Service Delivery Programmes & Projects:

Completed projects

GPR ICARE projects as part of the service delivery are broadly categorised into:

- Initiatives for Children
- Empowering Rural Communities
- Diabetic Retinopathy Projects
- Operations Research studies

Initiatives for Children

- Providing comprehensive children’s eye care services to a million population in Krishna District (Andhra Pradesh), India
- Children Eye Health initiatives in the 30 primary eye care areas of L V Prasad Eye Institute (LVPEI) in the State of Telangana (supported by Lavelle Fund for the Blind Inc.)
- Project Drushti – Rayagada Child Sight Program
- Child to Child and Child to Family communication as a strategy to improve awareness and uptake of eye care services
- Diabetes Prevention Program through Child to Family communication for change in lifestyle and health promotion in Prakasam District
- Paediatric Ophthalmology Learning and Training Centre (POLTC)

Empowering Rural Communities

- Sunetra – Hospital-Based Community Eye Health Program (HBCEH)
- Disability Inclusive Community Eye Care Program (DICEC)
- Community Linkage for Integration of Primary Health (CLIP)
- Essilor-LVPEI Mobile Refraction Screening Program
- Community Assisted and Financed Eyecare (CAFÉ)
- Providing Eyecare through Empowering People (PEEP)
- Photovoice - the tool used to encourage participative action
- Comprehensive eye health program in Prakasam District
- CLIP (Community Linked Initiative Project)
Diabetic Retinopathy Projects

- Capacity building program for the management of Diabetic Retinopathy in the state of Andhra Pradesh
- Capacity Building Program to address Diabetes and Diabetic Retinopathy in Prakasam District
- Alcon – LVPEI Diabetic Retinopathy Screening at Primary Eyecare in Rural India
- Integration of general health and eye screening at the vision centre

Operations Research studies

- Impact of Cataract surgery on quality of life – a Qualitative Study
- Impact Assessment Study after refraction error correction among school-going children
- Universal Spectacles (U-Specs)
- Barriers to uptake of referral services within LVPEI Pyramid: A study at Navabharat Eye Centre, Paloncha, Khammam District, AP