

THE DEPARTMENT OF EMPOWERMENT OF PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES (DEPWD) TO ORGANISE A 'SAMAJIK ADHIKARITA SHIVIR' FOR DISTRIBUTION OF AIDS AND ASSISTIVE DEVICES TO DIVYANGJAN AND SENIOR CITIZENS AT TIKAMGARH IN MADHYA PRADESH TOMORROW

Relevant for: Developmental Issues | Topic: Rights & Welfare of Persons with Disability including Mentally Ill People - Schemes & their Performance, Mechanisms, Laws Institutions and Bodies

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Dr. Virendra Kumar, in the presence of local public representatives, will also inaugurate a Swavlamban Kendra of National Handicapped Finance Development Corporation (NHFDC) alongwith ALIMCO ASSRA (ALIMCO-Authorized Sale and Services Repair Agency center) for Divyang Beneficiary Registration & Assistive device repair service Center.

A total of 6561 aids and assistive devices valued Rs. 2.32 crore will be distributed free of cost to 1092 Divyangjan and 479 Senior Citizens at Block/Panchayat levels by following the SOP prepared by the Department in view of COVID-19 Pandemic.

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