



Annual Report

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DIRECTOR'S MESSAGE

Dear Friends, Warm greetings from the Servetogether Foundation!

I extend my deepest gratitude to each one of you—those who have stood with us from the beginning, those who continue to support our journey, and those who have recently joined hands with us. Your belief in our mission is the driving force behind everything we do.

Every child deserves the love, safety, and nurturing environment that a family provides. Yet, far too many children remain vulnerable to neglect, abuse, and exploitation. While they have no control over the circumstances into which they are born, we, as a society, do have the power—and responsibility—to make a difference. It is up to us to bridge this gap, especially those of us who are more fortunate, by creating opportunities and offering support where it's needed most.

At the Servetogether Foundation, we are committed to addressing the complex challenges that children face—whether it be lack of healthcare, education, or emotional support. Our mission is to empower them to dream, grow, and contribute meaningfully to their families and communities. We focus on reaching children who are often overlooked, ensuring they are free from physical, mental, and emotional barriers. One of our primary efforts has been to help children affected by clubfoot and other birth-related conditions.

Through treatment, education, and skill development programs, we aim to not only heal but to uplift and equip them for a better future. Thanks to the unwavering dedication of our medical partners and the generosity of our donors, we have helped over 1,000 children walk with confidence—bringing renewed hope and joy to their families. Together, we can turn the vision of “reaching the unreachable” into a living reality.

With heartfelt appreciation,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Gopi Busanatham'.

Gopi Busanatham
Director
Servetogether Foundation

MEDICAL ADVISORY TEAM



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STF Chief Medical Advisor,

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Dr. Belthur is an internationally recognized pediatric orthopedic surgeon based at Phoenix Children's Hospital, Arizona. He directs multiple specialized programs, including Pediatric Limb Reconstruction and Neuro-Orthopaedics, and serves as Associate Professor at the University of Arizona and Creighton University. Dr. Belthur is passionate about patient-centered care, global health outreach, and advancing orthopedic research. His clinical focus includes spine deformities, spina bifida, limb lengthening, cerebral palsy, and complex hip and foot conditions. A dedicated educator and global health advocate, he works with international nonprofits to improve musculoskeletal care in underserved regions. STF is honored to have Dr. Mohan V. Belthur serve as Chief Medical Advisor for the Indian Clubfoot Program.



Dr. Ashish S. Ranade
MBBS, MS(Ortho)

Dr. Ashish S. Ranade, FRCS (Glasg), MS (Ortho), MBBS, is a distinguished Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon based in Pune, India. He is affiliated with Deenanath Mangeshkar Hospital,

Jupiter Hospital, and Bharati Vidyapeeth Medical College Hospital. Dr. Ranade has undergone advanced international training in orthopaedics across the United Kingdom and the United States. His areas of expertise include pediatric orthopaedics, spinal deformities, and limb lengthening and reconstruction. He holds numerous editorial roles and serves as a reviewer for leading orthopaedic journals globally. With over 40 PubMed-indexed publications, he has made substantial contributions to orthopaedic literature and education. He is a co-editor of the Springer publication Pediatric Musculoskeletal Infections: Principles and Practice. Dr. Ranade is a life member of several prestigious professional bodies, including the Indian Orthopaedic Association and POSI. He has organized and participated in numerous national and international conferences and instructional courses. Recognized for his academic and clinical excellence, he continues to contribute actively to orthopaedic research and innovation.

STF is honored to have Dr. Ashish S. Ranade serve as Medical Advisor for the Indian Clubfoot Program.



Dr. Shyam Kishan
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Medical Director

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Dr. Shyam Kishan is a leading pediatric orthopedic surgeon and Medical Director of Pediatric Orthopaedics and Scoliosis at Medical City Children's Orthopaedics and Spine Specialists, Dallas, Texas. He specializes in complex conditions including limb deformities, hip dysplasia, clubfoot, and spinal disorders such as scoliosis, kyphosis, and spondylolisthesis, with expertise in advanced techniques like Mehta casting, growing rods, and vertebral body tethering. Dr. Kishan earned his medical degree from JIPMER, India, and completed advanced training and fellowships across premier institutions in India and the U.S., including AIIMS, Bombay University, and Children's Hospital San Diego. He has held academic and clinical leadership roles at Loma Linda University and Riley Hospital for Children, and currently contributes to orthopedic research as a journal reviewer and published author. With over 85 presentations and 23 publications, Dr. Kishan is recognized globally for his work in pediatric orthopaedics. STF is honored to have Dr. Kishan as a valued member of its medical advisory team for the Indian Clubfoot Program.



Dr. Abhishek S. Bhasme
MBBS, MS(Ortho)

Assistant professor
at the department of
paediatric Orthopedics,
IGICH, Bengaluru.

Dr. Abhishek S Bhasme is a young and dynamic paediatric Orthopaedic surgeon from Bengaluru. He is currently working as assistant professor at the department of paediatric Orthopedics, Indira Gandhi Institute of Child Health, Bengaluru. Having completed his MBBS from Dr. B R Ambedkar Medical college, he went on to do his MS Orthopaedics from Father Mullers Medical College, Mangalore. His love for paediatric orthopaedics and the desire to serve brought him to Indira Gandhi Institute of Child health where he completed his Fellowship in Paediatric Orthopaedics (FIPO) under the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health sciences, Karnataka.

STF is honored to have Dr. Abhishek S. Bhasme serve as Advisor for the Indian Clubfoot Program.

FREE CLUBFOOT TREATMENT

Restoring Hope, One Step at a Time: Treating Children with Clubfoot

The birth of a child is a moment of pure joy—a time filled with hope, dreams, and love. The sight of tiny hands and feet often draws spontaneous affection from parents, family, and caregivers alike. It is one of life's simplest, yet most profound pleasures.

However, for some families, this joy is clouded by an unexpected diagnosis: clubfoot. Understandably, this can raise questions and anxiety. But our message to parents is reassuring and hopeful: **there is no need to fear**. Clubfoot is a treatable condition, and with timely intervention, **every child can walk, play, and grow just like any other**.

At Servetogether, we stand with these families. Through awareness, access to quality treatment, and sustained follow-up care, we are ensuring that no child is left behind due to a correctable condition.

Though clubfoot cannot be prevented, it **can be permanently corrected**. Each year, through our collective efforts, we witness children take their first confident steps—transforming not just their lives, but the lives of entire families and communities.

"Together, through the Servetogether Foundation, we can restore mobility, dignity, and hope in every child's life."
Clubfoot can't be prevented but can be treated permanently

WHAT IS A CLUBFOOT?



Clubfoot is a deformity present at birth that twists the foot downward and inward, making walking difficult or impossible. While it cannot be prevented, it can be corrected using a relatively inexpensive treatment process called the Ponseti method.



**IF NOT
TREATED
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DISABILITY.**

OUR VISION

A Society free from Clubfoot Disability.

OUR MISSION

- Ensuring Every Orthopaedic professional is trained on the Ponseti Method of clubfoot treatment.
- Pooling in a team of committed doctors specialised in the realm of clubfoot.
- Creating awareness in community on prevalence of clubfoot and availability of affordable clubfoot treatment.

Collaborating with public/trust/private hospitals.

OUR CORE VALUE

- Compassion
- Integrity
- Mutual Participation
- Team Work

Footsteps of Hope

Brsha Das and Ravindra, Two young lovers from Kendrapara, Odisha, whose love over tradition and began a new life together in Bangalore. Their decision to marry without parental consent stanced them from their families, and they lived quietly, hoping one day to reunite with their loved ones by bringing joy into their lives.

That hope came alive on August 7, 2024, when they welcomed a beautiful baby boy into their world. But their happiness was quickly overshadowed by heartbreak when they learned their son was born with bilateral clubfoot. The news crushed their dreams of reconciliation and left them feeling isolated and helpless.

However, their journey took a hopeful turn when doctors referred them to the STF Clubfoot Clinic at KC General Hospital. There, through compassionate counseling and the expert use of the Ponseti technique, the clinic gave them more than just medical care—they gave them renewed hope. With their baby's condition successfully treated, Brsha and Ravindra were overjoyed. Their faith in the future restored, they returned to Odisha with hearts full of gratitude.

Thank you to the dedicated doctors and generous donors who made this transformation possible. You helped heal more than just feet—you helped heal a family.



The Ponseti method is a manipulative technique that corrects congenital clubfoot without invasive surgery. It was developed by Ignacio V. Ponseti of the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, USA in the 1950s, and was repopularized in 2000 by John Herzenberg in the USA and Europe and in Africa by NHS surgeon Steve Mannion. The Ponseti method is a manipulative technique that **corrects congenital clubfoot without invasive surgery**. It was developed by Ignacio V. Ponseti of the University of Iowa Hospitals and Clinics, USA in the 1950s,



In the Ponseti Technique, treatment is carried out in two key phases:
Phase 1: Correction of the deformity through gentle manipulation, serial casting, and a minor procedure called tenotomy.
Phase 2: Maintenance of the correction using specially designed foot abduction braces. Bracing is critical to prevent relapse. After correction, the child must wear the brace for 23 hours a day during the first 3 months, and then during nighttime and naps until the age of 4. We're proud to provide IOWA braces to children at our clinics. Each child typically needs 4 to 6 braces to complete their treatment journey successfully.

COMMUNITY IMPACT HIGHLIGHTS

Empowering Lives Through Health, Education, and Disaster Relief

Health Initiatives: Clubfoot Program

Our commitment to child health continued through sustained support for children with clubfoot, enabling them to walk, play, and thrive.

- Total Children Treated (Cumulative): 1,082
- Children Treated in FY 2024–25: 236
- Total Braces Issued: 874
- Imported IOWA Braces Provided: 354

Education Initiatives: Volunteering & School Revitalization

Mithali Primary School, Gujarat (March 2025)

- Volunteers Engaged: 40 Thomson Reuters Ahmedabad employees
- Students Impacted: 440
- Volunteering Days: 2 (March 28–29, 2025)
- Infrastructure Supported: 1 under-resourced government school (5 classrooms for 440 students)

Key Outcomes:

- 100+ saplings planted to support environmental sustainability
- 1,500+ sq. ft. of vibrant murals transformed learning spaces
- 3 student workshops on art, yoga, and cyber safety
- 240 students benefited from the program

Environment & Disaster Relief: Project Disha

Emergency Response to Gujarat Floods (September 2024)

When unprecedented rainfall (118% above normal) displaced over 20,000 people, Thomson Reuters responded swiftly through Project Disha, in collaboration with Servetogether.

- 500 Disaster Relief Food Kits distributed
- Each kit supported a family of 5 for 15 days, addressing both nutritional and hygiene needs
- Relief operations focused on Gulana village and other severely affected areas

This emergency intervention provided immediate relief to vulnerable families, reflecting our commitment to community resilience in times of crisis.

HIGHLIGHTS OF 2024-25



On June 3, 2024, Servetogether signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) with Siddaganga Medical College & Research Institute, marking the formal establishment of a Clubfoot Clinic in Tumakuru. This collaboration aims to provide early diagnosis, treatment, and long-term support for children born with clubfoot, improving mobility and quality of life through accessible, specialized care.



On February 7, 2025, a Clubfoot Parents' Meet was held at SIMS Hospital, Shivamogga, creating a meaningful platform for awareness, education, and peer support among families of children affected by clubfoot. As part of the event, IOWA Braces were distributed to children, helping ensure consistent treatment and better mobility outcomes.

The atmosphere was filled with hope and gratitude—smiling parents, joyful children, and a renewed sense of possibility. A true ray of hope for many families. Page 6 Help Transform a Child's Life
Your donation can make a difference for children born with clubfoot deformity, giving the child a chance to walk, run, and play without limitations. "Every child standing in this picture took their first step because of you."

HIGHLIGHTS OF 2024-25



If not treated,
it leads to lifelong
disability ...

Every Child Deserves
A Chance to Walk



On March 5, 2025, a Clubfoot Parents' Meet was organized at KIMS Hospital, Hubballi. The event served as a platform for awareness, education, and community support among families of children with clubfoot. During the meet, **IOWA Braces** were distributed to children in need, ensuring continuity of treatment and improved mobility outcomes.

HIGHLIGHTS OF 2024-25



Transforming Futures: Thomson Reuters Ahmedabad's School Revitalization Initiative

In August 2024, 34 Thomson Reuters Ahmedabad employees embarked on a 100-kilometer journey to Unjha, a rural village in North Gujarat, as part of our commitment to community transformation. Over two intensive days, the team revitalized a government school serving 240 students—impacting not just infrastructure but lives.

Transforming Futures:

- 100+ saplings planted to promote environmental sustainability
 - 1,500+ sq. ft. of hand-painted murals brightened the school environment
 - 3 interactive sessions on art, yoga, and cyber safety empowered students with new skills
 - 240 students directly benefited from the engagement
 - Community participation included local leaders and residents, fostering deeper ties
- This initiative exemplifies our belief in leading by example—where employee action creates lasting community value.

HIGHLIGHTS OF 2024-25



Project Disha – Disaster Relief in Gujarat

Responding to the September 2024 Floods :In September 2024, Gujarat experienced catastrophic flooding caused by 118% above-normal rainfall, displacing over 20,000 people. In response, Servetogether launched Project Disha, focusing on some of the worst-hit areas, including the village of Gulana. Our immediate relief operations included the distribution of 500 Disaster Food Kits, each designed to support a family of five for 15 days. These kits addressed urgent needs for nutrition and hygiene, providing critical relief to vulnerable households.

Beyond food aid, our interventions encompassed:

- Community cleanup drives to reduce health risks
- Temporary shelters for displaced families
- Hygiene awareness campaigns to prevent disease outbreaks
- Psychosocial support and counseling, promoting emotional recovery

Despite facing significant logistical challenges, Servetogether ensured timely and impactful delivery of aid, helping stabilize affected communities. The initiative also fostered community resilience and solidarity, strengthening social bonds during adversity. Thomson Reuters supported the project generously, with volunteers actively participating in relief and recovery efforts. Importantly, this experience catalyzed new partnerships, enhancing our preparedness for future disaster responses.

FINANCE REPORT 2024-25

M/s. SERVETOGETHER FOUNDATION

Sy No 312/264/117/81, Srirama Nilaya, 1st Floor, Banahalli Road, Chandapura Anekal Taluk, Bangalore-99

Balance Sheet as at 31/03/2025

Particulars	Note No.	31/03/2025 [Rs.]
I. EQUITY AND LIABILITIES		
1 Shareholders' funds		
(a) Share capital	2	10,000
(b) Reserves and surplus		567,720
2 Non-current liabilities		
(a) Long-term borrowings	3	-
(b) Long-term Provisions	4	-
3 Current liabilities		
(a) Short-term Borrowings		-
(b) Trade payables	5	-
A. Total Outstanding dues of Micro, and Small Enterprises		-
B. Total Outstanding dues of creditors other than Micro, and Small Enterprises		-
(c) Other current liabilities	6	-
(d) Short-term Provisions	7	769,670
TOTAL		1,347,390
II. ASSETS		
1 Non-current assets		
(a) Fixed assets	13	
(i) Tangible assets		144,357
(ii) Intangible assets		-
(b) Deferred tax Asset (net)		299
(c) Long-term loans and advances		-
(d) Other non-current Assets		-
2 Current assets		
(a) Inventories		-
(b) Trade receivables		-
(c) Cash and cash equivalents	8	1,062,733
(d) Short term loans and advances		-
(e) Other Current Assets	9	140,000
TOTAL		1,347,390

Significant Accounting Policies
Notes to Accounts

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For M/s. SERVETOGETHER FOUNDATION

GOPI BUSANATHAM
Director
(DIN:08675129)
Date : 24th April 2025
Place : Bangalore

GOWDAPPA THIKKANNA CHITTI BABU
Director
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Profit and loss statement for the year ended 31/03/2025

Particulars	Note No.	31/03/2025 [Rs.]
I.		
Revenue from operations	9	5,530,861
Other Income		-
II. Total Revenue		5,530,861
III.		
Expenses:		
Employee benefits expense	9A	600,000
Programme Expenses	10	4,392,405
Administrative Expenses	11	219,413
Depreciation and amortization expense	12	41,017
Total of Expenses		5,252,834
IV. Profit before exceptional and extraordinary items and tax (II-III)		278,027
V		
Prior Period Expenses/(Income)		-
VI Profit before tax (IV- V)		278,027
VII		
Tax expense:		
(1) Current tax		-
(2) Deferred tax		2,953
(3) MAT Credit		-
VIII Profit (Loss) for the period (VI - VII)		275,074
IX		
Earnings per equity share:		
(1) Basic		27.51
(2) Diluted		27.51

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OUR PROGRAM



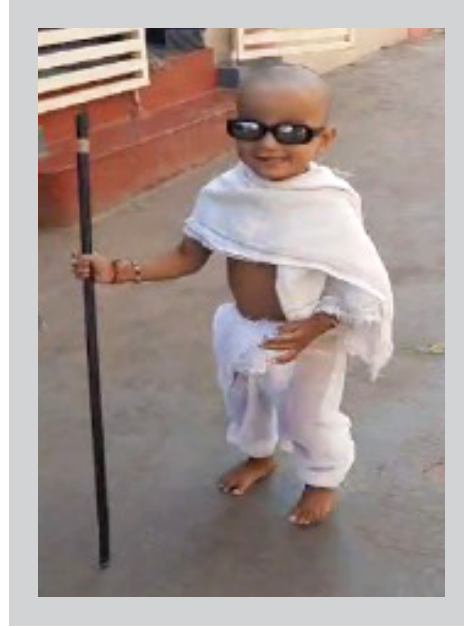
HEALTH



EDUCATION



ENVIRONMENT



OUR PROUD PARTNERS IN THE GOOD WORK:



Let's Serve Together

Join us in making a real difference!

Help children with clubfoot walk with confidence Support access to quality education for every child Create a healthy and nurturing environment for all

Together, we can change lives—step by step, book by book, breath by breath.

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