



Deepak Foundation was set up in 1982 under the Bombay Public Trust Act, 1950 (BOM.XXIX of 1950, Registration No. E.3122-BARODA, dated November 22, 1982). The organization has over 33 years of experience in implementing large scale intervention research projects. The Foundation has provided CSR consultancy services and conducted needs assessment and impact evaluation studies for various public and private partners since 2012-13.

Based on this rich experience, the Foundation set-up a Public Health Training Institute (PHTI) in 2011-12 for which the Memorandum of Understanding was signed between the Government of Gujarat and Deepak Foundation on January 12, 2011 during the Vibrant Gujarat Summit.

### Objectives

Efforts of the Foundation are guided by five inter-connected core objectives:

- ❖ Skills building of frontline functionaries in Health and Livelihood sectors
- ❖ Preventive and promotive medical services through maternal and child care health facilities and mobile health units
- ❖ Pre-school and School education
- ❖ Ensuring sustainable livelihood for under-privileged and marginalized communities
- ❖ Providing effective disaster relief and rehabilitation services

**Vision:** Empowering communities in underprivileged areas to ensure holistic development, economic stability and a life of dignity.

**Mission:** Creating a socially inclusive and sustainable environment among the underprivileged communities by providing health care, education, capacity building and livelihood opportunities. We envisage a world free of distress, disease, deprivation, exploitation and subjugation, ensuring the overall well-being of the family, society and community

**Goal:** The overall goal of Foundation is to empower women by providing healthcare and livelihood opportunities in order to improve maternal and child health and alleviate poverty.

In order to address emerging priorities of under privileged communities, the Foundation has been providing services in diverse areas such as natural resource management, empowering women thorough dairy cooperatives and savings groups, HIV/AIDS prevention.

The Foundation implements its activities in close collaborations with communities, government, national and international non-profit organization, research and academic institutions, and networks of Civil Society Organizations (CSOs), including corporate sector.

### Geographical Presence:

- **Maharashtra:** Pune, Talaja, Roha
- **Gujarat:** Vadodara, Chhota Udepur, Bharuch, Narmada, Sabarkantha, Anand, Amreli, Rajkot
- **Telangana:** Hyderabad
- **Madhya Pradesh:** Indore and Alirajpur district
- **New Delhi**

### Testimonials and Certificates:

- An ISO 9001-2008 certified organization & accredited by “Credibility Alliance”.
- Empanelled with National CSR Hub at TISS, an initiative of the Central Public Sector Enterprise (CPSE) under Ministry of Heavy Industries and Public Enterprises, GoI [IA Hub Code : A000011].
- Recognized by the Department of Rural Development, Govt. of Gujarat as an authorized implementing agency for undertaking various research and developmental projects
- Empanelled as subject Specialist/Consultant in Social Sector under General Administration Department - Planning, Government of Gujarat
- Registered and Recognized as “CSR Implementation Agency” by Gujarat CSR Authority, Government of Gujarat
- Empanelled for ‘Public Health Research’ and as ‘Training Site for ASHA and Community Processes program’ under National Health Systems Resource Center, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India
- Registered under NGO Partnership System of Planning Commission [Registration No. GJ/2009/0008944]
- Partnership with Directorate of Industrial Safety and Health (DISH), Department of Employment and Labour, Govt. of Gujarat for undertaking industrial trainings on topics like Silicosis, HIV AIDS, Byssinosis, Tobacco Awareness, etc.
- Affiliated to Health Sector Skill Council & National Skill Development Corporation since 2014 to conduct Government of India approved course - Home Health Aide (HHA)
- Registered with Directorate of Employment & Training, Ministry of Labour & Employment, Govt. of India as a Vocational Training Provider (VTP) for short term course - Bedside Assistant & Nursing Aide, under the Gujarat Urban Livelihood Mission
- The Foundation is one of the 20 selected global consultant to World Bank - Health, Nutrition and Population Civil Society Consultative Group (WB-HNP CSCG) on policy formation for Health Population & Nutrition
- Panel member on the Sexual Harassment Committee of more than 15 companies and Institutes