

Eye Care Camp  
Mumbai, Maharashtra



## Camp 1 - Venue Details

Date of Camp: 14<sup>th</sup> and March 2019

Camp spot: Jogesgwari ,Mumbai, Maharashtra

Financial support for the Camp: Oxigen & Sahyog Foundation.



## Camp 2- Venue Details

Date of Camp 15<sup>th</sup> March 2019

Camp spot: Andheri, Mumbai, Maharashtra

Financial support for the Camp: Oxigen & Sahyog Foundation.



## Objectives Of The Eye Camp

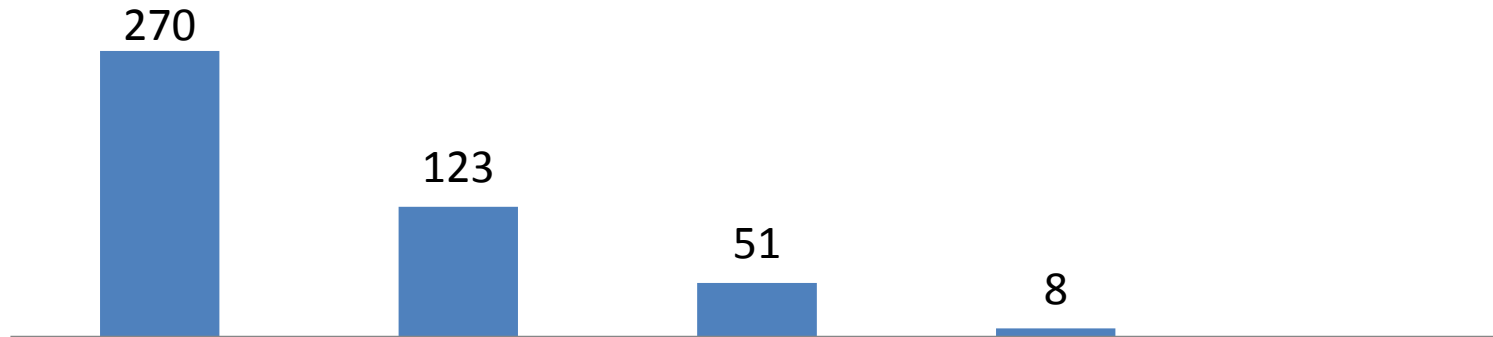
- Provide Eye screening services to the community.
- Provide both preventive and curative treatment for common eye problem.
- Refer those who require specialized treatment as necessary.
- Provide information on prevention and management of preventable eye diseases.
- Encourage use of available nutritious food products in the area.

With Sahyog Foundation and Chorus call Mission of Saving Sight, changing lives and Building a Brighter, Safer Future. Chorus call and Sahyog Foundation team organized Two free Eye Screening camps for the slum dwellers at Mumbai .Since, in India the slum areas are not too hygienic and neither the people living in such areas are aware of preventing themselves from the various diseases they can suffer from due to in- hygiene. Therefore, we made our aim to educate them and provide them with knowledge to live more hygienically so that they too can lead a healthy life and prevent themselves and their families from any health issues. After three Days Of Vigorous publicity at. Both the locations through Banners, Handouts , Door to Door publicity and Munadi .On March 14,2019, First Eye camp was organized at kumud Nagar, S.V . Road Guregaon (W) and Second on March 15,2019 at Anand Nagar, Jogeshwari .The objective of these camps were to create awareness about eye disorders and to detect refractive errors and eye ailments amongst slum community people. with the aim to increase awareness and provide access to eye care services. Generating awareness about general eye care, cleanliness, hygiene and wellness also to educate community members about eye infections, fading eyesight, conjunctivitis etc. At the camp site we had more than three hundred Participants attending the camp, where most of them were advised for further medical care or use of spectacles to keep the slum dwellers protected from different eye infections. We also distributed 196 eye drops and 126 spectacles to the one in need. Majority of the attendee were suffering with Dry eye problem and were prescribed with Lubricants and home remedy to overcome the issues. Seven identified with major problems other than cataract were referred to Mahatme Hospital, varadlaxmi, Mulund East, Mumbai. All these 7 were taken to hospital on 16th Morning for further check ups and after a day long Screening procedures were prescribed with future treatment which they can undergo at hospital on a very nominal charge. Out of 8 identified with Cataract 4 agreed for the cataract surgery and they will be undergoing the surgical procedure on coming Monday ie March 18, 2019.

Addressing the gathering, Director Mahatame hospital said: ” This is a very good initiative by Chorus call and Sahyog Foundation and I appreciate the trust they have shown on us, which inspires us to keep doing such good initiatives for the communities “.we are thankful to each and every one involved in making the camp a success.

## Statistics for both the Camps

Total No. of Patients Screened	270
No of patients to whom Medicine(eye drop) was given	123
No of Patients to whom Spectacles was given	51
No of Patients screened for cataract	8



## Achievement of the Camp



In all, more than 270 patients were examined out of which 8 found with cataract problems for which Sahyog Foundation will organize an eye surgery camp as per dates available in the hospital most of patients want to get their surgeries done. during the surgery camp Oxigen and Sahyog Foundation will provided all necessary facilities like refreshments, medicines, specs, etc.

## Highlights







Thank You!!

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