

PIONEERING STEPS BY THALASSEMICS INDIA

FROM 1992

- 1st Thalassemia Centre "**Preeti Tuli Thalassemia Unit**" opened at Sir Ganga Ram Hospital in 1993
- First one to import and distribute filters, pumps and needles to patients/parents at subsidized rates since 1988
- 1st NGO from India to be on the Board of Thalassemia International Federation. (Cyprus) 1995
- First one to hold Thalassemia clinics in the city of Delhi by inviting international experts. in 2005.
- First one to sensitize doctors and parents about Hepatitis C by holding talks and workshops in Delhi.
- 1st NGO to receive tax exemption from Govt. of India on Desferal Injections.
- Held the First-ever International Conference on Thalassemia in New Delhi in 1996
- First one in holding Thalassemia Conferences regionally: Thalasseemics India helped organize the 1st and 2nd Thalassemia conferences in 2002 2004 respectively in Kolkata, the 1st Thalassemia workshop in Pune and the 1st Thalassemia Conference in Ahmedabad.in 2007.