

Japan Chamber of Commerce and Industry in India (JCCII)

Efforts by **Japan Chamber of Commerce and Industry in India (JCCII)** member companies in response to the rapid spread of the COVID-19 in India

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As the rapid spread of the COVID-19 infection in India continues, it causes a tightening of the medical system and shortage of oxygen supply. JCCII member companies in India contribute to India's efforts to fight against the COVID-19 pandemic by increasing the supply of medical oxygen, setting up new care centres, etc. We will continue to support India based on the strong friendship between Japan and India. Air Water India Limited, a Japanese industrial gas company, is supplying 260 tonnes of liquid oxygen per day from their plants in eastern and southern India.

<https://www.awi.co.jp/english/>

Maruti Suzuki and Suzuki Motor Gujarat shut down their factories in Haryana to make oxygen available for medical needs and have donated oxygen cylinders to local governments. Also, they have set up around 20 beds for COVID patients in a multispecialty hospital, which they have recently established in Sitapur, Gujarat.

<https://www.marutisuzuki.com/corporate/media/press-releases/2021/april/maruti-suzuki-willshut-down-its-factories-in-haryana-to-make-oxygen-available>

ArcelorMittal Nippon Steel India (AM/NS India) is supplying 210-220 tonnes of liquid oxygen per day to medical facilities in Gujarat in partnership with INOX Air Products. Also, they have set up a 250 bed COVID care hospital at Hazira in alliance with local governments. This facility will be scaled up to a 1000-bed centre in the near future.

https://www.amns.in/media_amns_website/news/2021/AMNS_India_sets_up_a_1000-bed_COVID_hospital_with_uninterrupted_oxygen_supply__OnbzhW