



POLIO CHILD RELIEF

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List of new patients waiting for 'Free Treatment'

Aarti P. Dharoliya, 6yrs old, from Vasai (E)



Aarti is from the rural area near Mumbai. She is a child with deformities due to Polio. She is able to walk, but cannot run. If not attended to, her handicap will considerably increase with age.

Diagnosis: Aarti needs in total three operation in her right hip, knee and foot. The last one is a 'Staindler Planter Fasciotomy'. The estimation of cost is at Rs 39000.- for all operations. Surgery/treatment for Aarti has already started in August 2008.

Dipti A. Kamble, 5 yrs old, Mumbai



This girl has just been sent to us and got registered by our project. Dipti is residing with her family in Mumbai. She is suffering from deformities in back and limbs due to Polio paralysis. Dipti is greatly limited in her mobility, she can barely walk.

A medical checkup has not yet been carried out. After examination by Dr. Desai, diagnosis and estimation of the cost for treatment will be given.

Rijwana, 23 years old, Thane Maharashtra



She suffers from Polio, with deformities on her right side/leg. Rijwana manages to move around with the help of crutches. Through correctional surgeries she should achieve greater mobility and lead a more useful life.

Her medical checkup was done early August 2008. She needs four difficult surgeries on the right leg. The cost of her treatment is estimated at Rs 46000.- Rijwana got admitted for 1st stage surgery/operation in August 2008.

Firoj Shaikh, 27 years old, from Palghar



Firoj is from the rural area near Mumbai. He is a poor labourer, having great difficulty moving around. Though he has very weak limbs, due to Polio, Firoj keeps a positive outlook in life. He received a medical checkup in spring 2008 and his treatment started in the middle of July 2008.

Firoj needs: For 1st stage corr. surgery in his right knee; for 2nd stage three operations on his right side; hip, knee and foot. The cost for treatment operations is Rs 33500.- Treatment is under way.

We thank you for considering sponsorship of treatment for these patients. Your continual support and kind contributions towards the betterment of the poor, underprivileged children and youth is much appreciated. Regards and Best Wishes,

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