PAEDIATRIC CANCER TREATMENT SUPPORT

NGO : Tata Memorial Hospital – IMPACCT (Paediatric Oncology Department)

Project Amount : Rs 50 lakhs (200 children @ average Rs.25,000)

Project Summary:

Childhood cancer is 80% curable and the children grow into healthy adults. However, due to the cost of pre diagnostic investigations, most families abandon treatment. Our funds ensure that the parents of cancer effected underprivileged children do not turn away from diagnosis and continue treatment at the hospital.

Project Impact :

The fund has supported 60 children till date over a period of 3 months. Our funds cover children not covered by government schemes, and hence reduce abandonment rates thus increasing chances of survival for the patient.

Overall, we support 5% of the children coming to the hospital. Youngest child was 1 month, and oldest child was 16 years old.