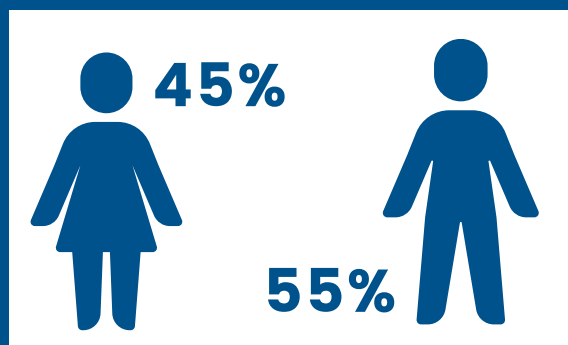
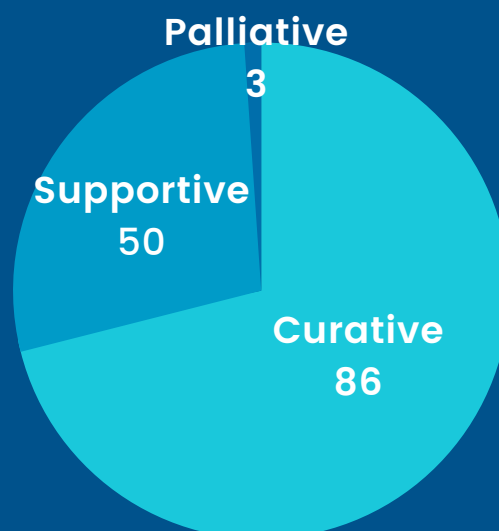


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Levin with his Father

Levin* is a 5-year-old boy who came to CMC from Telangana. His Father is a pastor, his mother is a homemaker and he has a cute baby sister

Levin was born with a congenital disorder known as clubfoot. As a 7-month-old baby, he had surgery but it did not help correcting his feet. Levin could not walk. He would often fall and hurt himself as his balance was poor. His parents desperately wanted him to walk – but they were unable to get appropriate treatment locally.

After encouragement from friends, they decided to bring Levin to CMC Vellore. They were relieved when the Paediatric Orthopaedics team assured them of help. A corrective surgery was done. The little boy has his feet in plaster casts from his toes to above his knees for a duration of 6 weeks following surgery which has made his feet plantigrade to walk normally. He is recovering well but still in pain.

His family know that this is just the beginning. Levin will miss school for a few months. He will need regular physiotherapy to learn to walk with his feet in a corrected position. CMC's charitable funds subsidized the cost of Levin's surgery. His parents are extremely hopeful that their little boy will be able to walk independently soon.

Thank you for your thoughtful giving!

**patient details shared with consent & name changed to protect their privacy*