

# Nayara Energy Continues to Improve Access to Healthcare in Villages surrounding its Vadinar Refinery

**50,000 and counting community members benefitting from Nayara Energy's healthcare initiatives**

**August 07, 2020, Vadinar:** Nayara Energy, a new-age downstream energy company of international scale is committed towards sustainable growth and development of the communities surrounding their refinery in Vadinar, Gujarat. With resolute plans of expansion and foray into petrochemicals, Nayara Energy, as a responsible “neighbor of choice” is determined to drive inclusive growth within the region. The company has been at the forefront to provide improved access to community healthcare facilities and affordable healthcare for the people.

Nayara Energy's Community Health Project marks the company's oldest ongoing CSR programme that aims to provide primary healthcare services, pathological facilities and emergency response infrastructure to ensure facilities to more than 50,000 patients across 15 villages of Jamnagar and Devbhoomi Dwarka districts. Since its inception, the program has aided over 3 lakh consultations providing them with Community Health Centre, Pediatric and Gynecological Services, Mobile Health Van, Emergency Ambulance Services, Medical Health Camps as well as measures to address and monitoring Anaemia and Malaria respectively.

To further promote healthcare awareness in the community, Nayara Energy has also adopted an epidemiological analytics-driven public health programme working towards the eradication of diseases widespread in these areas. Under the public health initiative, Nayara Energy is currently working towards the complete eradication of Tuberculosis (TB) in collaboration with the Government of Gujarat, in Devbhumi Dwarka district. As part of this program, the Company has a robust program to support TB patients for complete recovery. So far, 475 TB patients have benefited from this program.

Moreover, Nayara Energy joined hands with the Government of Gujarat and launched **Project Tushti**, with an endeavour to make Devbhumi Dwarka under-nutrition free. Additionally, in an endeavor to support India's fight against COVID-19, apart from kickstarting a community kitchen and providing ration kits to thousands of local families, the Company has also provided ventilators to Khambaliya hospital to save the lives of critical patients. Very soon, Nayara Energy is also installing Health Kiosks in four villages to provide access to healthcare in remote locations. A mobile health app has been designed, with the help of our implementation partners, for the benefit of over 1500 health fuctionaries in the region providing essential traning on infant, child, maternal and adolescent health related topics.

Speaking on the company's initiatives in healthcare, **Dr. Dipti Falia, Gynecologist, Jamnagar** said, *“Through its various programs, Nayara Energy has played a critical role in betterment of the local populance by increasing access to doorstep health services, timely and affordable treatment, leading to a healthier community across age groups. We would like to compliment and recognise the company's focused efforts and healthcare facilities targetting women and older citizens enabling them to access these facilities without relying on family members.”*

**Dr. Raj Sutharia, District Health Officer”, Devbhoomi Dwarka District Panchayat** said, *“Over the years, Nayara Energy's efforts around community health services have significantly benefitted many villages in*

## **Key initiatives in healthcare by Nayara Energy**

- Mobile Health Van for providing healthcare in remote areas
- Community Health Centre provides physican, pediatric and gynecologist services in the surrounding villages
- Specialized health camps to address significant health issues
- Project Tushti aims to increase nutrition parameters in the region
- Remote access to healthcare through Health Kiosks - being set-up across four villages
- Provided ventilators to Khambhalia Hospital
- Mobile health app for training health functionaries

*Devbhoomi Dwarka district. We laud their commitment towards Devbhoomi Dwarka region and their continued efforts which have improved the overall health of the community.”*

### **About Nayara Energy**

Nayara Energy is a new-age downstream company of international scale with strong presence across the hydrocarbon value chain from refining to retail. In August 2017, the company was acquired by international investors, Rosneft and an investment consortium comprising of global commodity trading firm, Trafigura and UCP Investment Group. The company owns and operates India's second largest single site refinery at Vadinar, Gujarat with a current capacity of 20MMTPA. The refinery is one of the world's most modern and complex refineries with a complexity of 11.8, which is amongst the highest globally. More information about Nayara Energy is available at [www.nayaraenergy.com](http://www.nayaraenergy.com)

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