

ABC Impact Commits INR 150 Crore to DCDC Health Services to expand access to Life-Saving Renal Care in India

New Delhi, India – DCDC Health Services Pvt. Ltd. (DCDC), which operates dialysis centers under the DCDC Kidney Care brand, has secured a significant investment of INR 150 crore from Singapore-based ABC Impact, the Asia-focused impact investor backed by Temasek.

Founded in 2009, DCDC operates more than 200 centers across India and is one of the foremost operators of dialysis clinics, both under public-private partnerships (PPP) and company-owned standalone clinics.

The investment from ABC Impact will support DCDC's expansion plans, facilitating the rollout of over 150 new clinics across the country in the coming months. On average, patients in India must travel up to 50 kilometres to access a dialysis center. This expansion will help address the growing need for accessible, affordable dialysis services for those with ESRD inline with the Ayushman Bharat Yojna.

It is estimated that over 1.5 million people in India are living with end-stage renal disease and require dialysis three times a week. However, many face barriers to access due to high treatment costs, a lack of available facilities, and inconsistent quality of care. These challenges disproportionately affect low-income families, who often struggle to afford the cost of treatment or are forced to stop treatment altogether.

Aseem Garg, Founder and CEO of DCDC, said, "This investment from ABC Impact will help enhance our efforts to transform kidney care in India. With this investment, we plan to expand our network of company-owned centers, ensuring last-mile connectivity and making high-quality dialysis care accessible closer to patients' homes. We also plan to address this challenge and extend our solutions to countries beyond India"

Sugandhi Matta, Chief Impact Officer, ABC Impact, said, "With the growing burden of kidney disease in India, increasing access to quality dialysis is both a healthcare and economic necessity. DCDC's proven model of expanding affordable dialysis services aligns with our commitment to improving healthcare outcomes while ensuring long-term sustainability. By supporting DCDC's growth, we aim to help more patients receive life-saving treatment closer to home, reducing the financial and logistical barriers they currently face."

DCDC counts IFU, a Danish government owned investment fund and ADB (Asian Development Bank) among its existing shareholders. IFU's investment is made through the Danish SDG Investment Fund, which is backed by the Danish State, large Danish pension funds and other private and institutional investors.

"Since our investment in 2021, DCDC has significantly expanded its operations and now delivers nearly 100,000 dialysis sessions per month, primarily through public-private partnerships (PPP) aimed at serving the economically weaker sections of India. We are thrilled to welcome ABC IMPACT as a partner in advancing this mission," said **Rohit Goyal, Vice President at IFU**.

“Since the start of our partnership with DCDC in 2018, the company has expanded access to dialysis care across India—operating 200 centers, delivering over 975,000 sessions in 2024 alone, serving more than 20,000 patients annually, and building a workforce with over 30% women,” said **ADB Director General for Private Sector Operations Suzanne Gaboury**. “We are pleased to welcome ABC Impact as a valuable co-investor, whose support will help further accelerate DCDC’s expansion.”

About DCDC Health Services Pvt. Ltd. (DCDC)

DCDC is a leading operator of dialysis clinics through public-private partnership (PPP) arrangements with state governments, providing treatment to economically disadvantaged populations. Currently, DCDC operates over 200 clinics nationwide, including PPP clinics, Standalone clinics, and clinics within private hospitals. A pioneer in delivering quality dialysis care, DCDC is the first organization in India to have NABH-accredited standalone and PPP dialysis centers.

About ABC Impact

ABC Impact is a Pan-Asia impact investment firm focused on driving sustainable growth and delivering measurable social and environmental impact. With over USD 900 million in assets under management across two funds, the firm employs a disciplined, thematic investment strategy to identify and scale high-potential businesses addressing Asia’s most critical environmental and social challenges. Its investment focus spans climate and water solutions, financial and digital inclusion, healthcare and education, as well as sustainable food and agriculture.

Backed by Temasek Trust, Temasek, and other leading institutional investors, ABC Impact partners with mission-driven management teams to create long-term value through commercially scalable solutions that generate strong financial returns while delivering measurable impact. The firm takes an evidence-based approach to investing, guided by a rigorous impact measurement and management framework to ensure accountability and effectiveness. As a signatory of the Principles for Responsible Investment (PRI) and the Operating Principles for Impact Management (OPIM), ABC Impact is committed to mobilizing private capital to accelerate Asia’s transition to a more sustainable and inclusive future.

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