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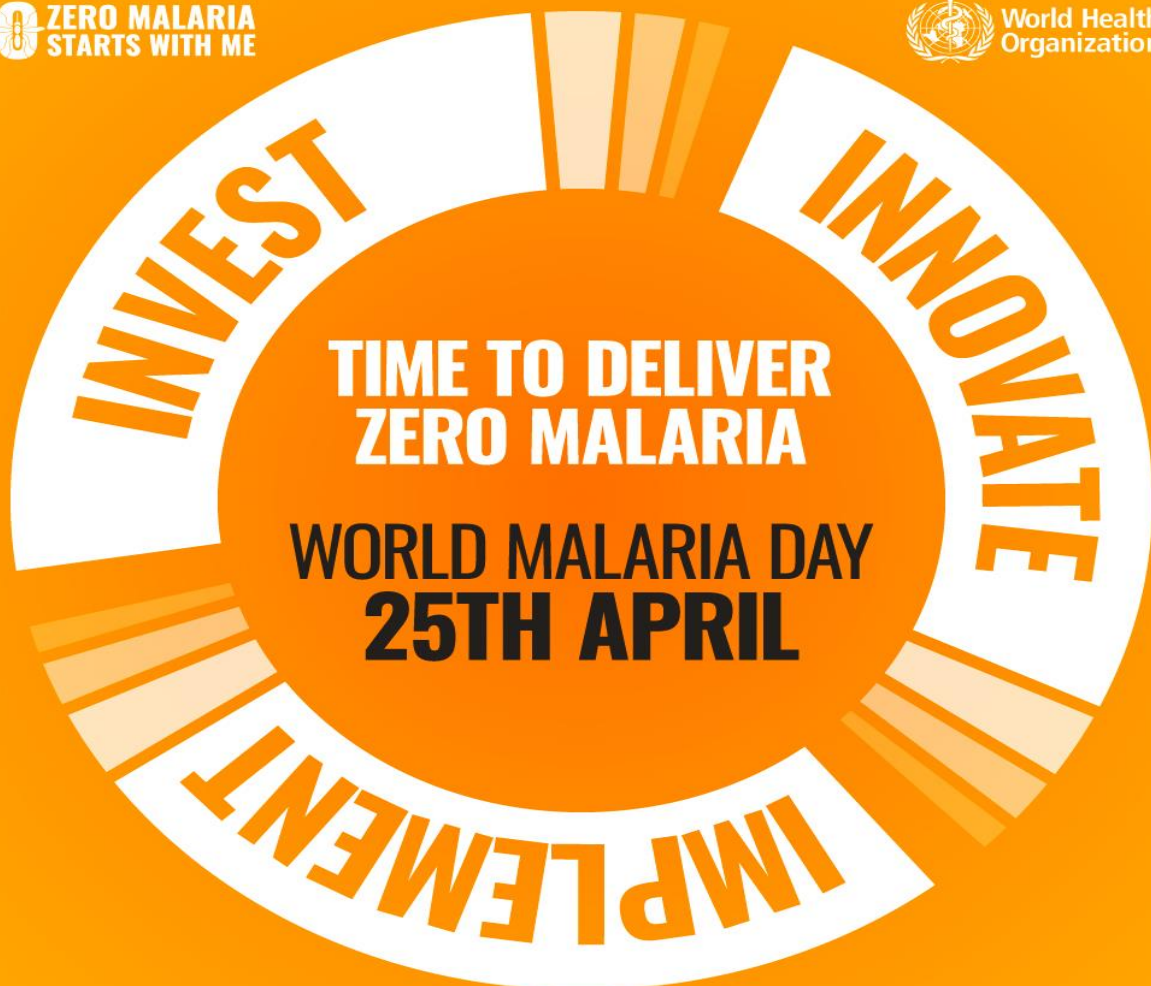
DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNITY MEDICINE

WORLD MALARIA DAY

25-04-2023

 **ZERO MALARIA
STARTS WITH ME**

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Invites you all to the

WORLD MALARIA DAY – 2023

Theme: “Time to deliver zero Malaria :

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Event: Role play

Timing: 10.00 Am onwards

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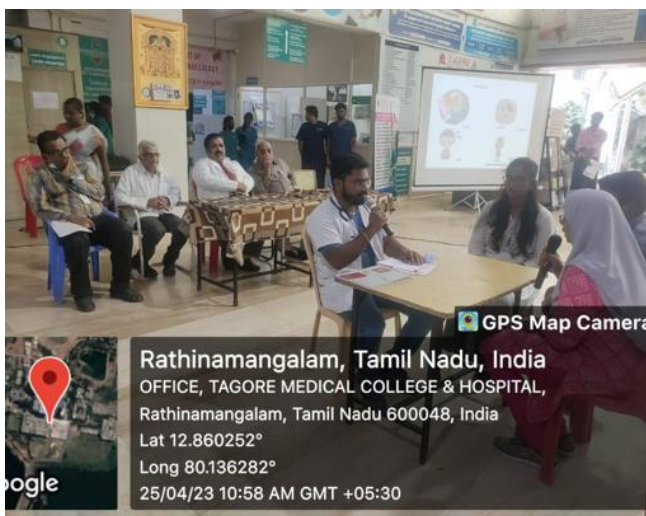
Objective : To create awareness about Malaria among the patients.

Brief summary of the programme

- World Malaria Day is observed annually on April 25 to raise awareness about Malaria and the efforts to end the global endemic , marking the day November 6, 1880 when the agent causing Malaria was discovered.
- World Malaria Day 2023, with the theme **Time to deliver zero Malaria : Invest , Innovate , Implement** , Within this theme WHO tends to focus on the third “[i](#)” [implement](#) and notably the critical importance of reaching marginalized populations with the tools and strategies that are readily available .
- To commemorate World Malaria Day 2023, WHO is urging countries affected by malaria in the South-East Asia Region and globally to accelerate the reach of high-impact tools and strategies to prevent, detect and treat malaria, with a focus on reaching the most vulnerable, ensuring that no person or population is left behind.
- WHO is calling for action in several key areas. First, strengthening capacity at the sub-national level, with a focus on identifying clear and actionable goals, increasing resource allocations, and empowering local decision-makers.
- Second, shifting power to the peripheries, with a focus on increasing cross-border collaboration, especially in high-burden countries neighbouring countries on the verge of elimination
- Third, ensuring adequate and sustained financing for malaria programmes, recognizing that transitions in funding must be anticipated, planned for and implemented gradually, based on a time-bound strategy.

- Fourth, transforming surveillance into a core malaria intervention, ensuring that last-mile barriers are identified and overcome.
- Fifth, accelerating high-impact innovations, not just in diagnostics and treatments, but also in service delivery, in line with the Region's primary health care approach to achieving universal health coverage – since 2014, one of eight Flagship Priorities in the Region.
- As a part of awareness programme, a role play was organised and performed by CRMLs posted at department of community medicine on 25th April .
- The Role play highlighted the signs and symptoms, investigations and management of a case of malaria .The Role play also highlighted the services available at Tagore medical college and hospital.The Welcome address and Introduction was given by Dr.C.Sivagurunathan (Professor, Department of Community Medicine) , Key note was given by Dean Dr.Muthukumaran , the role play was summarised by Dr.A.Vikram (Assistant Professor Department of community medicine) , special note was given by Dr.Subramanian and the thank you note was given by Hod Dr.Ramesh Harihara Iyer.
- Patients and Undergraduate students also participated as audience and gave their feedback at the end of the programme.
- The programme was graced by Dean- Dr.J.Muthukumaran, vice principal Dr.Gopalan , Special Officer – Dr.Thirunarayanan

Role play



Malaria is preventable and curable

Time is of the essence when detecting and treating malaria

Ask your local health provider for a **malaria rapid diagnostic test** which is simple to perform and gives quick results

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The Role Play was Organized by the Department Of Community Medicine