Prayas

A group of young philanthropists in Charlotte, North Carolina called “Prayas” has been raising funds for the past three years for IDRF’s development programs. Prayas raises funds for supporting programs at the grassroots level in rural India where resources are scarce and the need is monumental. Over the years Prayas has raised funds for projects in India by auctioning off the tickets for various events like Bollywood dance parties, drama workshops, cricket training camps, and financial investment classes, etc. To maximize the impact of the donors’ money, Prayas also raises funds through the corporate matching gift programs.

This year Prayas is raising funds to build an indoor shelter for Infant India, an organization that hosts about 65 HIV-positive children. The 2,500 sq. feet shelter will include a kitchen and a cafeteria. More information about Infant India [http://www.infantindia.org/](http://www.infantindia.org/)