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## AGEWELL FOUNDATION - AT A GLANCE

*Agewell Foundation is an initiative for the welfare and empowerment of older persons across the country since 1999.*

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- Accredited with the United Nations Department of Public Information (**UN-DPI-NGO**) as an **associate NGO**
- **Chairman, Working Group on Awareness and Capacity Building for Senior Citizens, Ministry of Social Justice & Empowerment, Govt. of India**
- **Member, Sub-Group on Elderly Care**, under NITI Aayog's CSOs Standing Committee, GoI
- Member, **Committee of Experts on "impact of COVID-19 pandemic on human rights and future response"**, National Human Rights Commission
- **Member, Working Group on Older Persons, National Human Rights Commission**
- **Panelist, 64th session of the Commission for Social Development (CSocD64)**, February 2026, UN HQ
- **Panelist, First Organisational Meeting of the Intergovernmental Working Group to Draft a Legally Binding Instrument**, February, 2026, **Genewa, Switzerland**
- **Speaker, World Social Summit** (2<sup>nd</sup> World Summit for Social Development), Nov. 2025, Doha, Qatar
- Participated in Several **United Nations Conferences**, including Working Sessions of the **Open-Ended Working Group on Ageing** with various capacities like **Panelist** etc.
- Participated as a **Speaker** at the **Subregional Conference: Gender Equality and Social Inclusion in South Asia: Reflections and Way Forward for ADB**, October 2022 – **Paro, Bhutan**
- Member, Working group on Reforming the Social Deviants and Caring the Other Disadvantaged, for XII<sup>th</sup>, XI<sup>th</sup> & X<sup>th</sup> Five-year-plan, Planning Commission (Now NITI Aayog)
- Set up a Consortium of over **1500 NGOs** and a Two-tier national voluntary network - **7500 primary & 80000 secondary volunteers** spread across **768 districts** of India
- **Sabera Not-for-Profit of the Year Award 2023** and **Mahatma Award for Social Good & Impact, 2022**

### Agewell Foundation's Major Initiatives

- Agewell **Helplines** for Older Persons since 1999 – **Helped over 8.25 million+ older persons** so far
- Agewell **Research & Advocacy** Centre for Needs & Rights of Older Persons – **Conducted 55 National Surveys** on issues concerning old people, organized a **Series of symposia** on their Needs & Rights
- Distribution of **Healthcare Equipment** (Wheelchairs, Walkers, Adult Diapers, etc.) to destitute elderly– **55000+ Wheelchairs, 1.96 million+ Adult Diapers, 306000+ Walkers, 5500+ Folding Cots**, distributed
- Distribution of **Food Ration Packets** to poor elderly living in slums – Over **117000 monthly food packets** distributed among destitute old people since the year 2020
- Distribution of **20000+ Nutri Kits, 19000+ Wellness Kits and 14000+ Gift Packs** among destitute elderly
- **Digital Literacy** Program for Older Persons – **Over 466000 older persons have benefited** so far
- **Share the Warmth** Campaign during winters – Collection and distribution of **39 lakh+ pcs** among the destitute and elderly since the year 2010
- **Employment Exchange** for Older Persons – **142500+ retired elderly assisted** over the years

### Major Supporters over the years

SMBC, Adobe, Ratan Tata Endowment Foundation, Google, Mercer Consulting, Oracle, Microsoft, ITC, Honasa Consumer Ltd., ONGC, Indian Oil Corporation, Engineers India Ltd., GAIL India, ITPO, Azim Premji Foundation, Abhay Dan (Trust), Tower Vision, KPMG, Kantar, Oiles India, Canara HSBC OBC Life Insurance, Squalor to Scholar USA, Center for Curiosity USA, Nobel Hygiene, Vijay Sales, FC TecNrgy, SingleStore, etc.

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