# HELPING HANDS FOR HOSPITALS A Brief Report 2019



Helping Hands for Hospitals was able to take its initial strides connecting health care facilities with health care providers . This new journey has been an amazing experience to most of us who are involved . The year 2019 was the first year of helping hands where we were practically able to learn how we could connect and function for a better result.

## Feb 16th 2019

The year began with the Executive Secretary Dr Benjamin George meeting in Coimbatore Mr. Joseph Puthooran , who with his vivid knowledge and experience was instrumental in



designing the website <u>helpinghandsforhospitals.com</u>. The website was developed the following months after much discussions and conferences online.

## The website helpinghandsforhospitals.com

The website is a platform where hospitals can place their needs , a health care provider can express their willingness to serve , admin can post the needs to fill Vacancies and let the members know the activities of the organisation. A free registration allows one to log in and keep track of the need and opportunities.

## June 2nd 2019 Consulting Experts

Helping hands for hospitals admin had a meeting with Dr. Sam David from the Missions Department, Christian Medical College Vellore in which he in the light of his experience, advised how helping hands can work more efficiently in the present day India. Mr. Nidhi and Mr. Thimothy from CMC Vellore pitched in their valuable opinions as we approached them.

### 13th July 2019

The Helping Hands for Hospitals annual meeting was conducted in new Jersey with the theme 'Our Role in the missions'. Dr. Benjamin George, Mr. Koshy George, Dr Abraham Thomas, Dr Robin Koshy, Mr. Prasanth Koshy and other members of the helping hands family blessed the day with their presence.



### 30 th August 2019\_



Mr. George Koshy and Mrs Feba Hanna from helping hands for hospitals met with doctors from different CSI hospitals in the CSI synod headquarters, Chennai.

7th, 8th and 9th September 2019 - CMF Kerala

Mrs. Feba Hanna could attend the Christian Medical Fellowship Kerala annual conference for three days and helping hands for hospital brochure was distributed to all who attended. Dr. Sam Abraham from Christian Hospital Amblikkai briefly presented about the purpose and motives of helping hands for hospitals and introduced the website to those who wished to be a part of us.



## 18th to 30th November 2019 - Mission Trip to Maharashtra and Bihar

From 19th to 23rd November Our team including Dr. Benjajamin George and Dr. John Oommen were able to conduct a surgical camp in Umri Christian Hospital, Maharashtra. Dr. Thomas Philip from Ottanchatram Christian Fellowship Hospital joined and we could conduct ENT, Plastic surgery and orthopaedic surgeries and procedures with the help and support of Dr. Samuel Jeevagam.



Dr. Jaison Mathai , president , Helping hands for Hospitals joined the team on our journey to Christian Medical Centre Purnea to conduct Medical camp. We also visited NIEA school , the Bible College and had a meeting with the office bearers and Dr. Alex Philip the director of NIEA.

Dr. John Oommen, Dr. Benjamin George, Dr. Jason Mathai and Mrs. Feba Hanna visited Madhepura Christian hospital in Bihar to Visit Dr. Arpit and family where a burns patient was treated by the team.

### 6th and 7th December

A second meeting with the doctors of CSI hospitals on December 6th and 7th by Dr. Benjamin George discussed further possibilities of working together with helping hands for a better connectivity and efficiency.

### **Other meetings**

Dr. George Philip and Dr. Latha Paul, members of the HHH committee from Christian Fellowship Hospital Oddanchatram, helped the admin put up notices about helping hands in the hospital notice boards and send awareness among the staff of the hospital.

### **Requested requirements**

Sankeswar Mission hospital Karnataka, Daya Bhavan Medical Mission Hospital Thumkur, Umri Christian Hospital Maharashtra, Gems Mission Bihar, Christian Hospital Ambilikkai, Basel Mission CSI hospital Gadak karnataka and Bethany Medical Centre Anaikkatty shared their requirements through helping hands web page. There is **urgent need** of consultants in Paediatrics, Anaesthesia, Obstetrics, Orthopaedics and many junior doctors. Hospital administrators, physiotherapists, lab technologists and anaesthesia technologists are also required for various hospitals.

Other suggestions : headquarters, members , registrations, other camps if any, accounts, activity sphere and events (website),

God's helping Hand was always with us throughout the past year and we hope to find Him with us all through our journey helping us as we help each other in missions.

## Hebrew 6:10

God is not unjust. He will not forget the love you have shown him as you have helped his people and continue to help them.