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St. Jude offers quality care to children battling cancer

Guwahati, Nov 23: We have two centres in East of India. St. Jude India ChildCare Centres (St. accommodation and holistic support to these chil-



Guwahati, each housing 12 families free-of-cost. Children being treated at Dr. B Borooah Cancer Institute, Guwahati, stay at these centres. The Guwahati centres provide care for families who come for treatment from Assam, Manipur and other parts of the North

Judes) provides a 'home away from home' for children undergoing cancer treatment. These children, accompanied by their parents, come from small villages and distant towns where medical treatment for cancer is not available. St. Jude provides free-of-cost

children to improve their chances of surviving cancer and leading a full, healthy, happy life. Founded in 2006 by Shyama and Nihal Kaviratne, and a dedicated group of volunteers, St. Jude works alongside Tata Memorial Hospital, AIIMS,

New Delhi, Tata Medical Centre, Kolkata, Dr. B Borooah Cancer Institute in Guwahati and various cancer hospitals in nine cities across India. We offer every family individual family units which are provided with all that they would need during their stay. Each centre has a common community space or learning area and shared ablution facilities, a common kitchen and a dining area. Each family has their own cooking stove in the kitchen and provisions for cooking are supplied every week. St. Jude currently has 40 Centres with 500 family units in nine cities: Mumbai, Kolkata, Hyderabad, Jaipur, Chennai, Vellore, Guwahati, Delhi, and Varanasi. Do visit our website: <http://www.stjudechild.org>. Thank you