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A Guide to **LCI & LCIF**
GRANTS Opportunities



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Editorial...

For the past 108 years, Lions have been serving with unparalleled compassion and empathy in nearly 210 countries around the world. Whether it's a global disaster or a community need, Lions International has carved a special place in the hearts of people around the world through its extraordinary humanitarian work. But we all know that if we want to reach a very large community of needy people and effectively deliver our service to the society, financial funds are also needed. Then this organization of ours, which is based on the basic principles of service and Fellowship, also helps their volunteers in the financial field in the form of Various Grants. Which is not limited to service only but also helps in developing other areas like membership growth, leadership development, skill development. Where and how to get this grant? What is its working method? Information about it is definitely available on the Lions International website, but during my governorship year, I found that many Lions are not aware of it or if they do get the information, it is difficult to understand. And since then, an idea was playing in my mind to simplify this entire information and present it in a way that even grassroots Lions can understand. That is why today, when I got the post of LCIF Grant Coordinator from Multiple in the year 2025-26, I gave this idea a concrete form and am putting it in your hands in the form of this booklet. I have made a sincere effort to present all the information about grants from LCI and LCIF in this booklet in a way that is summarized and easy to understand but for execution you must follow the grant guidelines given in LCI website.

I am presenting this booklet to you with the hope that you will definitely like it & will help you in your work.

- Lion Deepak Pakhale

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Vision Statement

**To be the global leader in
Community & Humanitarian Service**

Mission Statement

Our mission is to empower Lions clubs, volunteers and partners to improve health and wellbeing, strengthen communities, and support those in need through humanitarian service and grants that impact lives globally, and encourage peace and international understanding

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LCI & LCIF Grants

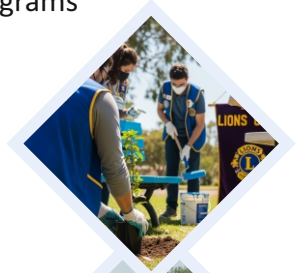
There are a wide variety of grants available to help Lions serve their local communities and the world.

There are different grants available from Lions Club International & Lions Clubs International Foundation for Clubs, District & Multiple District

So explore the different grant types to find out the grant right for your club, district or multiple district now or in the future.

LCI Grants

- Membership Development Grants
- Leadership Development Grant Programs
- Leadership Development Institute Grant Programs
- Marketing Grant Programs
- Leo Leadership Grant Programs
- New Voice Grant Programs
- Speciality Club Workshop Grant Programs



LCIF Grants

- Childhood Cancer Grants
- Diabetes Grants
- Hunger Grants
- Vision Grants
- Matching Grants
- Disaster Relief Grants
- Lions Quest Grants
- District & Club Community Impact Grant
- LCIF Leo Service Pilot Grant
- Humanitarian Award Winners





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LCI Grants

1. Membership Development Grants (LCI Grant)

- These funds support a wide variety of membership efforts & activities to recruit more members and to start new clubs.
- **Funds Available :**
 - For ISAME : 25,000 US \$
 - For MULTIPLE : 45,00 US \$
 - For DISTRICT : 1,500 US \$
- **Grant Goals :**
 - **District grant goals** : have a minimum requirement of 2 newly chartered clubs and 30 additional new members.
 - **Multiple district grant goals** : have a minimum requirement of 4 new clubs and 100 additional new members.
 - 25% Matching Fund required
 - E-mail : membershipgrants@lionsclub.org
 - **Note** : Each newly chartered club must contain 20 NEW charter members. The charter members and transfer members do not count toward the new member goal.
 - Leo and Cub members/clubs do not count towards grant goals.

2. Leadership Development Grant Programs (LCI Grant)

- This Grant Programs available to Prepare tomorrow's leaders today
- **Funds Available :**
 - **Multiple district grants** :
 - US \$ 100 per confirmed first vice district governor
 - US \$ 75 per confirmed second vice district governor
 - **District grants** :
 - US \$ 500 per confirmed Zone Chairperson Workshop.
 - funding is limited and will be awarded in the order that completed applications are received.



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LCI Grants

3. Leadership Development Institute Grant Programs (LCI Grant)

- To Build confidence and inspire Lions and Leos in leadership roles by providing an Emerging Lions Leadership Institute (ELLI) or a Regional Lions Leadership Institute (RLLI) in your area. All multiple districts, districts can apply to receive a grant towards conducting either an ELLI or a RLLI.
- **Funds Available**
- Multiple districts : US \$4500
- Single districts : US \$1800
- Last Date of Application : 31st October
- Multiple District / District may apply for one Leadership Development Institute Grant per year either ELLI / RLLI

4. Marketing Grant Programs : (LCI Grant)

- This grants provide funding for marketing efforts like advertising, social media, branding and PR to promote Lions International locally and globally.
- **Funds Available**
- Multiple districts : US \$ 15000
- Districts : US \$ 5000
- Region : US \$ 3000
- Zone : US \$ 1500

5. Leo Leadership Grant Programs (LCI Grant)

- Each year, Lions International awards US\$2,000 grants to 24 Lions multiple districts, sub-districts or single districts that are investing in training their Leos
- Leo Institute Grant for District : 150 \$ / leo , Max 600 \$
- for RLLI & ELLI include leos as participant



- **Funds Available for :**
- Leos hosted a leadership event
- Omega Leos hosted an annual conference
- Leos hosted an in-person training for leos
- Applications are accepted between July 1 and May 1

6. New Voice Grant Programs : (LCI Grant)

- **Funds Available for :**
- New Voice Symposiums & New Voice Workshops
- maximum of US\$2,000 is available per district
- up to US\$8,000 per constitutional area, per fiscal year
- Application Deadline : July 1st to 15th March

7. Speciality Club Workshop Grant Programs (LCI Grant)

- To Support like-minded Lions under a common interest
- **Funds Available :**
- A maximum of US \$ 750 is available per district
- Workshop funds will only be reimbursed if the district achieves 50% of its MISSION 1.5 new club goals with newly chartered speciality Clubs.
- Applications Deadline : from July 1 – March 15



Lions stand for **peace and understanding** in our communities and around the world.
We believe in **uniting people, building bridges** for the world and **working together** for the **greater good** of all people.

- Lions Club International Foundation (Established in 1968) offers a wide variety of grants to support Lions effort to improve health & Well being, strengthen the communities & protect the vulnerable.
- These are the options for service projects :

1. Childhood Cancer Grants : (LCIF Grant)



- **Grant Amount :** US \$ 10,000 to US \$ 150,000.
- These grants empower Lions to improve the quality of life for children receiving treatment and their families.
- **Funds are available for :**
- Construction, expansion or renovation of child, teenager and family-friendly waiting rooms in healthcare facilities.
- Projects that strengthen access to or improve transportation to and from medical appointments.
- Projects that address the educational and recreational needs of childhood cancer patients receiving treatment at a healthcare facility.
- **Matching Fund Required :** 25% of Total budget cost
- **Application Deadlines :** October 1, February 1, May 1

2. Diabetes Grants : (LCIF Grant)



- **Grant Amount :** US \$ 10,000 to US \$ 150,000.
- Diabetes grants fund large-scale diabetes projects to improve the public health of a community and provide equitable access to services
- **Funds are available for :**
- Diabetes Camps
- Screening activities with comprehensive follow-up care plans
- Infrastructure development and equipment acquisition
- Human resource training and capacity building

- **Matching Fund Required** : 25 % of Total budget cost
- **Application Deadlines** : October 1, February 1, May 1



3. Hunger Grants : (LCIF Grant)

- **Grant Amount** : US \$ 10,000 to US \$ 150,000.
- Hunger Grants focus on strengthening infrastructure and providing essential equipment for Lions' hunger-relief efforts. These grants empower Lions to support vital initiatives such as school feeding programs, food banks and feeding centers.
- **Funds are available for :**
 - Construction or expansion of food banks, feeding centers and food storage facilities.
 - Purchase of refrigerators and freezers to store perishable food items.
 - Vehicles to transport, collect and deliver food.
- **Matching Fund Required** : 25% of Total budget cost
- **Application Deadlines** : October 1, February 1, May 1

4. Vision Grant Program : (LCIF Grant)



- **Grant Amount** : US \$ 10,000 to US \$ 300,000
- Vision Grants support to fight blindness and preventable vision loss and/or assist people who are blind and visually impaired in underserved communities.
- **Funds are available for :**
 - Infrastructure development
 - Equipment acquisition
 - Human resource and capacity building
 - Consumables
- **Matching Fund Required** : 25% of Total budget cost

- **Application Deadlines :** October 1, February 1, May 1
- District May have two vision grant in process at any time

5. Matching Grants Program : (LCIF Grant)



- **Grant Amount :** US \$ 10,000 to US \$ 150,000
- Matching Grants provide capital funding to help establish or expand Lions-initiated humanitarian service projects that address critical and diverse human and social needs
- **Funds are available for :**
 - Expansion and equipment for schools and orphanages benefiting youth in developing countries.
 - Rehabilitation and specialized educational facilities supporting people with disabilities.
 - Expansion and equipment for charitable facilities improving access to medical care.
- **Matching Fund Required :** 25% of Total budget cost
- **Application Deadlines :** October 1, February 1, May 1

6. Disaster Relief Grant Program : (LCIF Grant)



There are 3 types of Disaster Relief Grants

a. Disaster Emergency Grant

b. Disaster Preparedness Grant

c. Major Catastrophe Grants

a. Disaster Emergency Grant

- **Grant Amount :** US \$ 5,000 to US \$ 15,000
- The Emergency Grant funds Lion-led service activities that support immediate and short-term relief efforts to victims of natural disasters
- **Funds are available for :**
 - Relief kits including toiletries and personal hygiene supplies

- Diapers, formula, milk, wipes, and other infant needs, Food to purchase, distribute and/or cook and serve meals, Water and small purification units, First aid supplies, Tarps, Blankets, pillows, foam pads, sheets, Clothing/footwear, Cleaning supplies and debris removal, Small cooking supplies and eating utensils, Flashlights/lanterns/solar lights, Supplies for minor repairs of homes, medical facilities, schools, and other vital public institutions.
- **No Matching Fund Required**
- **Application deadlines** : within 30 days of disaster

b. Disaster Preparedness Grant

- **Grant Amount** : US \$ 5,000 to US \$ 15,000
- The Disaster Preparedness Grant supports districts in partnering with local authorities and community organizations to plan and prepare for future relief efforts following natural disasters.
- **Funds are available for :**
- Equipment used by Lions and civil society organizations in preparation of future disasters
- For local emergency response or disaster training programs
- Stockpiling of key materials and supplies for future response
- Assembly of disaster relief kits
- Preparedness activities to support vulnerable populations, such as the elderly, children and people with
- disabilities who are disproportionately impacted by disasters
- Creating safety brochures and other awareness materials
- **Matching Fund Required** : 25% of Total budget cost

c. Major Catastrophe Grants :

- Major Catastrophe Grants support long-term reconstruction projects following large-scale natural disasters with significant

international impact. These grants are awarded at the discretion of the international president and the LCIF chairperson and cannot be applied for by districts. They provide substantial funding to address the most severe catastrophes.

7. Lions Quest Program Grant : (LCIF Grant)



- **Grant Amount :** US \$ 10,000 to US \$ 50,000
- Maximum US \$ 150,000 for multiple districts / Country.
- Lions Quest Grants are designed to support the development, implementation or expansion of the Lions Quest program. These grants provide funding to increase the number of schools, youth-serving organizations and Lions clubs involved in the program
- **Funds available for**
 - Train teachers and trainers
 - Translate curriculum and training materials
 - Print or purchase curriculum materials
 - Pay for a limited amount of administrative expenses
 - In India, in western, Northern & Eastern part of India we have our Lions Quest India Foundation which plays major role and handles all activities for promotion of Quest Program

8. District and Club Community Impact Grant Program (LCIF Grant)

- District Donating at least US \$ 10,000 to LCIF during last year may apply for grant up 15% of donated Amount
- Club Donating at least US \$ 5,000 to LCIF during last year may apply for grant up 15% of donated Amount
- US\$5,000 – \$9,999.99: Eligible for a 15% grant
- US\$10,000 – \$19,999.99: Eligible for a 20% grant
- US\$20,000 and above: Eligible for a 30% grant
- **No Matching Fund Required**

- **Funds available for :**
- Support humanitarian projects that enhance community welfare and showcase Lions' impact.
- Fund health initiatives, such as wellness programs.
- Develop community engagement activities that foster collaboration between Lions and local organizations.
- **Application Deadline :** 90 days prior to expected project start date.

9. Leo Service Grant Program (LCIF Grant)

- **With the support of Lions Clubs International Foundation, Leos can make a bigger impact in their communities**
- **Grant Amount :** US \$ 1,500 to US \$ 5,000
- **Funds available for :**
- Humanitarian Service Projects carried out by a Leo Club in a strong collaboration with Lions
- **Matching Fund Required :** 25% of Total budget cost
- The deadlines for Application : October 1, February 1, May 1



10. The Humanitarian Award Winners :

- The Lions Humanitarian Award is the highest honor of the association, given to individuals or organizations with exemplary humanitarian efforts
- **Grant Amount :** US \$ 500,000
- This grant given to them for continuing humanitarian activities





Membership Grant in Detail

- To recruit more members and to start new clubs the membership grant is available.
- **Funds available :**
- For ISAME : 25000 US dollar
- For multiple district 4500 US dollar & maximum 9000 US dollar
- For district 1500 US dollar and maximum 4500 US dollar.
- Multiple district / district achieves 100% of their first grant goal and submits all completed forms then they may apply for a new grant increment for maximum grant per lionistic year.
- **District grant goals :** have a minimum of 2 newly chartered clubs and 30 additional new members.
- **Multiple district grant goals :** have minimum of 4 new clubs and 100 additional new members.
- E-mail : membershipgrants@lionsclub.org
- **Note :** Each newly chartered club must contain 20 NEW charter members. The charter members and transfer members do not count toward the new member goal.
- Leo and Cub members/clubs do not count towards grant goals.
- **Membership Grant Requirements :**
- **1. Action plan :** The action plan should detail the specific type of activities, Grant administrator name, resources and tools that will be utilised to help charter new clubs and new members.
- **2. Budget :** 25% matching Grant is required
- **3. Allowed expenses**
- Facility rental
- Presentation/audio/ visual equipment
- Food and beverages (maximum 20% of total budget)
- Advertising, Publicity, Office supply, printing, xerox, postage
- Transportation and accommodation (maximum 20% of total budget)
- **4. Reimbursement :**
- Grant funds will only be reimbursed if a minimum of 50% of approved goals are met. All expenses, receipt , proof of payment



Membership Grant in Detail

must be produced in reimbursement form and final report must be submitted to membership division not later than 15th June of the same financial year.

- **5. Application Process**
- **Review & Approval :**
- First preliminary review done by membership development division and GAT specialist. After completing all requirements the application forwarded to membership development committee for final approval. After approval from membership development committee the project is entitled for grant.
- **First Check in :** The first scheduled check in comes 90 days after the Grant term start and for that Grant Administrator has to complete the progress report and submit to membership division.
- **Final Report :** Once the Grant is completed or on June 15 (whichever comes first) final report need to submit with all final expenses.

Our Global Causes



**CHILDHOOD
CANCER**



DIABETES



**DISASTER
RELIEF**



ENVIRONMENT



**HUMANITARIAN
EFFORTS**



HUNGER



VISION



YOUTH



Marketing Grant in Detail

- This grants provide funding for marketing efforts like advertising, social media, branding and PR to promote Lions International locally and globally.

	MD	Dist.	Region	Zone
• Maximum Grant (in Dollar)	15,000\$	5000	3000	1500
• 1st Payment	10,000	3,500	3000	1500
• 2nd Payment	5,000	1,500	-	-
• 10% Matching	1500	500	300	150

- Application starts 1st July.
- Last date of application 15 September
- Application review done in October by Marketing committee
- **Note:** extra consideration for programs that will be conducted by higher percentage of clubs within district.
- **For more information :** search PR@lionsclubs.org.Funds on lions website.

- **Examples of Marketing Grant Funding Expenditure**

- Brochure flyers for upcoming service project
- Hiring vendor/ agencies for PR ,marketing, advertising, digital
- purchase of branded giveaways for public marketing
- Marketing production cost printing shipping
- video /website production cost

- **Approval of grant**

After approval from marketing division 2 /3rd of the grant is received in first part and remaining 1/3 will be received after completion of post report and all marketing grant activities have conducted.

- **Deadline to use fund** is 30th June

unspent fund must return to lions international by July 15 following year.



Marketing Grant in Detail

- **Post report guideline :**

Time limit : 30 days of completion of project
15 July is last date.

- a) Project evaluation :**

Details of completed Grant Activities

- b) Project impact:**

Share all relevant data- new members joined ,new club formed, audience impressions, new articles secured, website /social media visit..

- c) Project Financial :**

Detail accounting record of spending, all received and paid invoice with spreadsheet, evidence of 10% matching fund

- d) Project Creative:**

Attachment Required:

- photos of event, printed flyers/ brochure, print media/ broadcast media pages, links/ screenshot of website /social media, placement proof of outdoor advertising
- **Criteria for Evaluating Marketing Grant:**
- **1. Market Reach:**
Large number percentage of non lion audience , journalist, media consumers (TV, News paper reader) social media ,website.
- **Note:** Service activity reach number will not be considered.
- **2. Brand Awareness :**
How prominently and frequently Lions international brand displayed during Grant activities. Advertisement, Videos, Promotional items, brochure.
Note : all branding should be incorporated with official brand colours, logos and emblem of lions international.
- **3. Growth:**
Marketing grant results into new member adding mission 1.5
- **4. Value:**
Grant funding requested must be appropriate with the Grant activities.
Note: quotation and budget estimates are required.

LCIF Grant Various Stages

- There are many stages for LCIF grants which are listed below
 1. Project development stage
 2. Application submission
 3. Post approval stage
 4. Project implementation
 5. Final report submission
 6. Promotion of Grant project.
- **1. PROJECT DEVELOPMENT STAGE**
- **A)** to start a service project there are so many helpful resources on lions website
 - service journey
 - club and community needs assessment
 - service launchpad
 - smart goal setting action plan
 - developing local partnership
 - fundraising guide
- **B)** explore different LCIF grants toolkit and find right grant for your club ,district and multiple district
- **C)** application must identify single beneficiary organisation
- **D)** Organise a project committee consist of lions with relevant project experience or outside experts having experts or experienced lions on committee rather than single project chairman can ensure smooth and successful project implementation
- **E)** Application must be submitted 90 days before LCIF board of trustees meeting.
 - The deadlines are February 1, May 1 and October 1 .
 - Disaster relief grants are exception.
- **F)** email address to submit the grant application for ISAME AREA (India South Asia middle East) is :
ISAMEGlobalGrants@lionsclubs.org
- **2. Application Submission Check List**
- Signature of current MCC , District Governor or Club President

LCIF Grant Various Stages

- Official meeting minutes of cabinet or Council that endorse grant project.
- Proforma invoice or quotation from manufacturer or vendor from where equipment/material will be purchased.
- In which basic company details, buyer (lions information) dates, description of items, quantity, price, charges must be included.
- MOU required for partner organisation or beneficiary organization.
- Budget with outline of all sources of income and expenses of project.
- Matching fund must provide by district multiple in form of cash. Donations will not qualify as local matching fund. Partner organisation can also contribute to local matching fund but at least 50% of fund must be secured or raised by applicant.
- Upon approval of grant multiple district or district must submit a bank statement showing 100% required local matching fund has been collected within 6 months
- Clearly mention which currency is used and the exchange rate of US dollars. At the time of disbursement prevailing exchange rate will be calculated.
- **Here budget sampling format is shown on the next page**



Sample Budget Scenario :

1. Project- renovate any Equip Soup kitchen.
2. Requested grant amount \$75000
3. Local matching fund required \$25000
4. Total project cost \$100000

Table of income & Expenses

Income					Expenditure			
No.	Source	Amount	Status	Notes	No.	Description	Amount	Explanation
1	LC Surat Khatodara	5000	Collected	Fund raising scheduled 12/2025	1	Refrigerator	10,000	2 set
2	LC Surat Khatodara	5000	Anticipated		2	Stove	2500	10 Burner Gas
3	LC Surat City Light	5000	Collected		3	Oven	2500	Std Oven
4	Chhayado Food Bank (Partner Organization)	10,000	Pledged		4	Food Preparation Table	6,000	3 set
5	LCIF	75,000	Collected		5	Dining Table & Chairs	15,000	10 table 50 chair
					6	Dish Washer	12,000	1 set
				7	Plumbing Repair	10,000	washing	
				8	Gasline Expenses	15,000	kitchen	
				9	Kitchen Platform	15,000	kitchen area	
				10	Flooring	12,000	dining Area	
	Total	1,00,000				Total	1,00,000	

LCIF Grant Various Stages

- **PLEASE KEEP IN MIND .**

- Involvement of one club or more than one club is required for LCIF grants. So accordingly go ahead.
- Answer all questions in application
- District / Multiple District can only have a maximum two matching grants in progress at any given time. Once an approved Grant is closed by submitting a satisfactory final report , A new Application can be submitted.
- Upon submission of application, specialist from the Global Grants Division , will email the applicant an assigned grant tracking number within 2 week
- The assigned SPECIALIST may contact the applicant for any missing information.
- Applicant fail to respond within 120 days their application may be withdrawn.
- After completion of application, it will be submitted for approval to LCIF board of trustees / LCIF Chairperson, they will review Grant application in January, May & August. The application can be approved to full amount or at a reduced amount or denied.

- **3. POST APPROVAL**

- After LCIF Grant is approved, AN LCIF GLOBAL GRANT SPECIALIST will send an email which contain the Grant Agreement, Disbursement Information, Final Report form and 10 tips how to effectively manage your LCIF Grant.
- **A) GRANT AGREEMENT.**
- This document is a contract between beneficiary club district multiple district and LCIF. It should be shared to partner organisation also.
- The Grant administrator is always District Governor or MCC
- The project chairperson must be a lion who handles daily operation and implementation of the project.
- This two person will not change throughout the life of the grant

LCIF Grant Various Stages

- The current treasurer is the mandatory signatory for the project account and should change year to year if project is multi year.
- **B) PROOF OF LOCAL MATCHING FUND**
- The local matching fund must be money that has been fund raised specifically for the project and must be shown in bank statement. The bank statement cannot be from partner organisation. The partner organisation can contribute at most 50% of the local match required.
- **C) BANKING INFORMATION**
- Any grant approved more than 20000 US \$ must established a project specific bank account in National Bank with three signatories the grant administrator, the project chairperson and current treasurer or district secretary. Out of 3 signatories, 2 must required for transaction. (Current treasurer, secretary is must).
- No cash withdrawal as payment. Requires original receipt from supplier, not just bank transfer.
- The Grant administrator and project chairperson cannot be family members
- LCIF will disburse the Grant fund upon receipt of the signed grant agreement and satisfaction of approved conditions.
- **4. PROJECT IMPLEMENTATION**
- During implementation of project ,no changes to approved expenses or plan of action are allowed without explicit approval from LCIF
- Unused funds should be returned to LCIF.
- The Grant money must be properly used and reported to LCIF
- If there is a grant compliance issues like Misuse of fund, Lack of Reporting, Issues With Partner, Time, No Progress, Conflict with Vendor or Management Committee, Misrepresentation of Project income and expenses, then this matter could be presented to Programs Committee during LCIF Board of Trustee Meeting.

LCIF Grant Various Stages

• 5. FINAL REPORT

- After completion of project, Final Report Form (Which is provided when Grant is approved) must be submitted to LCIF. It is responsibility of lions to provide Final Report that answers the questions in the forms like
- Number of Beneficiaries, Narrative on Operations, Financial Report
- Original Receipt, Invoices from Vendor
- Cabinet or Council Meeting Minutes noting the review and approval of the report before submission to LCIF
- Photos, Testimonials from Beneficiaries, Signature of Grant Administrator and Project Chairman, Bank Statements etc.
- Each grant has specific deadline to present final report
- Financial report must include a table with all listed expense, breakdown of each receipt and income sources
- Beneficiaries, the people that will benefit from the project and will be served after the completion of project must be calculated with Realistic Number
- LCIF recognition in a form of plaque ,signage, stickers with LCIF logo required for physical projects like construction or equipments
- Submit the final report to registered email.
- For ISAME : ISAMEGlobalGrants@ Lionsclubs. org

• 6.PROMOTION

- Completed Grant Reports with high resolution images ,videos and testimonials can be shared internationally in LCIF feature articles, blogs, other communications.
- Lions can see LCIF funded projects on lions portal :: LCIF : stories of pride.



Watch stories on :

<https://www.lionsclubs.org/en/blog/tell-your-story-magnify-your-impact>

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Regional Statistics

• **Hunger :**

(Statistics from India Food Banking)

- 14.5 % of the population is undernourished.
- 195.9 million people are hungry every day.
- 20.8 % of children under 5 are underweight.

• **Vision :**

(Statistics from Health Issues India)

- Over sixty million people in India are blind and with some form of vision impairment or the other.
- India is home to 20% of the world's visually impaired population.
- 75% of blindness cases are preventable.
- There are only an estimated 15,000 ophthalmologists in India and only 45,000 optometrists against a required 125,000.
- Indian women are 35% more likely to be blind than men.

• **Childhood Cancer :**

(Statistics from Cancer.org)

- 6.3% of cancer victims in India are between the ages of 0-14.
- Leukemia is the most common form of childhood cancer in India.
- The ethnic group Asian and Pacific Islander has experienced the most incidents of childhood cancer between the ages of 0-14.
- Only 60.4% of children in Southeast Asia have survived lymphoid leukemia.

• **Youth :**

(Statistics from Smile Foundation India)

- 40% of India's population is under 18.35 million children between the ages of 6-14 do not attend school.
- 1 out of every 6 girls does not live to see her 15th birthday.
- Over 50% of children are malnourished.

• **Humanitarian :**

(Statistics from The Borgen Project
& Insurance Information Institute)

- India has the highest population living below the poverty line.
- Less than 20% of rural Indians have access to clean water.
- 43% of world natural catastrophes occurred in Asia in 2018.
- India had the fourth most fatalities from natural catastrophes during 2018.

Our Partners

LCIF works with leading organizations and companies to amplify our service impact. Discover how our global partnerships make us stronger.



Changing lives since 1968

22,000+

LCIF grants awarded

**US\$167
million**

in disaster relief
support

**20+
million**

successful Lions
Quest students

**9.7
million**

cataract surgeries

Make a donation

- The Lions Clubs International Foundation India is only as strong as those who support it.
- Every donation made helps Lions in India provide greater service to those who need it the most. All Donations to LCIF India are exempt under Section 80G.
- No matter which way you choose to give, we're grateful for your kindness and support.
- Each donation is crucial to the LCIF India mission of global humanitarian service.
- For all donations, please check the website :
lcifindia@lionsclubs.org.

A WORLD IN NEED

2.2 billion

people have vision impairment or **blindness**¹

NEARLY

one-third of young teens worldwide have recently experienced **bullying**²

1 in 11

people has **diabetes**³

300,000

children aged 0-19 are diagnosed with **cancer** each year⁴

~1 in 9

people **lacks enough food** to be healthy and active⁵

10 million

hectares of **forest** are **destroyed** every year⁶

Weather-related disasters have grown more than

50%

over the last 40 years⁷

By 2025, **half** the world's population will live in **water-stressed areas**⁸

LIONS AND LCIF RESPOND

Devastation is experienced everywhere, every day. While many say the world's needs are too great to overcome, more than 1.4 million Lions globally say, "We Serve." With funding and expertise from Lions Clubs International Foundation (LCIF), Lions offer hope to a world in need.

Today, Lions and LCIF — the only foundation empowering Lions service on a global scale — continue a shared commitment to improve health and well-being, strengthen communities, and support those in need, locally and globally.

SOURCES: ^{1,3,4}World Health Organization; ^{2,6}United Nations; ⁵Food Aid Foundation

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**Charity Arm
Of Lions
International
Established in
1968**

**Get donation from the people and
that money again donated to society in form of grants**

Grants Given upto 2023

**World Grant
Amount**

**1.2 Billion Dollar
=
11,000 Crore**

**India Grant
Amount**

**120 Million Dollar
=
1100 Crore**

**No. of grants
Given in India**

2441

**Donation
Given by India**

**52 Million Dollar
=
450 crores**