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Notice

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This is to notify all concern that the 'Mukhyamantri Sustho Shaihob Sustho Kaishore Abhiyan' (MSSSKA-5.0) formerly known as the 'National Deworming Programme' will be held on Wednesday, 20th Sept., 2023 in the college campus. Deworming tablets and iron-folic acid supplement tablets were distributed among under 19 yrs. age group of students. This will help children to remain healthy. This will also support in controlling anemia & malnutrition and physical & mental development.

This programme is being organized by Dept. of Human Physiology in association with the Mohanpur Community Health Centre, Health & Family Welfare Department, Govt. of Tripura.

All the class teachers are requested to extend their necessary help for successful implementation of the same.

Yours faithfully-

(Dr. Sandeep Roy Sarkar)

Nodal Officer

National Deworming Programme

Holy Cross College, Agartala

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Report on
"NATIONAL DEWORMING CAMPAIGN"

Date of event: 20th September, 2023

Place: Holy Cross College, Jubatara, Tripura(W)

No. of persons attending: 500

As per World Health Organisation (WHO), about 24% population across the world is infected with soil-transmitted helminths worms. In 2015 the Government of India launched the week long anganwadi/school and college-based National Deworming Day to deworm all children and teens aged 1-19 years. In Tripura state this is being implemented as 'Mukhyamantri Sustho Shaishob Sustho Kaishore Abhiyan (MSSSKA)'.

To join this initiative Holy Cross College, Jubatara also observed the National Deworming Campaign under the umbrella 'MSSSKA-5.0' on Wednesday, 20th September 2023. This programme is being organized by Dept. of Human Physiology in association with the Mohanpur Community Health Centre, Health & Family Welfare Department, Govt. of Tripura. Deworming tablets and iron-folic acid supplement tablets were supplied by the Jubatara Health & Wellness Center and the same were distributed among under 19 yrs. age group of students of this college. Teachers of Human Physiology spread the awareness among the students by providing the key information about the symptoms and the health complications of worms, before the distribution of the medicines. A total of 500 students (under 19 years of age) has actively participated in this campaign. Out of that 212 girls and 288 boys were administered with the tablet commonly called 'Albendazole'. It is an anthelmintic or anti-worm drug, generally used as an effective aid for the treatment of tapeworm, flatworm or other types of nematodes found in our body. At the same time Iron and Folic acid tablets are also provided as supplements to all the students as a part of this campaign.

Worms are infecting our intestine and they enter through: drinking and washing with contaminated water, contact with the contaminated fecal matter, poor hygiene and lack of proper sanitation. Deworming should be continued on our environment in a large manner because it has a positive impact on the environment which helps to cure many other diseases. This programme will help children to remain healthy. This will also support in controlling anemia & malnutrition and physical & mental development of children of growing ages.

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