

HANDOVER CEREMONY OF PALLIATIVE CARE HOME VISIT VAN 25 JUNE 2026 BAPTIST CHRISTIAN HOSPITAL, TEZPUR

The Palliative Care Department of Baptist Christian Hospital, Tezpur, is honoured to celebrate the handover of a dedicated home care vehicle generously donated by the Rotary Club of Greater Tezpur. This occasion is especially significant as it marks the second vehicle donated by the Rotary Club of Greater Tezpur in support of the hospital's palliative care services, reaffirming their longstanding commitment to compassionate healthcare and community service.

Over the past few years, the demand for home-based palliative care has grown remarkably. The geographical area covered by the home care team has more than doubled, extending to over 100 villages across Sonitpur district and neighbouring regions. As more patients choose to receive care in the comfort of their homes, the need for an additional vehicle has become essential. This second van will enable the team to expand its reach, improve efficiency, reduce travel constraints, and ensure that patients receive timely, regular, and compassionate care regardless of where they live



The vehicle will support the multidisciplinary palliative care team in providing pain and symptom management, nursing care, medical consultations, counselling, and psychosocial support to patients with life-limiting illnesses and their families. For many who are unable to travel to the hospital, these home visits are a lifeline, bringing comfort, dignity, and hope directly to their doorstep.

This generous contribution is more than the donation of a vehicle—it is an investment in compassionate care and in the well-being of some of the most vulnerable members of our community. It reflects the shared vision of Baptist Christian Hospital and the Rotary Club of Greater Tezpur to ensure that no patient is deprived of quality palliative care because of distance or limited access to healthcare.

The programme includes the formal handover of the vehicle, addresses by representatives of the Rotary Club of Greater Tezpur and Baptist Christian Hospital, recognition of the dedicated frontline palliative care team, and a celebration of a partnership that continues to transform lives through service and compassion. Baptist Christian Hospital expresses its heartfelt gratitude to the Rotary Club of Greater Tezpur for their unwavering generosity and friendship. As this second home care van begins its journey, it will carry not only healthcare professionals and medical supplies, but also compassion, comfort, and hope to hundreds of patients and families across the region for many years to come

