## DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN PHYSIOLOGY HOLY CROSS COLLEGE, AGARTALA

HCCAGT/HPHY/F2/Deworming/2024/02

Date: 12.11.2024

To
The Principal
Holy Cross College, Agartala

Rev. Father,

We are glad to inform you that the Dept. of Human Physiology is willing to organize an extension programme in association with Mohanpur Community Health Centre, Health and Family Welfare Department, Govt. of Tripura under Mukhyamantri Sustho Shaishob Sustho Kaishore Abhiyan, formerly known as "National Deworming Programme" on 26<sup>th</sup> November 2024 (Tuesday) in the college campus. Deworming tablets and iron-folic acid tablets will be distributed among under 19 years age group of students. This will help children to remain healthy. This will also support in controlling anemia and malnutrition and physical and mental development.

I hope you will grant us the permission to do the same.

Yours faithfully-

HoD, Human Physiology Holy Cross College, Agartala

HEAD

Department of Human Physiology,
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Approved by-

Holy Cross College, Agartala

PRINCIPAL HOLY CROSS COLLEGE AGARTALA

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## Department of Human Physiology Holy Cross College, Agartala Report on

## "NATIONAL DEWORMING CAMPAIGN"

Date of Event: 26th November 2024

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

Time: 10:00 AM

Total No. of Students: 100

Soil-transmitted helminths (STH) remain a significant public health challenge in India, with an estimated 22 crore children aged 1-14 at risk of worm infections. These infections can impede nutrient absorption, leading to anemia, malnutrition, and compromised mental and physical development. In Tripura, where the prevalence of worm infections stands at 60%, both rounds of deworming are being implemented in alignment with the Government of India and WHO guidelines. The primary goal of National Deworming Day (NDD) is to administer deworming treatment to children and adolescents aged 1-19 years through Anganwadi centers, schools, and colleges to enhance their health, nutritional status, educational opportunities, and overall quality of life.

As part of this initiative, the Department of Human Physiology at Holy Cross College, Agartala, organized a "National Deworming Campaign" on November 26, 2024, under the banner of **Mukhyamantri Sushtho Shaishob Sustho Kaishore Abhiyan 7.0 (MSSSKA 7.0),** Faculty members from the department educated participants about the health complications caused by worms and distributed deworming medicines, including Albendazole and Iron and Folic Acid tablets, provided by Mohanpur PHC.

Detailed guidelines on the proper dosage of these medicines were shared with the students, ensuring safe administration. A total of 100 students, comprising 65 girls and 35 boys under the age of 19, received the medications during the campaign.

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