



## LEARN MORE ABOUT JUPITER HOSPITAL'S NEWEST HEART TRANSPLANT PROGRAM

With the pioneering liver transplant programs in Mumbai, we are proud to also introduce a fully equipped heart transplant unit in our Thane hospital. The programme will be helmed by renowned heart & lung transplant surgeon Dr Pravin Kulkarni.

He will be supported by a team of cardiac surgeons and cardiologists team. The programme will provide accessible care and comprehensive support services leading to outstanding quality and outcome.

The team will consist of transplant surgeons, critical care experts, infectious diseases consultants, transplant coordinators and specially trained support nursing and other paramedical staff for ICU and wards. The transplant department is well equipped with dedicated beds in ICU, cardiac rehab and specialized post op care.



## AFTER LOSING 40 KGS SHE GOT BACK ON HER FEET

Mrs. Pooja Masrani, aged 35 years, came to Jupiter Hospital with swelling and injuries on both her legs. After x-rays, it was revealed that she had multiple fractures. Mrs. Pooja was unable to walk much in the last one year due to her weight of 150 kg.

She used to find it difficult to do simple household tasks like turning while sleeping, sitting up, walking, cooking food, etc. Due to this, many diseases like asthma, diabetes, hypothyroidism, stomach ulcers, vitamin deficiency started affecting her body.

"When she was first examined at the Peripheral OPD of Jupiter Hospital in Bhiwandi, she was brought in an ambulance and on a stretcher," said Dr. Prashant Salvi, Bariatric Surgeon, Jupiter Hospital. On admission to the hospital, she was diagnosed with diabetes, sleep apnea, depression, insufficiency fractures, and severe multivitamin deficiency owing to her increasing weight.

After a successful bariatric surgery, Mrs. Pooja was treated by many doctors like pain specialist, endocrinologist, cardiologist, pulmonologist, psychiatrist, nutritionist, orthopedist and rehabilitation team.

"This is my new life. I came here in an ambulance but now I'm very happy that I'll be walking on my own when I go back home", she expressed her happiness.



## **BABY SAMEEKSHA GETS A NEW LEASE OF LIFE**

**The pediatric cardiology team at Jupiter hospital performed the procedure of Aortopulmonary window (AP window) device closure in a 2-month old baby who just weighed 2.9kg.**

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**ONE OF THE VERY RARE AND DIFFICULT INTERVENTIONS TO BE PERFORMED AT SUCH YOUNG AGE. LESS THAN A HANDFUL OF CASE REPORTS ARE AVAILABLE IN WORLD LITERATURE.**

An AP window is a rare birth defect of heart and accounts for less than 0.1% of all heart defects in children. AP window is an abnormal communication (Window) between 2 major arteries that emerge out of the heart- the pulmonary artery and the Aorta. These defects are generally large and do not close on their own.

Sameeksha had constant hurried breathing, difficulty in feeding from breast and was developing recurrent chest infections.

Parents of Sameeksha, hail from a neighboring district of Mumbai. They are daily wage workers who neither had much awareness of severity or complexity of the heart disease nor the rarity of such an intervention. When they first came to know about the diagnosis 2 weeks back from a cardiologist in their locality, they were shocked and approached Jupiter hospital. They just knew that their baby has a life threatening heart disease which needs treatment at the earliest.

They were financially helped by Genesis foundation who supported entire intervention costs. The family safely returned home after a successful procedure. Since it was catheter intervention, there were no scars of open-heart operation either.

## LEAVING NO STONE UNTURNED, IN DEFEATING DISABILITIES.

The Center for Rehabilitation at Jupiter hospital, Thane was started in May 2018 with the objective of enabling maximum people to conduct their daily activities independently.

Apart from the tech-based robotic rehabilitation program, what made the department stand out was a series of 5 rooms (wards) adjacent to the Rehab therapy lab. Here, patients got admitted in an exclusive rehab ward & underwent customized & coordinated in-patient rehabilitation through the day with state of the art equipment and facilities. Back then, this concept was unheard of in India.

Till date over 550 patients with disabilities due to stroke, traumatic brain injury, cerebral palsy, spinal cord injury, Parkinson's disease and other progressive and non progressive neurological disorders have been treated under the in-patient neuro-rehab program.

Due to the in-patient rooms, we can provide a coordinated, structured and integrated rehabilitation program to restore the patients' physical and cognitive functions in the best way, thereby enabling them to lead a normal life.



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# 10,000

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evaluation/opinion for patients  
with

**Metabolic**  
(Non-Alcoholic)  
**Fatty Liver Disease**



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A Team of Hepatologist, Endocrinologist, Nutritionist  
and Physical Therapist.

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