

Home for BMT – Beneficiaries Details

BMT Failed – Returned Home

Master Narayan Thakur
Master Amit Kumar

BMT Failed – Returned home
BMT Failed – Returned Home

Transplant Cancelled

Master Aryan Kumar
Akash Kumar
Master Mohammad Saad
Pratik Baliram Tanpure

BMT Cancelled – Platelet Increase
BMT Cancelled – Liver Enlarged
MT Cancelled – Spleen Enlarged
BMT Cancelled due to Blood Infection

BMT Done – Case Completed Successfully

Master Aarav Kumar
Miss Aradhya Kumari
Master Aman Ahirwar
Master Vikrant Thakur
Master Abhishek Kumar
Swati Hasanda
Aiyan Reza
Master Deep Kumar
Master Aditya Kumar
Taabis Rehan
Harshwardhan
Miss Ujala Kumari
Miss Krashika Urkude
Master Ansh Kumar
Master Adarsh Kumar
Master Sk Rizwan
Bhagwanti Shailendra Vishwakarma
Rekha Rana
Manan Ananda Thakare
Nitya Druv
Virat Bachhani
Goraknath Rana
Jashobanta Rana
Arunita Patel
Abdulraheman Imam Tadvi

After Care / Arogya Sadan

Shifa Kausar Mamresh Ansari – After Care (Arogya Sadan)

Joya Bashir Tadavi – After Care (Hospital)

Short Stay / Observation

Piyush Kumar

2–3 Days Stay

Mannat Raj

2–3 Days Stay

Aradhya Gangurde

7 Days Stay

Sai Ram Swain

2–3 Days Stay

Ongoing – Pre-BMT Treatment

Ankit Kumar

Madhura Yadav

Ongoing

Pre-BMT Treatment

Dhruv Nilesh Mahajan

Ongoing

Pre-BMT Treatment

Admitted to Nanavati Hospital

Death

Ankit Kumar – Death



Update of Baby Feeding Centres

Maharashtra



Kalyan Railway Station
Mumbai Suburb, Maharashtra



Boisar Railway Station
Mumbai Suburb, Maharashtra



Palghar Railway Station
Mumbai Suburb, Maharashtra



Kashimira Police Station
Mumbai Suburb, Maharashtra



Cama & Albles Hospital
Mumbai, Maharashtra



Rural Hospital
Rural Hospital, Mumbai Suburban

Update of Baby Feeding Centres

Maharashtra



Sir J J Hospital
Mumbai, Maharashtra



Pune Railway Station
Pune, Maharashtra



St George Hospital
Mumbai, Maharashtra



Civil Hospital
Satara, Maharashtra



Urban Health Centre
Mumbai, Maharashtra



Kurla Railway Station
Mumbai, Maharashtra

Update of Baby Feeding Centres

Maharashtra



Swargate ST Stand
Pune-1



Swargate ST Stand
Pune-2



Wakadewadi ST Depot
Pune



Krantisinh Nana Patil Civil Hospital
Satara

Chattisgarh



Shreemant Dagdusheth Halwai
Ganapati Temple
Pune



Jagdalpur Railway Station
Jagdalpur

Update of Baby Feeding Centres

Karnataka



Sir C. V. Raman Hospital 1
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Majestic Metro Railway Station
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Sir C.V. Raman General Hospital 2
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Baiyappanahalli Metro Station
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Sir Atal Bihari Vajpayee College
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Benniganahalli Metro Station
Bengaluru, Karnataka

Update of Baby Feeding Centres

Karnataka



Kengeri Bus Terminal Metro Station
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Banashankari Metro Stations
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Yeshwantpur Metro Station
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Indira Gandhi Institute of Child Health Hospital
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Rashtriya Vidyalaya Road and Metro Stations
Bengaluru, Karnataka



Taluk General Hospital
Hoskote, Karnataka

Update of Baby Feeding Centres

Karnataka



K C General Hospital, Malleshwaram,
Bengaluru, Karnataka

Haryana



Civil Hospital Sector 10
Gurugram

Keralam



General Hospital
Thiruvananthapuram, Ernakulam



Chottanikkara Temple
Ernakulam, Kochi



Lakeshore Hospital
Ernakulam, Kochi



Shoranur Railway Station
Shoranur, Palakkad District

Update of Baby Feeding Centres

Odisha



Puri Railway Station
Puri, Odisha

Tamil Nadu



Taluk General Hospital
Egmore, Chennai

Andhra Pradesh



Visakhapatnam Railway Station
Vishakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh



**Institute for Child Health &
Hospital for Children**
Egmore, Chennai

Bihar



Katihar Railway Station
Katihar, Bihar



Institute of Obstetrics and Gynaecology
Egmore, Chennai

Update of Baby Feeding Centres

Chattisgarh



Jagdalpur Railway Station
Jagdalpur

West Bengal



New Jalpaiguri Railway Station
Siliguri, West Bengal

School Health Programme

Vikramgad, Palghar, Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation (CHF) continued strengthening the School Health Programme across 12 schools in Vikramgad Block, Palghar. The team conducted 16 full-day health visits, screening 480 newly enrolled students and providing health cards for continued monitoring, while 506 students received medical treatment and necessary medicines for common concerns including seasonal infections, dental issues, menstrual health, anaemia, and skin infections. To promote holistic well-being, 30 mental health awareness sessions reached 1,710 students from Classes VII–XII. In comparison, 30 health education sessions on personal hygiene, nutrition, peer pressure, anaemia, and sexual and reproductive health benefited 1,417 students. As part of digital health enablement, 75 ABHA IDs were generated across three schools. A Leadership Workshop was also held at the ITDP Office in Jawhar, bringing together school principals, ITDP representatives, LTPCT, and CHF to review the programme's progress and plan the upcoming Training of Trainers (ToT) initiative.



Strengthening Public Healthcare through CSR Equipment Support

Vikramgad, Palghar, Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation (CHF) continued monitoring the performance and impact of medical equipment donated to public healthcare institutions in Mumbai through CSR partnerships. At the Group of Tuberculosis Hospitals, Sewri, the MGIT machine supported through BPCL CSR is functioning optimally and conducts approximately 350 diagnostic tests every month, strengthening tuberculosis diagnosis. At HBT Medical College & Dr R. N. Cooper Hospital, the Fully Automated Biochemistry Blood Analyser processes around 3,500 tests daily, supporting faster diagnosis and clinical decision-making. The Fully Automated Microtome, donated through CSR support, is also functioning efficiently, conducting approximately 100 histopathology auto-cut tests daily and enhancing the speed and accuracy of pathological diagnosis. These follow-up visits reaffirmed the sustained impact of CHF's healthcare interventions in strengthening diagnostic infrastructure and improving patient care.



Honouring Doctors on National Doctor's Day

Maharashtra

On the occasion of National Doctor's Day, observed on 1 July, Child Help Foundation (CHF) felicitated doctors across its four state offices in recognition of their dedication to patient care and continued support towards healthcare initiatives for underserved communities. As a token of appreciation, doctors were presented with customised caricature mugs and personalised appreciation certificates, celebrating their invaluable contributions. The gesture was warmly received by the medical fraternity and further strengthened CHF's partnerships with healthcare professionals, reaffirming a shared commitment to improving access to quality healthcare for children and vulnerable communities.



Education Programme SDG 4: Quality Education

Online Student Internship Coordination Meetings

Pan India

Child Help Foundation (CHF) held a series of online and offline task plan meetings with institutions including Mahindra University, Vivek Junior College, Don Bosco College, Loyola College and Ideal Arts College, to coordinate student internship activities and align project objectives with organisational goals.

Drawing and Study Classes

Goa

Child Help Foundation (CHF) established a STEM Lab at Tarmata Bhile Surla, Goa, which has become an integral part of the teaching-learning process, with students demonstrating great enthusiasm for hands-on learning. According to the school principal, a noticeable improvement in academic performance and overall learning outcomes has been observed since its establishment, making it one of the most utilised STEM Labs.

Health and Personal Hygiene Awareness Session

Mumbai Suburban, Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation (CHF), along with a student intern, conducted an engaging Health and Personal Hygiene Awareness Session at Laughing Panda Preschool, introducing young learners to essential hygiene practices in an interactive and age-appropriate manner. The session included a multimedia presentation and hands-on activities covering teeth cleaning, bathing and personal care, nail clipping, and hand hygiene. A fun “Glitter Germ Away” activity helped children understand how germs spread and the importance of regular handwashing. The children participated enthusiastically, making the session an engaging and effective learning experience.



Centre of Excellence

Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation's (CHF) Centre of Excellence (COE) Project continues to strengthen education in selected MBMC schools through a blended approach of supportive teaching and digital learning. The programme currently benefits 373 students from Standards I to VII, with a focus on foundational learning, digital literacy, inclusivity, and essential life skills.

The COE team actively participated in Gurupurnima celebrations across MBMC schools, collaborating with teachers to organise special assemblies and cultural programmes. Students took part in card-making, poetry recitation, storytelling, and interactive activities centred on gratitude and respect for teachers. The celebrations fostered stronger teacher-student relationships while promoting values of respect, humility, and lifelong learning. The project will continue to strengthen digital learning and teacher capacity-building to create more enriching and inclusive learning environments for students.



Stationery Kits Distribution

Haryana and Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation (CHF) distributed stationery kits and school bags to students at a slum school in Faridabad, in collaboration with DAMCO, and organised a stationery distribution drive at Onde ZP School, Vikramgad, alongside a drawing competition and prize distribution to encourage creativity and learning among students.



Computer Labs

Bihar

Child Help Foundation's (CHF) Computer Lab Project has been implemented at Tailik Balika High School, Madhya Vidyalaya Samas, and Madhya Vidyalaya Lodipur in Barbiga Block, Sheikhpura, Bihar, with the support of National Fertilisers Limited (NFL). Each lab is equipped with 21 computers and is well-furnished and properly maintained to ensure a conducive digital learning environment. To facilitate effective implementation, three dedicated teachers have been appointed for each lab, enabling students to gain structured computer education and strengthen their digital literacy skills

STEM Lab

Goa & Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation's (CHF) STEM Lab Project is being implemented across Government Ashram Schools in Maharashtra, with support from Samata Equal Footing Foundation, and in Goa with support from the Government of Goa. Each lab is equipped with interactive scientific models and hands-on learning tools to create an engaging environment for science and mathematics education. Dedicated teacher-cum-coordinators have been appointed to conduct regular sessions, enabling students to understand concepts through practical application and strengthening their scientific thinking, curiosity, and problem-solving skills.

Computer Training Centre

Amboli, Dadra & Nagar Haveli

Child Help Foundation (CHF) continued to strengthen digital literacy through its computer training centres in Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu. At the Amboli Centre, 65 classes were conducted, recording a total attendance of 1,305 with 122 unique beneficiaries. Students were equipped with essential digital skills, enhancing their confidence and practical knowledge in using technology.



Computer Training Centre

PM Shri Primary Central School, Silvassa, Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu

Child Help Foundation (CHF) continued its digital skills training at PM Shri Primary Central School, Silvassa, where 85 sessions were conducted, benefiting 3,174 unique students. The curriculum focused on building proficiency in MS Office (Excel formulas, MS Word, and Paint), along with practical training in Typing Master, file management, Data entry, table creation, basic formulas, presentation design using animations, transitions, and internet navigation, thereby strengthening students' digital competence and confidence.



Computer Training Centre

Govt. Secondary High School, Silvassa, Dadra and Nagar Haveli, and Daman and Diu

Child Help Foundation (CHF) conducted 30 digital training sessions at Govt. Secondary High School, Silvassa, reaching 203 unique beneficiaries. The programme covered advanced topics such as Canva design, Google application, digital safety, cybercrime awareness, and hacking prevention, combining practical learning with essential theoretical knowledge to develop responsible, informed digital users.



Educational Support for Underprivileged Children

Child Help Foundation (CHF) continued its commitment to ensuring uninterrupted education for children from economically vulnerable families by extending timely educational assistance to deserving students. Arpita Gupta of Pious Buds English School, Bhayandar, received support after the loss of her father left her family dependent on a small pani puri stall for their livelihood. Educational assistance was also provided to Ashish Dongarwar of Prajakta Vidya Mandir Convent, Sindewahi, Chandrapur, whose family faces financial challenges due to an unstable source of income. In Mumbai, CHF supported Prathana Pappu Dayal of Guru Nanak Higher Secondary School, GTB Nagar, through an educational scholarship after the loss of both

her parents, helping her continue her studies while being raised by her maternal aunt. These initiatives eased the financial burden on the families and enabled the children to pursue their education with greater confidence and hope for a brighter future.



Child For Child

Pan India

Child Help Foundation (CHF) conducted a series of awareness sessions across schools and colleges pan-India, focusing on mobile addiction and responsible digital behaviour. Through interactive discussions, assembly talks, and engaging activities, students were sensitised to the impact of excessive screen time on health, academics, and social well being. The sessions encouraged mindful usage of technology, promoting balance, self-discipline, and healthier digital habits. The initiative empowered children and youth to make informed choices and adopt responsible behaviour in an increasingly digital world.



Child Care Institutions (CCI)

Child Help Foundation (CHF) provides monthly support to seven Child Care Institutions (CCIs), ensuring that children have access to essential educational resources. This support covers school fees, stationery, and other academic needs, enabling underprivileged children to continue their education with dignity and hope. By investing in their learning, CHF is helping build a foundation for brighter, more empowered futures.

Needs Charitable Trust

Horamavu, Bengaluru, Karnataka

Activities: Awareness programme on health and education, counselling session, and birthday celebration

Ashraya (Handicapped Welfare Organisation)

Dumuduma HB Colony, Bhubaneswar, Odisha

Activities: Life skills training, health camp with haemoglobin testing, and dance programme during Radha Festival

Khirod Basini Kanya Ashram

Angul District, Odisha

Activities: Awareness session on child rights, discussion with Social Action Group members on community participation, and internship programme for government college students

Koel Saraswati

Katada, Angul District, Odisha

Activities: Guru Purnima celebration and debate competition

Charis Foundation

Thirumullaivoyal, Chennai, Tamil Nadu

Activities: K. Kamarajar birth anniversary celebration, Kargil Diwas celebration, drawing competition, and birthday celebrations

The Special School of Joy

Kadma, Jamshedpur, Jharkhand

Activities: Guru Purnima celebration, donor activity, and birthday celebration

Dehli Public School

Barhiya, Lakhisarai, Bihar

Activities: First unit test and tree plantation campaign



Gender Equality and Empowering Women Programme | SDG 5: Gender Equality

Invisible Girl Project

Haryana

Child Help Foundation (CHF) continued its Invisible Girl Project, now in its third year, working to address gender inequality and protect the girl child across Rewari, Mahendragarh and Jhajjar districts. During the month, CHF received official approval to implement the project in schools across the three blocks, alongside awareness sessions, pledges taken in support of the girl child, and stories of change documented from the community.



Adolescent Reproductive and Sexual Health (ARSH)

The Prerna Manch – Empowering Adolescents through ARSH and Life Skills initiative continued to promote adolescent health, well-being, and leadership through structured life-skills education and the formation of Kishori Manch groups. The programme focused on reaching adolescents through life-skills sessions, engaging key community influencers, and empowering young people to develop and implement action and micro-plans addressing local issues. Counselling and referral support were provided to adolescents in need, while emerging girl champions were identified and nurtured to build confidence and leadership. The initiative also continued its efforts towards creating Adolescent-Friendly Villages and strengthening linkages with government schemes, improving adolescents' access to essential services, opportunities, and social support. Additionally, CHF also received approval from IAS Vishal Dinanath Khatri, ITDP Dahanu, to implement the Prerna Manch Project, including ARSH Corners and Life Skills Education training, across Dahanu and Talasari blocks. This marks an important step towards strengthening adolescent health, life skills, and community-based interventions in the project area.



Prevention of Sexual Harassment at Workplace (POSH)

The Sexual Harassment of Women at Workplace (Prevention, Prohibition and Redressal) Act, 2013, commonly known as the POSH Act, is a landmark initiative by the Government of India to ensure safe and dignified workplaces for women. Child Help Foundation (CHF) is fully compliant with the POSH Act across all offices, field locations, and virtual workspaces. The organisation's approach extends beyond legal compliance, fostering a culture rooted in dignity and respect, with zero tolerance for sexual harassment.

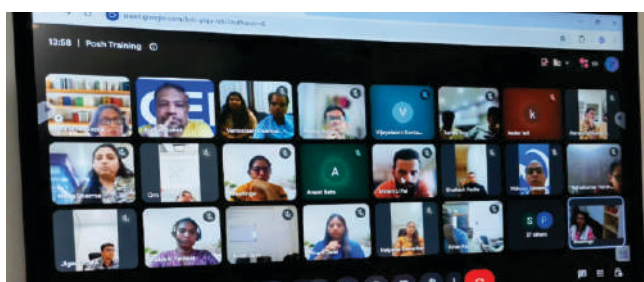
The Internal Committee (IC) addresses every complaint with fairness and confidentiality. All new employees undergo mandatory POSH policy training, while existing staff members participate in regular sensitisation workshops. Through a "Train the Trainer" programme, CHF has developed a cadre of 25 certified POSH trainers across India. These trainers have conducted awareness sessions to reach individuals and have mentored and certified three external professionals or members to enhance outreach and long-term impact. POSH sessions in July were conducted at:



Nirali AM Naik Charitable Health-Care Facility, Mumbai, Maharashtra



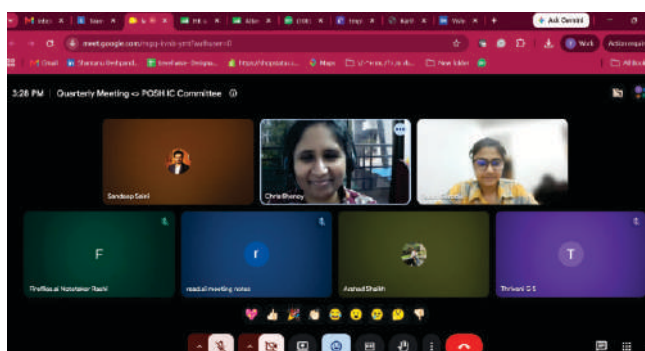
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GEPL Capital Pvt Ltd, Mumbai, Maharashtra



Naveen Jain Metal Udyog, Delhi



Team Pumpkin, Online (Head Office)



Taj Lands End, Mumbai, Maharashtra

Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO)

Child Help Foundation (CHF) places child safety at the core of its mission, strictly adhering to the POCSO Act 2012, which protects children under 18 from sexual abuse and harassment while ensuring child-friendly complaint, investigation, and court processes. Regular 'Good Touch-Bad Touch' sessions are conducted in schools to teach children how to recognise unsafe touch, set boundaries, seek help, and use the Child Helpline number 1098.



Govt Model Sanskrit School, Faridabad, Haryana



Govt School Pehlادpur, Delhi



Tagore High School, Hyderabad, Telangana



Rao's International School, Hyderabad, Telangana



Unique High School, Hyderabad, Telangana



Bal Vaishali Public School, Delhi

Good Touch and Bad Touch Awareness Session



Patriot High School, Mumbai, Maharashtra



Falah English High School, Mumbai, Maharashtra



St. Teresa High School, Mumbai, Maharashtra



Don Bosco College, Nagaland

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Vastradaan Drive

Pune, Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation (CHF), in collaboration with Moolchand Mill, conducted a Vastradaan Drive at The Society of St. Mary the Virgin India Orphanage, distributing new clothes to 250 orphan children. The initiative aimed to promote dignity, care, and a sense of belonging among the children, reinforcing CHF's commitment to supporting vulnerable communities and ensuring every child feels valued and cared for.

Supporting Orphanage with Essential Dining Utensils

Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh

Child Help Foundation (CHF) distributed 120 dinner plates to an orphanage to support the daily needs of children. The initiative addressed the basic requirement for proper dining utensils, promoting better hygiene, convenience, and dignity during mealtimes while contributing to a more comfortable environment for the children.

Blanket Distribution

Mumbai Suburban, Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation (CHF) conducted a blanket distribution drive at Pravas Foundation. A total of 11 blankets were distributed to beneficiaries, providing warmth and comfort during the monsoon season. The CHF team also engaged the children in interactive and recreational activities, making the initiative a meaningful experience that combined material support with care and emotional well-being.



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CSR South India Summit Participation

Hyderabad, Telangana

Child Help Foundation (CHF) participated in the South India CSR Summit 2026, showcasing its initiatives at an exhibition stall and building connections with industry leaders and CSR professionals for future collaborations.



Arka Foundation Felicitation

Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh

Child Help Foundation (CHF) Visakhapatnam was honoured by Arka Foundation for its sustained medical support to underprivileged children, with the award presented by the Police Commissioner of Visakhapatnam.



NMIMS College Visit and Meeting

Mumbai, Maharashtra

Child Help Foundation (CHF) visited NMIMS College, Mumbai, to hand over a Student Internship Appreciation Certificate recognising the college's collaboration on the Student Internship Programme. CHF also offered internships to students from the Economics Department, with the college keen to continue the partnership for future placements.



Other Activities

Human Trafficking Awareness Session

Kochi, Keralam

Child Help Foundation (CHF) Keralam conducted a Human Trafficking Awareness Session at O.L.C.G.H.S.S., Palluruthy, covering trafficking risks, legal safeguards, and steps to identify and report suspicious activity.

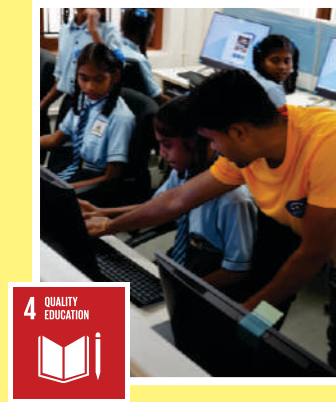
Giri Pradakshina

Visakhapatnam, Andhra Pradesh

Child Help Foundation (CHF) successfully conducted a Giri Pradakshina Support Activity, providing essential assistance to over 20,000 devotees undertaking the physically demanding pilgrimage. The support included Volini spray, Amrutanjan, ORS sachets, groundnut chikki, and salted peanuts, offering relief from muscle pain, fatigue, dehydration, and energy loss. The initiative provided timely care and nourishment, contributing to the comfort, well-being, and safe completion of the pilgrimage for thousands of devotees.



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