# Don Bosco Monthly Medical Report of Street Children (New Delhi) Month – September 2019



Name of the Centre	No. of Patients	Male	Female	Types of illnesses	Services offered	Comments
Batla house	72	33	39	Anaemia, acute gastro enteric, and scabies, acute viral fever, acute abdominal pain etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	Community children are a little bit better than the street children but they are also suffering from health issues.
Mithaipul ODRS	59	54	05	Skin disease, gastro- enteric, abscess, malnutrition, fungal infection, acute viral fever etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	Children are visiting the camp to seek doctors advice and in search of medical assistance. Mostly children are visiting from Railway Stations. Here there is a mix of both types of children. Some are in an okay condition and some are not.
Bangla Sahib	83	34	49	Scabies, Ear Infection, Abscess, Malnutrition and Anaemia, Abscess, Acute abdominal Pain etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	Earlier the street children were living under completely unhygienic conditions, poor education, above 90% male and 70% female were drug addicts and the health

						conditions were worse; however, the children nowadays are fairly better than before in terms of education and health. Additionally, the children found near Hanuman Mandir (CP) are still under the drug quipped situation.
Shahdara	91	43	48	Infections, infected wounds, traumatic injury, skin disease, abscess, upper respiratory disease etc.	Counselling, medicine provided, advice on nutritious diet	They are homeless and residing at nearby railway stations and nearby areas. Fungal infection and infected wound are mostly diagnosed there.
Shashtri Park	82	43	39	Anaemia, acute gastro-enteric, and scabies, acute viral fever, acute abdominal pain etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	Community children are a little bit better than the street children but they are also suffering from health issues.
Bhika ji kama place	89	48	41	Infections, infected wounds, traumatic injury, skin disease, abscess, upper respiratory disease etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	This place has a good amount of children living in fairly good conditions as compared to the other centres. Here the issues are not very major ones, just basic fungal infections or the fever, wounds, etc type of diseases.
Jama Masjid	84	39	45	Anaemia, acute gastro-enteric, and scabies etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	Children here are addicted to drugs and beggars. They are homeless and residing at nearby railway stations, mosque area, etc. A number of diseases are found here.
Hanuman Mandir, Old Delhi Railway Station	69	29	40	Acute viral fever, URI, fungal infection, anaemia, acute gastro-enteric, and scabies, etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	The children found here are severely under drug addiction and are mostly homeless.

Mahipalpur	85	48	37	Infections, infected wounds, traumatic injury, skin disease, abscess, upper respiratory disease etc.	Counselling, medicine provided, advice on nutritious diet	This is perhaps the cleanest centre amongst all the centres. Children are in a good condition and suffer from the regular infections and diseases.
Madanpur Khadar	83	45	38	Viral Fever, gastro- enteric, anaemia, URI, acute, etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	Poor hygienic conditions, unawareness, families live in Jhuggis provided by Construction builders. The health conditions are poor.
Munirka	66	38	28	Anaemia, acute gastro-enteric, and scabies etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	Community children are a little bit better than street children but they are also suffering from health issues.
Don Bosco Ashalayam	114	76	38	Infections, infected wounds, traumatic injury, fever, skin disease, abscess, upper respiratory disease etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	This is a shelter home for street children. Children come to this centre to stay in different kinds of living conditions.
Seelampur	71	34	37	Infections, infected wounds, traumatic injury, skin disease, abscess, upper respiratory disease etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	Community children are a little bit better than the street children but they are also suffering from health issues.
Sant Nagar	59	32	27	Anaemia, acute gastro-enteric, and scabies etc.	Counselling, medicines provided, advice on nutritious diet	Here the children's parents are more into alcoholism and drugs than the children themselves. Health conditions are also not that good.
Total	1107	596	511			

S. No.	Description	Total No.
1	Below the age of Five years	211
2	Above the age of Five years	896
3	No. of Dressings	11



Don Bosco Health Centre, Basant Road, Paharganj



S. No.	Description	Total No.
1	Total Number of Medical Check-ups	378
2	New Children	67
3	Number of Follow-ups	58
4	Number of Females	37
5	Numbers of Males	341
6	Number of Dressings	14



We at the Don Bosco Health Centre, Basant Road, Paharganj, observed that Traumatic Injury, Abscess, URI- Upper Respiratory Infection, and kin diseases are very commonly diagnosed by our medical consultants. Mainly street children who stay at the railway platforms or at the shelter homes of other NGOs visit here for their treatment.

### Special Health Camp organized on 12<sup>th</sup> September 2019 at Takiya Kaleb Khan, New Delhi

Bosco Delhi organised a Health Awareness camp with the help of another Ngo in the Takiya Kale Khan area of New Delhi, on 12<sup>th</sup> September 2019. The main beneficiaries of this camp were the children who live on the streets with their families. Around 86 children took part in the camp. During this camp, Dr. Vijay Kumar spoke to the children about their living styles and suggested ways in which the children and their families could protect themselves from various diseases in the surroundings. This helped the families have a more detailedbroader idea and understanding about how they could adopt a more healthy living style not just individually, but also as a family and society overall.



# Special Health Camp organized on 26<sup>th</sup> September 2019 at Bhawar Singh Camp Vasant Vihar, New Delhi

Bosco Delhi organised a Health Awareness camp with the help of another Ngo in the Bhawar Singh Camp Vasant Vihar area of New Delhi, on 26<sup>th</sup> September 2019. The main beneficiaries of this camp were the children who live on the streets with their families. Around 71 children took part in the camp. During this camp, Dr. Vijay Kumar spoke to the children about their living styles and suggested ways in which the children and their families could protect themselves from various diseases in the surroundings. This helped the families have a more detailed and broad idea and understanding about how they could adopt a more healthy living style, not just individually but also as a family and society as a whole.



#### Visit by Medical Students from Germany

On 04-09-19, **Mr. Max** and **Mr. Johannes** from **Germany** visited us and spent the day witnessing our daily activities. They visited our medical camp centre at Shahdara Jhuggi, Mahipalpur and the health care centre at Paharganj. During their visit they met with our medical team and the others. They also interacted with few of the children and people. They were indeed very happy with their visit and appreciated the work of our team.







#### THANK YOU! 😳