Annual report of Udaan Welfare Foundation 2021-2022

Covid-19 continued to batter us without any respite and several lives lost through 2021-2022 also. Thankfully, we continued to work, though intermittently and with lots of uncertainties.

Several donors unexpectedly supported our fight towards Covid-19 and we could happily share and support with the needy the goods /funds received.

We are grateful and thankful to all our team members, staff, volunteers, donors and the blessings received from our beneficiaries.

We briefly outline the projects completed in FY. 2021-2022:-

Covid-19 WAVE 2

Health & Nutrition:

- Through our Protect the Protector campaign on May 28, 2021 20,000 Certified N-95 Masks, 23,000 3 Ply Surgical Masks, 450 PPE kits, 100 Pulse Oximeters, 500 Litres of Sanitizers were donated to Municipal Corporation Greater Mumbai's G/North Ward, R/South Ward, R/North Ward, R/Central Ward, Cooper Hospital, Vile Parle; HBT Trauma Care Hospital, Jogeshwari; and Cama & Albess Hospital, Mumbai.
- On July 14th, 2021 Udaan Welfare Foundation donated 2 units of bedside Pulse Oximeters for the NICU of Chatrapati Shivaji Municipal Hospital, Kalwa, Thane. These are useful in monitoring the Oxygen Saturation of the paediatric population especially, and could be handy during COVID 19 anticipated third wave where the paediatric population was expected to be more affected.
- On 24th August, 2021 we donated 5 units each of ICU Beds, Bedside cabinets, Bedside trolleys for the new ICU unit of Kaushalaya Medical Foundation Trust Hospital, Thane. This support would help the Covid-19 patients as well as the general patients over a long period of time. This project was funded by the employees of M/s CohenReznick LLP, USA (thru Mr. Vivek Devanga)
- On 15th November, 2021, five Semi Fowler Beds, a Wheel Chair, a Nebuliser, & a weighing scale were donated for the Paediatric ward at the Divisional Central Railway Hospital, Kalyan, in anticipation of the third wave of Covid-19. The beds were funded by Mr. Xavier Bessard of M/s Balmoral International SAS, France.
- **Project Annapoorna** was launched on August 7, 2021 by Udaan Welfare Foundation. In view of the impending 3rd wave, we felt that taking care of the nutritional status of the ICU staff in advance would help them handle the anticipated emergencies better, hence a weekly hamper containing 7 packets each of high protein freshly prepared snacks by the Thana Achalgachh Jain Sangha, Thane was planned.

The hampers were delivered for daily consumption every week from 7th August until 30th September, 2021 to nearly 150 medical, paramedical staff and security personnel posted in the ICU of the NESCO Covid-19 Jumbo Centre at Goregaon East, Mumbai. Total 16920 packets of snacks were distributed. This support, funded by The Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation Ltd. (HSBC) India, was expected to help improve the nutritional status of the hard-pressed ICU staff doing Covid duties and anticipated 3rd wave. A heartwarming message was received from the ICU in charge:

"The girls were very happy to receive the snacks. Thank you so much."

"The snacks are very healthy and tasty".

Luckily enough, the ordeal of third wave spared the country to a large extent, hence, the staff at NESCO was transferred. Therefore, we had to redesign our Project Annapoorna to distribute the same high protein snacks to the underprivileged children, pregnant & lactating women residing in the slums of Azadnagar, Turbhepada, Dharamachapada and Pankhanda village in Thane. This

project was relaunched on 23rd October, 2021 and continued through 31st March, 2022. A total of 14695 packets of snacks were distributed to 322 children, adolescent girls, pregnant and lactating women.

• We donated Cloth Masks, Handwash Liquid and soaps for the children of TMC School, Pankhanda Village, Thane.

SAKSHAM COMMUNITY CENTRE:

Activities in our Community Centre started regularly from 1st April 2021 except education, and we were happy that the beneficiaries could freely come to avail the services, though with full Covid protocols in force.

Medical Services:

Our health services restored, gave a big relief to the patients. They could avail subsidised quality services through our doctors.

Patient Statistics from April 2021 to 31 March 2022							
Dental	Ophthalmology	Skin	Orthopaedic	ENT	Homeopathy	Total	
1483	418	72	2	17	142	2134	

Health Check up Camp:

Oral Health Camp was conducted for 58 Children & Adolescent girls at Pankhanda Village, Thane and appropriate advise given. This project was led by our member Dr. Akshay Ranade and his team.

HEALTH CHECK UP CAMPS 2021-2022						
Health Camp	Venue	Date	Number of attendees			
Dental	Pankhanda Village	19/11/21	58			
Total			58			

Nutrition:

- Nutritional support in the form of Fruits, Snacks, Rice (600 kg), Dal (150 kg), Cooking Oil 84 litres donated by individual donors, were distributed amongst children residing in Azadnagar, Turbhepada, Dharamachapada slums; Pankhanda & Kokanipada villages in Thane.
- We served dinner for 250 inmates of Dr. Ernest Borges Cancer patients Home at Bandra, Mumbai and lunch for 120 resident girls at Ma Niketan, Thane supported by WeKare Society, Hyderabad.

Education:

• We restarted our Computer classes at Saksham Community Centre for a brief period when the partial lockdown was lifted.

Computer Classes - Dec. 2021 to Mar. 2022					
Course	Total No. of Students	Student Hours			
MS Office	79	6320			

• On June 14th, 2021 Stationary, books and high quality school bags were distributed to enable ex TMC school 55 students to continue their studies during the pandemic. The students were

motivated to excel in their academic pursuits by Mr. Anurag Kumar Pratap, VP & CSR Leader, Capgemini India Ltd.

- 20 students received a set of compass box, writing pad, 2 pens, 2 pencils, stencil scale, 12 A4 size papers, 8 long 200 pages notebooks.
- 10 sets of Std X books were donated to Std. X students.
- On 26th August, 2021, notebooks & stationary were distributed to 190 students of IV to VIII Std. from TMC School No. 55, Azadnagar, Thane. Mrs. Akila Balbale & Mrs Vimlesh Sindhu from Rainbow International School, Thane as well as Ms. Rupal Diwan & her team from Cappemini India Ltd. graced the occasion and blessed the children.
- On 8th September, 2021 we supported the Educational fees of 2 students of IX & XII studying at Navodaya School & College, Thane, to continue to pursue their studies in difficult times. Their mother was sadly diagnosed with Cancer and father a Car mechanic could not afford their studies.
- Juski (Just keep distance) masks by Inzpera Health Sciences Ltd. Every purchase of Juski masks
 by the general public, one percent of the proceeds was donated to Udaan Welfare Foundation. A
 sum of Rs. 213261/- was donated in this FY. 2021-2022 by Inzpera Health Sciences Ltd. This
 contribution helped underprivileged children in their online education during Covid-19 at our
 Technology Centre at Ma Niketan, Thane.

Livelihoods:

After a brief interval of lockdown, due to the 2nd wave, we restarted the tailoring classes from August 2021 and gradually the number of ladies started increasing. This had a positive impact on employability. We received funds from individual donors through Give India and Give Foundation INC, USA for this project.

Tailoring Classes - April 2021 to 31 March 2022						
Students	Hours	Students Hours				
175	350	57750				

Welfare:

- 50 dresses were stitched by upcycling used sarees, for street children of Jeevan Sanvardhan Foundation, Thane & Titwala on the occasion of Diwali. Rotary Club of Mulund Valley, Mumbai sponsored the project.
- We distributed 27 sarees to the women residing in Pankhanda village, Thane
- We distributed 82 T Shirts to children and adolescent girls residing at Pankhanda village, Thane.
- We donated a Carrom Board for the children residing at Pankhanda village, Thane.
- December, January 2021-2022 were very cold winter months for Mumbai, Thane. Udaan Welfare Foundation felt the need of supporting the poor by distributing 2100 Blankets to the residents of Azadnagar, Turbhepada, Dharamachapada slums; Pankhanda & Kokanipada Villages in Thane; villages in the Sanjay Gandhi National Park, Mumbai; Shree Gadge Maharaj Charitable Trust, Dadar, Mumbai for Cancer Patients and children at Vanwadi village, Palghar. Timely help given, made the recipients sleep comfortably and prevented several ailments. This project was funded by M/s Motilal Oswal Foundation through Ek Muthi Anaj.

Technology Centre:

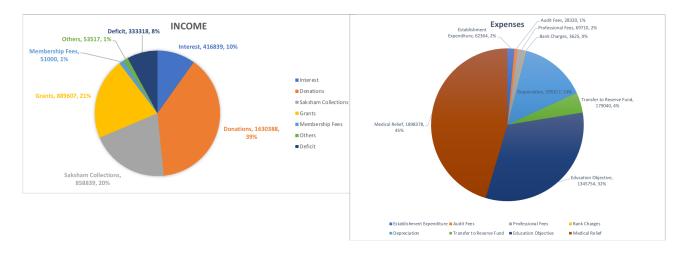
Our technology Centre at Ma Niketan continues its operation since 2012. During the Covid-19 lockdown children were forced to stay indoors and had no access to education. We enabled all our 30 desktops with webcams and individual headphone sets to facilitate online classes. The 120 girls have significantly benefitted from the online classes during the lockdown.

Miscellaneous:

- Social Conclave: Social conclave is a three day event held by the NMIMS university, Mumbai's MPSTME Social Event, and backed by the United Nations. Delegates from all over the country visited our Saksham community centre on 14th March, 2022 and got to know how NGOs function with the help of a presentation. They actively learnt about the challenges in accessing healthcare services around the country, more specifically rural health services. This was followed by a question and answer session where inquisitive delegates asked us questions about various other challenges and schemes that the government has in place. It was an informative experience for the delegates and we too at Udaan, definitely had a great time hosting them..
- We purchased Zoho Creator to compile data of all our activities in one portal and make it seamless.
- Renewed all XII A, 80G certificates as per GOI mandate, also registered with Ministry of Corporate Affairs for CSR funds.

Financial:

Income & Expenditure FY 2021-2022



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Several individual donors in their personal capacities came forward to support not only the current pandemic crises but also helped us maintain our regular projects.

We are grateful to all our volunteers who have helped us manage the projects. Institutions like ITM University, Navi Mumbai; Jindal Global Law University, Sonepat; NMIMS School of Design, Mumbai; NMIMS University, Mumbai; Symbiosis Institute of Media & Communication, Pune for sending their students to do their internships with us both offline as well as online. It was a tremendous value add to our organisation.

We applaud and recognise our staff especially Mr. Ramesh K. Jadhav for doing the housekeeping duties even during the lockdown and keeping our Saksham Community Centre clean and well maintained. Mr. Sachin Joshi one of our trustees, Mrs. Madhura Joshi, Mrs. Divya Dave for going into the slum community to distribute Nutrition packets during the lockdown to pregnant and lactating women, Ms. Mamta Prajapati, Ms. Nandini Tiwari for running the activities during partial lockdown, Mrs. Seema Chaube for conducting tailoring classes, Ms. Samrudhhi Matkar for conducting Computer classes. Mrs. Sheetal Thool for helping us deliver food packets during the lockdown as well as post lockdown and managing the logistics for day to day activities at Saksham Community Centre. Mrs Shaila Kamdar for managing our Technology Centre at Ma Niketan and facilitating online classes during the lockdown.

We stood strong through the challenging times, supported more than a lakh of individuals during Covid-19 and helped children, adolescent girls, pregnant & lactating women build up and sustain their nutrition and health. We will continue to empower and stay strong.

We are not what we do, but who we become by what we do."