

Novartis Healthcare Private Limited

CSR Projects: FY 2024-25

Sr. No	CSR initiative	Schedule VII category	Description of the project	Project category
HEALTHCARE				
1.	Non-communicable diseases intervention for screening, health access, and awareness (NC-DISHAA) 2.0 program	(i) Eradicating hunger, poverty, and malnutrition, ["promoting health care including preventive healthcare"] and sanitation.	Novartis Healthcare Private Limited will work with Americares India to conduct a multipronged behavior change communication intervention which includes one to one and group counseling sessions, monitoring of HbA1c levels for diabetes and lipid profile of hypertensive and/or high LDL patients and strengthening referral and support services in urban slums of Mumbai.	Ongoing project
2.	Rehabilitation of cancer survivors	(i) Eradicating hunger, poverty, and malnutrition, ["promoting health care including preventive healthcare"] and sanitation.	<p>Novartis Healthcare Private Limited will work with Nirmaan organization to economically empower cancer survivors in Hyderabad and Maharashtra through vocational training and livelihood support (job placement/ entrepreneurship development).</p> <p>The project offers survivors counselling and resources to enhance their skills and foster economic independence. By addressing the unique challenges faced by cancer survivors, the project not only facilitates their reintegration into the workforce but also promotes their holistic well-being, contributing to a more inclusive and resilient society.</p>	Ongoing project
ENVIRONMENT				
3.	Integrated watershed management program – Solakpally	(iv) Ensuring environmental sustainability, ecological balance, protection of flora and fauna, animal welfare, agroforestry, conservation of natural resources and maintaining quality of soil, air and water.	<p>Novartis Healthcare Private Limited will work with National Agro towards the watershed development project in Telangana which was initiated by Novartis India as part of our global mission to address towards achieving water neutrality by 2030.</p> <p>This project follows a 360° model of sustainability using a four-pronged approach which is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Fulfilling the needs of the community by increasing the water supply through building water resources like ponds, dams, and water tankers - Minimizing water demand by teaching farmers sustainable and efficient water utilization techniques. - Encouraging economic development through helping farmers maximize profits and providing microfinancing to women owned small businesses. - Focusing on community wellbeing through providing clean drinking water, toilets, handwashing stations and improving the school infrastructure 	Other than ongoing project

4.	Integrated watershed management program – Madhapur	(iv) Ensuring environmental sustainability, ecological balance, protection of flora and fauna, animal welfare, agroforestry, conservation of natural resources and maintaining quality of soil, air and water.	<p>Novartis Healthcare Private Limited will work with National Agro Foundation to efficiently manage the natural resources of the project area and improve socio-economic status of the community through initiatives like agriculture measures, livelihood support, income generation and capacity building.</p> <p>This project follows a 360° model of sustainability using a four-pronged approach as implemented in our watershed project at Solakpally.</p>	Other than ongoing project
5.	Integrated watershed management program – Narsapur, Medak	(iv) Ensuring environmental sustainability, ecological balance, protection of flora and fauna, animal welfare, agroforestry, conservation of natural resources and maintaining quality of soil, air and water.	<p>Novartis Healthcare Private Limited will work with National Agro Foundation to efficiently manage the natural resources of the project area and improve socio-economic status of the community through initiatives like agriculture measures, livelihood support, income generation and capacity building.</p> <p>This project follows a 360° model of sustainability using a four-pronged approach which is implemented in our watershed projects at Solakpally and Madhapur.</p>	Ongoing project
6.	Integrated watershed management program - Murbad	(iv) Ensuring environmental sustainability, ecological balance, protection of flora and fauna, animal welfare, agroforestry, conservation of natural resources and maintaining quality of soil, air and water.	<p>Novartis Healthcare Private Limited will work with National Agro Foundation to replicate our watershed project at Telangana in Murbad – Maharashtra. The baseline here is much lower and presents a greater challenge. The tribal community in this area has been underserved and underrepresented for generations.</p> <p>The project aims to efficiently manage the natural resources of the project area in Murbad and improve socio-economic status of the community through initiatives like agriculture measures, livelihood support, income generation and capacity building through our 360° model of sustainability.</p>	Ongoing project
MONITORING & EVALUATION				
7.	Monitoring & Evaluation	Not Applicable	SoulAce is the monitoring & evaluation partner for CSR projects for Novartis Healthcare Private Limited.	Ongoing

Project Category as defined under CSR Rules 2021:

Ongoing Projects - "Ongoing Project" means a multi-year project undertaken by a Company in fulfilment of its CSR obligation having timelines not exceeding three years excluding the financial year in which it was commenced.

Other than Ongoing Projects - Projects that are not multi-year projects undertaken by a Company in fulfilment of its CSR obligation.