



## St. Jude sets-up 42nd centre For BMT pediatric patients in Mumbai

This month, we inaugurated our 42nd centre on 25th September - at Mira Road, Mumbai. The new centre will provide free-of-cost holistic care and accommodation to eight children and their families, undergoing Bone Marrow Transplant (BMT) procedures at the BMC's CTC, PHO & BMT Center, Borivali.

"Bone marrow transplant (BMT) is a special therapy for patients with certain cancers. It attempts to transfuse healthy bone marrow cells into a person after his or her own unhealthy bone marrow has been treated to kill the abnormal cells. The patient requires a lot of care and support before, during and after a BMT procedure. Keeping that in mind, the new centre exclusively supports children undergoing BMT in Mumbai. The holistic support offered at the centres tries to close the gap between what the hospital provides and what the children need to beat cancer." said Anil Nair, CEO, St. Jude's India, about the launch of their latest centre.

With the opening of this facility, St. Jude's has expanded its presence to 11 Indian cities: Mumbai, Kolkata, Hyderabad, Jaipur, Chennai, Vellore, Guwahati, Delhi, Varanasi, Muzaffarpur, and Vishakhapatnam. We now have 42 Centres that look



## Run to Support Our Cancer Warriors

The Mumbai Marathon is back! To be held on Sunday, 21st January, 2024, it gives you the perfect opportunity to support your favourite charity by registering to run the marathon and giving children with cancer the best chance to beat the illness.

All funds you raise will go towards providing free-of-cost hygienic accommodation and holistic care to families in need for their child's cancer treatment. Your donation will also support St. Jude's for Life (Founded in Memory of Mrs. Rani Vicaji) which works with Judians - our survivors.

**RUN TO SUPPORT CHILDHOOD CANCER WARRIORS**

Support St. Jude's at the Mumbai Marathon this year to give children with cancer the best chance to beat the illness.

Funds you raise will help needy families during their child's cancer treatment and support St. Jude's for Life (Founded in Memory of Mrs. Rani Vicaji) which works with Judians - our survivors.

Early bird registration extended to all of September and October

St. Jude India ChildCare Centres

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## Annual Report 2022-23



The past year was a significant one for St. Jude's in terms of our growth and expansion. We kicked off several new projects this year, including two new centres in Muzaffarpur and Visakhapatnam in partnership with the Tata Memorial Centre, and launched our most ambitious project to set up a 226-unit facility at ACTREC, Navi Mumbai, which is expected to be operational in 2025. In FY 2023, we supported over 2000 families across our 500 units. With the steadfast support of our partner hospitals and donors, our growth plans are now back on track and we are determined to meet our target of managing 1000 units across India by 2027.

We are happy to share our work, activities and financials for the last year in our Annual Report 2022-23.



## St. Jude's In The News



St. Jude's CEO, Anil Nair on how the diagnosis of pediatric cancer is a crisis that not only tests the resilience of affected families but also reveals the gaping holes in our healthcare systems. He writes in the Free Press Journal.

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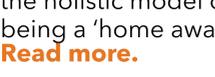
Healthworld writes how the newly-opened centre will follow the holistic model of care of being a 'home away from home'.

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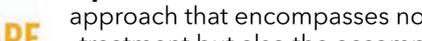
**Prittle Prattle** in conversation with Mr. Anil Nair, CEO, St. Jude India ChildCare Centres.

[Here's the article.](#)



**Express Healthcare** on a Value-Based Healthcare approach that encompasses not just the primary treatment but also the accompanying services.

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## Stories of Hope



"I am Joyous from Satragachi, West Bengal. When I was 8, I was diagnosed with Acute Lymphoblastic leukemia (blood cancer) and was referred to Tata Memorial Centre (TMC), Kolkata where I completed my treatment. Now 12, I am in the 4th grade in a boarding school in Bangaon, West Bengal. I love being at school, though sometimes I miss my friends at St. Jude's."

- Living up to his name, Joyous is a happy child who loves spending time with family and playing with his friends. When he grows up, he wants to join the Indian army and serve the nation.

Your support ensured we could help Joyous when he needed it the most. To continue supporting more children...

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