



## INVITATION

## WORLD TB DAY 2022

Dear All,

**World Tuberculosis (TB) Day** is observed on **March 24** each year. The disease is being diagnosed to raise public awareness and eradicate tuberculosis worldwide (TB).

World Tuberculosis Day is an opportunity to focus on the people affected by the disease and to call for immediate action to end the TB suffering and death. March 24 marks the day in 1882 **Dr. Robert Koch** announced the discovery of the bacterium that causes tuberculosis, which paved the way for the diagnosis and cure of the disease.

The World Health Organization (WHO) had organized a special virtual talk show on March 24 to commemorate World TB Day. It drew attention to tuberculosis under the theme "Invest to End TB. Save Lives". Intensify the fight against tuberculosis and achieve pledges by global leaders to end tuberculosis.

Though it is being preventable and treatable, every day, over 4100 people die from TB and nearly 30000 people fall ill with TB disease. A **TB AWARENESS PROGRAMME** on **World TB Day** is organized in our college on **28.03.2022** at **11 am** at the Department of Spoken English.

Dr M. MAKESH KUMAR MBBS, MPH, Scientist "D" (Medical), ICMR NIRT MADURAI UNIT, Government Rajaji Hospital, Madurai has consented to deliver a Speech on TB awareness.

We warmly invite everyone to attend this awareness programme.



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