

Operations Research at GPR-ICARE

Project Title	Investigators	Supported by	Project Update
Andhra Pradesh Eye Disease Study III (APEDS III)-Follow Up Study <i>(June 2012 - March 2016)</i>	Dr Rohit Khanna Dr Subhabrata Chakrabarti Dr Srinivas Marmamula Dr P Giridhar Asha Latha Mettla (Project Coordinator) ICEH: Dr Clare Gilbert Dr GVS Murthy	LVPEI/ Lions Clubs International Foundation, USA / Dept. of Bio-technology, Centre of Excellence grant	Completed at Thoodukurthy, Mahbubnagar District; Mudhole, Adilabad District and Nidadavole, West Godavari District. Subjects examined: 5408
Rapid Assessment of Visual Impairment (RAVI) project in Sattenapally in Guntur district, Andhra Pradesh, India <i>(February 2014 - April 2015)</i>	Dr Srinivas Marmamula	HERF (LVPEI)	Project completed at Sattenapally, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh Participants enumerated: 3200 Subjects examined: 2597 Participants identified with Visual Impairment: 11.7%
Visual Impairment study in State of Tripura <i>(January 2016 - March 2016)</i>	Dr Srinivas Marmamula	Government of Tripura and HERF (LVPEI); Collaborators: IL&FS Education and Technology Services Ltd, India	Completed in North Eastern state of Tripura. Participants enumerated: 4500 Subjects examined: 4112
Prevalence, causes and risk factors for blindness and low vision in Children in Krishna District of Andhra Pradesh, India <i>(April 2015 – Ongoing)</i>	Dr Rohit Khanna Dr Srinivas Marmamula Prof Jill Keeffe Dr Niranjan Pehere Ms Asha Latha Mettla	LVPEI / Lions Clubs International Foundation, USA / Sun Pharma	Project ongoing in Krishna District Number of Children screened: 28,623
INITIATIVES FOR CHILDREN			
Children Eye Health Initiative in the 30 primary eye care areas of L V Prasad Eye Institute (LVPEI) in the state of Telangana <i>(April, 2015 to March, 2018)</i>	Dr Rohit Khanna Dr Srinivas Marmamula Ms Asha Latha Mettla	Lavelle Fund, USA / Sun Pharma	Project ongoing in Thoodukurthy, Mahbubnagar District; and Mudhole and Adilabad, Adilabad Districts, Telangana. Number of Children screened: 69,895
Sight for Kids (1 year)	Mr Jachin D Williams	Lions Clubs International Foundation, USA	Schools Covered: 203 Teachers trained: 212 Children screened: 16,153 Spectacles prescribed and dispensed: 200 Referred for treatment: 26
EMPOWERING RURAL COMMUNITIES			
Essilor - LVPEI Mobile Refraction Screening Program <i>March 2013-Ongoing</i>	Mr Jachin D Williams Mr Vasu Babu	Essilor, India	Screening Programs: 106 People screened: 8645 Spectacles prescribed & dispensed: 1699 Examined at secondary centre: 2164
Community Linked Integrated Project (CLIP) <i>Jainath: June 2011- May 2015 Project accomplished</i>	Dr Suresh Kuruganti Mr Jachin D Williams	LVPEI/ Technical support: Operation Eye Sight Universal, India	Villages covered: 7 Population screened: 2156 Spectacles Prescribed & dispensed: 374 Operated for cataract & other causes: 61 Vision Health Committees formed: 11
Community Linked Integrated Project (CLIP) <i>Kapileswarapuram: Feb 2016 (Ongoing)</i>	Dr Suresh Kuruganti Mr Jachin D Williams	LVPEI/ Technical support: Operation Eye Sight Universal, India	Villages covered: 2 Population screened: 2,357 Spectacles Prescribed & dispensed: 10 Operated for cataract & other causes: 2 Vision Health Committees formed: 3
Sunetra Program (Hospital Based Community Eye care Program) <i>July 2013-Ongoing</i>	Mr Jachin David Williams Mr Franklin Daniel, Operation Eyesight Universal	LVPEI/ Technical support: Operation Eye Sight Universal, India	Ongoing in Gudavalli, Guntur District, Andhra Pradesh and Bellary, Karnataka Villages covered: 34 People screened: 12,577 Eye problems identified: 2879 Examined at CSP, Vision and Secondary centre: 12,067 Spectacles prescribed & dispensed: 2893 Surgeries performed: 1351
Kankipadu Hospital Based Community Eye care Program	Mr Jachin David Williams Mr Franklin Daniel, Operation Eyesight Universal	LVPEI/ Technical support: Operation Eye Sight Universal, India	Population surveyed: 25,177 Screened at Vision Centre: 725 Spectacles prescribed and dispensed: 378 Referred to Secondary Centre: 184 Awareness programs organized: 16
Envision - Every person counts: Revisiting the vision centre model <i>March 2016 to March 2018</i>	Dr Srinivas Marmamula Mr Uday Kumar Addepalli Mr Rajashekar Varda GPR ICARE Team	LVPEI/ Technical support: Operation Eye Sight Universal, India	Ongoing at four Vision Centres at Narsapur, Peddakothapally, Neradigonda and Narsayapalem.