

# CLEAN ENERGY ACCESS PROGRAM

UTILIZING SOLAR ENERGY TO ENHANCE HEALTH SERVICES IN  
REMOTE VILLAGES OF INDIA



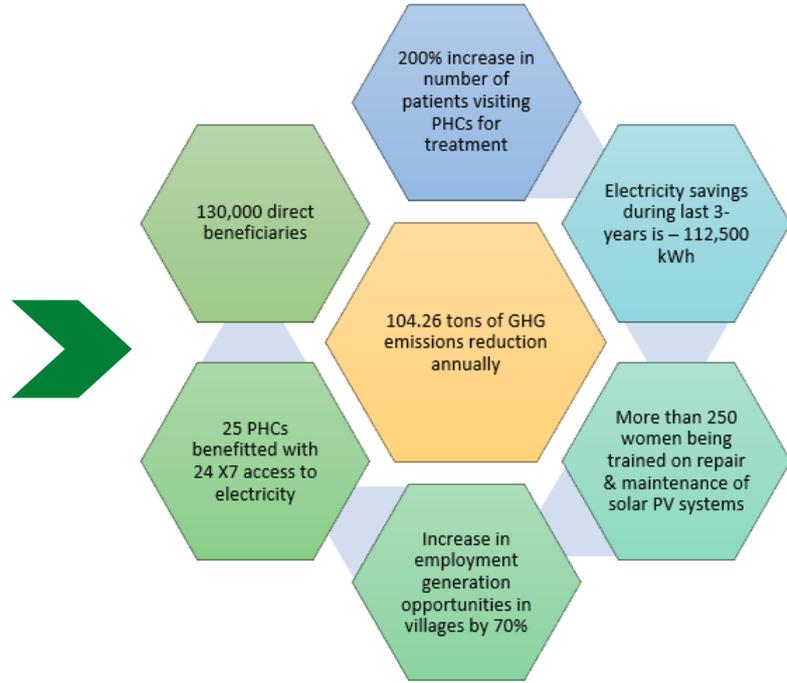
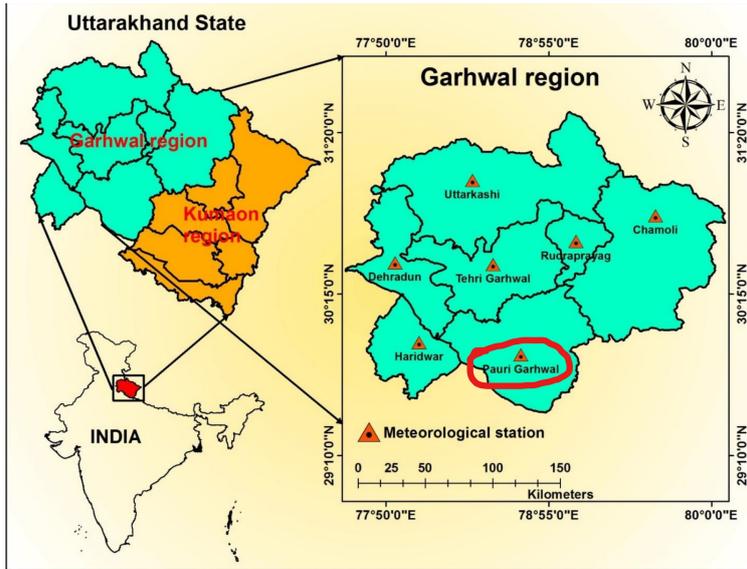
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*SDG 3: Good Health & Well being*  
*SDG 7: Affordable & Clean Energy Access*  
*SDG 9: Industry, Innovation & Infrastructure*  
*SDG 11: Sustainable Cities & Communities*  
*SDG 13: Climate Action*

In India, higher percentage of population is living in remote villages where the available infrastructure to deliver healthcare services is still in poor state. The access to affordable and reliable electricity to the communities and to the Primary Health Clinics (PHCs) is also poor. The PHCs are poorly equipped to deal with the emergencies. The off grid decentralized renewable power is the only answer to the challenge of effective delivery of health care services in remote villages.

IIEC team is working in the **State of Uttarakhand** to ensure the availability of 24X7 electricity to PHCs using the solar power. The program being implemented by IIEC is providing the access to clean energy to improve the delivery of the health care services in remote villages. With 24X7 functioning of PHCs, the program is ensuring the delivery of better health care to communities. The model has established an eco-system for the implementation of energy access program in health care sector.

# PROJECT MILESTONES ACHIEVED IN UTTRAKHAND



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