



## **11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> CATARACT EYE SURGERY CAMP**

**Organized by OXIGEN & SAHYOG**

**Under its CSR INITIATIVE**

**FY2018-19/11&12 /Cataract Surgery.**

***Oxigen & Sahyog Foundation Report on Cataract Surgeries***

**Delhi, December, 2018**

No gift could be better than the gift of sight, hence this humanitarian effort by Oxigen & Sahyog Foundation under its Corporate Social Responsibility (CSR) in the month of Dec 2018 organized four Free Eye camps where in screening, Selecting cataract patients for Surgery and eventual surgery to restore sight to the down trodden in the society was done free of Cost by Oxigen . On 24th Dec 7 cataract surgeries were conducted at Lions Hospital. We are happy to Share that all of Surgeries were successful and seven more people had their sight back. In the month of Nov Poor villagers from Remote village Sonepat district and Ghonda slum who were having Cataract , were Identified, thoroughly examined & motivated for Cataract surgery at Lions Hospital for free. Eye sights of eleven villagers & slum dwellers were restored in the process on Dec; 1and 24<sup>th</sup> December Precaution and medicines have been given to these patients and their next follow up is due soon.

***11<sup>th</sup> & 12<sup>th</sup> Cataract surgery camp details***

***Date- 1<sup>st</sup> & 24<sup>th</sup> December 2018***

***Location- Lions Eye Hospital, Delhi***

***No of Patients undergone surgery-17***

***Patients From- Village Sunpeda and Ghonda Slum***

***Partnering NGO- Lions Eye Hospital, Delhi***

**The sequence of steps taken to screen, transport, and conduct the surgery are as follows:**

- 1) The patients who come to the camp site are registered
- 2) The patients are screened to determine their eyesight problem
- 3) Those found in need of cataract surgery are tested for inter-ocular pressure
- 4) Patients are then screened for high blood pressure and blood sugar
- 5) The patients who do not have any health complications and are deemed to be in need of cataract surgery are subjected to a final screening by the ophthalmologist
- 6) Patients are then transported to the hospital by bus provided by the OXIGEN & SAHYOG Foundation
- 7) The patients are admitted to the hospital and are operated the same day.. During the surgical procedure, clouded lens is removed and a plastic intra-ocular lens is implanted
- 8) after staying for few hours, the patients are checked to ensure that there are no complications and are then transported back home.



Patients were grateful to Oxigen & Sahyog Foundation for conducting such surgeries free of cost. They are now able to feel the world once again through their improved visions. Meals and medicines were provided along with a full day's rest at hospital after the surgery. The patients are also provided with post-operative medication, colored glasses and two follow up visits. Proud to Share with all of you that Patients were very happy with surgery & the arrangements at hospital.

Oxigen & Sahyog foundation has brought a new ray of hope for the hopeless and helpless people. The patients being operated at hospital acknowledge that with the help & blessings of volunteers rendering selfless services to them more than their own kin they will be able to restore their vision back. The happiness on the faces of patients getting operated in the eye camp can be clearly seen.

### **Acknowledgement**

We express our heartiest thanks to surgeons of Lions Eye Hospital Dr. Noopur and their teams for their honest & dedicated hard work. We would like to thank Dr. Manoj Dubey and Camp coordinator Mr. R.N Bajaj for their generosity in referring the patients and accompanying us to the hospital and continuously monitoring the situation at the hospital and ensuring they reach home safely with new vision. Special thanks to the Medical Superintendent & senior surgeon at Lions Eye Hospital who came to meet the patients while they were discharged.

"I am very happy that each one of us, privileged to be part of this grand human experience, by this unique service project".

Oxigen & Sahyog Foundation seeks the continued patronage of corporate to transform the quality of life of the villagers into a productive one and deliver quality eye care to the rural masses and to those living in inaccessible and remote areas.

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