

WORLD NO TOBACCO DAY #WNTD2022 Theme: Tobacco A Threat To Our Environment

Choose LIF Not Tobacco. JAR OF ADDICTION Awareness programme by Faith Foundation showcasing the ill effect caused by tobacco BA હારા વર્લ્ડ નો-ટોબેકો દિવસની ઉજવણી

WNTD is one of 11 official global public health campaigns marked by the WHO, and is observed every year on 31st May to make tobacco users aware of the harmful effects and the opportunities to lead a healthier life. The theme for 2022 World No Tobacco Day is "Tobacco is killing us and our planet".

















EVENTS

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	18th May & 19th May	Makarpura GIDC Tobacco Free Workplace (50 industries)	Drive For Tobacco Free Workplace In Makarpura, GIDC	Mr. Anant Christian, President Faith Foundation. Ms. Susan Samson, Project Director Faith Foundation. Staff and Interns of Faith Foundation. Vadodara Chamber of Commerce and Industry.
2	20th May	Declaration event of Makarpura GIDC Tobacco Free workplace at VCCI	Felicitation Ceremony For Successful Implementation of Tobacco Free Workplace At Makarpura, GIDC.	Dr Hitendra Patel, Chairman VMSS, Mr. Himanshu Patel, Chairman VCCI, Mr. Anant Christian, President Faith Foundation. Ms. Susan Samson, Project Director Faith Foundation. Vadodara Chamber of Commerce and Industry.
3	24th May	Awareness program at Central Bus Depot, Vadodara	To conduct drive among the people for Tobacco Free Public Transport	Mr. Jignesh Bariya and interns of MSU Law Faculty Transport Department
4	25th May	Awareness campaign at Bapod Slum	Creating Awareness on ill effects of Tobacco	Mr. Jignesh Bariya and interns of MSU Law Faculty
5	26th May	Gir Somnath District level workshop of Government officials		Mr. HH Parmar, DySP, Dr Arun Rao, CDHO, Dr. Divyesh Goswami, EMO, Akshay Agnihotri, FO, Faith Foundation. Health, Police, Education, Transport, Aditya Birla Foundation, HCL Foundation.
6	26th May	Campaign of Ranoli Tobacco free workplace (50 Industries)	To conduct drive For Tobacco Free Workplace In Ranoli, GIDC.	Mr. Anant Christian, President Faith Foundation. Ms. Susan Samson, Project Director Faith Foundation. Staff and Interns of Faith Foundation. Vadodara Chamber of Commerce and Industry, Ranoli.
7	27th May	Medical Staff Training	To sensitize the medical staff worker to spread awareness about COTPA law and its importance	Dr. Anil Chauhan (President IMA), Dr Jayesh Solanki (State Epidemiologist) Dr. Gadhvi (Urban Health), Mr. Anant Christian, President Faith Foundation. Ms. Susan Samson (Faith Foundation). State Health Office.
8	28th May	Butt Bin Distribution to 50 Vendors in VMC Area	To spread awareness about environmental threat due to cigarette butt, plastic waste, filter waste, fossil waste, paper waste	Dr Hitendra Patel, Chairman VMSS, Mr. Anant Christian, President Faith Foundation. Ms. Susan Samson, Project Director Faith Foundation. Mr. Bharat Bhai, SOG Vadodara Police.Vadodara Municipal Corporation, Vadodara City Police.

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9	30th May	Parul University worker training	To conduct TOFEI drive and awareness of COTPA law among the housekeeping and Cleaning Staff	Dr Satish Bodla, Principal/ Dean, faculty of Social work Parul University, Vinod Parmar, Coordinator Social Responsible Cell, Parul University Dr Hemang Joshi, HOD, Ayurvedic Department., Ms. Susan Samson, Project Director Faith Foundation. Faculty of Social Work, Faculty of Ayurvedic, Parul University.
10	31st May	Awareness Campaign at Gorwa	To conduct drive for COTPA law and cigarette butt disposal which is threat to enviroment	Ms. Bansari Barot, CSR Head, Prakash Chemicals, Akshay Agnihotri FO, Faith Foundation, Interns of MSU Law Faculty. Prakash Chemicals.
	31st May	Navsari agriculture university WNTD programme	To conduct awareness about COTPA law	Dr. Dilip Bhavsar, CDHO, Dr. Bhavesh Patel, EMO, Mr. Jignesh Bariya, FO Faith Foundation. Health department, Agriculture department.
12	31st May	Flash mob / Public event.	To create awareness among the people for prohibition of tobacco use on the occasion of World No Tobacco Day 2022	Mr. Anant Christian, President (Faith Foundation), Ms. Susan Samson, Project Director (Faith Foundation).Vadodara Municipal Corporation, Vadodara City Police
13	31st May	Public event with Vadodara Police at Sakarda	To conduct awareness for the Tobacco free village with collaboration of Vadodara City Police in Sakarda Village	ACP DJ Chavda, City Police, Vadodara PI Karmud, Nandesari . Vadodara City Police
14	2nd June	Orientation of future advocates at District Court, Vadodara	Orientation on role of Lawyers	Mr. Vishal Gadhvi (Senior Civil Judge/ Secretory DLSA). District Legal Services Authorities
15	5th June	# WNTD2022 Online Contest	Online Competition (Drawing/Painting, Poetry, Short Video/ Reels) organized by Faith Foundation on the occasion on World No Tobacco Day with the theme of " Tobacco Threat to Environment"	NΛ

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18th May 2022 (Makarpura GIDC Tobacco Free Workplace)



23th May 2022 Drive for Deaddiction at Central bus Depot vadodara



26th May 2022 GirSomnath District level workshop of Government officials



30th May 2022 Parul University worker training



31th May 2022 Vadodara Flash mob



20th May 2022 (Declaration event of Makarpura GIDC Tobacco Free workplace at VCCI





28th May 2022 Butt Bin distribution



26th May 2022 (Ranoli GIDC Tobacco Free Workplace)





23th May 2022 Drive for deaddiction at Central bus depo vadodara



26th May 2022 Medical Staff Training (Gandhinagar)



30th May 2022 Parul University worker training



31th May 2022 Navsari Agriculture university wntd programme



31th May 2022 Public event with Vadodara Police at Sakarda Village



31th May 2022 Awareness campaign at Gorwa



31th May 2022 Vadodara Flash mob

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Reflections



Dr. Neelam Patel (Additional Director, MoHFW, Gujarat) expressed that peer pressure; media and cinema are the major factors leading to addiction of tobacco and its products

> Dr. Jayesh Solanki (State Epidemiologist) emphasised on the fact that doctors play an important role in controlling the addiction of tobacco and its products through counselling





Adv. Anant Christian (Founder President – Faith Foundation) Judicial activism in the form of PIL have been instrumental in act formulation and stricter implementation by giving each enlightened citizen the right to health and also constitutional remedy. Implementation of COTPA 2003 is an exemplary evidence of the same along with that need of rehabilitation.

Susan Samson (Director Program, Faith Foundation) It is imperative to understand that tobacco is not only a health and economic threat but also an environmental threat with the plastic, paper, foil and cigarette butts littering the land and oceans. Tobacco is a threat to the environment, the only one planet we have





Dr. Hitendra Patel (Standing Committee Chairman Municipal Corporation of Vadodara) highlighted the fact that Tobacco products not only harms the human body but equally damages the environment due to plastic waste disposal. So each individual should take due responsibility to avoid this damage to the environment.

Mr. Akshay Agnihotri (Field Officer, Faith Foundation)Quitting Tobacco use is foremost important step for saving the environment. Each year tons of waste is added to the landfills causing a great damage to our planet. Let's be Environment, Health and Society friendly and Quit the use of Tobacco today



Aditya Singh (BALLB, MSU Baroda) Smoking is like cutting onion it affects you and the people beside you. Tobacco smoke contains chemicals that weaken the body's immune system, making it more susceptible to disease. Swear by a slogan - "Commit to Quit"

List of Team members

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- 3. Pravin Dubey (Counselor)
- 4. Vedant Makwana (Volunteer)
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