

At the Alembic Group of Companies, building better businesses has always been synonymous with building a better world. We believe that our position in the community makes us responsible for its well-being and progress. This belief has been a part of our operating system since we were established in 1907. Regular community support and ethical business practices have made Alembic a brand that inspires trust. In order to centralise our efforts and provide more thrust to our charitable initiatives, we set up Alembic CSR Foundation in May 2015. The Foundation works extensively in Vadodara, Chhota Udepur & Panchmahals districts in the areas of Community Development, Education, Health and Employee Engagement.

Community Development



1. Vadodara & Panchmahals: Sanitation Project

Alembic CSR Foundation shares our Hon. Prime Minister Shri. Narendra Modi's dream of a 'Swachh Bharat' for which we constructed household toilets at Vadodara and Panchmahals Districts.

Highlights

- 743 household toilets constructed & distributed hygiene kits to all
- 18 communities of Vadodara district and 6 communities of Panchmahals district were declared Open Defecation Free (ODF)
- More than 4,000 lives benefitted by this project

2. Chhota Udepur: Kasturba Gandhi Balika Vidyalaya (KGBV) Adoption

KGBV is a residential govt. school for girls who are orphans, destitute or from single-parent families never enrolled in schools or have been dropped out due to family or financial constraints. The Foundation adopted 2 KGBVs and has been working for the holistic development of 250 girls of class 6 to 10.

Highlights

- Distributed school bags, bed linen, sanitary napkins to all girls
- Provided sports equipment and a coach to teach various games
- Organised workshop, competitions & camps on various topics
- 750 lives benefitted by this project

3. Panchmahals: Gram Sambandh Setu Program

Alembic is working in 15 villages around its plants in Panchmahals since last 35 years.



Highlights

- Over 85 farmers received training on organic farming at Anand Agriculture University and Amul Dairy
- Organized various Edu-exposure visits
 - # 50 women visited Shriji Papad at Uttarsanda
 - # 47 Elderly men & women visited religious places
 - # 40 Panchayat members visited at Statue of Unity (Kevadia), Swaminarayan Temple (Poicha) and Harsiddhi Mataji Temple (Rajpipla)
- Conducted community awareness programs on different themes covering over 2,892 community members
- Conducted workshops on different topics covering over 2,950 children of 12 Govt. primary schools
- Over 8,500 patients treated at Vikas Arogya Kendra – a free clinic
- Need-based free medical camp treated more than 1,175 patients
- More than 10,000 lives benefitted by this project

SUCCESS STORY

Samuh Lagan 'Zero Dowry, No Burden' Weddings

With an objective to promote the concept of 'Zero Dowry No Burden' Alembic decided that every year on the auspicious occasion of 'Akshay Tritiya' will organise Samuh Lagan. The couples are gifted Wedding Outfits, Jewellery for the Bride and all basic Household items. Right from Baraat to Bidai is done with great enthusiasm and following all the traditional rituals. Per couple 120 guests (i.e. friends & family) are invited to the Samuh Lagan to bless the newlyweds. We are related to share that this year on 'Akshay Tritiya' we are organizing Samuh Lagan of 50 Couples



Education

1. Panchmahals: Vikas Vidyalaya

Vikas Vidyalaya is a Gujarati medium, GSHSB School located in Panelav village, Panchmahals. The school was established in the year 2002 with the aim to provide free education to community members of 15 villages. Currently, there are 300+ students from class 9 to 12.

Touching Lives Across Communities



Highlights

- Hosted Interschool Sports Competition for the children of Secondary Schools of Panchmahals
- Organized free Eye screening & health check-up camps. 13 students were provided with the glasses & 1 child identified with hearing difficulty was provided with hearing aids for both the ears
- 308 students of the schools benefitted by this project

2. Panchmahals: Vikas Boys Hostel

The hostel was established in the year 2011. At present, the hostel is home to more than 200 boys. Apart from providing good free residential & food facilities, the students are also involved in multiple activities to make them feel at home and provide learning experiences.

Highlights

- Various activities like field trips, workshops, activity classes, indoor and outdoor activities, cricket tournaments, kho-kho competitions, etc. are conducted.
- 205 boys benefitted by this project

3. Chhota Udepur: 8 Govt. Secondary Schools Adoption

In the year 2014-15, Alembic Foundation responded to the appeal of then Honourable Chief Minister of Gujarat and adopted eight Government Secondary Schools with passing percentage below 30% in their previous academic year located in Chhota Udepur District. Encouraged by the progress due to our inputs, the Government requested us to adopt these schools for an additional five years.

Highlights

- Subject teachers appointed in addition to the existing Govt. teachers
- Orientation and capacity building workshops for teachers
- Revision sessions conducted before the board exams
- 500 students benefitted by this project

Health

1. Vadodara: Paediatric Cancer Care Centre



On World Cancer Day, February 4, 2018, the Foundation initiated a Paediatric Cancer Care Centre for children with Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia at Bhailal Amin General Hospital.

Our free services include

- High-quality professional care in the form of isolation, chemotherapy, sepsis control, and transfusion
- Round-the-clock good quality treatment by qualified staff
- Psychological support to the beneficiaries and their family members
- All medical facilities under one roof

Highlights

- 4 children with ALL enrolled for a free 3 years' treatment
- 22 lives benefitted by the project

2. Vadodara: Blood Transfusion Centre

On World Thalassaemia Day, May 7, 2017, the Foundation with Bhailal Amin General Hospital opened a Free Blood Transfusion Centre for those suffering from Thalassaemia Major. Free services provided by the centre include consultation, monthly and quarterly tests, blood/donor arrangement and transfusions.

Highlights

- 63 Thal. Major patients avail the free facility
- 850 free transfusions done
- 9 blood donation camps organized; more than 700 Alembians donated blood
- 20 Infusion Pumps each worth Rs. 40,000/- provided to needy Thalassaemia Major Patients
- 315 lives benefitted by the project



The journey of Corporate Social Responsibility has been extremely gratifying for the Alembic group. While the group continues to contribute to the society, they believe it is much more than Corporate Social Responsibility – it is Individual Social Responsibility. We urge each member of the society to come forward, involve and engage to build a better world for the coming generations.