

PRESS RELEASE

Mahindra Finance brings 'Lifeline Express' to Ballarpur, Chandrapur



To provide free medical treatment and consultation to the remote rural population

- Lifeline Express, will be operational from 30th November to 18th December 2017
- Cataract, cleft lip, ear surgeries and other treatments will be provided free of cost
- Lifeline Express will also provide awareness, screening & diagnostics services for Oral, Breast & Cervical Cancer and Family Health services, awareness & counselling.

Nagpur/Chandrapur, November 27, 2017: The Honorable Cabinet Minister of Finance & Planning and Forest Departments, Government of Maharashtra, **Mr. Sudhir Mungantiwar** today inaugurated the Lifeline Express at Ballharshah Railway station in Chandrapur, in the presence of **Mr. Vinay Deshpande**, Chief People Officer, Mahindra Finance.

Mahindra Finance, a leading provider of financial services in rural and semi-urban India brings the **Lifeline Express** to Chandrapur in association with Impact India Foundation and the Indian Railways. Lifeline Express is the world's first hospital on a train which provides medical aid to millions of people living in remote and inaccessible areas.

The Lifeline Express will be based at Ballharshah railway station for a period of 20 days starting November 30, 2017.

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Speaking at the inauguration, the Honorable Minister **Mr. Sudhir Mungantiwar**, said, "The Lifeline Express is a unique initiative which brings on-the-spot medical facilities and surgical interventions to the underprivileged in smaller towns of the country. This is just beginning of this initiative and in future we would have many such initiatives for the community. I extend my sincere gratitude to both Mahindra Finance and Impact India Foundation for extending this service to the people of Chandrapur."

Mr. Vinay Deshpande, Chief People Officer, Mahindra Finance said, "Mahindra Finance is proud to be associated with the Lifeline Express. Our endeavor is to empower rural communities and help them unleash their potential. Healthcare, education and environment are our key focus areas. We see the same synergy with the philosophy of the Lifeline Express which takes medical facilities to people and areas which need them."

The seven coaches of the Lifeline Express have operation theatres, a pathology lab, a mammography unit, a gynaecology examination room, a dental unit, a pharmacy, consultation cubicles, X-Ray services, among others. The Lifeline Express also provides cancer awareness, screening and diagnostic services and a stroke prevention program.

Below is the brief schedule of Lifeline Express:

Domain of Service	Screening Date	Surgery/ OPD Date
Eye (Cataract)	Nov 30 to Dec 3	Dec 1 to 8
Middle Ear problems	Dec 9 to 12	Dec 10 to 15
Cleft Lip	Dec 16 to 17	Dec 17 to 18
Oral, Breast & Cervical Cancer (Awareness, Screening & Diagnostic services)	Dec 1 to 14	Dec 16 to 17 (Appropriate surgical procedures)
Family Health Services (Awareness & Counseling)	Dec 1 to 7	Dec 16 to 17
Epilepsy	Dec 8 to 9	No Surgery, Treatment given at OPD on the Lifeline Express
Dental	Dec 11 to 18	
Stroke Prevention Program	Dec 11 to 18	Advice on lifestyle changes

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