



Thalassemia and Sickle Cell Society

Transforming Lives Through Comprehensive Thalassemia Care

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G. Reshwanth Kumar is the first child born to a consanguineous couple from Diddulur, Malkapuram District, Andhra Pradesh. His father, Mr. G. Raj Kumar, is a daily wage labourer, and his mother, Mrs. G. Shravani, is a homemaker. Reshwanth was delivered through a normal vaginal delivery and showed normal growth and development until the age of six months.

Between 6 and 15 months of age, he experienced recurrent fever and significant weight loss. Concerned about his health, his parents consulted several hospitals before reaching KIMS Hospital, Kurnool, where he was diagnosed with **Thalassemia Major** following the necessary investigations. He was subsequently referred to the Kurnool Thalassemia Centre and registered with the Thalassemia and Sickle Cell Society (TSCS).



Initially, Reshwanth received two blood transfusions at the Kurnool centre. Since his parents had no prior knowledge of thalassemia, they received comprehensive counselling about the disease, the importance of regular blood transfusions, and long-term management. Whenever the Kurnool centre was not operational, the family travelled to Hyderabad to ensure that Reshwanth received timely blood transfusions.

During this period, Mrs. Shravani became pregnant. The couple underwent **Prenatal Diagnosis (PND)** in subsequent pregnancies to reduce the risk of having another child affected with thalassemia. Their third child, a girl, was found to be unaffected and is healthy. The mother is currently in her fourth pregnancy (three months gestation), and the family has planned to undergo PND once again.

Following genetic counselling provided by TSCS, the parents also encouraged members of their extended family to undergo carrier screening through HPLC testing to identify thalassemia carriers and promote informed family planning.

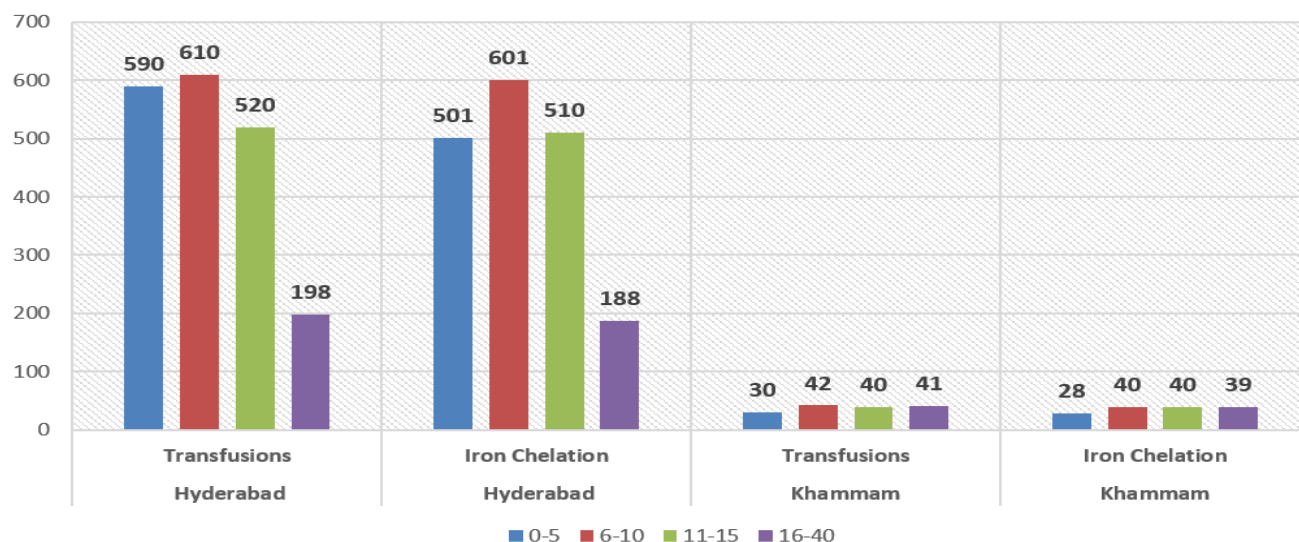
The family expressed their heartfelt appreciation for the continuous support, counselling, and treatment services provided by TSCS, which have helped them better understand and manage their child's condition.

Despite his medical challenges, Reshwanth is currently attending the local Anganwadi centre and actively participates in age-appropriate learning and activities.

Awareness about Thalassemia



Blood Transfusion and Iron-Chelation Details at Hyderabad and Khammam



Total number of Blood Transfusions for the month of **July 2026** including all patients group were **1918 (Hyderabad)** and **153 (Khammam)** & a total of **2218** and **161** units of blood provided to patients in respective centres

HPLC at Society	CVS at TSCS	New registrations	Splenectomy
2056	08	28 (26 @ Hyderabad & 02 @ Khammam)	Nil

1897 Antenatal women were screened for **Thalassemia** and **Sickle cell anemia** carrier status from **Government Maternity Hospital, Petlaburj (310 - 13 carriers)** , **Mahabubnagar PHCs (602 - 10 carriers)**, **Medchal-Malkajgiri PHCs (615 - 18 carriers)** **Private Hospitals (370 – 11 Carriers)** of which **31** were found to be **Thal carriers, SCA– 10, HbE – 2, HbD – 6** and **Others - 3**.

BLOOD CENTRE – JULY 2026

S.No	Particulars	Units
1	Sensitization Programs Organized	46
2	Total no of Blood Donation Camps	35
3	Blood Collection Camps and In-house	2215
4	Closing Stock	355
5	Thalassemic & General Free Issues	1992



Donations



Monthly Donors For July 2026

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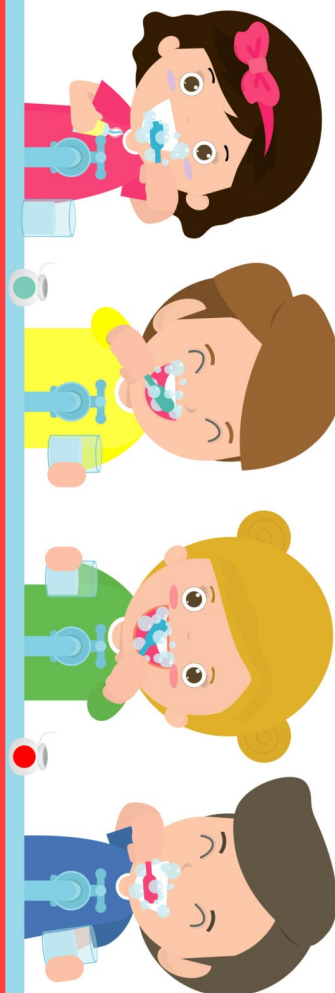
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