

## A REPORT ON THE OBSERVATION OF 37<sup>TH</sup> WORLD TB DAY 2018

A meeting on the upcoming 37<sup>th</sup> World TB Day was held on 20<sup>th</sup> March 2018 in the office chamber of the State TB Officer at 11:00 hours. It was attended by the staffs of STC and DTOs. An Organizing committee was formed which comprises of the DTO (Imphal East and Imphal West)

An awareness programme on AIR, Imphal was done on 2w2<sup>nd</sup> March 2018 which was recorded on 17<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at 2. PM.

The National Health Mission, State Health Society, District health Societies RNTCP, Imphal East and West and Indian Medical Association, Manipur State Branch jointly observed the state level world TB Day 2018 on 24<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at IMA House, Lamphelpat under the theme – **“Wanted: Leaders for a TB –free world”**. Shri L. Jayantakumar Singh Hon’ble Minister Health and Family Welfare, Manipur, Shri Dr. K. Rajo Singh Director of Health Services/ State Mission Director, Govt. of Manipur. Shri Dr. H. Ranjit Singh Addl. Director of Health Services, Govt. of Manipur, Smt. Dr. Kh. Sulochana Devi, Past President IMA Manipur State Branch, Graced the observance as Chief Guest, President and Guest of Honors respectively.



State Mission Director flagging off the rally!



State Mission Director leading the rally!

The observance started with a rally from R& D wing Medical Directorate complex to IMA house Lamphelpat. The rally was flag off by the Director of Health Services/ SMD Manipur. All the Health workers, staffs, School students, Nursing students , Departmental officers, NGOs members, invitees was took part in the rally.



The rally!



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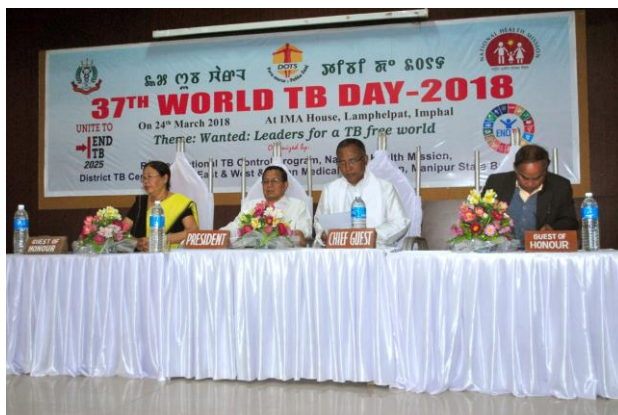
After the rally all the participants and invitees from RIMS, JNIMS, Officials from Regional Officers of Health and Family welfare-Govt. of India, IMA, MSF, State AIDS Control Society , NGOs Members and public gathered at the IMA House. A Mike publicity and disbursement of leaflets was also organized during the rally.



The gathering!



Arrival of the Chief Guest!



Hon'ble Health Minister lighting the inaugural lamp



The observance started with the lighting of inaugural Lamp by the dignitaries followed by key note address by the State TB Officer and speeches by Chief Guest, Guest of Honour & President of the function respectively.

Shri L. Jayantakumar Singh, Hon'ble Minister of Health & Family Welfare inaugurated the CBNAAT Mobile Van and declared 5 different benefit of the TB Patients to end TB 2025.



CBNAAT van ready for inauguration!



The Inauguration by the Hon'ble Health Minister





Expaining the utilities of CBNAAT!



State Mission Director in the CBNAAT van!

The observance continued with the demonstration of DOT by the dignitaries.

The State Health Society RNTCP distributed the prizes and Appreciation Certificate for Health care providers and Private Hospitals for TB Notification for their commitment and dedication on their works from Imphal East and West.

Lastly the prize for the Late T. Bhabeshwor Singh donated by the family was presented to the State Accountant of State TB Cell, Manipur.



DOT demonstration by the Mission Director!



DOT demonstration by IMA Past President!



Certificate awards to the Private sectors for contribution in private TB notification!







Distribution of tablets to the districts!



Encouraging RNTCP staff for sincerity!



Best DOT providers

In continuation of the programme Smt. Kh. Solochana Devi, Past President of Indian Medical Association, Manipur State Branch gave her speech of the observance of the 37<sup>th</sup> World TB Day 2018 followed by votes of thanks speech by Dr. W. Shashi Singh, Director STDC/IRL.



Observance of World TB Day 2018, in the Newspapers



State Tb Officer A live phone-in Programme on RNTCP at DDK, Imphal on 27<sup>th</sup> March 2018 at 5.30 PM.

The State TB Cell  
Manipur