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Wishing all a Happy, Healthy & Prosperous Diwali & New Year

CARE AT A GLANCE:

Dhawale Trust Hospital (DTH), PALGHAR

- 30,000 patients treated through OPD and IPD services.
- 75% of patients received care free of charge or at concessional rates.
- ₹1 crore in charitable assistance provided to deserving patients.
- 1,500 patients across 18 villages received free medical check-ups through health camps.

Cottage hospital and Community Health & Development Centre, BHOPOLI

- 2,500+ patients received healthcare through 100+ Mobile Clinic visits, bringing services to their doorsteps.
- 350 expectant mothers and 300 lactating mothers received antenatal (ANC) and postnatal (PNC) care.
- 350 newborns received care to support a healthy start to life.
- 1,500 children were monitored for signs of malnutrition.
- 75 malnourished children were brought under treatment.
- 1,500 adolescent girls were monitored and treated for anaemia.



BHOPOLI

RESPONSIBLE PARENTHOOD:

Responsible parenthood is an important aspect of maternal and child health, and the active involvement of fathers is equally vital.

We have initiated monthly meetings with newly married couples to create awareness among both partners about family planning, preparing for pregnancy, maternal nutrition and care, essential supplements, birth spacing, breastfeeding and other aspects of early parenthood.

A key focus is highlighting the father's role as an active, informed and supportive partner throughout this journey.

BEFRIENDING TECHNOLOGY:

This is the motto for 2026's Computer Education. Along with basic computer training, we have begun training high-school children to use technology for their families' needs, such as online applications for ration cards, Aadhaar cards, government schemes, land records and entrance examinations. The programme helps them save on e-Seva Kendra service charges while empowering them with direct access to information.





The Adhata Geriatric Care Centre a collaborative venture with Adhata Trust was inaugurated on the 19th of April 2026. Located within the premises of DTH, it strengthens MLD Trust's commitment to transform elderly care and meet the evolving needs of an ageing population.

MALAD

Student Support & Women's Health

In July–August 2026, mental-health talks at Saibai School benefited approximately 250 students of Standards IX–X. In August, a free homoeopathic female-health camp also served approximately 70 patients.

Charitable Assistance

From April to September 2026, charitable assistance exceeding ₹2.41 lakh was extended to patients at Mahavir Medico-Surgical & General Hospital, our centre at Malad.

Support for OT Equipment

A donation of ₹82,000 was received from Mr. Udayan Natverlal Shah Ji towards the purchase of a tourniquet and a body warmer machine for the operation theatre: at Malad.

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STITCHING TOGETHER A LIVELIHOOD: *Bhopoli – Women Empowerment*

With support from MLD Trust's self-help group initiative, Tanisha transformed her self-taught sewing skills into a growing livelihood. Financial assistance helped her purchase a sewing machine and later a fall-pico machine, expanding her tailoring work.

From ₹27,400 in her first six months, she progressed to ₹58,290 worth of tailoring work in 2025 and ₹62,810 between January and September 2026. She reinvested her earnings along with a loan, in a power tiller for her family's farming. She planted jasmine and planned to expand into sonchafa and guava cultivation.

Tanisha has demonstrated to us how our livelihood initiative can connect skill building and entrepreneurship to support families and contribute to community building.

A SMILE RESTORED: *Malad –Surgery*



Padma, a 33-year-old mother, suffered a mandibular fracture after a fall, leaving her in pain and struggling to eat and speak. With surgery estimated to cost ₹1.5 lakh, accessing the necessary treatment posed a significant challenge.

MLD Trust's Mahavir Hospital extended a 60% concession on surgery charges, and the required implant was provided free of cost. On 19 July 2026, Padma underwent a successful surgery, without any complications. As she recovered, she regained the ability to eat and speak comfortably and smile again.

The timely medical intervention, supported by our concessions, helped to make essential surgical care accessible and restore the quality of her daily life.

Homoeopathy at Work: *Mahul Urban Charitable Clinic*



After

Before

In March 2026, a 45-year-old man presented with patchy hair loss (alopecia areata) of eight months' duration. Despite consulting several skin specialists, he had found no relief and had spent considerably on treatment.

Following a detailed case study, an indicated homoeopathic constitutional medicine was prescribed. When he returned three weeks later for an unrelated complaint, he was asked about the scalp patch. His reply was, "The patch disappeared after your doses."

This case illustrates the potential of homoeopathic treatment in managing conditions difficult to treat with conventional medicine, while offering a cost-effective approach to care.

DHAWALE TRUST HOSPITAL (DTH), PALGHAR

A Journey to Home: *DTH · Newborn care*





A newborn boy, found alone near a stream, was taken to a rural hospital before being referred to DTH for specialised neonatal care. His weight and vital signs were normal, but he had minor scratches and required close observation in the NICU.

Madhukanta Gunwant Charitable Trust supported his treatment, nutrition and everyday care.

Once medically stable, he was handed over to government police authorities as required. He subsequently found a permanent home through the legal adoption process.

Every act of charitable care opens the door to a better tomorrow.

A pathway to specialised eye care: *DTH · MahaDrishti Project*





A dense corneal opacity was affecting the vision of six-year-old Anushri. Her condition was identified during an eye-screening activity associated with Rushabh Foundation in Talasari.

DTH facilitated her referral to tertiary eye care, with Mohan Foundation coordinating with Shantilal Sanghvi Eye Institute, Wadala.

Anushri underwent surgery on 31 August 2026. Specialised treatment and post-operative follow-up remain necessary.

Anushri's journey highlights the importance of screening, timely referral and collaboration in helping a patient to access specialised medical care.

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