

Project Framework

Gayatri Seva Sansthan, a non-government organization (NGO) registered under Societies Act 1860 having its registered office at 7K-2, Jyoti Nagar Housing Board Flats near Vidhan Sabha, Jaipur, Rajasthan. It was established in 2021 by The Late Mr. Pankaj Sharma with a vision to sensitize destitution in our society and as to facilitate the cause, we as an organization have devoted 3 years since to reshape the constructs the impoverish segment of our society has to encounter even while sustaining the basic human needs. We work across the spectrum of health, education, and women empowerment. The highlighting events our Sansthan has taken upon are;

Organized food drives at SMS Hospital, Jaipur and State Cancer Institute, Jaipur. Instituted a School in the remote area of Indragandhi Nagar Jaipur to impart education to the underprivileged children so as to give them a perception to build a different life for themselves also by planning several academic visits to Museums and Science Parks at Jaipur.

Configured a training center for women at the same location as above where they're taught basic skills like stitching and connect them with a market network to help them earn their livelihood. Organized religious processions of Bhaagvat Kathas and prasad vitran on holy days to foster our belief in Indian culture.

Organized plantation drives at State Cancer Institute Jaipur on World Environment Day, almost 200 trees were planted in the premises and around.

Our Late founder Mr. Pankaj Sharma, who was diagnosed with pancreatic cancer in 2022 and his wife The President of Gayatri Seva Sansthan Ms. Yogita Sharma were witnesses to the disparity from a closer outlook while him undergoing treatment. People travel across states to obtain treatment at SMS Hospital, Jaipur, while the ongoing treatment, patients and their families are unable to afford a place to live so have no choice but to live on the premises of the hospital and wait for the one-time meals provided by other gratuitous initiatives and the numbers are in hundreds. They have no access to nutritious diets which are essential for survival.

Patient at the stage of end of life are left untreated of painkillers as they can't afford palliative care, sometimes are also ignored, being from a remote background.

Patients are left unattended with no one to support them while their treatment because of their families giving up, this disease torments both physically and mentally. We aim to assure them that they are not alone in this Journey as Cancer is a prolonging disease.

In 2023, Rajasthan had 2.3 Lakh cases of cancer patients with 40,000 new cases being added each year, the cause of intervention is to ensure that while enduring the rigor of the disease one shouldn't have to suffer being homeless and underfed, hence Gayatri Seva Sansthan aims to create a home away from homes by executing ***The Project- "SAHYOGITA"*** in collaboration with **SMS Hospital, Jaipur** and **State Cancer Institute, Jaipur** under a signed MOU for the period of 2 years. Accordingly, we offer-

1 Dedicated Social Support Teams to centers and departments treating children with cancer including social workers, data managers, teachers, psychologists, nutritionists, trained parent support group members and survivors and volunteers.

2. A range of Support services for direct beneficiary support to families of cancer patients from nutrition, hygiene and infection, accommodation, nutritious meals for patients and their families, patient information, emotional and psychosocial support, child life, non-formal education- learning activity clinics.

3. Capacity building for Social Support teams, Parent Support group, Survivors on the one hand and medical professionals on the other, including salaries, stipends, training and observer-ships. Partnerships with local NGOS and Support organizations.

4. Quality Care Research and Impact Assessment both within the organization and to advocate and even fund in the wider oncology community; including disease focused projects for Advocacy, Awareness and patient support.

5. Awareness and Advocacy to provide information, fight stigma, reduce abandonment, to facilitate stakeholder forums with disease, intervention or geographical focus.

Gayatri Seva Sansthan forges Partnerships with SMS Hospital Jaipur and State Cancer Institute, Jaipur

a. to identify and fill gaps in the treatment care continuum that may arise year on year between the care givers and patients.

b. to collaborate to drive Change for patients suffering from Cancer in India from the expertise, services, capacity building and research that the Hospital may be able to offer.