

# **Gram Seva Foundation, USA**

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#### FOUNDED BY DR. RODA K. PATEL 2003-2004

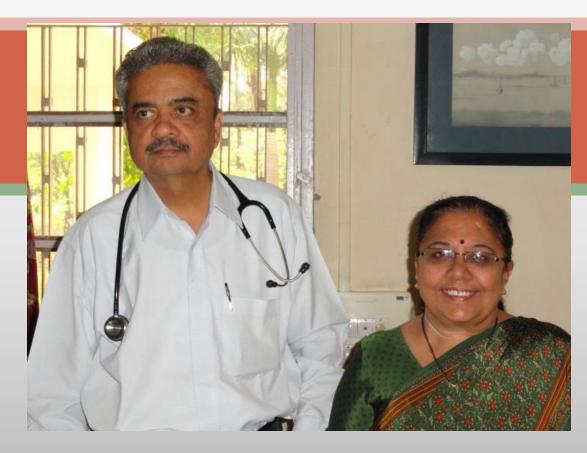


1934-2011 **To support Gram Seva Trust, INDIA** 



# GRAM SEVA TRUST

Dedicated to Health Care & Rural Development



# Founded by Drs. Ashwin & Harsha Shah-1994





# Working For.....



## Health Problems in villages



- Lack of Health Facilities
- Lack of Awareness
- Poverty

### Diseases like

- Malnutrition
- Severe Anaemia
- Worms
- Sickle Cell Disease
- TB
- Diarrhoea
- Pneumonia

### HEALTH PROBLEMS IDENTIFIED

• Alcoholism, superstitions and misbeliefs

Diarrhea

TB

**Pneumonia** 

- 50% of women are anemic & 2.5% are severe
- **EVERY MINUTE 4 CHILDREN DIE FROM**



All preventable diseases eradicated in the Western Hemisphere

**Typhoid** 

Malaria

**Measles** 

These "6-shooters" kill 2.1 million children every year!

Gram Seva Trust was started in 1994 in Navsari District of South Gujarat India

# **Our Vision:**

Healthy, Happy, Selfsufficient and Self-Empowered Rural communities.



# **Our Mission**

- Cater to the Health need of every individual
- Render special care to women and children.
- Uplift social and economical status
- Promote curative and preventive measures
- Create awareness for healthy qualitative life and development.













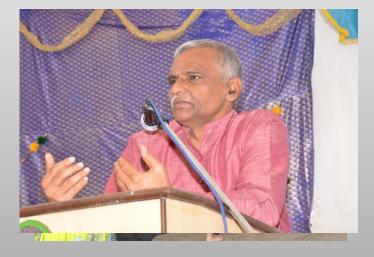


# Parodh Balawas

### Centre for Child Education and Development

### First Green Hostel in India





# Capacity of 100 children from std. 1 to 12

### "PARODH" Child Education and Development Centre

- Migration to Brick factories and salt pans is very common in the villages
- Lack of education facilities for children of such families
- The organization provides residential education and development facilities for 40 such children at present in rented building.
- Our aim to increase the capacity of this facility to 100 children with constructing new building (cost of new building is app. 5 cr. \$640000) was fulfilled this year.



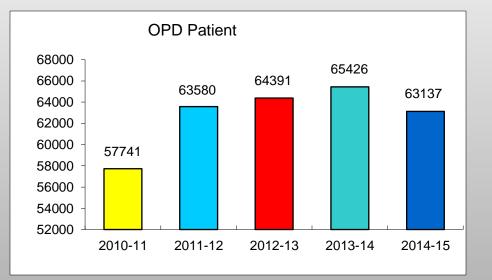
	Particulars	Required Dona	ition
1	Dormitory Hostel 530 sq.ft X 8 Blocks	Rs. 5,00,000	\$ 8,333.00
2	Office 420 sq.ft	Rs. 3,00,000	\$ 5,000.00
3	Kitchen 1550 sq.ft	Rs. 12,00,000	\$ 20,000.00
4	Dining Hall 1410 sq.ft	Rs. 12,00,000	\$ 20,000.00
5	Activity Hall 1410 sq.ft	Rs. 12,00,000	\$ 20,000.00
6	Care Taker Quarter 690 sq ft X 2 blocks	Rs. 5,00,000	\$ 8,333.00
7	Library 565 sq.ft	5,00,000	\$ 8,333.00
8	Meeting Room 565 sq.ft	5,00,000	\$ 8,333.00
9	Training Hall 1050 sq,ft	10,00,000	\$ 16,666.00

### A Holistic Approach to Health and Development



# Hospital Services Over 850,000 patients treated in 20 years

OPD 65,000 patients/ year Indoor 7000 /year Deliveries 1500 /year Surgeries 2000 / year



### **Dimpal's Story**

- Studying in std 10.
- Met with Road Traffic Accident
- Severe Abdominal Injuries
- Emergency Operation at Kharel
- Intensive Care given
- Discharged after complete recovery
- Completed her studies and working in Surat Municipal Corporation



# Runaben was bitten by a snake in her sleep



- Runaben working as sugarcane cutter
- Sleeping in a tent in the sugarcane fields
- Woke up early one morning due to animal bite on her leg.
- Was brought to our hospital in serious and unconscious condition
  - She was given anti snake venom, kept on ventilator and intensive care.
- She improved slowly and her life was saved



- Initiated this program March 2013
- Services at lowest cost Rs.500/\$7.0
- For Poor patients at free of cost
- 4172 dialysis session up to Aug.2016
- 3863 Free Dialysis sessions conducted up to date



### Sponsor 14 dialysis sessions in 100 US \$

### Economic and rational Services



### 80 % patients receive relief in bills

Medicines sold at price less than MRP All OPD Meds are free



## All Services under one umbrella











# Mother and Baby Friendly Hospital





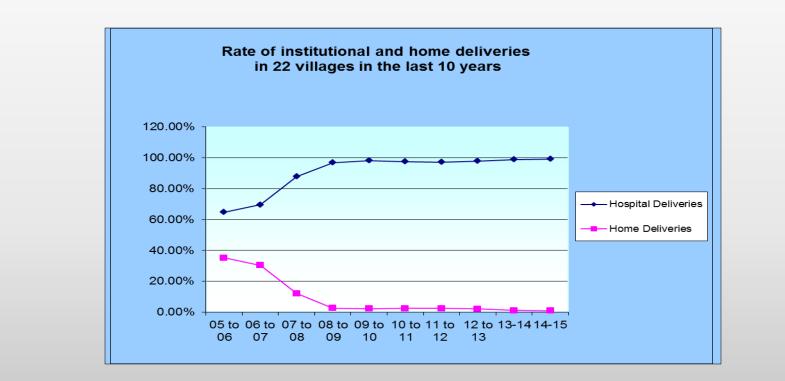








# With the help of the RMHC funds, Gram Seva has made significant progress in the health of women and children of surrounding villages



Details	2005-6		2006-7	2007-8	2008-9	2009-10	2010-11	2011-12	2012-13	2013-14	2014-15
Total Deliveries		395	550	619	851	860	919	992	903	941	823
Institution al		256	383	544	825	844	897	965	884	931	816
Home		139	167	75	22	19	22	24	19	10	7

# **Public Health**



- Health Awareness Project
- Child Health & Nutrition Project
- Antenatal Care Project
- Adolescent Health Project
- Geriatric Health Project

#### Objectives

- Increase Health Awareness in Community
- Screening and Early Detection of Diseases
- Preventive Services
- Promote Healthy Lifestyle Changes in community
- Referral Services



### **Child Health and Nutrition**

### **Objective: Decrease Malnutrition in Children and Improve Child Health**

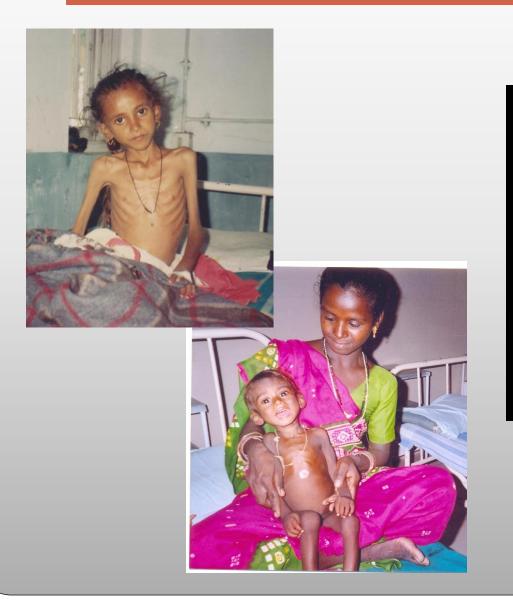
- In field Medical checkups
- Early diagnosis and treatment of illnesses
- Distribution of HM powder
- Intensive Home visits
- Health education
- Nutrition demonstration
- Referral Services
- Training to Anganwadi workers







## Child Health Scenario in 1998



65% of the children were malnourished 35% of which were moderately and severely malnourished



Shital Treated with AKT (Anti Kochs Therapy) for 6 mths as father had TB.

At age 1 -1/2 yrs she regressed. X rays – Miliary TB. Was given 4 drug Rx. Father died due to alcohol and TB. Mother also suffered from TB but completed her treatment.



Rohit aged 11 years old
was brought to Hospital
with severe anaemia( Hb
2gm%), huge spleen and
breathlessness .

 Was given blood and haematenics

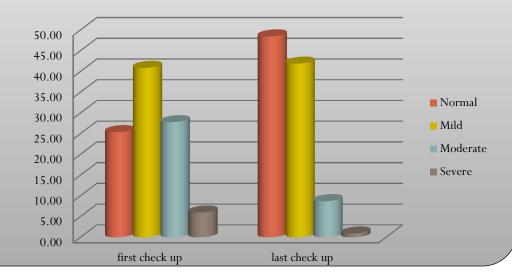
### Child Health and Nutrition and its Impact

This project is supported by individual donors and funding agencies. No monetary support has been taken from ICDS

- Total Villages 22
- Total Anganwadis 101
- Total Children Beneficiaries- 11576



Nutritional Status of 11576 children registered in this project since 1999







### **Satellite Centres**

### Health Services to Interior and Underserved Villages nearly 100km away from Kharel

- Satellite Centres
   (Bi-Weekly Medical
   Dispensaries) in
   Dang District
- Annual Camps at various places in deep interior forest areas.



Over 90,000 tribal patients treated in last 10 years in 2 such centres

# **Other Public Health Projects**

#### Health Awareness

- Hospital HE Sessions
- Community HE sessions

#### Antenatal Health Care

- Free ANC clinics
- Delivery Services at affordable rates
- Follow up & Counseling by CHW

#### Adolescent Health

- Life
   Education
- Screening for illness eg Anaemia etc
- Vaccination

#### Geriatric Health

- Screening for Non Communicable Diseases
- Management of Illness
- Life Style Changes through Health Education









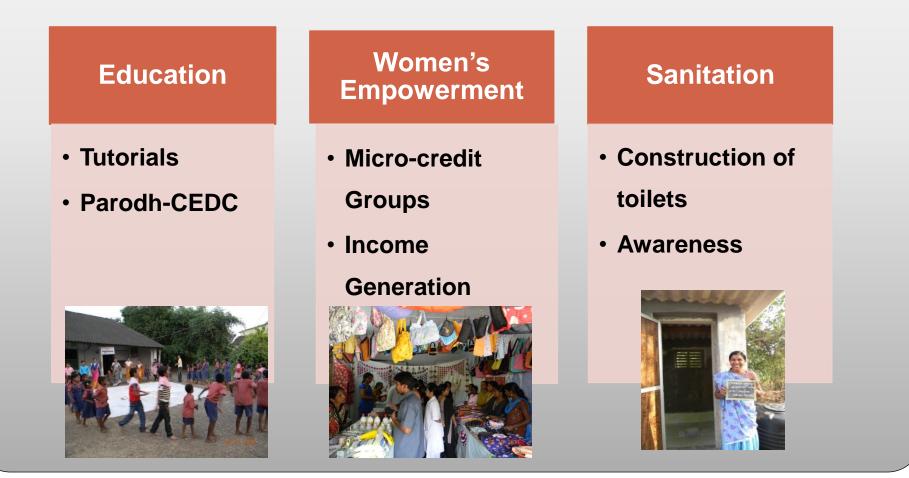
# **Story of Manisha**

- Manisha aged 11 at admission in 2008
- Came from a Broken family.
- Father Alcoholic
- Mother a labourer and living separately
- She could not read or write fluently but a hard worker
- Passed her 10<sup>th</sup> Std
- Completing a Nursing Course now.



# **Rural Development**

A Comprehensive Approach to Health through Education , Sanitation and Women's Empowerment



# You Can Help Us

Hospital	Community Projects
Surgeries	<ul> <li>Mother and Child Project</li> </ul>
Medical Management	Geriatric Project
Cataract Surgeries	<ul> <li>Adolescent Health Project</li> </ul>
Dialysis Session	<ul> <li>MIS &amp; Information Dissemination System</li> </ul>

### 100 US \$ can help us to do

- Medical Management of 2 indoor poor patients
- 4 cataract surgeries
- 4 Geriatic patients
- 14 dialysis sessions
- Treat 8 children for malnutrition
- Adopt 2 children for education









# Give back to the world which has given so much to You!



### GOD GIVES AND FORGIVES; MAN GETS AND FORGETS

### MISSIONS ACCOMPLISHED BY RODA

Touched the lives of over 8000 children

Gave them hope, health & education

Founded a home for 100 orphans & migrant workers children

Educated the adolescent girls literally, socially, & vocationally

Empowered the Women thru microcredits

Restored the much needed self respect & self confidence

>37,000 pregnant women received Prenatal checkups

# Shameless Beggar

Single handedly collected \$1.8 million in a short span 10 years

My family & I feel honored & privileged to carry on her noble legacy

100 per cent of all funds generated go to the cause & non siphoned for administration

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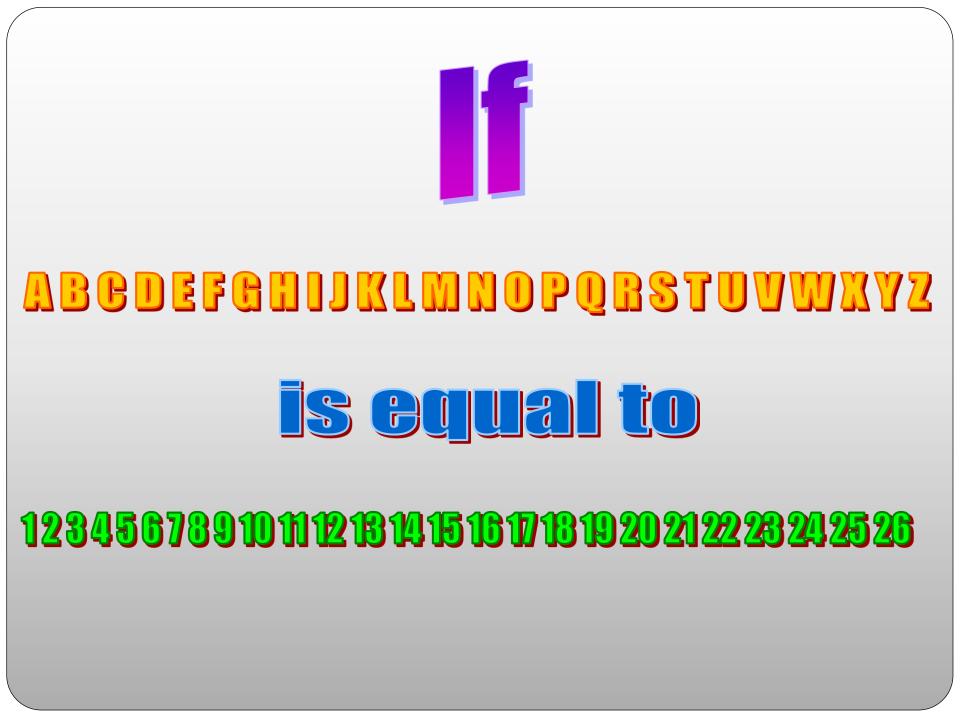


### We Hope for your Support



Thank you

### PURPOSE OF HUMAN LIFE IS TO SERVE AND TO SHOW COMPASSION, TO HELP OTHERS. ALBERT SCHWEITZER





## H+A+R+D+W+O+R+K8+1+18+4+23+15+18+11 = 98%

### **Knowledge**

### K+N+O+W+L+E+D+G+E

### **11+14+15+23+12+5+4+7+5 = <b>96%**



L+O+V+E

# 12+15+22+5 = <mark>54</mark>%



### L+U+C+K

### 12+21+3+11 = 47%

(don't most of us think this is the most important ???)

# Then what makes 100%? Is it Money ? ... NO ! ! ! M+O+N+E+Y13+15+14+5+25 = 72%Leadership ? ... NO ! ! ! L+E+A+D+E+R+S+H+I+P 12+5+1+4+5+18+19+9+16 = 89%

Every problem has a solution, only if we perhaps change our attitude.

# To go to the top, to that 100%,

what we really need to go further... a bit more...

# ATTITUDE A+T+T+I+T+U+D+E 1+20+20+9+20+21+4+5 = 100%

## It is <u>OUR ATTITUDE</u> towards Life and Work that makes OUR Life 100% !!!



### Women's Empowerment Project



Formation and Strengthening of SHG



Training in Income Generation Skills like Sewing



Production and Sale of House toileteries and Handicrafts



Sangee-Sanitary Napkin Project

#### **Sanitation Project** • 46 % families deprived of toilet facilities • 135 toilets built in surrounding villages Government **One Toilet** Beneficiary Contribution Donations Benefit for a poor schemes family







## **Sponsor Surgeries of Poor Patients**

#### **Different Type of Surgeries**

**General Surgery** 

**Gynaecological Surgery** 

**Orthopedic Surgery** 

Cleft Lip and Palate surgery

**Other Deformity Surgeries** 



Sponsor One Surgery of a Poor Patient for 150 US \$

### **Medical Management**

#### **Only Medical Management is required for**

Patients admitted in Hospital for -

Infections

Sickle cell Disease

Anaemia

Snake bites

Hypertension

Diabetes

**CV** Stroke



Sponsor One Medical Management of a Poor Patient for 50 US \$

### **Cataract Surgeries**

#### **Cost of One Cataract Surgery is 25 US \$**

- Cataract Problem is a major cause of blindness in the elderly.
- We organize free cataract surgery camps on regular basis
- Appx. 30 Free Surgeries conducted every month



### Sponsor 4 cataract Surgeries in 100 US \$

### **Mother and Child Project**

**Total Villages 22** 

Total children 3500 per year

#### **Objectives**

- Improve Maternal and Child Health
- Decrease Malnutrition in children
- Decrease Maternal and Child Mortalities



100 US \$ shall help 8 children per year

### **Adolescent Edcuation Project**

Total Villages villages22Total adolescents girls3500Total adolescent boys3700

#### **Objectives**

•To increase awareness in adolescents regarding health, nutrition, hygiene, pregnancy, illness, addictions etc.

•To increase age of marriage and decrease teenage pregnancies.



100 US \$ shall help reach 35 adolescents per year

### **Geriatric Health**

Total villages - 15 Total beneficiaries - 2700

#### Objectives

- Screening for Non Communicable
  Diseases
- Management of illness
- Health Education



100 US \$ will help look after 4 elderly person per year

### Hyderabad Mix

#### **Hyderabad Mix:**

Wheat40 gms.Gram Dal16 gams.Peanuts10 gms.

Add gur (Natural sugar) & oil to prepare the gruel with water or milk.

1tsp.Oil will provide 33C

1 tsp.Gur will provide 20C.





#### Distribution of HM at checkups



#### Teaching How to make raab with HM

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