

## NEW DELHI MUNICIPAL COUNCIL

➤ **Cancer detection check-up to be conducted for safai sevaks**

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On the basis of the health checkup report of safai sevaks of New Delhi Municipal Council (NDMC), conducted in last year, wherein 87 safai sevaks were found to have pre-cancerous lesion and 31 percent suffering from hypertension, the NDMC has decided to organise health check for over 1500 safai sevaks of more than 40 years age this year on regular basis. This was disclosed by NDMC Chairman while speaking at ‘Cancer Awareness Workshop’ organized by NDMC on the occasion of World Health Day here [today](#).

The Chairman said that one should get rid of the bad habits of smoking and tobacco chewing by adopting the hobbies like reading, music, painting etc. for maintaining good health and physical fitness. He added that this dreaded disease is not only end the life of a cancer patient but also destroyed the social and economic fabric of the family. He further said that the NDMC in collaboration with Indian Cancer Society will organise sustained Cancer Awareness Campaign in NDMC area to spread the message of prevention of the Cancer disease.

The Council is committed to provide healthy working atmosphere and conditions to its safai sevaks and as many as 67 Roll Call Centres having all basic civic amenities would be constructed by the end of June this year and out of which seven already had been commissioned , he said.

Besides the senior officers of NDMC, over 500 safai sevaks had attended the workshop and nukkad nataks and educational films based on prevention of cancer were also presented.



Photo shows Chairman, NDMC speaking at the Cancer Awareness Workshop.  
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