

# AN APPEAL FOR HELP TO SAVE TWO YOUNG LIVES



## Nahid Jahan Lina

**A young mother of 5 years old daughter living in Dhaka, needs financial help to continue her Cancer treatment.**

### About Lina

A Journalist by profession. Worked in NTV, ETV, ATN Bangla, and CSB News as News Co-ordinator. Last February, she quit her job.

### A brief history about her disease

First, diagnosed with breast cancer in October 2009. After a successful surgery, went through a course of Chemotherapy and Radiotherapy.

In October 2010, when everything seemed to be normal, the disease clawed back in her leg bones. The treatment started again.

From August 2011, she started taking Oral Chemotherapy (Xeloda 500mg) and Antibody ( Herceptin) on a regular basis as per the advice of her Consultant Medical Oncologist. The doctor advised her to continue the same treatment for at least another six months.

### Her Need

Now, she needs A\$2000 per month on a regular basis for next 6 months to buy the life saving Antibody dose of **Herceptin**.

Already, she has taken 10 cycle of Chemo and 16 cycle of Herceptin.. The doctor is very satisfied with her progress so far. Already, she has spent Taka 32 Lakhs in last 3 years. It's beyond her means to continue the treatment any further..

### Appeal

**A small donation of \$20 per month for next 6 months by 100 generous people can provide her the needed fund to continue the treatment to save her life.**

**One can donate from one's Zakat money also, as she is willing to accept it.**

### How to Donate

Please send your donation to :

#### **In Bangladesh**

Nahid Jahan

Standard Chartered Bank AC no: 18341104401

SWIFT Code: SCBLBDDX

#### **In Australia**

Account Name : Rukhsana Tarannum Tajin

BSB 062831 Account No. 10327883

Commonwealth Bank of Australia

#### **For details :**

Dr. Abdul Haq : 0425 260 239  
Rukhsana Tajin : 0432 163 165  
Nahid Jahan Lina : 88 01919999101



## Rahul Baidya

**A very young boy of 20 Years living in Kogarah, Sydney suffering from Blood Cancer (Acute Lymphoblastic Leukaemia)**

### About Rahul

Came to Australia in March 2010 as an International Student.

Studied Diploma of Accounting in Ultimo TAFE for just 1 Term.

Diagnosed with blood cancer just before the final exam

### A brief history about his disease

Diagnosed in September 2010.

Since diagnosis, a patient with Kogarah Hospital.

Undertaking Chemo Therapy (Tablet) every day.

Need Blood Transfusion around twice a month or as required.

Undertaking Diabetic Insulin as required.

### Current Status

**Currently on Medical Treatment Visa, Subclass – 685,**

**Valid till- 15 August 2012.**

**Applied for Bridging A (Subclass 010), 866 Protection Visa.**

**Still in the process.**

Health Insurance with Medibank Private

Category : "Top 85 Visitors Insurance"

Date of Expiry : July 2012.

Renewal depends on his visa.status at the time.

Annual premium cost would be between \$7000 and \$10000

**While Inpatient** : Treatment cost covered by Medibank

**While outpatient**: Treatment cost partly reimbursed by Medibank

**He has no earnings from any source.**

### Immediate need

Outstanding bills : around \$10,000 .

Insurance Renewal in July : another \$10,000

### Regular need

Outpatient treatment cost : \$1000 to \$2000 per month (it varies)

+ House Rent and Food

Currently sharing an unit with another person in Kogarah.

### Appeal

**Please donate generously so that he can have \$2000 in his bank account every month for his treatment.**

**A small donation of \$20 per month by 100 generous people can save his life**

### How to Donate

**Pl. make donations to the following account:**

Account Name: Rahul Baidya

BSB: 062006, Account No. 11231381.

Commonwealth Bank of Australia

#### **For details :**

Nirmal Chowdhury : 0404 040 163  
Dr. Abdul Haq : 0425 260 239  
Rahul Baidya : 0416 462 005