



SAMBANDH (E-Newsletter)

OCTOBER - DECEMBER 2021 Issue No. : 68

MEDICAL AID TO THE LOCAL GOVERNMENT HOSPITALS OF TWO DISTRICTS OF GUJARAT



Taking heed of the current COVID-19 situation in Gujarat, United Way of Baroda in support with CSR Partner Hitachi Energy under their CSR initiatives donated **121 Advanced Medical Equipment** and **2 Medically Equipped Vehicles** to Local Government Hospitals of two districts: **Vadodara and Panchmahal**.

Honourable Minister for Revenue Disaster Management, Law & Justice and Parliament Affairs, Government of Gujarat- Shri Rajendra Trivedi and **Mr. Rupendra Singh- Business Leader & Location Head, ABB** handed over these Medical Equipment to **Shri R.B. Barad- Collector and District Magistrate, Vadodara, Dr. Surendra Jain- C.D.H.O., Vadodara, Mr. A.K. Gautam- S.D.M., Halol and Mr. V.P. Patni- S.D.M., Vadodara.** **Dr. Binita Verdia- C.E.O., UWB** briefed about the initiative and usage of Medical Equipment donated. **Mr. Mohan Kakade- CSR Head, ABB** shared CSR activities carried out by Hitachi Energy at Panchmahal.

Mr. Minesh Patel- Treasurer, UWB, Mr. Nitesh Patel- Admin Head, ABB and Dr. Devesh Patel, Health Officer, Vadodara also graced the event.

NAVRATRI CELEBRATION



The second wave of this pandemic situation took the lives of many leaving behind their loved ones in grief. This year also, the festival of Navratri was celebrated virtually. All the **Board Members, RDC Members and Staff Members** performed Aarti on all nine days.

EXTENDED MEDICAL AID SUPPORT TO THE DIFFERENT STATES OF INDIA

COVID-19 has been marching ahead creating risks on the health of every individual. The fight towards this virus is still going on. United Way of Baroda extended their support towards the other states of India also.



United Way of Baroda with generous support with SABIC India Private Limited donated Advanced Medical Equipment to the Chief Medical Officer of Gurugram, Haryana through sister Chapter United Way Delhi. Advanced Medical Equipment included:

- 6 Automatic Electric Oxygen Concentrators
- 10 Para Monitors BPL Ultima Prime (5 Parameters)
- 6 Bipap Portable (small)
- 3 Pharmaceutical Refrigerators

Advanced Medical Equipment were donated in brace with SABIC Research and Technology Pvt Ltd to the GH and PHC Units of 4 villages of Bengaluru named Sarjapura, Dommasandra, Anekal and Yamare, Bengaluru. Donation of Advanced Medical Apparatus included:

- 2 Haematology Analyser Part 3 Mythic 18
- 4 ECG Machine 12 Channel Contec Brand
- 10 Oxygen Concentrators (Single Flow)
- 5 COT with Bed and Mattress (ICU BED)
- 8106 Other Medical tools

COMPUTER LABORATORY INAUGURATION



An Advanced Computer Laboratory was established by United Way of Baroda in support with Jan Priya Trust at Maa Bharti Primary School. Training sessions on server and coding with computer along with special training techniques by IIT Bombay has been organised for the teachers to be properly trained.

COURSE OF COMPUTER CONCEPTS FOR DILIGENTS



Course of Computer Concepts has been initiated for the rural students of Arad School and Government Model School, Halol. A Government Approved Certificate will be provided to the students after completion of the course. **More than 120 students** are being empowered through these sessions.

ROBO CAR MAKING WORKSHOP



Under UWB's STEM Enhancement Program, A Robo Car making workshop was organised where more than 110 students from 2 rural schools were provided with hands-on experience in making robot car including wiring connection task in the supervision of UWB Expert.

CUSTOMISED TRAINING KITS FOR WOMEN



Customised Training kits for Embroidery and Sewing Techniques initiated for rural women of Halol under Women Empowerment Program. Also, these sessions are carried out by the Subject Expert to train them professionally.

BRINGING THE ARTIST WITHIN YOU



A Jute painting session was held for the rural women of Kanjari Village, Halol. Variety of Jute Bags using crayon colours were painted creatively by the women portraying Gujarati culture and traditions. This session turned out to be a memorable one.

DIYA AND CANDLE MAKING WORKSHOP



Diya and candle making workshops were organised for the women of Kanjari, Halol. More than 100 Diyas were painted and candles were made. An Exhibition was held at L.M. Wind Power Company Site for two days. Through this exhibition, more than INR 3000 were earned and deposited in their SHG Bank Account.

MENTORSHIP SESSIONS FOR THE DILIGENT

SENSE OF HYGIENE AWARENESS FOR GIRLS



A Session on Awareness of Menstrual Hygiene session was organised at Government Model School, Halol. UWB Expert explained the importance of health and hygiene making it priority for the girl students from the point of view of personal comfort, prevention from infections and other related diseases.

GENDER SENSITIZATION



Under IRDP, Gender Sensitization session was organised for the students of 10th & 11th standard (Arts Students) at rural school of Halol. Students were synergised through these interactive and informative sessions.

SELF DEFENCE WORKSHOP



A series of Self Defence Workshop for 10 days was organised for the students of three rural schools of Halol. 174 students enhanced their techniques on how to safeguard themselves during the unfavourable situation.

THINK OUT OF THE BOX



A Mentorship session was organised on the topic of "Creative thinking" for the students of Sheth Chandriya Vidhyamandir, Arad. Students probed into thinking on how to pause and think out of the box can be a solution to their problems or at least make them reduce their chances of dealing with the mistakes.

SHIKHAR SCHOLARSHIP DISTRIBUTION 2021-22



Under UWB's Shikhar Scholarship Program, 52 students were selected on the basis of criteria and awarded with scholarship amount of Rs. 15K to 25K as per their results amounting to more than 11 Lakhs. This project has been supporting the indigent students belonging to Higher Secondary Standard from Science Stream since last 4 years. This project has been supported by C.S. Chawla Foundation.

RO WATER SYSTEM FOR THE DIFFERENTLY ABLED



In order to have access to safe drinking water for the differently abled, RO Water System along with Water Cooler was donated with the support from UWB Trustee- Mr. Pinakin Shah to the Society for the Physically Handicapped.

CELEBRATION OF WORLD DISABILITY WEEK



For the celebration of 63rd World Disability Week, United Way of Baroda in association with World Disability Day Celebration Committee and Social Defence Office organised World Disability Week from 3rd December 7th December 2021 where seminars on various topics and cultural program were held.

FELICITATION OF THE DEVOUT EFFORTS CARRIED OUT

At the event of "Niramaya Gujarat Program" launch, Honourable Minister for Women and Child Development, Social Justice & Empowerment, Government of Gujarat- **Smt. Manishaben Vakil** praised the commitment and efforts carried out by the United Way of Baroda being the fervid to put forth their helping hands towards Rural Development to make the rural areas a better place to live and also Medical Aid Support towards Trust and Government Hospitals of Gujarat in order to contribute towards fight against this deadly virus. UWB was also felicitated by the Honourable Minister- Government of Gujarat.



UNITED TOWARDS MAKING VADODARA A BETTER PLACE TO LIVE IN



Enriching Community | CSR Partnership | Employee Volunteering

Published & Edited: Dr. Binita Verdia | Compilation: Isha Pandya | Designed: Munawar Tai

United Way of Baroda

9th Floor, Sidcup Tower, Race Course, Vadodara - 390 007

Ph: 91-265-2358091, 2345144

unitedwayofbaroda@unitedwayofbaroda.org | www.unitedwayofbaroda.org

Our Focus Areas



Education



Health



Livelihood



Environment



Differently abled



Disaster Relief