Team RespirAid wins CAMTech-X Demo Day Grand Prize for 10 Lakh rupees and six months of acceleration support

Post-Jugaadathon event showcases innovations that can improve access to healthcare for India's urban poor

New Delhi, India, June 17, 2017: Competing against nine other teams during CAMTech-X: Final Demo Day, RespirAid won the 10 Lakh rupees grand prize for the progress they have made designing an affordable alternative to current manual/hand-held ventilation devices. RespirAid works with existing ventilation bags to ensure safer and more effective care. The event, held June 17 in New Delhi, brought together 10 teams from CAMTech-X: Jugaadathon, India's largest healthcare hack-a-thon that took place last March in five cities across India and aimed to help expand healthcare access for the urban poor.

With sponsorship from GE Healthcare and in partnership with Lattice Innovations, The Consortium for Affordable Medical Technologies (CAMTech) at Massachusetts General Hospital (MGH) Global Health organized 500 engineers, clinicians, entrepreneurs, designers and public health innovators from across India, Africa and the United States. Demo Day marked the end of the CAMTech-X: Jugaadathon, India's largest healthcare hack-a-thon convening 92 teams from five simultaneous hack-a-thon sites in New Delhi, Manipal, Bengaluru, Mumbai and Bhubaneswar.

Notes to Editors:

To learn more about the event, visit http://www.globalhealthmgh.org/camtech/portfolio-item/camtech-x-jugaad-a-thon/. To read more post-event press releases from the CAMTech-X: Jugaadathon, click here.

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