

LCDC to identify & eradicate leprosy from state

Tripura is one of the five states of the country having leprosy Grade-II. At present there are 14 Grade – II leprosy patients in the state. In order to identify and eradicate leprosy promptly, for the first time in Tripura Leprosy Case Detection Campaign (LCDC) is going to be launched. This campaign called “Parashmani” will start on August 26 and will continue upto September 9, 2019. As a preparatory measure a workshop was held at Pragna Bhavan, Agartala on July 17. Very soon district level and block level workshops will be held.

To make this fortnightly programme successful state and district level committees will be constituted. These very committees will be responsible for chalking out micro-plans to carry out the entire programme to eradicate leprosy. In the state level workshop were present – issued director of family welfare and preventive medicine Dr. S.K. Chakma, director of National Health Mission Dr. S.K. Yadav, consultant of Central Leprosy Division Dr. N. Manimajhi and other officers of the health department. This information has been given by a press release issued from the State Health and Family Welfare Society.

Sepahijala district level Vanamahotsav on July 29

Sepahijala district level Vanamahotsav will be held at the premises of Ashram Girls School of Thelakung ADC village in Jampuijala block on July 29. This decision was taken in the preparatory meeting held at the conference hall of D.M office, Sepahijala district on July 16. Additional D.M Udayan Singha, DFO Joyakrishan DKS, deputy collector Sankar Chakraborty, deputy collector Subasish Das, Bishalgarh Sub divisional Forest Officer Suman Das and representatives of various departments were present in the meeting held under chairmanship of D.M. C K Jamatia.

Administrative camp held at West Lambuchhara

An administrative-cum-health camp was organized by Kamalpur Sub divisional administration at Vidyamohan para S.B School of West Lambuchhara ADC village in Kamalpur subdivision recently. S.T certificate to 84 persons, PRTC to 51 persons, Income certificate to 27 persons and marriage certificate to 44 persons had been provided in the camp. Moreover, required medicine had been provided to

246 patients after medical checkup. In the camp, SDM Sushanta Sarkar and subdivision level officers of various departments interacted with local people regarding various development works of this area. TSR battalion assisted the sub-divisional administration to organize the camp.

Water treatment plants in ADC villages of North Tripura district

Water treatment plants are being installed by DWS Department in 3 ADC villages of Damchhara and Dasda blocks of North Tripura district to provide pure drinking water in hill areas. Among these, installation of surface water treatment plant in Kacharichhara ADC village of Damchhara block is going on at the cost of Rs 96 lakh. Installation work of water treatment plant under innovative scheme at Purnaram para of Thumsarai ADC Village of the block at the cost of Rs 80 lakh is nearing completion. On the other hand, installation of a surface water treatment plant in Dasda ADC Village of Dasda block at the cost of Rs 2 crore 92 lakh is also going on. The Dharmanagar office of the concerned department has informed this.

Cash crop cultivation in Padmabil block

An initiative for fruit cultivation under MGNREGA in ADC villages of Padmabil block has been taken by the agriculture and farmers' welfare department and horticulture and soil conservation department. In the first phase, an initiative has been taken for raising betel nut plantation in 25 hectare land of the block at the cost of Rs 34 lakh. Moreover, pineapple plantation will be raised in 10 hectare land at the cost of Rs 18 lakh. 20 people will be benefited under the scheme.

Moreover, cultivation of Musambi will be done in 2 hectare land under MIDH scheme at the cost of Rs 60 thousand benefiting 4 people under the scheme. A plan for plantation of hybrid bamboo in 5 hectare land under National Bamboo Mission has been taken at the cost of Rs 2.5 lakh. 10 beneficiaries have been benefited under the scheme. Betel nut plantation in 1 hectare land, Banana plantation in 2 hectare land, Pineapple plantation in 4 hectare land, under Special assistance to tribal sub-scheme will be raised at the cost of Rs 10 lakh. 14 beneficiaries will be benefited under the scheme. The Padmabil Agriculture sub-divisional office has informed this.