## Story from a Lucky Father

Myself, Arup Kumar Dalui, 35 and my wife Banachhaya Mandal (Dalui), 33 got married in 4<sup>th</sup> February 2009 and after marriage I have been transferred in job to various palaces of West Bengal and my wife is also doing job in School, so I had to move alone and in the due course we were not able to plan our Baby. In the year 2014, 11<sup>th</sup> February my only son was born in Berhampore after a long time and everyone were happy. My wife was also very happy. The birth weight of my child was also good 3.4 Kg. At the first day of checkup by the pediatrician in Berhampore has informed us that the health of our child is good. On 3 days my child was very normal and was sucking breast milk normal. On 4<sup>th</sup> day the health of the child seems ill and we have been informed. At 10.30 PM a telephone call was came to my mobile that the doctor wants to see me. Doctor informed us that the child is not getting oxygen and his blood is infected and the system of sending force oxygen is not available in Berhampore and we have to take the child to Kolkata for treatment. A 4 day child, 1.30 PM at night and distance of Berhampore to Kolkata by car is 5 to 6 hours. We reached Columbia Asia hospital at 7.30 AM in the morning and Dr.Saumitra Datta rushed to the hospital for treatment. He informed me after seeing my child the clolour of the child is changed due to infection and the condition is very bad and chance is very low. From 15<sup>th</sup> February to 20<sup>th</sup> February my child was treated at Columbia Asia hospital with three days in C-PAP & ventilation. On 18<sup>th</sup> February the Doctors informed me that the kidneys were not working and the ultrasonography seems to be very bad. The rate of Creatine, Urea, Uric Acid were very very high. Dr.Saumitra Datta, informed us that the kidney may be not functioning properly and may need dialysis and suggested to shift my child to Forties hospital. We shifted my child to Forties Hospital NICU on 20<sup>th</sup> February nearly 8.30 PM for treatment under Dr.Sumita Saha, Paeditrician & Dr.Rajiv Sinha, Nephrologist. Dr. Sumita Saha started her treatment with medicines before to reopen the function of the kidney before going to the dialysis and asked us to stay in the hospital in the night so that we can be present during the dialysis. It was a sleepless night for us. God was with us and dialysis was not needed. In the Next day Dr. Sumita Saha and Dr.Rajiv Sinha has informed us that there is a thrombosis in my child's brain noticed in the Brain MRI and the Creatine, Urea, Uric Acid were very very high. Nearly 7 days I haven't seen my child open eyes in the hospital and from 22/23<sup>rd</sup> February he started opening his eyes obviously in the motherly care of Dr.Sumita Saha and

the NICU Nurses. Slowly under the treatment Dr.Sumita Saha & Dr.Rajiv Sinha my child seemed to get back his life. Dr.Sumita Saha applied clexene injection for the thrombus. On 6<sup>th</sup> of March 2014 my child was discharged and we had to continue the clexene injection for 3 months in our home. After 3 months we have reviewed with Dr.Sumita Saha and the repeat Brain MRI shown that the area of the thrombus is more opened. Now my child is 6 months 19 days old. We always remained in touch with Dr.Sumita Saha during that period. Now he is Arjun Dalui, the name suggested as he is a fighter by the nurses in NICU Fortis while discharging and with his name we always remember Forties Hospital, Dr.Sumita Saha and Dr.Rajiv Sinha, Nurses in NICU. We are really thankful to all I have mentioned and we will never forget the divine help extended to us.



