

GPIL Launches "Health Care on Wheels" with Apollo Telemedicine: Taking Quality Healthcare to the Doorsteps of Rural India

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In a significant stride towards inclusive healthcare access, Godawari Power & Ispat Limited (GPIL), in collaboration with the Apollo Telemedicine Networking Foundation, has launched “Health Care on Wheels”, a mobile health unit dedicated to serving remote and underserved communities across rural India.

Flagged off on March 31st, 2025, by Mr. Pratap Agrawal, President – New Projects and the GPIL team, the mobile health unit set out on its maiden journey from Tanda village. The initiative is the brainchild of Mr. Abhishek Agrawal, Executive Director-GPIL who continues to spearhead GPIL’s mission of building equitable and impactful community welfare systems.

A Lifeline on Wheels

“Health Care on Wheels” is more than just a mobile clinic—it is a fully equipped healthcare delivery unit designed to bridge the urban-rural medical divide. By leveraging telemedicine and on-ground support, this initiative brings free, accessible, and quality healthcare directly to the doorsteps of those who need it most.

Key Features and Services Include:

- Free General & Specialty Doctor Consultations, On-site consultations from experienced general physicians, supported by virtual sessions with top specialists.
- Telemedicine Across Key Specialties, Including Orthopaedics, Dermatology, Gynaecology, Paediatrics, General Medicine, Gastroenterology, Cardiology, Neurology, and more.
- Early Screening & Preventive Care, On-the-spot diagnostics and screening for Non-Communicable Diseases (NCDs) like Cancer, Anaemia, Diabetes, Malnutrition, Hypertension, and Neurological Disorders.
- Free Medicine Distribution, Patients receive necessary medications immediately post-consultation, at no cost.
- Digital Health Records & Health Awareness, Real-time digital records ensure continuity of care, while community education sessions promote health awareness and preventive practices.

Envisioning a Healthier Tomorrow

Speaking at the launch, Mr. Abhishek Agrawal emphasized:

Our goal is simple but powerful—to ensure that no one is left behind when it comes to basic healthcare. With this initiative, we are not just treating illnesses; we are building trust, educating communities, and laying the foundation for long-term health equity.”

Sustainable Impact, Scalable Model

The mobile unit will operate across multiple villages in a phase-wise rollout, covering the most underserved geographies of Chhattisgarh and beyond. By integrating Apollo’s telehealth expertise and GPIL’s grassroots presence, this model can be scaled to transform rural healthcare delivery nationwide.

In Partnership for Progress

This project stands as a testament to the power of collaboration between the corporate sector and medical institutions. It aligns seamlessly with the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDG 3: Good Health and Well-being) and India’s vision for universal healthcare access.

GPIL’s “Health Care on Wheels” is not just a project—it’s a promise to the people we serve. With every village it reaches, it carries hope, dignity, and care.

Together, we heal. Together, we grow.