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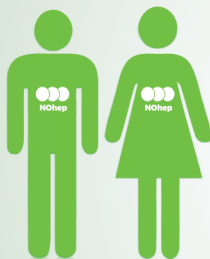
NETWORK Bangladesh

#NOhepNetwork

2018 - 2025



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NOhep activists



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Introduction



National Liver Foundation of Bangladesh (NLFB) engaged with the awareness building along with World Hepatitis Alliance since 2008. In the World Hepatitis Summit 2017, I highlighted a pyramid model of path to eliminate viral hepatitis. In which, I put special emphasis on awareness of the mass people at the grassroots level is mandatory for ELIMINATION. In the light of the ELIMINATION pyramid, NLFB designed and initiated the "NOhep Network Bangladesh" (2018 to 2025) to achieve the following goals :

- Decentralization of awareness campaign to reach the unreachable community.
- To create awareness among students.
- To minimize myths and misconception about viral hepatitis.
- To aware local civil society and religious leaders.
- Engaging local government machinery and Scaleup Government engagement.
- To aware Parliament members and local People's representative.

NOhep Network Bangladesh will greatly change the status of common people from "Don't Know Hepatitis" to "Know Hepatitis", helps to "Find the Missing Millions".

NOhep Network Bangladesh will have great Contribution for ELIMINATION by 2030.

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Bangladesh



Bangladesh, a country in South East Asia. Most of the part of the country is situated on deltas of large rivers that empties into the Bay of Bengal. It is one of the world's most densely populated countries (> 160 million). Rural population of Bangladesh is around 64 % of the total population. Bangladesh faces double burden of diseases: Non-Communicable and Communicable diseases including viral hepatitis. About 4%-7% of the population have HBV, around 1% have HCV and 3.5% of pregnant women have HBV.

Bangladesh Government has many significant achievements at health sector in recent years. Government established 13,000+ Rural community clinics to serve the mass people in the rural areas. Government of Bangladesh is also concern about the elimination of viral hepatitis but have no viral hepatitis control strategy yet.

National Liver Foundation of Bangladesh



National Liver Foundation of Bangladesh (NLFB) is a not-for-profit organization, dedicated to Prevention, Treatment, Education and Research on liver diseases in Bangladesh. The foundation works for awareness building and facilitates treatment for viral hepatitis patients with affordable cost & free for underprivileged.

NLFB is an active member of World Hepatitis Alliance (WHA) since of its inception. Engaged with every theme & awareness building activities of WHA since 2008, starting from "Am I number 12" to "NOhep". Make advocacy with the Government regarding the issue of viral hepatitis. NLFB is one of the leading NOhep campaigners of WHA. Its activities also highlighted in NOhep website. To know more about NLFB log on to www.liver.org.bd

NOhep



NOhep is a global movement uniting governments, medical professionals, patients and the hepatitis community to eliminate viral hepatitis by 2030. NOhep firmly positions itself at the forefront of the elimination conversation, showcasing exemplary leadership, fostering on the ground innovative solutions and taking action to support the policy change needed to eliminate this cancer-causing illness by 2030. To know more about NOhep log on to www.nohep.org

Background of NOhep Network Bangladesh



NLFB organized the NOhep drive in all 8 divisions of Bangladesh in 2017. The feedback from the volunteers narrated the real scenario of viral hepatitis around the country. The important facts came out that, most of the people unaware and even don't know about "viral hepatitis" and its consequences.

We realized the importance and designed a best possible model as nationwide "NOhep Network Bangladesh".



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Concept & Initiation of NOhep Network Bangladesh

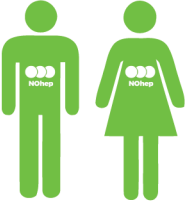
This program is to convey the message of NOhep to local community at grass root level, Government machinery, people's representative, local scientific community, Govt. community clinics, academic institutions and religious congregation destinations. This program launched on 19 May 2018. May 19 is selected in memory of observation first World Hepatitis Day by World Hepatitis Alliance in 2008.

Objectives of NOhep Network Bangladesh

NLFB will establish NOhep activists in all 64 districts of Bangladesh. Our aim is to involve 13,000+ rural Government Community Clinics of Bangladesh in this network. A "District Nohep Day" will be organized in all 64 districts in the time frame of 2018 to 2025.

NOhep Network Bangladesh : How it works

NOhep Activists



Sixty-four NOhep Activists has been selected from reputed voluntary organizations, those have shown keen interest for NOhep campaign and eager to serve the community. NOhep Activists were picked up locally from each district of Bangladesh. Every NOhep Activists will be trained up and provided with NOhep branded T-Shirt, cap, bag, awareness leaflets & posters.

They will get conveyance and communication expenses. Best NOhep Activists will be awarded regularly to motivate them.

Network of NOhep Activists

NLFB established NOhep activists in all 64 districts of Bangladesh. NOhep central cell of NLFB will monitor all the nationwide activities through an interconnected network among all activists. They will work regularly and send the update to the center. A Social media group will be used by all the members to share their activities and ideas.

Basic Work of NOhep Activists



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NOhep Activists : Area of Work

Academic Institutions

NOhep Activists will visit local School, College, University and Madrasa to aware the students. They will distribute awareness flyers and posters. They will arrange awareness Seminars, free screening and vaccination programs.

Rural Community Clinics

Activists will visit Rural Community Clinics. Inform about NOhep to the doctors and paramedics of the centers. They will provide NOhep awareness flyers for distribution among the patients. A framed NOhep awareness poster will be provided for display.

Religious centers

Activists will visit the religious congregation places and convey the awareness message of NOhep to religious leaders to pass the message among the devotees.

Local Government Administration

Activists will convey the message of NLFB on NOhep and make advocacy to the local Govt. administrations about the urgency of adoption of nationwide viral hepatitis strategy by the Government.

Parliament Member & Local People's Representative

Activists will visit Parliament Members of the district, City corporation Mayor and Peoples representatives of local Government. They will plead about the urgency of adoption of nationwide viral hepatitis strategy by the Government and raise the issue in the Parliament.

Outcome of NOhep Network Bangladesh

Mass people at grass root level, especially the unreachable community will aware. This initiative will aware the local authority, students, scientific communities and doctors. So that, everyone concern can easily accept and cooperate the viral hepatitis strategy later on adopted by the Government. A data based population survey of hepatitis B and C will be made. The feedback of this program will greatly help us to make positive advocacy to the Government regarding the issue of viral hepatitis policy. It will greatly change the status of common people from "**Don't Know Hepatitis**" to "**Know Hepatitis**". It will also contribute greatly to **Find the Missing Millions** and will minimize the barriers of ELIMINATION.