NEWS BULLETIN

EYE CARE PROGRAM MANABÍK SHAHAJYA SANGSTHA

Eye Care Program Fact Sheet

(July, 2014 to November, 2020)

Total Camps	162
Total Patients	111652
Surgery Performed	7847
Eye Glass Given	21725
Medicines Distributed	2496



DOORSTEPS EYE CARE:

ECP continued its "Doorsteps Eye Care" (DEC) program providing eye care services to the underprivileged people living in remote, rural areas of Thakurgaon and Panchagarh districts. Under the DEC program - Noyon Tori (NT) – The mobile eye clinic goes into deep rural areas and provides eye care services to the people living in the community comprising MSS microcredit members, their families and also members of the public. Thus, we have been able to take eye care services to the doorsteps of the underserved people which has made eye care more accessible. The program started last month and are currently providing reading glasses, medicines, identifying cataract surgery patients and performing surgeries at our partner hospital -Shafiuddin Ahmed Foundation (SAF).

Eleven Noyon Tori based DEC eye camps were held between November 2 to 26, 2020 at various locations covering 13 Unions of Thakurgaon and Panchagarh districts. In these camps 852 patients were screened where identified 227 cataract patients and 71 surgeries have been performed while remaining surgeries will be done during December at SAF, a partner hospital in Thakurgaon.



EYE CARE HELPLINE:

ECH continued to provide eye treatment over phone and video calls. Till November 30, ECH provided treatment to 644 patients. Among them 319 patients were male and 325 patients were female. Medicines were prescribed to 363 patients and 153 patients were referred to different hospitals.

Among 644 patients 284 were Housewife, 116 were jobholder, 90 were Businessmen, 65 were Student, 33 were retired, 24 were Farmer, 21 were Child, 7 were Teacher, and 4 were Driver.

These patients came from 34 districts of the country. The highest number of patients were from Dhaka (285), Rajshahi (106), Natore (32), Thakurgaon (28), Pabna (26), Panchagarh (20), Saidpur (19) and Bogura (17). The least number of patients came from Sylhet, Dinajpur, Jessore, Mymensingh, Netrokona, Sirajganj, and Narayanganj.

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MSS President Mr. Feroz M Hassan visited cataract surgery patient of DEC.

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