CENTRAL COUNCIL FOR RESEARCH IN HOMOEOPATHY, NEW DELHI

SWASTHYA RAKSHAN PROGRAMME

[For website]

Sanitation and hygiene are critical to health, survival, and development. A large number of disease could be prevented through better access to adequate sanitation facilities and better hygiene practices. In this context, as per directions of Ministry of AYUSH and linking with Swachh Bharat Abhiyan, Council has initiated Swasthya Rakshan Programme to promote health by identifying and treating the diseases related to poor hygiene and sanitation.

SwasthyaRakshan Programme is ongoing in 55 identified villages/ colonies by 11 Institutes of the Council. Swasthya Rakshan Team is visiting each village per week regularly to conduct OPDs for screening, identification of risk factors and early diagnosis of diseases.

OBJECTIVES

- 1. Swasthya Rakshan OPDs for providing homoeopathic treatment.
- 2. Swasthya Parikshan Camps for screening, identification of risk factors and early diagnosis of diseases.
- 3. Health promotion through health education to local population.
- **4.** Development and distribution of IEC material among the masses in English/Hindi and local/regional languages.
- **5.** Documentation of demographic information, food habits, hygienic conditions, lifestyle, incidence/prevalence of disease.
- **6.** Assessment of health status and awareness about Homoeopathy system of the medicine.
- 7. Publication of the research outcomes from time to time.

ACTIVITIES UNDERTAKEN

A. Health Survey:

Household and Individual Health Survey was undertaken during 2016-17 to identify risk factors and diseases prevalent in a population over a specific period of time along with documentation of demographic information, food habits, hygiene conditions, seasons, lifestyle etc. Baseline survey or Phase I of survey has been completed and till date 24782 families have been covered and health screening of 24647 persons have been conducted. Survey is completed and data analysis is under progress.

B. Medicare services:

Swasthya Rakshan OPDs/ camps are conducted on weekly basis in 55 identified villages /colonies by 11 Institutes of Council for providing homeopathic treatment. Since inception **7028** Swasthya Rakshan Camps/OPDs have been organized and **392849** patients have been benefitted with homoeopathic treatment.

C. SRP Awareness Campaigns/ Rallies

Mass campaigning through rallies for promotion of healthy lifestyles and hygiene were organized in school of identified villages. Nukkad Nataks and lectures were also organised focussing on personal, environmental & social hygiene in the villages involving school children.

ACHEIVEMENTS

Institute wise details are placed below:

Name of the Research Institute	Name of Village Adopted	No. of OPDs / Parikshan Camps	Patient benefitted	Commonly identified diseases :
Dr DP Rastogi Central Research Institute(H), Noida	 Bhangel Sultanpur Shahpur Patwari Ellahabas 	467	10750	 Dermatitis and Eczema (Atopic/Seborrhoeic/Contact)- 947 Myalgia- 811 Acute Upper Respiratory Tract infections- 798 Cough- 545 Non-insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus- 409 Gastritis/Acid Peptic Dyspepsia /Gastroesophageal eflux Disease-394 Acne-346 Sciatica / Low Back pain/Backache-334 Osteoarthritis-272 Headache-232
National Homoeopathy Research Institute in Mental Health, Kottayam	 Perunna Thrikodithan am Vazhoor Madappally Payippad 	736	15279	 Acute Upper Respiratory Tract infections- 1661 Chronic Rhinitis-370 Non-insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus-1278 Cough-991 Asthma-570 Varicose veins - 553 Pruritis-543 Headache-462 Dermatitis and Eczema (Atopic/ Seborrhoeic/Contact)-427 Osteoarthritis-420
Regional Research Institute(H), Guwahati	 DolgobindMon dir Ganeshpara Odalbakra Ambari Japorigog 	608	16224	 Acute Upper Respiratory Tract infections-1407 Dermatitis and Eczema (Atopic/Seborrhoeic/Contact)-1150 Peptic Ulcer/Duodenal Ulcer/Gastric & gastrojejunal ulcer-849 Myalgia-696 Spondylosis (Cervical / Lumbar)-652 Sciatica / Low Back Pain / Backache-575 Polyarthritis-443 Headache-315 Constipation-259

Regional Research Institute(H), Puri	 Sutan Bantaligrama Aruagobinda pur Ambapada Hiranyapada 	689	10443	 Arthralgia-1276 Myalgia-873 Dermatitis and Eczema (Atopic/Seborrhoeic/Contact)-565 Sciatica / Low Back Pain/Backache-502 Helminthiasis-373 Osteoarthritis-348 Acute Upper Respiratory Tract infections-333 Peptic Ulcer/Duodenal Ulcer/Gastric & gastrojejunal ulcer-317 Vertigo-297
Regional Research Institute(H), Imphal	 Langol Naoremthong Talyel Lamsang MayangLanging 	496	7613	 Hypertensive diseases-1485 Non-insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus-616 Osteoarthritis-496 Sciatica / Low Back Pain/Backache-474 Acute Upper Respiratory Tract infections-435 Urolithiasis (Renal calculus, Urinary calculus)-225 Peptic Ulcer/Duodenal Ulcer/Gastric & gastrojejunal ulcer-218 Myalgia-216 Vertigo-154
Homoeopathic Drug Research Institute, Lucknow	 Gazipur Balram Daud Nagar RasulpurKaya sth Bharwara Kathwara 	693	12820	 Dermatitis and Eczema (Atopic/ Seborrhoeic/Contact)-738 Cough-735 Myalgia-635 Acute Upper Respiratory Tract infections-626 Peptic Ulcer/Duodenal Ulcer/Gastric &gastrojejunal ulcer-519 Sciatica / Low Back Pain/Backache-471 Helminthiasis-440 Osteoarthritis-437 Acne-347 Gastritis/Acid Peptic Dyspepsia/Gastro esophageal Reflux Disease-327
Dr Anjali Chatterjee Regional Research Institute (H), Kolkata	 Kharibari PRC, Dankuni Sheoraphuli Sodepur Dhapa 	656	11486	 Upper Respiratory Tract Infections Dermatitis Arthralgia Cough Sciatica/Lumbago Leucorrhoea Myalgia Functional dyspepsia Polyarthritis Neuralgia and neuritis

Regional Research Institute (H), Shimla	1.Rajhana 2.Mehli 3.Lower Khalini 4.Bhattakuffer 5.Dhalli	550	2400	 Gastritis/Acid Peptic Dyspepsia/Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease-244 Common cold/Rhinitis-204 Myalgia-126 Hypertensive diseases-103 Sciatica / Low Back Pain/Backache-94 Osteoarthritis-78 Spondylosis (Cervical / Lumbar)-70 Dermatitis and Eczema (Atopic/Seborrhoeic/Contact)-67 Cough-65 Non-insulin-dependent diabetes mellitus-60
Regional Research Institute (H), Jaipur	1.Khora Ladkhani 2.Chharasa 3.Sakatpura 4.Kumbhawas 5.Hanutpura	667	18503	 Acute Upper Respiratory Tract infections-4193 Cough-1483 Fever of other and unknown origin-1238 Dermatitis and Eczema (Atopic/ Seborrhoeic/Contact)-656 Ringworm / Tinea Corporis / Cruris / Tinea infections-411 Acne-411 Asthma-377 Diseases of the Respiratory system-373 Chronic Upper Respiratory Tract Infections-348 Myalgia-307
Regional Research Institute (H), Navi Mumbai	1.Kopri 2.Kalamboli 3.Nerul (Urban) 4.Turbhe (Urban) 5. New Panvel (Urban)	700	7030	 Acute Upper Respiratory Tract infections-5444 Sciatica / Low Back Pain/Backache-3718 Gastritis/Acid Peptic Dyspepsia/Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease-2510 Arthralgia-1500 Haemorrhoids, piles-1402 Flatulence and related conditions-1278 Headache-954 Abdominal and pelvic pain-842 Fever of other and unknown origin-636
Regional Research Institute (H), Gudivada	 Siddhantham Challapalli Chinamuttevi Angaluru Katuru 	766	18514	 Osteoarthritis-1577 Spondylosis (Cervical / Lumbar)- 1070 Gastritis/Acid Peptic Dyspepsia/Gastroesophageal Reflux Disease-659 Myalgia-608 Acute Upper Respiratory Tract infections-477

 Cough-415 Hypertensive diseases-414 Sciatica / Low Back Pain/Backache-396 Arthralgia-277 Non-insulin-dependent diabetes
mellitus-241

Outcome:

- A substantial impact has been noted in all 5 adopted villages. Higher number of population were benefitted in the prevention of common ailments arising due to unhygienic living conditions.
- No incidence of recent epidemic reported in the adopted villages after initiation of programme.
- Increased awareness is noticed among the population coming in the screening camps by adoption of healthy lifestyle and hygienic measures owing to massive health promotion campaigns done before and during conducting camps and OPDs.
- Concept of using homeopathic medicines has been popularized in a massive way and a significant number of people are opting to homoeopathy and were benefitted.

Homoeopathic treatment being provided at SwasthyaRakshan Camps / OPDs





RRI(H), Shimla

HDRI, Lucknow





RRI (H), Mumbai

NHRIMH, Kottayam

Doctors and paramedic staff communicating with the people during SwasthyaRakshan Survey conducted at household level



SwasthyaRakshan Awareness Campaigns/ Rallies held by the staff of the SRP Programme





RRI (H), Imphal







DDPRCRI(H), Noida

RRI (H), Gudivada