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Report on Eye care camp conducted around Kaiga site
during December 2022 under CSR



1.0 Introduction:

Nuclear Power Corporation of India Limited has a composite policy on its corporate social responsibility and community development activities to be undertaken by the projects /operating stations in its neighborhood. Accordingly NPCIL Kaiga undertakes developmental activities annually as a part of its Corporate Social Responsibility. Primarily CSR activities are undertaken in villages within a radius of 16 Kilometers from the Plant Site. The identified areas were Education, Health, Infrastructure, skill development and women empowerment. During the period from 14th Dec to 16th Dec 2022 eye screening camps were organized at Mallapur, Gotegali and Malavalli villages covering villages under these and also panchayats falling within 16 km of Kaiga site. In the said camp Medical officers and para medical staff from **M/s M M Joshi Eye Institute, Hubballi** coordinated with NPCIL, Kaiga. M/S SCODWES, an NGO which is operating the mobile medical health unit and health centre at Mallapur village assisted NPCIL for the smooth conduct of the camp. About 640 beneficiaries got benefited out of this programme. About 75 patients were identified for cataract surgery.

2.0 About M.M.Joshi Eye Hospital Hubli

“**M. M. JOSHI EYE INSTITUTE**”, also known as “PADMA NAYANALAYA” is the biggest exclusive, ophthalmic super specialty eye hospital of North Karnataka. It was found in 1967 by Dr. M. M. Joshi and since its inception, it has been an icon of advanced ophthalmic care, being the major referral hospital in this part of the country, with its catchment area comprising of entire North Karnataka, Goa, Southern Maharashtra & adjoining Andhra Pradesh. M. M. Joshi Eye Institute is a High-Tech Eye Hospital offering comprehensive Eye Care facilities and also a Postgraduate training Institute of Ophthalmology. M. M. Joshi Eye Institute has become an icon of dynamic progress in the field of Ophthalmology. The hospital has the most sophisticated equipment and facilities offering state-of-the-art technology to treat various eye disorders. The main areas of focus are comprehensive eye care, education, community services and eye banking. M. M. Joshi Eye Institute Hubballi has 7 vision centers Under the aegis of Shri Guru Mahipatiraj Eye Bank & Research Foundation Trust (SGM Trust), the focus of community services of this institute services has been to render free service to the poor people of rural areas in the eradication of blindness and also extending equitable and efficient eye care to the underprivileged. In these 55 years of Ophthalmic practice nearly three lakh persons have undergone sight restoring Eye surgeries in camps.

3.0 Eye care camp

Wide publicity was given by the respective village panchayats about the eye care camps. eye screening camps were organized at Mallapur, Gotegali and Malavalli villages covering villages under these and also panchayats falling within 16 km of Kaiga site from 14th Dec 2022 to 16th Dec 2022.

3.1 Eye care camp at Mallapur

The eye care camp at Mallapur village was inaugurated by Shri P.G. Raichur, Site Director, Kaiga site on 14th Dec 2022. Senior Officers from Kaiga site, Members of the CSR Committee, representatives from the employees union, elected representatives of the village panchayat and villagers participated

in the programme. Shri P.G.Raichur, Site director, Kaiga site stressed importance of eye care in general and pediatric eye health in particular and requested the villagers to send their wards for the programme. He also highlighted the various CSR activities carried out by NPCIL and said Mallapur village has become an integral part of Kaiga parivaar.

3.2 Eye care camp at Gotegali

The eye care camp at Gotegali village was inaugurated by Shri Y.B.Bhatt., Station Director, KGS- 1&2 on 15th Dec 2022. Senior Officers from Kaiga site, Members of the CSR Committee, representatives from the employees union, elected representatives of the village panchayat and villagers participated in the programme. Shri Y.B.Bhatt., Station Director, KGS- 1&2 stressed importance of eye care in the current circumstances and requested the villagers to derive the maximum benefit out of the programme.

3.3 Eye care camp at Malavalli

The eye care camp at malavalli village was inaugurated by Shri B.K.Channakeshava, Project Director, Kaiga -5&6 on 16th Dec 2022. Senior Officers from Kaiga site, Members of the CSR Committee, representatives from the employees union, elected representatives of the village panchayat and villagers participated in the programme. Shri B.K.Channakeshava, Project Director, Kaiga -5&6 stressed importance of health care in general and eye care in particular. He also highlighted the various CSR activities carried out by NPCIL.

4.0 Beneficiaries of the programme.

Place	Total screened		Spectacles	Cataract	Referral	Paediatric surgery
	Adult	children				
Mallapur	215	20	103	31	7	5
Gotegali	177	22	61	24	10	1
Malavalli	180	24	92	18	14	0
Total	572	66	256	73	31	6

5.0 Planned action.

Spectacles and requisite medicines (if any) will be distributed to the beneficiaries through respective Panchayats as soon as they are ready. The surgeries will be performed at M/s M. M. Joshi Eye Institute, Hubballi during the first or second week of Jan-23 at the risk of the patients. During the period pre-surgery test, surgery and post-surgery (three days including transit), a family member will accompany the patient as an escort will travel from respective village to Hubballi and back. The actual dates of travel for surgeries will be informed to beneficiaries through respective Panchayat. Necessary to and fro transport arrangements and expenditure towards surgery, transportation of patients, food (Lunch & dinner) refreshment (Breakfast, Tea & snacks) and drinking water for the patients and escorts will be for the beneficiaries and escorts will be borne by NPCIL

Photographs











