



GIVEINDIA VERIFICATION REPORT

GiveIndia conducts surprise visits to the places where the NGOs are located. These visits are conducted to verify the information shared by the NGO about the benefits provided to the end beneficiaries. Our NGO Relationship Managers and a team of dedicated volunteers find the address of the beneficiary and visit them personally to confirm the validity of the NGO's work. Here is a report created by the NGO Relationship Manager during the verification visit :

Name of NGO	Society of Friends of the Sassoon Hospitals (SOFOSH)
Date of verification visit	2/8/2019
Name of Relationship Manager who conducted the visit	Nikhila
Name of Relationship Manager who assessed the visit	Pauras
Location of visit	Pune
Details of the beneficiary[1]	Sushama
Verification Visit status of beneficiary[1]	Success
Additional remarks by the Relationship Manager on beneficiary[1]	SOFOSH is an orphanage which was started by friends and well wishers of Sassoon Hospital in Pune. They have two centres. One centre has children between 0-6 years and the other centres have slightly older children upto the age of 20 years. The children are given for adoption and usually all the children get adopted. Only those children who are differently abled find it hard to find parents. These children are either too young or not in a right state to verify. They are not supported by any family member. From food, to accomodation to medical expenses, everything is borne by SOFOSH. I visited their centre and went through Their Tally accounts and also spoke to the helpers there to verify and the verification was positive.
Details of the beneficiary[2]	Yash
Verification Visit status of beneficiary[2]	Success
Additional remarks by the Relationship Manager on beneficiary[2]	SOFOSH is an orphanage which was started by friends and well wishers of Sassoon Hospital in Pune. They have two centres. One centre has children between 0-6 years and the other centres have slightly older children upto the age of 20 years. The children are given for adoption and usually all the children get adopted. Only those children who are differently abled find it hard to find parents. These children are either too young or not in a right state to verify. They are not supported by any family member. From food, to accomodation to medical expenses, everything is borne by SOFOSH. I visited their centre and went through Their Tally accounts and also spoke to the helpers there to verify and the verification was positive.

Details of the beneficiary[3]	Gayatri
Verification Visit status of beneficiary[3]	Success
Additional remarks by the Relationship Manager on beneficiary[3]	SOFOOSH is an orphanage which was started by friends and well wishers of Sassoon Hospital in Pune. They have two centres. One centre has children between 0-6 years and the other centres have slightly older children upto the age of 20 years. The children are given for adoption and usually all the children get adopted. Only those children who are differently abled find it hard to find parents. These children are either too young or not in a right state to verify. They are not supported by any family member. From food, to accomodation to medical expenses, everything is borne by SOFOOSH. I visited their centre and went through Their Tally accounts and also spoke to the helpers there to verify and the verification was positive.
Details of the beneficiary[4]	Vaidehi/Ishita/Girija/Ismail/Pari
Verification Visit status of beneficiary[4]	Success
Additional remarks by the Relationship Manager on beneficiary[4]	SOFOOSH is an orphanage which was started by friends and well wishers of Sassoon Hospital in Pune. They have two centres. One centre has children between 0-6 years and the other centres have slightly older children upto the age of 20 years. The children are given for adoption and usually all the children get adopted. Only those children who are differently abled find it hard to find parents. These children are either too young or not in a right state to verify. They are not supported by any family member. From food, to accomodation to medical expenses, everything is borne by SOFOOSH. I visited their centre and went through Their Tally accounts and also spoke to the helpers there to verify and the verification was positive.
Details of the beneficiary[5]	Vedant
Verification Visit status of beneficiary[5]	Success
Additional remarks by the Relationship Manager on beneficiary[5]	SOFOOSH is an orphanage which was started by friends and well wishers of Sassoon Hospital in Pune. They have two centres. One centre has children between 0-6 years and the other centres have slightly older children upto the age of 20 years. The children are given for adoption and usually all the children get adopted. Only those children who are differently abled find it hard to find parents. These children are either too young or not in a right state to verify. They are not supported by any family member. From food, to accomodation to medical expenses, everything is borne by SOFOOSH. I visited their centre and went through Their Tally accounts and also spoke to the helpers there to verify and the verification was positive.
Details of the beneficiary[6]	32 orphan special needs children
Verification Visit status of beneficiary[6]	Success

Additional remarks by the Relationship Manager on beneficiary[6]	SOFOSH is an orphanage which was started by friends and well wishers of Sassoon Hospital in Pune. They have two centres. One centre has children between 0-6 years and the other centres have slightly older children upto the age of 20 years. The children are given for adoption and usually all the children get adopted. Only those children who are differently abled find it hard to find parents. These children are either too young or not in a right state to verify. They are not supported by any family member. From food, to accomodation to medical expenses, everything is borne by SOFOSH. I visited their centre and went through Their Tally accounts and also spoke to the helpers there to verify and the verification was positive.
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Note to the donor: GiveIndia's Relationship Managers travel to the most remote parts of the country to conduct the verification visits. These visits are very important to ensure our donors that we maintain a high level of trust in the ecosystem. A successful verification visit is a strong indicator that this NGO can be trusted with your donations and will utilize the funds raised to provide support to the intended beneficiaries.

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