

## STATE SHOULD BECOME A HEALTHY - SHIRODKAR

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We should not be role models only as far as the development and infrastructure of the State and Country is concerned but should also concentrate on the Educational and Health sectors without any compromise. The state should become a healthy State said, Water Resources Minister and Chairman, Shree Kamaxi Devi Homeopathic College, Shri Subhash Shirodkar.

He was speaking at the Continuing Medical Education (CME) on Tuberculosis organized by the Goa Board of Homeopathy constituted by the Government of Goa in collaboration with the National Tuberculosis Elimination Programme, Directorate of Health Services at Ravindra Bhavan Margao today.

Shri Shirodkar extending gratitude for the legacy of the freedom the country had, said we have to cherish the sweet memories held across the country in various forms of celebration of Azadi Ka Amrut Mahotsav and at the same time prepare ourselves and head towards the 100<sup>th</sup> year of independence. Prime Minister played a visionary role by giving a call of Har Ghar Tiranga, he added.

Shri Shirodkar said India is a vast country and was affected by so many epidemics, illness, and sicknesses but has overcome it with the cooperation of the people and the health fraternity. Tuberculosis is also eradicated from the State. Need should not arise to use the hospitals treating tuberculosis patients at Monte Hill Margao and Tambdi Mati, St Inez and till then the homeopaths, allopaths, and all health fraternity should work and struggle, he stressed.

State Government is committed to providing the best health cover for its people. Rest and relaxed life attitude should be avoided in once life, he said, and appealed to the student to struggle in their life to excel and to attain success.

Chairman, Goa Board of Homeopathy, Shri Bipin Salkar spoke on the occasion. Chest Physician, South Goa District Hospital, Dr. Rajendra Dessai; Associate Professor, Dr. Lingraj Makdum gave a presentation on Tuberculosis as guest speakers.

Vice Chairman, Dr. Edgar Menezes was also present on the occasion. Registrar, Dr. Rajendra Kanekar welcomed while Dr. Marilyn Teles proposed a vote of thanks. Dr. Pratihtha Kunkoliekar compered.

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