

# 10,000 Wheelchair Project

By Wheels For Wheels for Wheels Foundation, January 2023

The Wheels for Wheels Foundation was set up in 2014 to ensure that the estimated 40,000 children in Sri Lanka with Cerebral Palsy have access to proper wheelchair facilities. It is estimated that 10,000 children out of the 40,000 are in need of a wheelchair.

This is an ambitious and daunting target but Wheels for Wheels strongly believes helping alleviate even some of the pain and suffering young cerebral palsy sufferers endure every day is worth all the effort. Here is the progress to date

Total number of wheelchairs received - **2700** (2500 Pediatric, 100 adult CP, 100 adult wheelchairs (from Mr. Prithvi Dorai)) - last shipment was in 2018

Balance at ware house - 36 (35 size Pediatric wheelchairs)

Balance at the centers - 34 (pediatric) + 5 adult CP chair at NCCCPDD, Rajagiriya

Used at centers - 66 (48 Pediatric + 2 adult CP - NCCCPDD, 7 Moratuwa, 9 East)

Total distributed (to date) - **2457** (2262 Pediatric, 95 adult CP, 100 adult wheelchairs)

<b>Total received</b>	2500 Pediatric	100 adult CP	100 adult (Prithvi Dorai)	<b>Total 2700</b>
<b>Balance</b>	36 Paediatric (35 size) at warehouse	34 Pediatric (35 size) + 5 adult CP at Rajagiriya		<b>Total 75</b>
<b>Used at centers</b>	48 Pediatric + 2 adult CP at Rajagiriya	7 at Moratuwa	9 at the East center	<b>Total 66</b>
<b>Damaged and replaced wheelchairs</b>	102 at Rajagiriya			<b>Total 102</b>
<b>Total distributed</b>	2262 Pediatric	95 adult CP	100 adult	<b>Total 2457</b>
<b>Wheelchair camps conducted</b>				<b>Total 43</b>

## Refer Annexure 1 for – Wheelchair Camp Details

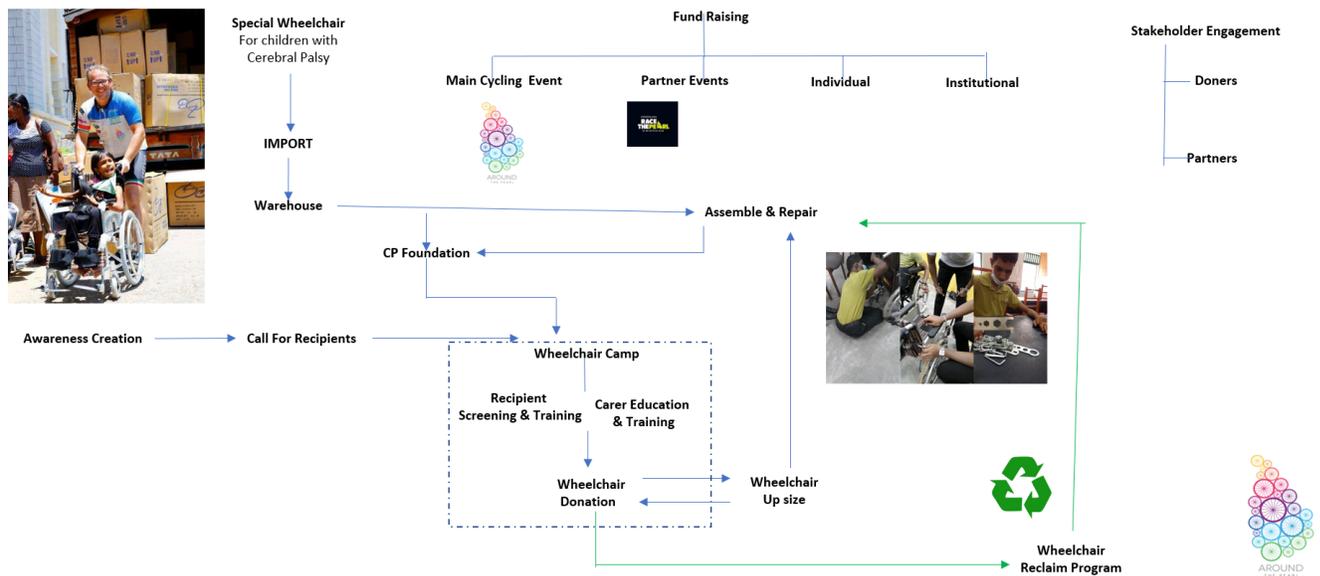
The initiative to raise funds and donate wheelchairs is now looking to close the loop to make this a sustainable initiative with reclaiming and repairing project

## Wheelchair Services Training at MJF Charitable Foundation

A Wheelchair Services training program for the students of the Vocational Training Unit is introduced at NCCCPDD Rajagiirya. The therapists at the center are trained in WHO Basic Wheelchair Services. A curriculum for this program is available in all three local languages.

This program involves wheelchair repairing, assembling and refurbishing. We will be starting an assembling and refurbishing unit at the center soon. This program will help the students at our Vocational training unit to earn a living and lead a meaningful life. We will be extending these services and starting similar units at our Moratuwa and the East center.

## The Closed loop Framework for Sustainability



## How To Donate

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**Annexure 1 – Wheelchair Camps**

<b>CAMP</b>	<b>DATE</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF WHEELCHAIRS DISTRIBUTED</b>
<b>HAMBANTOTA</b>	<b>15.02.2015</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>ANURADHAPURA</b>	<b>22.02.2015</b>	<b>24</b>
<b>MONERAGALA</b>	<b>01.03.2015</b>	<b>35</b>
<b>JAFFNA</b>	<b>08.03.2015</b>	<b>150</b>
<b>KANDY</b>	<b>15.03.2015</b>	<b>112</b>
<b>RATNAPURA</b>	<b>22.03.2015</b>	<b>66</b>
<b>KURUNEGALA</b>	<b>29.03.2015</b>	<b>108</b>
<b>GALLE</b>	<b>09.04.2015</b>	<b>95</b>
<b>BATTICALOA</b>	<b>12.04.2015</b>	<b>140</b>
<b>MORATUWA</b>	<b>19.04.2015</b>	<b>61</b>
<b>WELLAWAYA</b>	<b>10.05.2015</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>WATTALA</b>	<b>24.05.2015</b>	<b>70</b>
<b>NUWARELIYA (WALTRIM)</b>	<b>14.06.2015</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>BATTARAMULLA</b>	<b>03.12.2015</b>	<b>25</b>
<b>PUTTALAM</b>	<b>10.01.2016</b>	<b>83</b>
<b>TRINCOMALEE</b>	<b>11.04.2016</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>COLOMBO (PARK ROAD)</b>	<b>17.04.2016</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>WATTALA (CENTER)</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>96</b>
<b>NUWARELIYA</b>	<b>25.09.2016</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>VAVUNIYA</b>	<b>13.11.2016</b>	<b>76</b>
<b>BADULLA</b>	<b>04.12.2016</b>	<b>52</b>

<b>GAMPAHA</b>	<b>08.01.2017</b>	<b>96</b>
<b>MATARA</b>	<b>09.04.2017</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>KANDY (FOLLOW UP)</b>	<b>23.04.2017</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>ALUTHGAMA</b>	<b>01.05.2017</b>	<b>54</b>
<b>RAJAGIRYA (CENTRE)</b>	<b>07.05.2017</b>	<b>46</b>
<b>WELLAWAYA</b>	<b>18.06.2017</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>BANDARAWELA</b>	<b>16.07.2017</b>	<b>08</b>
<b>KADUGANNAWA</b>	<b>22.10.2017</b>	<b>77</b>
<b>RAJAGIRIYA (CENTRE)</b>	<b>23.12.2017</b>	<b>32</b>
<b>PASIKUDA (KIRAN)</b>	<b>15.04.2018</b>	<b>63</b>
<b>MULLAITIVU</b>	<b>18.04.2018</b>	<b>42</b>
<b>MATARA</b>	<b>06.05.2018</b>	<b>82</b>
<b>RAJAGIRIYA (CENTRE)</b>	<b>Jan- June 2018</b>	<b>47</b>
<b>MJF CENTRE EAST - KIRAN</b>	<b>02.12.2018</b>	<b>55</b>
<b>MATARA</b>	<b>09.12. 2018</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>AMBALANTHOTA</b>	<b>09.12. 2018</b>	<b>45</b>
<b>RAJAGIRIYA (CENTRE)</b>	<b>July-Dec 2018</b>	<b>59</b>
<b>KALMUNAI</b>	<b>13.04. 2019</b>	<b>72</b>
<b>RATNAPURA</b>	<b>31.03.2021</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>MATARA</b>	<b>15.12.2022</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>2358</b>