

# Sewa UK









#### **Mission Statement**

1. To rebuild communities in the aftermath of a disaster

**RESCUE** – The local sewa International team support this with volunteers in their hundreds and thousands

Phases to a disaster **RELIEF** – managed by the local team – eg temporary shelter, medical care, etc

REHABILITATION – sewa UK support the long term rehabilitation of those affected

2. To support and promote projects that cater for People with Disabilities



## WHAT WE DO

#### **SAVE LIVES – Disaster Recovery**

#### **RELIEF and REHABILITATION POST DISASTER**

- Nepal
- Kashmir Floods
- \* Uttarakhand
- Tamil Nadu Flood Relief
- Kerala Flood Relief

#### **BUILD LIVES – Education, Life Skills**

#### **Building Capacity - BASED SUPPORT**

- Divya School Jawhar
- Sanvedana Latur
- Arunodaya Special School Hubli Gadag
- Samadrushti Trust

#### **PROTECT LIVES – Disability Awareness**

#### **ERADICATING THE STIGMA OF DISABILITY**

Education to the disabled as well as the family. Encourage work places to accept disabled Providing support for less abled

- Abrar
- Wheelchair Donation Muranga County









# The Gujarat Earthquake - 2001

# RAISED £3.1Million Pounds



The 2001 Gujarat earthquake occurred on January 26, 2001, India's 51st Republic Day, at 08:46 AM. The epicentre was Bhuj (23.6° N 69.8° E) Gujarat, India. With a magnitude of between 7.6 and 8.1 on the Richter scale, the quake killed around 20,000 people injured another 167,000 and destroyed nearly 400,000 homes.

The shock waves spread 700 km. 21 districts were affected and 600,000 people left homeless.

#### What did we fund?

- Provided for food, water, medical attention and temporary shelter for the victims of the earthquake. 1,000 food distribution camps, and over 100 tent villages to house the victims of the earthquake.
- Set up a makeshift hospital in the town of Bhachhau, to serve 72 surrounding villages. This hospital consisted of 100 beds with areas partitioned for x-ray, pathology, operating theatre, medical stock room, and an outpatients department.
- Over 19,000 outpatients were treated and 2,500 operations
- Rebuilding of six entire villages in the earthquake zone.
- Build 253 Bhunga Houses (traditional Kutchi houses) in 9 villages
- Funded a total of 35 schools, which have been built in the villages.
- Funded 2 mobile medical vehicles and a dispensary





# **Projects in Bharat (India)**



# Divya Residential School Jawhar Maharashtra



Divya Vidyalay Residential School provides quality education for 120 children

The school is instrumental in improving the quality of life of the tribal community around Jawhar through a community engagement program.

Flagship project of Sewa UK

#### Sanvedana

Latur

Maharashtra



#### Rehabilitation for cerebral Palsy

- "- Financial support given by Sewa UK
- We will be able to work more efficiently
- Rehabilitation of children with multiple disabilities".
   Suresh Patil – Secretary

Opened: January 2017

#### Divya (Arunodaya) School &Treatment Centre Gadag, Karnataka



A unique school helping children suffering with:

- Intellectual disability
- Cerebral Palsy
- Autism
- and other Disabilities

## **Other Projects**



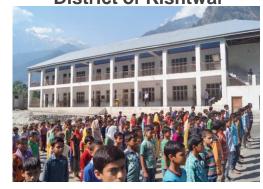
# Uttarkhand School Chhinka



The old school was badly damaged by the Uttarakhand floods in 2013 and needed to be re-built.

After inspection of the damage SEWA UK decided to build a new school.

## Jammu & Kashmir District of Kishtwar



After the earthquake in 2013, Sewa UK helped to build a school which provides education to enhance their lives and future.

## Nepal

**Bidur Nuwakot** 

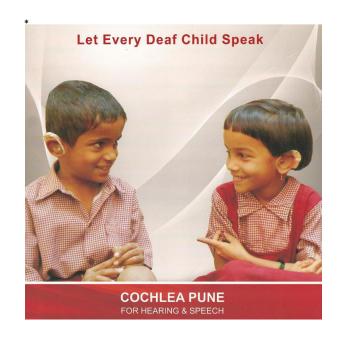


**Nuwakot Hostel** 

A new Hostel for earth-quake affected children at Bidur Nuwakot

# **Current Project – Cochlea Pune**





Cochlea Pune for hearing and speech specialise in supporting congenitally born deaf children from the age of 0 to 6 years old.

Sewa UK are supporting Cochlea Pune to build a state of the art Swaranaad pre-school which will allow the Cochlea team to not only provide further support to current children but also allow the admission of more children.



# Chitrakoot (India) Project





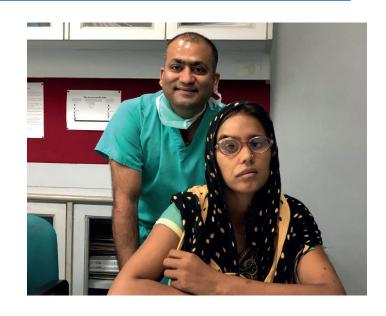


Bringing basic healthcare and education to the children and families of Chitrakoot and its 500 surrounding villages in Uttar Pradesh, India.

Medics4sewa is a project to engage medical professionals with sewa UK

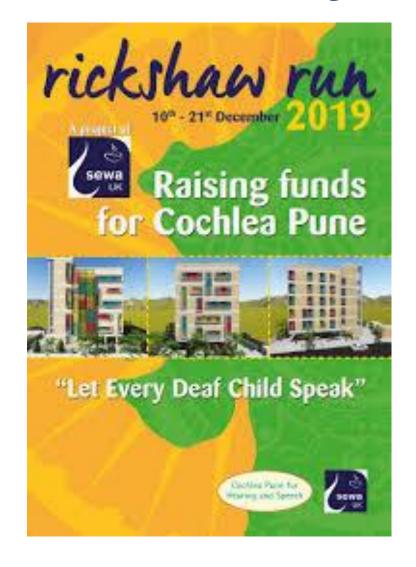
With your skills, we can make a difference and provide much needed medical support for families who cannot access basic healthcare that we all depend upon.

Alongside other medical professionals from around the world we will come together to treat those in need of your expertise.



# Other Projects









# RAISED 1/4 Million Pounds



# Nepal Appeal













#### **KATHMANDU**

80-bed quarantine/mild isolation centre with oxygen supply system

In partnership with **Sewa International** 

info@sewauk.org Charity No: 1135425

SewaUK

SewaUK official

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# **Our Sewa UK Charity Shops**





#### **Birmingham Shop (Est 2001)**

Open 6 Days a week Selling clothes and household items

#### North London Shop (Est 2016)

Open 6 Days a week
Run by Senior citizens of the community



The revenue from our Charity Shops covers our operational overheads

# 100% - Donations go towards all appeals

100% - Volunteer run





# URGENT APPEAL

**India Covid Support** 









## The Appeal – Launch – 25th April 2021

#### **URGENT APPEAL**

**India Covid Support** 







https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/sewaukindiacovidappeal

#### **Please Donate Generously**

Sewa International India volunteers are coordinating on the ground support for Digital Helpdesk, Awareness Campaigns, Oxygen Concentrators & Economically-hit families/communities with food provisions, medical supplies and Community Kits

Sewa International and the Global Sewa Network require your support to help provision the following:

- £15 each family essential kits (food, medicines, masks, sanitisers)
- £150 for community homes such as orphanages and old people homes (food, medicines, oximeter, masks, sanitisers)
- £350 for oxygen concentrators

info@sewauk.org | www.sewauk.org | Charity No.1135425



OUR FIRST CONSIGNMENT OF 62
OXYGEN CONCENTRATORS ARE
READY TO SHIP OUT TO INDIA
THIS WEEKEND THANKS TO YOUR
DONATIONS







Please do donate kindly.

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#### **Teams and Areas of work**

- Social and Marketing
- Purchasing and Logistics
- Media & PR
- Organisations and Corporate Outreach
- Admin and Finance
- Daily Calls



Our Campaign so far.





Distributed

325 Oxygen Concentrator

**LOCATIONS** 

+£500,000 raised

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## The Appeal – Promotion and Webinar



sewauk.org



with your donations?









Watch the webinar live to get an on the ground report

FOR OUR INDIA COVID #SEWAINACTION

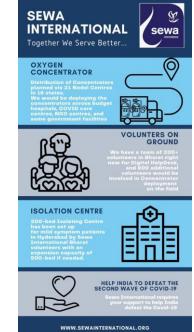
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## The Appeal - Outreach

















Thank you to Barry
Gardiner, MP for
Brent North, for
supporting Sewa UK
efforts in raising
vital funds to help
tackle Covid-19 in
India.

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SKS Swaminarayan Temple, East London partners with Sewa UK

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#### Media

BBC Gloucester Radio
BBC Midlands
MATV
Indian Press for Mangalam org
ITV article
Hindu Met Police
Global Peace webinar
Prajapati Samaj Webinar
SSPC Bhajans













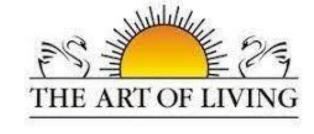
















# Our Collaboration

#TogetherWeServeBetter





## The Appeal – Global Impact

# Medical Equipment Concentrators

Working closely with **180**+ Partners for distribution

• 4113: Reached the COVID Centres

~1380: In-Transit~550: Warehouse

Expecting **3000** more concentrators now

### Digital HelpDesk

CovidSewa.com Portal Views: **44k** 

Queries Addressed: 840+Volunteers Engaged: 34

(in 8 shifts)

#### **Medical Equipment**

Ventilators

**177** Allocated Expecting **25** More

#### **Oxygen Plants**

Supporting Medical Infrastructure

#### Models:

- o O2GP at Hospital
- Community O2 Bottling Plant away from Hospital
- O2GP+ Bottling unit at Hospital

**15 O2 Plants** already in process/discussion Up to **100** O2 plants being planned

#### **Ground Distribution Ration**

Health & Hygiene, Aarogya

**Ration Kits: 22 States** 

o 25000+ Done

40000+ Planned - 35000 for RSB in Odisha/W

Bengal

**Health and Hygiene Kits: 25 States** 

o 70000+ Done

o 20000+ Planned

Aarogya Kits: 2 States

- o 3000+ Planned for Assam, Meghalaya
- o 2000 more to be planned



# Sewa in Ukraine Crisis

Supported by Sewa UK and Sewa USA

RAISED £100k+ so far

## Three layers of volunteer support phase 1

- ➤ Volunteers behind the scene working 24/7 to connect 1:1 with people in distress
- Provide emotional support to distressed people
- > Looking at movement roots, border crowds and safety measures.
- Connecting local Ukraine volunteers to problem areas.





- Volunteers at different border crossing points
- 5-10 volunteers at each of the border countries



- Volunteer based in Ukraine located at various cities.
- > They continued to stay there to coordinate local level logistics.





## Disaster Relief and Recovery for Ukraine





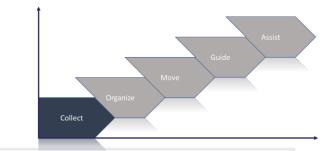
1/2 A million thanks to the Government of Ukraine @MFA\_Ukraine for providing the buses, Sewa International Europe @herambk, and @Sewa\_intl @sewauk\_official for their amazing facilitation and coordination....

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101 Retweets 9 Quote Tweets 306 Likes



# Phase 1: When the crisis started unfolding



Volunteers involved

**24 Feb:** Call for help from our local volunteer in Ukraine

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**24 Feb:** We created a WA message with local Ukrainian volunteer's number

9

**25 Feb:** Released a google form to collect requests

15

**27 Feb:** Opened up WA groups publicly to join

80

28 Feb: Call for Volunteers globally

200+





#### Ukraine E -Helpline

SEWA EUROPE - Helpline for Ukraine

This form is prested as our local valuator from Sawa Europe can assist you in a time of

# SEWA Ukraine - Volunteer Application for Online Helpline support

#### Namaste

Sewa International Europe are coordinating efforts to support stranded students and families in Ukraine. We have started a helpline, where we require volunteers to support the helpline team to call over 3000 registered stranded people. We would require your help to call and reassure them, collect vital information and give appropriate guidance. English speaking required and Hindi speaking would be desirable.





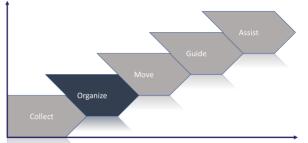


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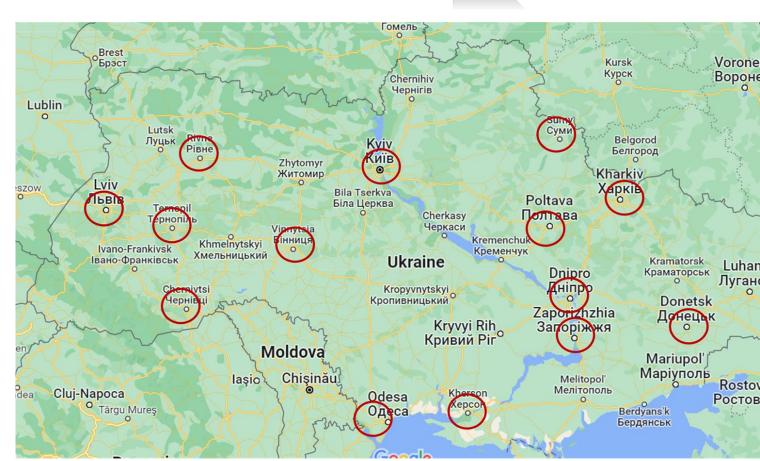
Hello. I am looking for someone who can take a woman with her two sons to Germany at the Polish-Ukrainian border. Preferably to the Ruhr area, but of course I can also drive a bit ...

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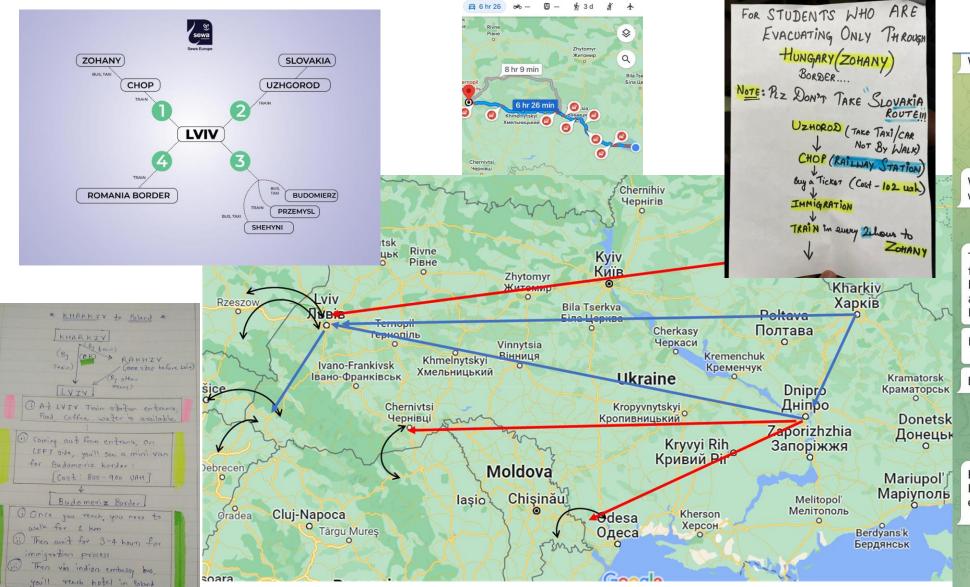
# Phase 1: Organised Coordination

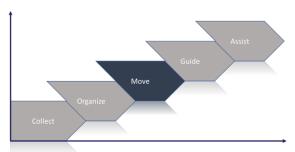


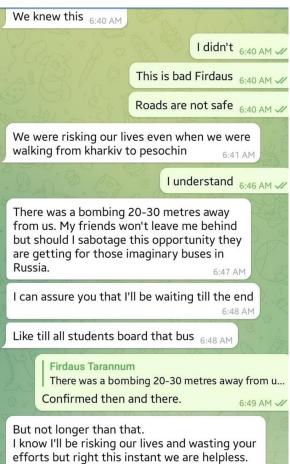
- Evacuation process at this stage was centered by city location
- Every city had its own challenges transport mode (Rail / Bus), distance from border crossing, proximity from war zones, student concentrations, etc.
- Information dissemination, validation and follow up specific to city
- Every city was assigned with one main coordinator, who was being assisted with many others



# Phase 1: Cities to borders







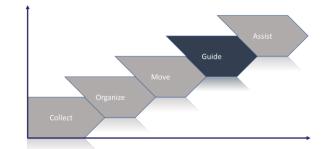
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hear the super sonic booms.

Well, Kharkiv is under attack, of course the

From Bhavna

# Phase 1: Guide & help cross border



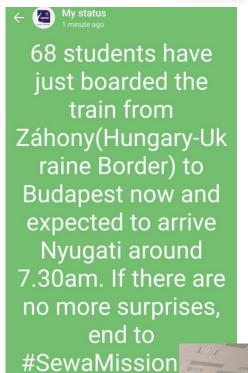
- Coordinate with local humanitarian organizations for Food and accommodation
- Arrange food and essentials wherever needed
- Coordinating with neighboring high commissions







 Help Indian high commissions to get students be evacuated through special flights



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## Phase 1: Blueprint of the evacuation mission

Agility, experience and dedication for humanity made us able to achieve what we could achieve - together

# Google forms were used to collect data



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## Phase 2: Support - Assisting refugees at Poland Border



Sewa Base Camp at Medyka setup up in March
- Poland with Phone/device charging points, seating and heaters.

Purchasing and handing out essential items



Assisting with baggage support for refugees from Ukraine Border to Poland



Volunteers started serving on day 1 and 60+ have served at the Sewa base camp





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## Phase 3: Support - Assisting refugees in Ukraine



Purchasing and handing out essential items



Volunteers conducting Yoga session at Refugee Centers in Ukraine

Refugee Centre with over 1000 beds – Sewa Volunteers supporting

Shehni Ukraine
- refugee
centres with
Phone/device
charging
points





Sewa in pictures







Smile is our reward







Today

Thank you so much sir 13:45

Sir people like you are like God in my life

13.45

# Thank You

