# right to live

## Join Hands. Save Lives.

## India's First Crowd Donation Platform

Bringing people together to save lives by funding critical medical treatment for underprivileged patients.



## NEWS FLASH!

**We are now registered under the FCRA (Foreign Contribution Regulation Act)**

**Check out our new website design:**
**www.righttolive.org**

## Our progress so far...

- ♥ 60 patients received treatment
- ♥ 100% of funds go to patients' treatment
- ♥ No deductions made for administrative costs
- ♥ Rs.19,322,876 raised
- ♥ 1570+ unique donors

# A message from the founder



"We would like to thank all of our wonderful supporters, volunteers, and partners for helping us continue our mission of funding medical treatment for the poor. Right to Live remains India's top crowd donation platform, and the only organization with zero administrative fees taken from donor contributions. So far, 2015 has been a great year for us, especially with receiving FCRA status. Thanks to your help, we have saved many lives, and we hope to save more in the near future."

**Raghurama Kote**
Founder of Right to Live



**Vasanth**
17 years old, Bangalore
Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia

**Philomena**
68 years old, Bangalore
Breast Cancer

**Meghanath**
75 years old, Bangalore
Leprosy

**Bhavani**
4 years old, Bangalore
Open heart surgery

## About Right to Live

Right to Live, founded in 2012, is India's first crowd donation platform, exclusively dedicated to funding medical treatment for the underprivileged. So far we have funded life-saving medical treatment of 60 patients of all ages, residing mostly in the state of Karnataka. Treatment received includes chemotherapy, open-heart surgery, dialysis for kidney failure, and more. Every case is personally researched and followed through home visits, medical records check, and hospital visits. Right to Live is unique in that it gives 100% of all donations received directly to the patients' treatment as all administration costs are covered by trustees.

# New Patients

## Help Ramamurthy get posterior Urethral surgery.

Ramamurthy is 16 years old and was the unfortunate victim of an accident eight years back. To date, he has had 5 surgeries and had to drop out of school. Recently he was experiencing pain in his urethra, and now needs anastomotic arthroplasty surgery. Ramamurthy needs Rs.80,000 for this surgery, but his family cannot bear the cost. Why don't you consider helping this teenager feel better and get back to school?

## Help Manjunath get Open heart surgery.

Manjunath is 15 years old and studying in 10th standard at Kanyakumari School. He was recently diagnosed with a hole in his heart, for which Jayadeva Hospital has recommended open heart surgery at the cost of Rs.80,000. Both his father and mother earn very low wages and cannot afford the cost of the surgery. Please consider helping this young boy get a new lease on life. Every little contribution helps!

# Recent Success Stories

## Helped Tarannum get hip surgery

Tarannum is 30 years old and has undergone a kidney transplant. Due to the side effects of the continued medications, she has developed a problem in her hip which requires surgery. She comes from a low socio-economic background and needed help to pay for the hip surgery which costs Rs.60,000. We have managed to raise the required amount for her surgery, thanks to our generous donors, and Tarannum will soon be scheduled for surgery.

## Helped Vani get hearing aids

Vani is 9 years old, the eldest daughter of Kala and Satish. Her father earns a very low daily wage, while her mother works in a special school as an attender barely earning Rs.3500 per month. When Vani was 1½ years old, her parents realized that she was unable to hear, after which doctors at Chandra Shekhar Speech and Hearing School found that there was profound hearing loss. Thanks to our generous donors, we have raised Rs.25,000 for the basic hearing aids for Vani.

# Walk for Hope

On Sunday, 31 May 2015, we held our annual Walk for Hope Family Walkathon in beautiful Jayanagar. Two hundred people gathered together to walk for the common goal of helping the underprivileged get critical medical treatment. It was a fun event during which we got some exercise, made new friends, and raised almost Rs.2,80,000 of much-needed funds. Many thanks to our corporate sponsors Opteamix, Spider Logic, iNetFrame, and Axionet, as well as all the walkers who came out and spent their precious time with us, making the event a huge success.

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# In the News



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# Call for Volunteers



**Do YOU share our passion for helping the poor get life-saving medical treatment? We are currently looking for volunteers to help out with the following tasks:**

**GET CONTACTS.** Put us in touch with the CSR (Corporate Social Responsibility) departments at local companies.

**MAKE CALLS** to potential donors and companies. Training will be provided.

**TAKE PHOTOS and VIDEOS** of our patients. This is a great opportunity to get to know the people we support.

**CHAMPION A PATIENT.** Take charge of a patient's case and promote it through your network.

**DEVELOP CONTENT.** Write for our website, blog, emails, and grant request letters.

**DO RESEARCH** on health insurance options for the poor.

**HELP ORGANIZE FUND-RAISING EVENTS.** Many events are coming up and need helping hands.

**Write to volunteer@righttolive.org or call +91 70228 72220**

# New Initiatives



**Right to Live has three new hospital partners!**

💙 **NU Hospital** – Nephro-Urology Hospital, in Padmanabhanagar and Rajaji Nagar, for all ailments related to kidney malfunction and kidney failure.
www.nuhospitals.com

💙 **Shekar Nethralaya Superspecialty Eye Hospital**, in JP Nagar, for all types of ailments of the eyes.
www.shekarnethralaya.com

💙 **Rajalakshmi Multispeciality Hospital** in JP Nagar, for all types of ailments.
www.rajayalakshmihospital.org



Right To Live had the pleasure of speaking at the 2015 International Conference for Preventive and Predictive Healthcare Technologies at BMS College in Bangalore on 27 July 2015.

# Partnership between
# Right to Live & Life N Living



Right to Live has formed a partnership with Vasanth Vaikunth of Life N Living. We are going to deliver skill-building programs at colleges and companies. All the profits from our workshops will be donated to the Right to Live patients for their life-saving medical treatment. We are very grateful to Vasantha for giving her time and talents to benefit Right to Live!

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