PROGRESS REPORT ON ASSISTIVE DEVICES TO APRAZER HEALTH CARE PRIVATE LIMITED

Organisation **:** HelpAge India
Project **:** Assistive Devices Distribution – APRAZER
Programmes **:** Elderline DNH-DD & Elderline Gujarat
Reporting Period **:** September–October 2026

1. Introduction

During September and October 2026, HelpAge India, through Elderline DNH-DD and Elderline Gujarat, organised a total of 12 Assistive Devices Distribution Camps across Daman, Dadra and Nagar Haveli (Silvassa), Nargol and various locations in Gujarat.

These initiatives aimed to support needy senior citizens experiencing mobility difficulties, physical discomfort and other age-related challenges by providing essential assistive devices according to their individual requirements.

The primary objective of the programme was to improve mobility, promote independent living, enhance safety and comfort, and improve the overall quality of life of senior citizens.

The camps also focused on strengthening community engagement, coordination with government departments and local organisations, and creating awareness about the National Elder Helpline 14567.

2. Overall Programme Achievement

Sr. No.	Programme	September Camps	September Beneficiaries	October Camps	October Beneficiaries	Total Camps	Total Beneficiaries
1	Elderline DNH-DD	2	36	6	64	8	100
2	Elderline Gujarat	1	5	3	75	4	80
Total	**HelpAge India**	**3**	**41**	**9**	**139**	**12**	**180**

Overall Achievement at a Glance

- **Total distribution camps:** 12
- **Total senior citizen beneficiaries:** 180
- **Elderline DNH-DD beneficiaries:** 100
- **Elderline Gujarat beneficiaries:** 80
- **Reporting period:** September–October 2026

3. Consolidated Month-wise Distribution Summary

Sr. No.	Month	DNH-DD Camps	DNH-DD Beneficiaries	Gujarat Camps	Gujarat Beneficiaries	Combined Camps	Combined Beneficiaries
1	September 2026	2	36	1	5	3	41
2	October 2026	6	64	3	75	9	139
Total	**September–October 2026**	**8**	**100**	**4**	**80**	**12**	**180**

PART A: ELDERLINE DNH-DD

4. Programme Overview – DNH-DD

During September and October 2026, HelpAge India – Elderline DNH-DD organised eight Assistive Devices Distribution Camps across Daman, Silvassa and Nargol. Through these initiatives, a total of 100 needy senior citizens received assistive devices based on their individual requirements.

4.1 September 2026 – Camp-wise Distribution Details

Sr. No.	Date	Venue	Beneficiaries
1	17-09-2026	Mahila Bhavan, Nani Daman	30
2	19-09-2026	Gurudev Complex, Sayli Road, Silvassa	6
Total		**2 Camps**	**36**

Camp 1: Mahila Bhavan, Nani Daman

Date: 17 September 2026
Venue: Mahila Bhavan, Nani Daman
Beneficiaries: 30

An Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Mahila Bhavan, Nani Daman, on 17 September 2026. During the camp, assistive devices were distributed to 30 needy senior citizens based on their individual requirements. The programme was attended by Shri Vyomeshbhai, Nodal Officer, and Jayshreeben from the Social Welfare Department, Daman. Their participation strengthened coordination between HelpAge India and the Social Welfare Department for the welfare of senior citizens.





Camp 2: Gurudev Complex, Silvassa

Date: 19 September 2026
Time: 4:30 PM to 6:30 PM
Venue: Gurudev Complex, PEZ-3, Flat No. D-306, Sayli Road, Silvassa
Beneficiaries: 6

The second Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Gurudev Complex, Silvassa, on 19 September 2026. During the programme, assistive devices were distributed to six needy senior citizens according to their requirements. The initiative focused on addressing mobility difficulties and helping elderly beneficiaries carry out their daily activities with greater comfort and independence.

September Highlights – DNH-DD

- Two distribution camps were successfully organised.
- A total of 36 senior citizens benefited.
- Devices were provided according to individual requirements.
- Awareness about Elderline services and the toll-free helpline 14567 was promoted.





4.2 October 2026 – Camp-wise Distribution Details

During October 2026, six Assistive Devices Distribution Camps were organised across Daman, Silvassa and Nargol.

Sr. No.	Date	Venue	Location	Beneficiaries
1	01-10-2026	Machhi Mahajan Mandal	Nani Daman	27
2	03-10-2026	Koli Patel Samaj Wadi	Nani Daman	8
3	06-10-2026	Fatima School	Moti Daman	11
4	17-10-2026	Senior Citizen Garden	Silvassa	5
5	25-10-2026	Anubhuti Hall	Nargol	5
6	Date not provided	Red Cross Old Age Home	Moti Daman	8
Total		**6 Camps**		**64**

Camp 1: Machhi Mahajan Mandal, Nani Daman

Date: 1 October 2026
Beneficiaries: 27

On the occasion of the International Day of Older Persons, an Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Machhi Mahajan Mandal, Nani Daman. During the camp, assistive devices were distributed to 27 needy senior citizens according to their individual requirements. The programme was attended by Shri Vyomeshbhai, Nodal Officer, Social Welfare Department, Daman. His participation supported coordination between HelpAge India and the Social Welfare Department.





Camp 2: Koli Patel Samaj Wadi, Nani Daman

Date: 3 October 2026
Beneficiaries: 8

An Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Koli Patel Samaj Wadi, Nani Daman. Eight eligible senior citizens received assistive devices to address their mobility and age-related support needs. The programme also provided an opportunity to interact with senior citizens and create awareness about Elderline services.





Camp 3: Fatima School, Moti Daman

Date: 6 October 2026 (to be confirmed)
Beneficiaries: 11

An Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Fatima School, Moti Daman. During the programme, 11 needy senior citizens received assistive devices based on their individual requirements to support their mobility, physical comfort and daily living activities.



Camp 4: Senior Citizen Garden, Silvassa

Date: 17 October 2026
Beneficiaries: 5

An Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Senior Citizen Garden, Silvassa. Five needy senior citizens received assistive devices according to their requirements. The initiative aimed to improve their mobility, comfort and independence in daily activities.





Camp 5: Anubhuti Hall, Nargol

Date: 25 October 2026
Beneficiaries: 5

An Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Anubhuti Hall, Nargol. Assistive devices were distributed to five eligible senior citizens to support their mobility and improve their day-to-day quality of life. The programme also focused on promoting awareness about senior citizen welfare services and the Elderline 14567 helpline.





Camp 6: Red Cross Old Age Home, Moti Daman

Date: 31 October 2026
Beneficiaries: 8

An Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Red Cross Old Age Home, Moti Daman. During the programme, eight beneficiaries received assistive devices based on their individual requirements. The initiative aimed to support elderly residents in managing their daily activities with greater comfort, safety and independence.

October Highlights – DNH-DD

- Six distribution camps were conducted.
- A total of 64 senior citizens benefited.
- Camps covered Daman, Silvassa and Nargol.
- Assistive devices were distributed according to individual needs.
- Awareness about the National Elder Helpline 14567 was promoted.

PART B: ELDERLINE GUJARAT

5. Programme Overview – Gujarat

During September and October 2026, HelpAge India – Elderline Gujarat organised four Assistive Devices Distribution Camps across Gujarat, benefiting 80 needy senior citizens. The initiatives focused on providing essential assistive devices to senior citizens experiencing mobility difficulties, physical discomfort and other age-related challenges. The programmes also encouraged community participation, intergenerational engagement and awareness about senior citizen welfare services.

5.1 September 2026 – Camp-wise Distribution Details

Sr. No.	Date	Venue	Location	Beneficiaries
1	08-09-2026	Jeevan Sandhya Old Age Home & V. Sachde Physiotherapy Centre	Ahmedabad	5
Total		**1 Camp**		**5**

Camp: Jeevan Sandhya Old Age Home, Ahmedabad

Date: 8 September 2026
Occasion: World Physiotherapy Day
Beneficiaries receiving devices: 5
Total programme participants: 145
Senior citizen participants: 130

An Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Jeevan Sandhya Old Age Home and V. Sachde Physiotherapy Centre, Ahmedabad, on 8 September 2026, on the occasion of World Physiotherapy Day. During the camp, assistive devices were distributed to five needy beneficiaries to address their individual mobility and healthcare support needs. On the occasion of World Physiotherapy Day and during the ongoing Suicide Prevention Week, Elderline Gujarat also collaborated with the Jeevan Aastha Helpline, Gujarat Police, to conduct an awareness session focusing on the physical and mental health of senior citizens. A total of 145 participants, including 130 senior citizens, attended the programme and benefited from the awareness and outreach activities.

September Highlights – Gujarat

- One distribution camp was organised in Ahmedabad.
- Five beneficiaries received assistive devices.
- A total of 145 participants attended the programme, including 130 senior citizens.
- Awareness about physical and mental health among senior citizens was promoted.

5.2 October 2026 – Camp-wise Distribution Details

During October 2026, three Assistive Devices Distribution Camps were organised across Gujarat.

Sr. No.	Date	Venue	Location	Beneficiaries
1	01-10-2026	Shree Kutchhi Jain Seva Samaj, Paldi	Ahmedabad	20
2	05-10-2026	Avval Foundation Old Age Home	Ahmedabad	26
3	19-10-2026	Aman Charitable Trust – Aapnu Ghar Vruddhashram	Jamnagar	29
Total		**3 Camps**		**75**

Camp 1: Shree Kutchhi Jain Seva Samaj, Paldi, Ahmedabad

Date: 1 October 2026
Beneficiaries: 20

On the occasion of the International Day of Older Persons, an Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Shree Kutchhi Jain Seva Samaj, Paldi, Ahmedabad. During the camp, assistive devices were distributed to 20 needy senior citizens according to their individual requirements. The programme was attended by Shri Vivian Christian, SDO and Nodal Officer, Social Welfare Department, Ahmedabad. His participation helped strengthen coordination between HelpAge India and the Social Welfare Department.





Camp 2: Avval Foundation Old Age Home, Ahmedabad

Date: 5 October 2026
Beneficiaries: 26
Collaboration: SAVE and LML School

An Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Avval Foundation Old Age Home in collaboration with SAVE, involving students from LML School. During the programme, assistive devices were distributed to 26 eligible senior citizens to address their mobility and age-related support needs. The programme also provided an opportunity for interaction between the younger generation and senior citizens, encouraging intergenerational engagement and awareness about Elderline services.

Camp 3: Aman Charitable Trust – Aapnu Ghar Vruddhashram, Jamnagar

Date: 19 October 2026
Beneficiaries: 29
Collaboration: SAVE and Modi Group of Schools

An Assistive Devices Distribution Camp was organised at Aman Charitable Trust – Aapnu Ghar Vruddhashram, Jamnagar, in collaboration with SAVE, involving students from Modi Group of Schools. During the programme, assistive devices were distributed to 29 eligible senior citizens according to their individual requirements. The initiative encouraged interaction between students and elderly residents while promoting awareness about senior citizen welfare and Elderline services.









October Highlights – Gujarat

- Three distribution camps were successfully organised.
- A total of 75 senior citizens benefited.
- Collaboration with NGOs, old age homes and educational institutions was strengthened.
- Intergenerational interaction and awareness about Elderline services were promoted.

PART C: CONSOLIDATED PROGRAMME INFORMATION

6. Types of Assistive Devices Distributed

Across both Elderline programmes, various assistive devices were provided to needy senior citizens based on their individual requirements.

The devices included:

Sr. No.	Assistive Device	Purpose
1	Knee Caps	Knee support and comfort
2	Elbow Braces / Elbow Crutches	Elbow support and mobility assistance
3	Ankle Tubular Supports	Ankle support
4	Electric Belts / Electric Heating Pads	Physical comfort and heating support
5	Lumbar Belts	Lower back support
6	Wheelchairs	Mobility assistance
7	Walking Sticks	Walking support and balance
8	Walkers	Additional walking stability
9	Hot Water Bags	Heat therapy and comfort
10	Adult Diapers	Personal care support
11	Other Essential Devices	As per individual requirements

7. Consolidated Geographic Coverage

Programme / Location	Camps	Beneficiaries
Daman (including Moti Daman)	5	84
Silvassa	2	11
Nargol	1	5
Ahmedabad	3	51
Jamnagar	1	29
Grand Total	**12**	**180**

8. Key Outcomes and Achievements

The combined Assistive Devices Distribution Programme achieved the following results during September and October 2026:

1. Successfully organised 12 Assistive Devices Distribution Camps under Elderline DNH-DD and Elderline Gujarat.
2. Reached a total of 180 needy senior citizens across the programme locations.
3. Provided essential assistive devices according to individual requirements.
4. Supported elderly people experiencing mobility difficulties and age-related challenges.

5. Promoted independent living, safety, comfort and dignity among senior citizens.
6. Strengthened coordination with government departments, senior citizen groups, NGOs, old age homes and educational institutions.
7. Encouraged intergenerational interaction and community participation.
8. Created awareness about the National Elder Helpline 14567 and its support services.

9. Conclusion

The Assistive Devices Distribution Programme conducted during September and October 2026 successfully benefited 180 senior citizens through 12 distribution camps organised under HelpAge India – Elderline DNH-DD and Elderline Gujarat. These initiatives reflect HelpAge India's continued commitment to improving the quality of life of elderly people by providing essential assistive devices and addressing their mobility, physical support and daily living needs. Through coordinated efforts with government departments, community organisations, NGOs, educational institutions and other stakeholders, the programmes contributed towards promoting independent living, safety, comfort and dignity among senior citizens. Furthermore, the camps strengthened community engagement and awareness about the National Elder Helpline 14567, encouraging senior citizens to access available support services and assistance.

HelpAge India remains committed to supporting senior citizens and ensuring that they can live with dignity, independence and an improved quality of life.

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