

## CHILDHOOD CANCER SURVIVORS - OUR STRENGTH AND HOPE

The young fellow in this photo is Abdul Rasheed, a young tailor from Orangi Town, Karachi. Back in 2003, he was diagnosed with blood cancer (Acute Lymphoblastic Leukemia). He was just 15 then. He was successfully treated in 2006 with full support from Children Cancer Foundation. By 2008, he was married. He recently visited our hospital and brought his two-year old daughter, Maria. There are many young people, now parents themselves like Rasheed, who fought cancer and are leading a successful life, having got a new lease of life. And it is these childhood cancer survivors who give us strength and hope to continue this fight against childhood cancer.



*“He who has health, has hope. And he who has hope, has everything”*

*Thomas Carlyle*

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**CHILDREN CANCER FOUNDATION**

## CEO's MESSAGE

By the grace of Almighty Allah the CCH today stands poised to undergo a metamorphosis, from a hospital to a center of excellence for treatment and research of childhood cancer. Our motto this year is capacity building, better patient care and our own hospital establishment.

Institutional fellowship in pediatric oncology, initiation of a one year oncology nurse technician course with the approval of the Sindh Medical Faculty, training program of doctors and nurses in pediatric oncology with the generous support of My Child Matter Grant program of the International Union against Cancer (UICC) are few of the major achievements towards capacity building.

Within the resources, infrastructure is being continuously upgraded to provide better patient care. High dependency and two bed-ICU is now fully operational for critically ill patients. The pharmacy and laboratory are better equipped with the help of our corporate partners like Sui Southern Gas Company (SSGC) and the Meezan Bank.

Our efforts have led to an increased number of patients and hence the workload. We are literally bursting out of our seams in our current premises and struggling to make our hospital step out of the paper plans into reality.

We need all the support that we can get!

Dr. M. Shamvil Ashraf

# CANCER AWARENESS

## WORLD CANCER DAY

Like every year, World Cancer Day was celebrated on February 4 at the CCH. An awareness seminar was held highlighting preventive measures to reduce chances of cancer. Badges of World Cancer Day were distributed and banners displayed.



## INTERNATIONAL CHILDREN CANCER DAY (ICCD)

A cancer awareness seminar was held on February 15 in collaboration with the Pakistan Pediatric Association. The seminar was attended by patients, parents, medical professionals and the press. Dr Shamvil presented the global and local status of childhood cancer. Dr Zehra Fadoo from Aga Khan University Hospital presented common symptoms of childhood cancer and emphasized on early diagnosis. A childhood cancer awareness leaflet was distributed and a press release issued.

# SCHOOL SUPPORT PROGRAM

## DAWOOD PUBLIC SCHOOL CEO VISIT

The administrative staff along with CEO, Mrs. Sabrina Dawood, visited CCH on February 4. A donation from students and Mrs. Sabrina was also given to the CCH.



## ST. PATRICK'S HIGH SCHOOL STUDENT VISIT

The students from St Patrick's High School visited the CCH and distributed gifts and books among children. They also showed interest in spending time with children voluntarily.



## BLOOD DONATION CAMP

Blood donation camp was organized on February 14.



# CCF V-TEAM ACTIVITIES

## FAMILY CARNIVAL

The CCH V-Team organized a family carnival at Sindbad, Nisar Shaheed Park on January 16. A large number of volunteers contributed their time and effort to make it a grand success not only in terms of funds generated but also creating awareness about the CCFPT.



## APPRECIATION CEREMONY

In recognition of dedication and hard work of volunteers and the CCF Team in organizing a very successful Family Carnival, an appreciation ceremony was also held on February 20 in which certificates were distributed to volunteers.



# CORPORATE SUPPORT

## SSGC CSR TEAM VISIT

The Sui Southern Gas Company was kind enough to donate us Laminar Flow for the pharmacy of CCH. It was inaugurated by the Mrs. Nasreen Hussain, head of SSGC's corporate social responsibility department.



## MEEZAN BANK

Meezan Bank has been an ardent supporter of the CCH. A digital processor for X-ray machine was donated by Ihsan Trust.



# EDUCATION GRANT

## UICC AWARD

Research and training program for doctors and nurses is one of the top priorities at the CCH. For My Child Matters Program, the UICC (International Union against Cancer) has awarded a generous grant for the second time to the CCFPT.



# ANNUAL PROGRESS

## FINANCIAL DATA (PKR. in Millions)

YEAR	PATIENT DONATION	HOSPITAL FUNDING	TOTAL COLLECTION	TOTAL EXPENSES
2005-2006	7.25	16.79	24.04	26.71
2006-2007	7.99	26.23	34.22	31.9
2007-2008	8.69	35.8	44.49	33.72
2008-2009	7.46	48.28	55.74	54.98
2009-2010	9.17	58.73	67.9	72.66

## PATIENT DATA

YEAR	Annual New PATIENTS	Patient Visit Data		
		OPD	DAYCARE	IN PATIENT
2005-2006	222	7,967	5,052	4,524
2006-2007	219	8,886	5,915	5,658
2007-2008	228	8,993	6,065	6,146
2008-2009	335	11,223	6,081	8,148
2009-2010	445	13,129	8,718	7,385

## OPERATING EXPENSES

CATEGORY	AMOUNT (PKR IN MILLIONS)	PERCENTAGE
Medicine	22.96	32
Salaries	20.97	29
Diagnostics (Lab, Radiology)	13.17	18
Rent and Utilities	4.7	6
Repair and Maintenance	0.74	1
Marketing	0.83	1
Other Operating Expenses	9.29	13
<b>Total Operating Expenses</b>	<b>72.66</b>	<b>100</b>

Operating Expenses for the year ended June 30, 2010.

## CURRENT HOSPITAL STATISTICS

(2009 - 2010)

Average Daily OPD & Daycare	45 - 50
Average Daily In-Patient Bed Occupancy	22
Average Patients on Active Treatment	300
Full Support Visits	71%
Partial Paying Visits	23%
Full Paying Visits	6%

## HOW CAN YOU HELP ?

- **Send Donations & Zakat:-** Due to diversion of fund for flood relief last year we are very short of running expenses and faced with an agonizing option of whom to treat and refuse.
- **Sponsor a Child Treatment:-** The average cost of treatment of a child per month is Rs25,000. You can sponsor fully or partially. We will provide you the details of patient and keep you updated with the progress on regular basis.

## HOW TO SEND DONATIONS ?

- Through cheque. Mail a cross cheque in the name of Children Cancer Foundation Pakistan Trust.
- Online deposit in our account from any Meezan Bank or Bank Al Habib.

## OUR BANK DETAILS

### Meezan Bank

Water Pump Branch Plot No; BS-13, Block-14, Federal B Area Karachi.

Tel: +922-21-36332443, 36332523

Swift: MEZN PK

Title: Children Cancer Foundation Pakistan Trust

Account: 0133-0100064674 (Donation)

0133-0100064059 (Zakat)

0133-0100064675 (New Hospital Project)

### Bank Al Habib

Water Pump Branch, Federal B Area, Karachi

Branch code: 1031 Swift ;BAHL-PKKA

Zakat Account: 081-001536-01-3

Donation Account: 081-001535-01-2

## CANCER IS CURABLE IN CHILDREN



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