



STATEMENT BY VEDANTA DELHI HALF MARATHON 2022

Procam International is deeply saddened by the demise of our half marathon participants Rakesh Bhatia (Bib no. 2090) who, unfortunately passed away this morning Sunday , 16 October before completing his race.

Metro Hospitals , our Medical Partner ensured all necessary medical protocols were followed, and he was attended to immediately with CPR and AED . Rakesh Bhatia was then rushed in our ambulance to the Medical Base camp which is the closest medical facility . The medical base camp is fully equipped with over 50 doctors and an ICU ward.

However, in spite of all best efforts, the medical team were unable to revive him.

The event's co- medical Directors - Dr. Sameer Gupta and Sonia Lal Gupta stated, "Rakesh Bhatia collapsed on the track at approximately 18.5km mark and was immediately attended to with CPR and AED by mobile medic & aid station medicos. He was immediately shifted to basecamp in an ACLS ambulance following all ACLS protocols but couldn't be revived, even after more than 45 mins of Cardiopulmonary resuscitation."

Our thoughts and prayers go out to his family and loved ones.