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Pankhudi Foundation - Organization Brief

Sympathy? Does it help an underprivileged kid in anyway? Definitely not! Most of these kids under-achieve their potential due to lack of education, healthcare, unwholesome environment and other resources. So giving some of your time and providing help by supporting, guiding and mentoring them in turn helps them improve their current state fuelling their transformation into better individuals. At the same time, they should be treated in such a way that they do not feel left out and they should also be made to realize that they have the means to create whatever they want.

In order to achieve the above goals, Pankhudi Foundation, a pan-India NGO was conceptualized and founded by Mr. Shahzad Wakeel (an IIT-B graduate, working with a leading bank) on 18th April 2005 who named it as "Pankhudi Parivaar" internally. It was formally registered as an NGO in September 2006 and its working area spans cities of Bangalore, Chennai, Delhi, Hyderabad, kolkata, Mumbai and Pune. Pankhudi primarily works in the field of Slum children education and healthcare.

We believe that Education is one of the most important factors for wholesome development. Education enables a child to realize his or her full potential to think, question and judge independently. It also helps children learn to love and respect fellow human beings. Most importantly it helps them in realizing their dreams. Pankhudi's nationwide project, **Protsahan** is focusing on primary education and healthcare of slum children. Pankhudi not only focuses on underprivileged kids but also works towards helping visually-impaired children (project **DivyaDrishti**) and HIV affected children (project **Aashayen**). **Sahayata** is the name given to the various collection drives conducted by Pankhudi during relief related activities. It also involves helping other NGO's, government schools and refugee camps.



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Volunteers at Pankhudi Foundation (or *Pankhudians* as they are known) are a bunch of young, dedicated and determined people from varied backgrounds across the globe that are committed to work in ensuring a better tomorrow and a bright future for the children we serve.

For the last 3 years Pankhudi has made a positive difference in the lives of these children. As the name suggests, Pankhudi has outspread its petals over the years and is still growing.

From the activities we took up till date it is evident that Pankhudi has grown into a full-fledged organization, having different departments which takes care of various administrative works. All volunteers meet annually at the All-India-Meet to discuss the progress, evaluate on what worked and what didn't to lay out the future strategies.

And whats more? Corporate, colleges and other NGOs have also joined hands with Pankhudi for contributing a better future for these children. To know more about the organization and its activities please visit www.pankhudifoundation.org. With our dedication and effort, powered by your continued support, we are sure to see a Brighter and Empowered generation of tomorrow, blossoming today. So join us by filling up a simple registration form or you can write to us at pr@pankhudifoundation.org

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