



● DECEMBER 2020

# Thalassemia & Sickle Cell Society

“ A strong sense of empathy and a Deep appreciation ”

## *report*



Shiva Nagraj

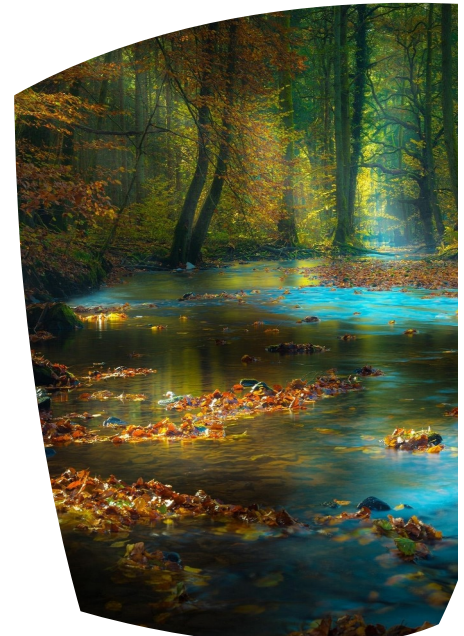
This Story is about a 3 year old boy Shiva Nagraj whose father is a farmer and his life's understanding for the poor farmer, who had already lost hope from Nalgonda. It all began with 2 days of high fever and then couple of test, which gave the diagnosis that child is suffering from Thalassemia. This time it was the word Thalassemia, this word has painted a bleak future because the kid has to be on blood transfusion not once, twice or even thrice, but for life. The very thought of it gives a big jolt that the child is wired to transfusion for life.

The Hospital in Nalgonda referred Shiva to TSCS in Hyderabad. Parents would bring the little child in the bus and had to go through transfusion which is painful ritual every month. The scars and swelling from those injection pricks may fade, but the memory of living with thalassemia transfusion has now become part and parcel of life.

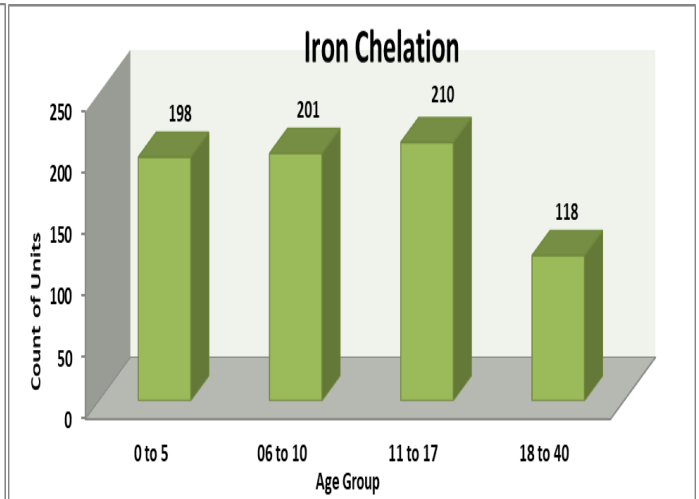
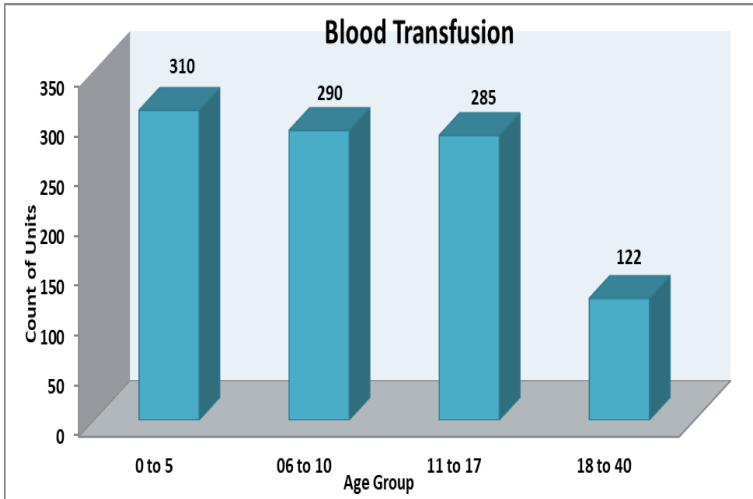
TSCS staff gave a new perspective with all the medical advances available, that thalassemia is no longer a life-threatening disease, just a high-maintenance one. The staff here has always taught that having thalassemia makes some things harder, but it isn't something that has to limit you in life.... a strong sense of empathy and a deep appreciation to all the TSCS family who have dedicated their lives and earnings to give the best in class facility and treatment. The mother went through 2 planned pregnancies of which one was normal and other one was thalassemia and which was terminated

Transfusions can only be possible because even during the Covid-19 situation we had donors from every walk of life ready to help. What counts is that they're humans helping other humans. Thank you, all who gave so that countless others can live.

It's for everyone reading this. Someone you know might need blood, we're still going to hospital because transfusions are not elective.



# Transfusion Details



Total number of patients for the month of **December 2020** including all patients group were 1007 some patients were given 2 units of blood, the total units provided where **1229**.

HPLC at Society Couples/siblings	CVS referred to CDFD	New registrations	Splenectomy
21	3	06	01

## MONTHLY DONORS FOR DECEMBER 2020

1	Murali K Siripurapu	15	Blend Colours Pvt Ltd
2	Shrinath Rotopack Pvt Ltd	16	SPP Poly Pack Pvt Ltd
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# COVID-19 PARENTING

## Talking about COVID-19

Be willing to talk. They will already have heard something. Silence and secrets do not protect our children. Honesty and openness do. Think about how much they will understand. You know them best.

### Be open and listen.

Allow your child to talk freely. Ask them open questions and find out how much they already know.

### Be honest.

Always answer their questions truthfully. Think about how old your child is and how much they can understand.

### Be supportive.

Your child may be scared or confused. Give them space to share how they are feeling and let them know you are there for them.

### It is OK not to know the answers.

It is fine to say "We don't know, but we are working on it; or we don't know, 'but we think'." Use this as an opportunity to learn something new with your child!

**Heroes not bullies.**

### End on a good note.

Check to see if your child is okay. Remind them that you care and that they can talk to you anytime. Then do something fun together!

Particulars	Units
SENSITISATION PROGRAMMES ORGANISED	25
BLOOD DONATION CAMPS	22
COLLECTED UNITS OF BLOOD	1499
DISCARD OF BLOOD UNITS	23
CLOSING STOCK	369
UNITS PROVIDED TO THALASSEMIA + GENERAL FREE ISSUES	1251
GENERAL PAID ISSUES	60
FFP ISSUES	774



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