

VARSHA FOUNDATION

Home Away From Home (HAH)

Running in partnership with Cankids...Kidscan

Quarterly progress report – 1st Oct'19 to 31st Dec' 2019

The HAH is now fully functional with all household facilities and is providing services to the children undergoing treatment in the KGMU hospital. Cankids...Kidscan is an implementing partner and providing financial support as well as treatment support services in the HAH.

Under the Project HAH we are providing following services and ensuring:

- To provide outstation families with affordable, child appropriate accommodation during treatment
 - To Integrate project HAH into the treatment, care and support systems at the Hospital
 - To improving the overall standards of treatment & care
 - To provide atmosphere like home
 - To focus on individual hygienic cooking facilities and common dining areas to cater to the children's individual taste, failing appetites and need for healthy nutrition, which is vital for the success of their treatment
 - To focus on hygiene, proper storage of medicines, and information and support for proper follow up of Doctor's instructions
 - To set up a school Room – to ensure that children continue to receive education through Non-Formal Education Program.
 - To provide emotional and Psychosocial support, outings, recreational and community activities.
 - To provide transport facility between hospital and HAH
 - To provide cooking facilities
 - To provide administrative assistance
1. Children are selected by Dr. Nishant Verma for HAH stay and Dr. Nishant Verma held responsibility Ms. Sangeeta Sahu to send the children to the HAH once identified and finalized.
 2. Eshwar Child Welfare Foundation and Satya Sai Sewa Trust started providing ration to the HAH.
 3. Sangeeta Sahu from Cankids undertaken 4 visits at HAH during the month ensuring comfort stay of children and their families at HAH.

Celebrations and Events

Monthly Birthday Celebration on 14-01-2020

- This birthday celebration in HAH has been sponsored by a local donor.
- Organized puppet show in HAH, all enjoyed the puppet show, very happy and laughing everyone.
- Packed eating items like biscuit, juice, Britannia cake, peanuts, chocolates, Horlicks and gazak etc. given to them.
- Gifts and toys given to every child.



Monthly Birthday Celebration on 14-01-2020

All children and their family celebrated Republic Day in HAH. The national flag was hoisted and national anthem was sung by all the children and families. All children were very happy and feeling like they are in school. Gift and snacks – Chocolate ,Biscuits peanuts,sweets distributed to all the children and families.



Celebration at the time of refrigerator donated by Inner Wheel Club of Lucknow on 22-10-2019



Deepawali Calibration in HAH

This Diwali lightened up the lives in HAH. Children and their families celebrated Diwali in HAH in homely atmosphere, did puja in the HAH.

Gifts :- (chocolate packs, warm sweaters) distributed to all the children. Children and families were very happy.



Goverdhan Pooja at HAH:-



Children's Day Celebration in HAH : 14 November

- ❖ We celebrated children, day 14 November in HAH. Drawing competition organised. All children participated in competition.
- ❖ Gifts distributed to all the children - Toys, chocolates given to winners and all the children.



Monthly Birthday celebration : 19 November

- ❖ A local donor sponsored the birthday celebration in HAH for children and their families.
- ❖ It was a fun-loving event, children enjoyed a lot, gifts distributed to all the children.
- ❖ Packed eating items like biscuit, chocos, Oats Britannia cake, moong dal, etc. given to them.
- ❖ Woolen caps and socks given to all the children.



Coordination meeting – 27 November

- ❖ Coordination meeting was held in HAH on 27 November. Vindhya Ji, Priti and Harshita were also there.
- ❖ A session was taken on hygiene maintenance.



Birthday celebration in HAH – 16 December

- ❖ The birthday celebration was sponsored by a local donor in HAH for children and their families.
- ❖ It was a fun-loving event, children enjoyed a lot, gifts distributed to all the children.
- ❖ Packed eating items like biscuit, chocos, Britannia cake, chips etc. given to them.
- ❖ Gifts and toys given to every child and woolen shawl given to every female attendant.



Prayer with children and parents



Birthday Cake cutting with children.



Gift distributions



Shawl distributions

(25 December) Christmas Day Celebration in HAH

- ❖ We celebrated Christmas day 25 December in HAH. Organised magic show. All the children and families enjoyed a lot the magic show.
- ❖ Birthday cake was cut by Santa with children.
- ❖ Given gift to children (woollen gloves and snacks, juice toffies)
- ❖ Given gift to attendant woollen sweaters and woollen socks for ladies and woollen socks for gents.
- ❖ The event was with full of fun and joy and in pics we could see the smile on faces of all children.



Play room activities



(Sessions with teacher in play room)

Checked personal hygiene, talked to each other about, coordination, learning play activities with teacher participant and 11 families.

Participated prayers with tutor and family. Meeting with Annu, Rohit and Teacher.