

Thalassemia and Rubella Awareness Talk

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Thalassemia cases in India are increasing rapidly. This is happening mainly through new births because of lack of awareness in the local population about this dreaded disorder. One of the main causes of spreading is Inter family marriages where the Thalassemia genes are in the family history. Thalassemia major is a life-threatening genetic blood disorder, which requires children to undergo blood transfusion from the age of 2. There is little awareness of what is Thalassemia in society and the trauma that the children and the families face.

Rubella is a contagious disease caused by a virus. For some people—especially pregnant women and their unborn babies—rubella can be serious. Make sure you and your child are protected from rubella by getting vaccinated on schedule.

"Prevention is better than cure", and that we should work on sustainable projects, Rotary Club of Mumbai Cuffe Parade launched the 'PREVENT THALASSEMIA AND RUBELLA AWARENESS CAMPAIGN' on Tuesday 28th August, 2018 at 11am. at

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION FOR THE BLIND (INDIA) HALL

Dr Annie Besant Road, Opp Old Passport Office,
Worli, Mumbai-30.

Not many people are apprised about Thalassemia and Rubella, its causes, symptoms and treatment. Rotary District 3141 has taken on the mantle to create awareness to prevent these dreaded diseases. Eminent Doctors from H. N (Reliance) Hospital Dr. Rahul Varma and Dr. Ashwin Shetty will be throwing light on the subjects.

Please join us to get more information on the above very vital topic.

Best Regards,
Interact Club of Greenlawns School, Worli.