

## **312 houses under PMAY in Panisagar**

312 houses are being constructed under Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana (rural) under the project of last financial year in Panisagar block of North Tripura district. These houses are being constructed in 18 villages of the block. Rs 1.3 lakh will be spent for construction of each house. Rs 4 crore 5 lakh 60 thousand in total will be spent for this purpose. Construction of 310 houses has been completed till now. 312 beneficiaries have received money of 1<sup>st</sup> instalment and 311 beneficiaries have received money of 2<sup>nd</sup> instalment. 310 beneficiaries have received money of 3<sup>rd</sup> instalment. Panisagar block office has informed this.

## **Vaccination of Pneumococcal Conjugate at Brajendranagar health sub-centre**

A vaccination programme was organized at Brajendranagar health sub-centre of North Tripura district on May 19. Vaccine was administered to six pregnant mothers and 12 children under the programme. Among them, Pneumococcal Conjugate was administered to three children. MPWs discussed on prevention of diarrhoea, malaria and COVID-19. ASHA workers were present in the programme.

Family welfare and preventive medicine department has informed this.

## **Rural Health & Nutrition Day observed in Srirampur Anganwadi centre**

Rural Health and Nutrition Day was observed at Srirampur Anganwadi centre under Kanchanchhara health sub-centre of Kanchanpur subdivision hospital on May 20. Total 24 mothers and children participated in the programme. The medical staffs discussed on use of mask, hand wash and maintaining social distance to prevent Covid-19 etc..

Moreover, awareness discussion was held on benefit of regular vaccination of children, importance of delivery in hospital, diarrhoea, prevention of malaria and newly introduced Pneumococcal Conjugate vaccine. MPW, Staffs, Anganwadi workers and ASHA workers were present in the programme. After completion of the programme, nutritious food was provided to all. Family welfare and preventive medicine department has informed this.

## **Pneumococcal Conjugate vaccination started in South district**

On May 19 Pneumococcal Conjugate vaccination drive started in Chalitachori,

South Kaladhepa, South Buratoli and Phulchori UPHCs under Manubazar Gramin Health Centre in South district. First dose of vaccine was given to 18 out of 20 infants in these 4 UPHCs. No side effects were observed in the children. Vaccination drive in other UPHCs will be continued in coming days. During the vaccination the doctors present were Dr. Debajyoti Majumder, RBSK Dr. Ujjal Sardar.

### **World Hypertension Day observed in East Jogendranagar hospital**

World Hypertension Day was observed on May 19, 2021 in East Jogendranagar hospital of West district. Health check-ups of health workers was done following COVID guidelines. Total 12 persons got their blood pressure checked and free of cost medicines were given to those with high blood pressure. Dr. Partha Pratim Nath and pharmacist Supratim Debnath were in charge of the health campaign. This information was collected from a press release issued by the department of health and family welfare.

### **Rural Health & Nutrition Day celebrated in 1 no. Deb para Anganwadi Centre.**

Rural Health and Nutrition Day was observed on May 20 in 1 no. Deb para Anganwadi centre under Machli primary

health centre in Dhalai district with total 21 participants including 6 pregnant women and 15 children. The health workers discussed about the prevention of COVID spread. Apart from this, advantages of timely vaccination of children, institutional delivery and prevention of Diarrhoea, Malaria were also discussed in the programme. The participants were distributed nutrition kits. This information was provided by the family welfare and preventive medicine department.

### **Heart surgery of a 6 month old infant successful under RBSK**

Rashtriya Bal Suraksha Karyakram is being successfully implemented in Tripura. six months old Aryan Malik, son of Rajiv Malik from Rupsapur, Kamalpur was the recent beneficiary. The child's heart problem was detected during the routine health check up of RBSK in Kaminimohan Anganwadi on January 18. His echocardiography was done under RBSK after which he was operated in a private hospital in Kolkata free of cost through NHM. Aryan has recovered completely and his family is thankful. This information was given by the family welfare and preventive medicine department.