OUTCOME REPORT

of

"Health in Your Hands"

A National Symposium on Holistic Healing & Preventive Care of Lifestyle Disorders

23rd October 2021, SOL Campus, University of Delhi



Taking a leap from what amidst restoration of normal activities after a very long and dark spell of covid-19 Pandemic, Peoples' Foundation went a step ahead to promote its goal of spreading the message and awareness about fit and healthy world through holistic healing through integrative medicine.

On October 23rd 2021, we collaborated with prestigious <u>School of Open Learning (SOL)</u>, <u>university of Delhi</u> and organized a day long <u>national symposium cum workshop "Health in your Hands - Awareness for behavioral change and early treatment of lifestyle disorders</u>. It was aimed to inspire the young generation and academic professionals to promote holistic health and Wellness through alternative medicines.



This interactive symposium cum running consultation witnessed a massive participation, by prevalent COVID restriction standards, by students, faculty members, staff members of SOL, medicine & Pharma professionals, reputed Doctors of Ayurveda and the media fraternity. It witnessed slide presentation on Lifestyle disorders by doctors and an open house for questions and answers with the audience often resulting in instant medical prescriptions too.

Recognizing the need for growing challenge of managing and treating the lifestyle disorders of Hypertension, Diabetes and Thyroid particularly during the COVID pandemic, the symposium provided an opportunity to bring together renowned doctors, researchers, scientist of AYUSH fraternity for sharing their ideas and wisdom on fitness and Healthy lifestyle.

Inaugural ceremony

The symposium supported by SOL, University of Delhi and **partnered by Shree Baidyanath Ayurved Bhawan** was inaugurated by Prof. U S Pandey, principal SOL (DU) in the August presence of the following eminent doctors' domain experts', academics and Pharma representatives

- Dr. Arun Gupta Professor, HOD Panchkarma, Choudhary Bramha Prakash Ayurved Charak Sansthan
- Dr. Alok Srivastava Professor, HOD Panchkarma, Uttarakhand Ayurved University
- Dr. Ramakant Yadav Associate Professor Kayachikitsa, All India Institute of Ayurveda
- Dr. P K Prajapati Professor, HOD Dept of RSBK, All India Institute of Ayurveda
- **Dr. Anurag Gupta** Manager Clinical Trials & Regulatory Affairs, Shree Baidyanath Ayurved Bhawan
- Some eminent academics of SOL



The Opening Ceremony was chaired by professor U S Pandey, Principal, SOL. While lighting the lamp along with other dignitaries professor Pandey, in his opening remarks emphasized the importance of such Wellness and Holistic health symposiums based on Ayurveda for treating Lifestyle disorders.

He stressed on the need and vision of popularizing alternative medicines and treatment through incentivizing the students with awards of credits in such endeavours. He also recalled the collective struggle and performance of SOL staff members and teachers during the pandemic.



Dr Nidhi Chaudhary while anchoring the program with professional finesse called upon the eminent guests to the Dias for inaugural welcome session and also acquainted the audience with a brief Saga of the march of huge & prestigious SOL and Peoples' Foundation.

V N Jha, the president of Peoples' Foundation, in his welcome address said that Peoples' Foundation work in the fields of Ayurveda, Agriculture, Environment and Wellness to promote all round development of people. Welcoming the delegates and eminent experts he said that pandemic ravaged world is in urgent need of integrative medicines and Holistic treatment. This symposium is a step in that direction.

The Honorable guests and eminent physician were welcomed and presented mementos by professor U S Pandey, V N Jha, Acharya Mukesh, Rajeev Kumar, Neha Singh Tomar and Shiva Sharma.





Thrust areas and deliberations

Keeping affordable, curative and Holistic healing of people at large in focus, the symposium brought synergies of Ayurvedic pharma, physicians, Academia and Science together and deliberated on prevalent and prominent Lifestyle disorders of Hypertension, Diabetes and Thyroid and managing and curing them through medicines, dietary patterns, Healthy lifestyle based on dincharya and ritucharya.

Accordingly the following thrust Areas where deliberated –

Hypertension - High blood pressure or Hypertension, leading risk factors for stroke, heart diseases, renal failure etc. is responsible for more than 85 Lakhs death worldwide. Prevalence of Hypertension in India has increased from 28% in Women, 29 % in Men to 32% in Women and 38% in Men. Described as rule of half, half of the patients are unaware about their condition, more than half are not treated and nearly half have ineffective medication.

<u>Dr. Alok Srivastava, Professor & HOD – Panchakarma, Uttarakhand Ayurveda University</u> made a slide presentation on Hypertension and conducted a running consultation and counseling with the audience. He said that India is turning into Hypertension Capital on account of unhealthy lifestyle, consumption of harmful foods, stress and lack of exercise. He also stressed on the need of spreading medical literacy and awareness among the people.



Diabetes Mellitus – Diabetes or high blood sugar level has become an escalating health problem with lifetime risks and **a silent epidemic** involving 3 times more death than COVID. Diabetes have devastating effects in individuals, societies and countries leading to 4 million deaths worldwide every year and enormous health expenditure health expenditure and National Income.

India, often called Diabetes Capital of the World has more than **70 million confirmed cases**, covering 26% urban and 10% rural senior citizens having diagnosed with diabetes. In Delhi, it **cuts across the poor-rich and gender divides** involving 15% people in 45-59 years age group.

<u>Dr. Ramakant Yadav – Associate Professor – Kayachikitsa, All India Institute of Ayurveda New Delhi</u> conducted the workshop on Diabetes through a slide presentation. Dr. Yadav said that while food is very important for nourishing our body & mind, prevention and early detection and management of Diabetes is a real challenge. He stressed on the need of a healthy lifestyle, monitoring and healthy food consumption along with exercise and medicines.



Thyroid - Thyroid disorders have become one of the most common health concerns with more people getting diagnosed with conditions such as Hyper & Hypo Thyroidism as well as Thyroid cancer in India. It is seen in people of all age groups and nearly one in ten Indians have this condition and 60% of them go undiagnosed. While nearly 42 million Indian's suffer from the disease, it is three times more common in women, expecting mothers, diabetic patients.

<u>Dr. Arun Gupta – Professor, HOD – Panchkarma, Choudhary Bramha Prakash Ayurved Charak Sansthan</u> conducted a brief presentation and interactive session on thyroid. Stressed on the need of early detection and lifestyle changes for managing Thyroid, he warned that it might result in a chronic condition with a possibility of long term medication.

<u>Dr Anurag Gupta</u> of <u>Sri Baidyanatha Ayurveda</u> made a detailed slide presentation on the fundamental principles of Dincharya and Ritucharya in Ayurveda. He made participants aware about the do's and don'ts of consumption of food and beverages in accordance with seasons, temperatures, days and nights and also individual Gunas. He said such behavioral changes are key to a healthy and productive life





Organizing Committee & Coordinators

An organising committee of faculty members administrative staff of SOL along with coordinators from peoples Foundation was form for registration, stage management, hospitality, transport, audio visual facilities under the chairmanship of rajeev Kumar, general Secretary of peoples Foundation n Shri Rajaram assistant registar sOL University of Delhi they were assisted by Neha Tomar alok Srivastava and Shiva Sharma



Media and publicity

The national symposium on health in your hands was covered extensively by print electronic and new media. While Hindi & English dailies such as **Virat Vaibhav** and **Pioneer** gave good coverage, **Doordarshan news** (national) ran a clip in its national bulletin.

In a colorful closing ceremony, a vote of thanks was delivered by Acharya Mukesh, the Vice President of People's Foundation. While thanking the dignitaries, delegates, members of organizing committee and staff of SOL, he made a special mention of kind-heartedness of **Dr. BALARAM PANI, chairman of SOL and Dean of Colleges, University of Delhi** for his permission to organize this symposium. He also thanked **Prof. U S Pandey, Principal, SOL** for his valuable inputs and ready support. He also praised Shri Rajaram, Assistant Registrar, SOL and Dr. Nidhi Chaudhary the anchor of the program for their support.













जागरुकता

हाइपरटेंशन को बीपी से अलग समझने की जरूरत

धीरे-धीरे हाइपरटेंशन कैपिटल भी बनता जा रहा है भारतः श्रीवास्तव



हाइपरटेंशन को ब्लह प्रेशर से अलग समझने की जरूरत है और आज के युग में हाइपरटेंशन और डायबिटीज एक बड़ी समस्या के रूप में नवर आ रहे हैं। भारत को डायबिटीज कैपिटल के रूप में तो जाना ही जाता था अब धीरे-धीरे देश हाइमस्टेंशन कैपिटल भी बनता जा रहा है और इन समस्याओं की बजह लोगों की लाइफस्टाइल, खाना-पान और तनाव मुख्य रूप से जिम्मेदार हैं। खान पान में नमक का अधिक सेवन, मसालेदार खाना, तेल का अत्यधिक उपयोग, मोटापा और तनाव ने हाइपरटेंशन की समस्या को अधिक विकशन कर दिया है। यह कहना है अयुर्वेद विश्वविद्यालय, उत्तराखंड के पंचकर्मा विभाग के प्रमुख प्रोफेसर डॉक्टर आलोक श्रीवास्तव का। शनिवार को दिल्ली विश्वविद्यालय के स्कूल ऑफ ओपन लर्निंग और पीपुल्स फाउंडेशन के संयुक्त तत्वावधान में हेल्थ इन योर हैंड, होलिस्टिक हीलंग एवं प्रीवेंटीव केयर ऑफ लाइफस्टाइल डिसऑर्डर विषय पर आयोजित नेशनल सिम्पोजियम के दौरान हाइमरटेशन विषय पर बोलते हुए डॉक्टर श्रीभारतव ने ये भी कहा की चालीस की उस को पार कर चुके लोगों में लाइफ स्टाइल से ज़ड़ी समस्याएं होने की ज़ादा संभावना होती है क्योंकि चालीस की अवस्था के बाद व्यक्ति का शरीर परिपक्त हो चुका होता है और इस्पेलिए लोगों को अपनी उम्र के हिसाब से अपने खान पान पर ध्वान देना चाहिए।

इससे पहले सिम्मोनियम के उद्घटन भाषण में स्कूल ऑफ ओपन लर्निंग के जिस्पिल डॉक्टर उमा शंकर पांडेय ने लाइफस्टाइल से जुड़े विषयों पर आयोजित इस कार्यक्रम को आवारक बताया और कहा को आज हम देखते हैं को हममें से ज्यादातर लोग लाइफस्टाइल से जुड़ी समस्याओं से जुड़ रहे हैं और इन समस्याओं को दूर करने मे आपूर्वेद अत्यधिक लाभकारी सिद्ध हो सकता है। डॉ. पांडेय ने इस अवसर पर स्कूल ऑफ ओपन लर्निंग के द्वारा कोविंड महामारी के दौरान किए गए कार्यों पर भी प्रकात डाला और बताया को महामारी के दौरान भी स्कूल ऑफ ओपन लर्निंग के सभी शिक्षक गण और कर्मचारियों ने तमाम विपरीत परिस्थितियों के बाव-बूद भी अपने कार्यों को जारी रखा।

पीपुल्स फाउंडेशन के प्रेसिडेंट वी एन झा ने सभी गणमान्य व्यक्तियों, विषय विशेषज्ञों की उपस्थिति पर आधार प्रकट किया और सिम्मेजियम की उपयोगित पर अपने विचार रखे। वो एन झा ने पीपुल्स फाउंडेशन के बारे में बोलते हुए कहा की पीपूल्स फाउंडेशन मुख्य रूप से एक गैर लाभकारी संस्था है और इस फाउंडेशन का मकसद समाज और व्यक्तियों के सर्वांगीण विकास पर जोर देना है और इसी को ध्यान में रखकर पीपल्स फाउंडेशन पर्यावरण, हेन्थ, एग्रीकरचार जैसे विषयों पर समय-समय पर सेमिनार, वक्तराप, प्रदर्शनी जैसी वतिविधियों को आयोजित करता रहता है सिम्पोजियम में चौधरी ब्रह्म प्रकाश आयुर्वेद चरक संस्थान के प्रोफेसर और पंचकर्म विभाग के विभागान्त्रक्ष डॉ. अरुण गुना ने भी शिरकत की और लाइफ स्टाइल से चुनीतियों और उनके समाधन के बारे में विस्तार पूर्वक बताया। आत इंडिया इस्टिट्यूट ऑफआयुर्वेद के कार्याचिकत्स विभाग के एसोसिएट प्रोफेसर डॉक्टर रमा कान्त बादव ने भी लाइफ स्टाइल से जुड़ी समस्याओं को दूर करने के उनमें के बारे में बताया। इस अवसर पर ऑल ईडिया ईस्टिट्यूट ऑफ आयुर्वेद के प्रसिद्ध डॉक्टर पी के प्रजापति भी उपस्थित रहे वॉकि वर्तमान में फामां कॉपिया कमीतान ऑफ इंडियन मेडिसिन एंड होम्योपैधी के निदेशक भी हैं।

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In association with School of Learning. Delhi University. Peoples' Foundation organised a national level symposiumon "Health in your Hands "awareness Generation for behavior and lifestyle changes and early treatment of Lifestyle Disorders. The symposium was aimed to inspire people of new generation with a vision to promote holistic health, wellness as well as awareness for alternative and awareness for alternative and















