

**MOU on Social Impact Assessment of Prosthetics & Orthotics programs of Shree Bhagwan Mahaveer
Viklang Sahayata Samiti, Jaipur**

Bhagwan Mahaveer Viklang Sahayata Samiti (BMVSS), Jaipur, is a registered Society under the Rajasthan Societies Registration Act 261/1974-75. The main objective of BMVSS is to provide mobility and dignity to the handicapped. BMVSS provides artificial limbs, calipers, wheelchairs, hand paddled tricycles, crutches and other aids and appliances to the disabled people and it has already rehabilitated about 2 million Persons with Disability (PwDs). BMVSS provides all its services totally FREE OF COST to the Persons with Disabilities. It has been given Special Consultative Status with the Economic & Social Council of the United Nations Organization

BMVSS wants to uncover the truth about what happened to the beneficiaries who received the artificial limbs, calipers, and all other rehabilitation aids in terms of their physical, financial, and social well beings. The BMVSS wants a social impact assessment on the life of the beneficiaries who have started their second life with an artificial limb.

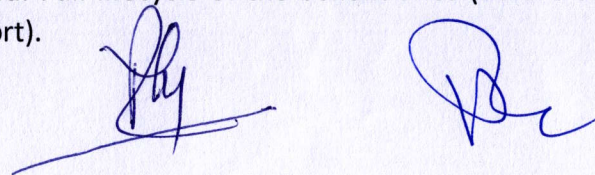
The IIHMR University, Jaipur and BCT (Bhoruka Charitable Trust) jointly offers to participate as an independent organization to carry out the social impact assessment of the Bhagwan Mahaveer Viklang Sahayata Samiti (BMVSS) services to the poor disabled who remain deprived of limbs, aids, and appliances under the unaffordable health care system. The IIHMR University's research team has the experience and can organize the social impact evaluation of BMVSS programs with quality and expectations. The total cost in carrying out this social impact assessment would be approx. Rs 342500/-.

Objectives of the study

The basic objectives of the social impact assessments of BMVSS are to understand the Social Impact of the BMVSS's programme in terms of social change and impact or consequences (positive and negative, intended, and unintended) arising from projects, plans, policies, and developments.

The social impact evaluation of the BMVSS program will focus on the following specific objectives:

1. Lifecycle-focused: Full lifecycle of the beneficiaries (Before and after receiving the artificial limbs/other support).



2. Livelihoods- Involvement in the livelihood activities to self-sufficient/support the family and society after getting benefits from BMVSS program.

3. Way of life – The status of BMVSS program beneficiaries on their lives, work, play, and interaction with the other members of the community.

4. Community acceptance – Community and family acceptance: its cohesion, stability, social stigma. character, services, and facilities.

5. Political systems – Participation in making decisions for their lives, involvement in the democratic process, and support received.

6. Health and well-being – Activities take care of their physical, mental, social, and spiritual well-being.

The Social Impact Assessments (SIA) will not only evaluate the social issues of the beneficiaries but also review the environmental impacts and their interactions in the life of disabled persons after having artificial limbs. It will include looking at how these people live in a society (kinship or nuclear setting), culture, community, medical knowledge, and political systems with government legislation and policies that are related to the disabled.

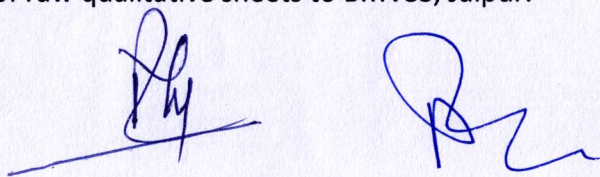
Scope of Study

The IIHMR University will be responsible for executing both quantitative & qualitative data collection, analysis, and report preparation under the social impact assessments of the BMVSS project within the time limit. The University will also support Bhagwan Mahaveer Viklang Sahayata Samiti (BMVSS) to disseminate the study findings on the appropriate platform if necessary.

Responsibility of IIHMR University

The IIHMR University will be responsible for the following important activities under the assessment:

- Submission of necessary documentation and tools to IRB prior to initiation of the survey & obtaining ethical clearance from IRB.
- Recruitment and training of study team followed by preparation of field work plan.
- Preparation of data analysis plan, analysis, and presentation of data.
- Analysis of the qualitative and quantitative information.
- Submission of the draft and final report, incorporating feedback (if any) from BMVSS, Jaipur.
- Handing-over of raw qualitative sheets to BMVSS, Jaipur.



Responsibility of BMVSS

- To provide relevant data, information, annual report, and other documents as per the need of the assessment.
- To facilitate study team to carry out the study

Printing of the report will be mutually decided by the President, IIHMR University and BMVSS. The cost may be born by the IIHMR University.

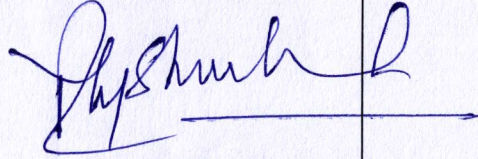
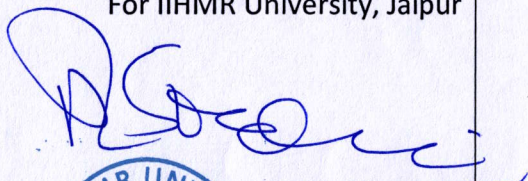
Duration of the Study: 3 months (Sep to Dec 2022)

Terms of Payment

To support the noble cause and with an intention that BMVSS is able to effectively undertake the cause, 50% of the total cost i.e. Rs 1,71,250/- shall be given to IIHMR University, Jaipur by Boruka Charitable Trust as a philanthropy activity. GST would be additional. For the sake of convenience of accounting and effective fund management the said grant shall be issued after completion of the complete project and submission of final report and project completion certificate.

It is agreed that contributor of the grant is not the beneficiary and shall not have any vested or other benefits from the given construction. However, the effective utilization of grant shall be responsibility of IIHMR University.

The parties are signing this agreement on the date stated in the introductory clause.

For Boruka Charitable Trust	For IIHMR University, Jaipur
	
(R S Shekhawat) Chief Executive Officer	(Dr. P R Sodani) President

