ANTTI LEPROSY DAY 2022

Theme of IAL for Anti-Leprosy Day: 'Moving Forward - Addressing Priorities'
Treatments:
- Leprosy treatment is completely free in all Government Hospitals.
- By taking six months to one year continuous uninterrupted treatment, even severe type of leprosy can be cured.
- Important to treat the patient early to prevent deformities.
- Consult a dermatologist if symptoms of leprosy are present- Do not panic.

- Do not Panic
- Meet a Dermatologist
- Confirm the diagnosis
- Start Treatment early
- Leprosy is curable
ANTI LEPROSY DAY
30th January

Let us pay homage to the Father of the Nation by having Leprosy Free India.

Shri. Narendra Modi
Hon'ble Prime Minister

Gandhi ji with Leprosy patient

Important information related to leprosy

- **Complete treatment** of Leprosy i.e. Multi Drug Therapy is available **free of cost** in all Government Dispensaries, Health Centres and Hospitals.
- Timely treatment prevents disability.
- Symptoms of Leprosy - light color patch, redness, swelling or nodule over the skin.
- On suspicion of Leprosy, immediately contact nearest Government Dispensary, Health Centre or Hospital.

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Leprosy is not a contagious disease

Leprosy is completely curable with MDT
World Leprosy Day

Time to Take Action!

- Observed every year on 30th January
- Raises awareness about this deadly disease
- Highlights that leprosy can now be successfully treated & cured
- Aims to completely eradicate leprosy across the world
कुष्ठ को मिटाना है, तो सही इलाज कराना है।
कुष्ठारोग किसी भी अवस्था में पूरी तरह ठीक हो जाता है।
कुष्ठारोग के प्रमुख लक्षण:

नावि आय इलाज से कोई भी लक्षण से ग्रसित है तो अपने नजदीकी चिकित्सक से संपर्क करें या स्वास्थ्य केंद्र पर तुरंत सम्मलें।
कुष्ठ विद्या रखें, कुष्ठारोग का निदान एवं इलाज मुफ्त होता है।
➢ ‘Early Diagnosis & Treatment results in Prevention of Disability’
➢ ‘प्रारंभिक निदान और एमडीटी का पूर्ण पाठ्यक्रम - कुष्ठ रोग में विकलांगता की रोकथाम की ओर जाता है’

➢ ‘Early Diagnosis & Treatment – stops the spread of leprosy’
➢ ‘प्रारंभिक निदान और एमडीटी का पूर्ण पाठ्यक्रम - कुष्ठ रोग के प्रसार को रोकता है’

➢ ‘Your skin specialist (Dermatologist) is also a leprosy specialist – Visit him in case of need’
➢ ‘आपका स्किन स्पेशलिस्ट (डर्मैटोलॉजिस्ट) एक कुष्ठ रोग स्पेशलिस्ट भी है - जरूरत पड़ने पर उसके पास जाएं’।
The Leprosy patch...?
It was some where here!

Early treatment with MDT has cured Leprosy without deformity.
Leprosy is completely curable with MDT
MDT is available free of cost at all PHCs, Dispensaries and Hospitals

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A simple guide to diagnose leprosy

Cases with light or reddish colour Skin Patches

Test patches for sensory loss on patches

1. A few number of patches with sensory loss
2. Many / innumerable patches without sensory loss

Examine commonly affected nerves for sensory loss

3. Sensory loss in the area of distribution of the nerve
4. No sensory loss in the area of distribution of the nerve

Diagnose as Leprosy

Note the following condition
Cases without skin patches but with thickened nerve and having sensory loss in the area of its distribution is termed as Pure Neuritic (PN) form of leprosy.
No one should be rejected by their friends and family because of leprosy.
No one should have their human rights taken from them because of leprosy
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Before

After

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MDT can cure leprosy from the body.

Let's come together to remove the fear of leprosy from our minds.