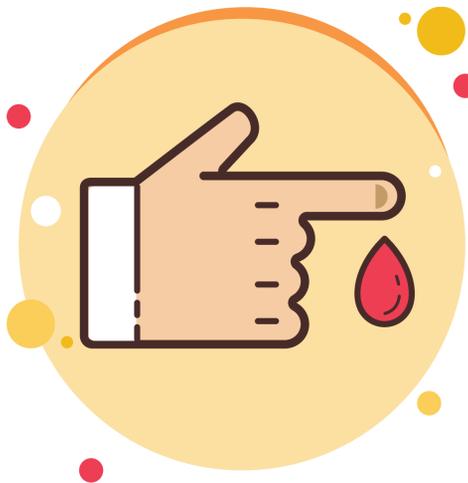
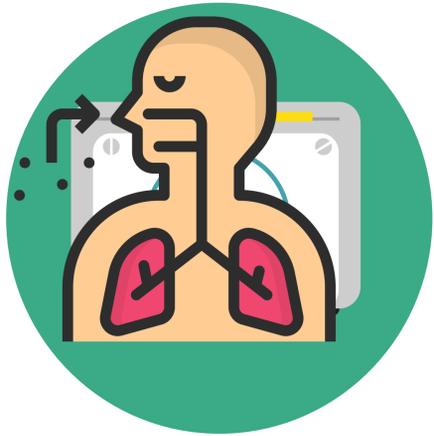
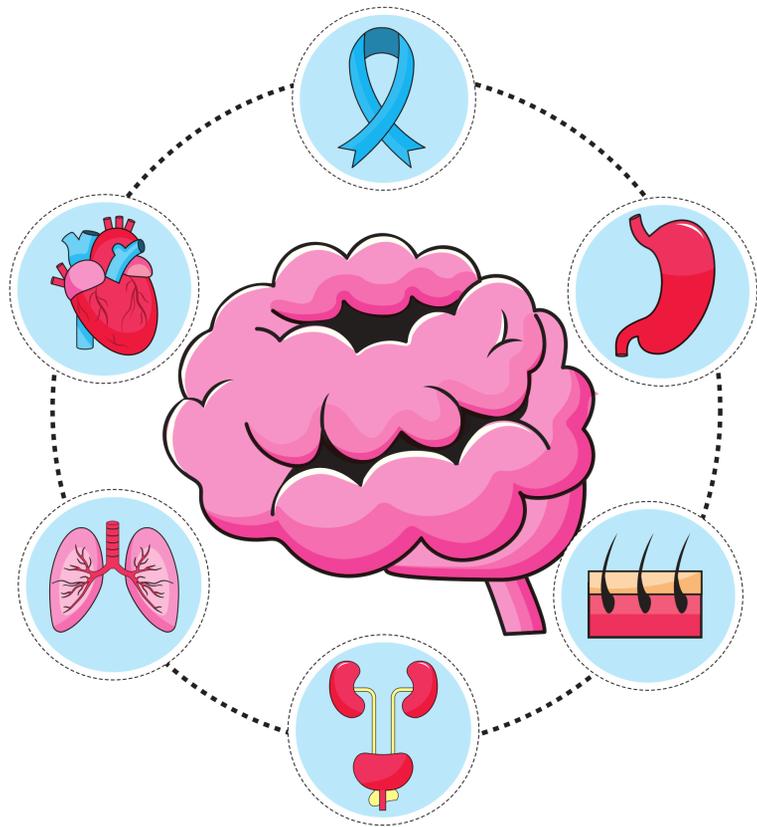


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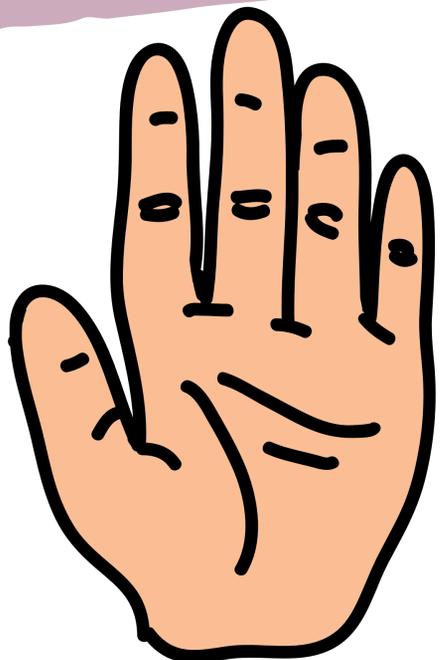
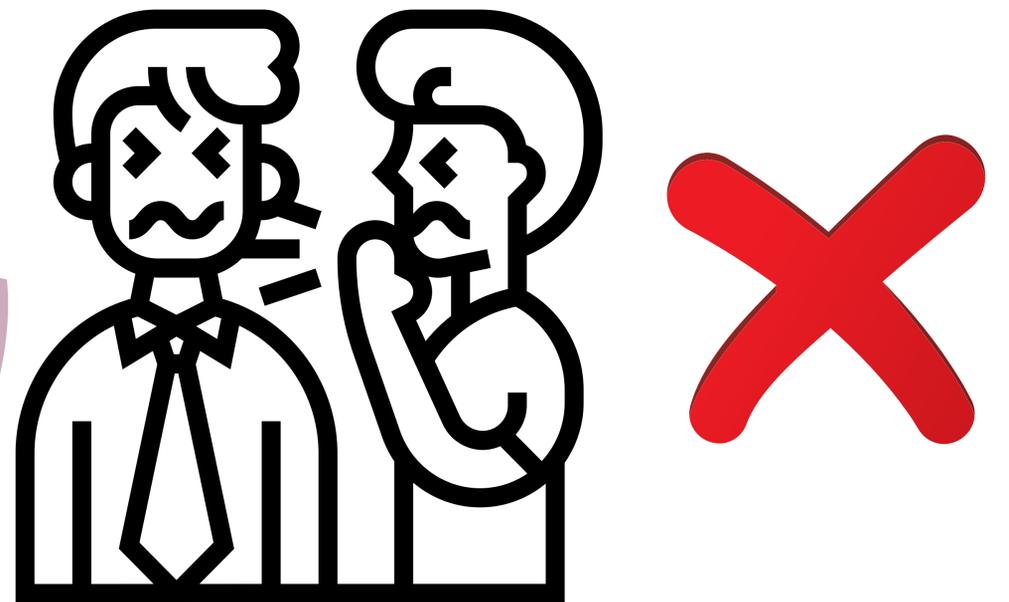


ABOUT



Non-communicable diseases, also known as **chronic diseases**, tend to be of long duration and are the result of a combination of genetic, physiological, environmental and behavioural factors.

They are not transmissible directly from one person to another.



NCDs

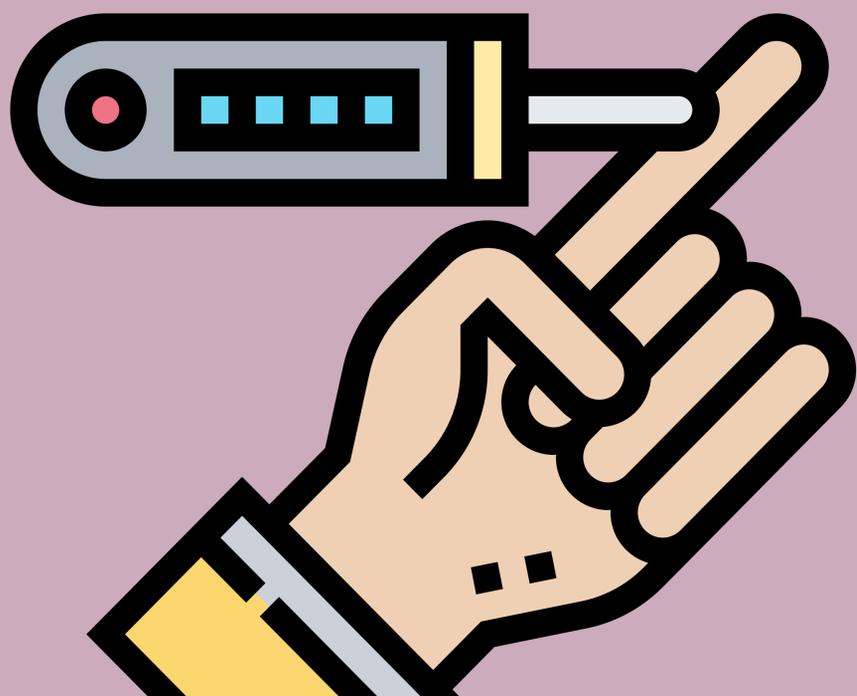
There are five major types of NCDs



Cancer, Chronic respiratory disease,
Stroke, Cardiovascular diseases,
Diabetes

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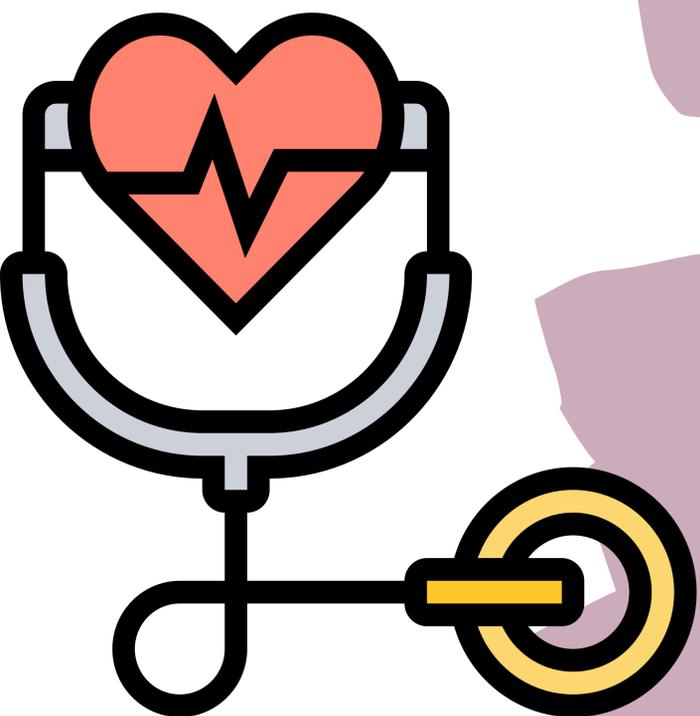
Cardiovascular diseases are at the top, in 2016 a staggering 28.1% of all deaths in India were caused by heart conditions.



Diabetes is also responsible for a majority of morbidity and mortality in the country. Mental health and injuries also have a considerable burden.

GOVERNMENT INITIATIVES TO CURB NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASE

Ayushman Bharat: Under Ayushman Bharat 1,50,000 existing Sub- Health Centres (SHCs) and Primary Health Centres (PHCs) are being upgraded to Health & Wellness Centres (HWCs) which will be capable of screening NCDs like hypertension, diabetes, Cardiovascular disease, oral and breast cancer free of cost.



NPCDCS: The National Programme for Prevention and Control of Cancer, Diabetes, Cardiovascular Diseases and Stroke (NPCDCS) under the National Health Mission (NHM) is an effort by the Central Government which supplements State Government's effort. The objectives of the programme include health promotion activities and opportunistic screening for common NCDs including cancer.

AMRIT STORE: Affordable Medicines and Reliable Implants for Treatment (AMRIT) Deendayal outlets have been opened in different Institutions/Hospitals. Its objective is to make available Cancer and Cardiovascular Diseases drugs and implants at discounted prices to the patients.

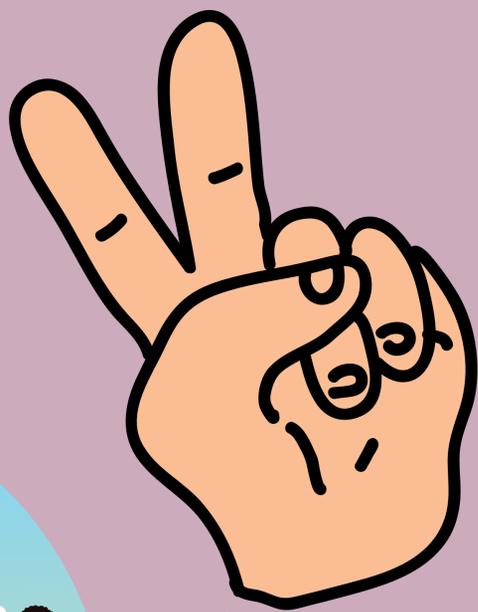
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ABOUT NATIONAL HEALTH MISSION

It is an initiative of Ministry of Health and family welfare.





The National Health Mission (NHM) encompasses its two Sub-Missions,



the National Rural Health Mission (NRHM)

the National Urban Health Mission (NUHM)

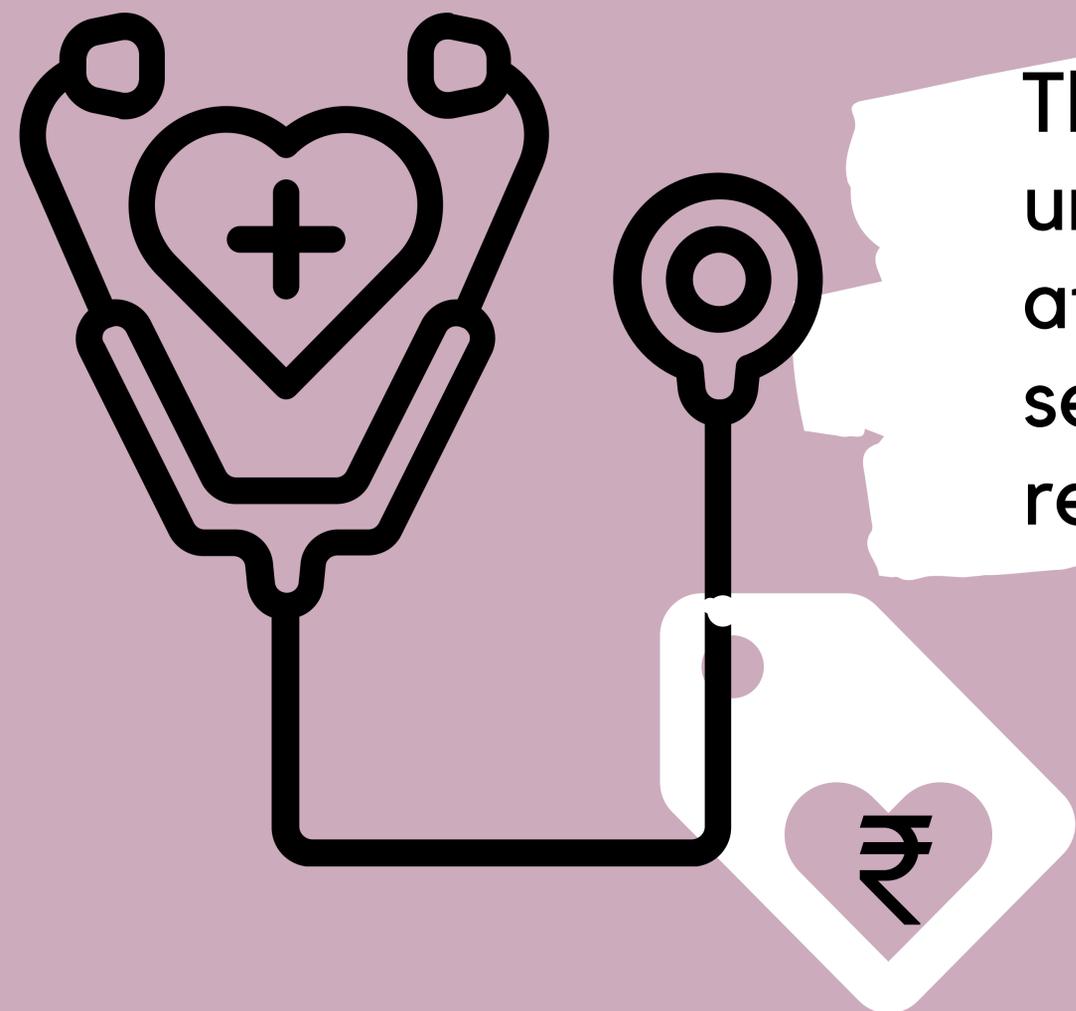


The main programmatic components include Health System Strengthening, Reproductive-Maternal- Neonatal- Child and Adolescent Health (RMNCH+A), and Communicable and Non-Communicable Diseases.



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The NHM envisages achievement of universal access to equitable, affordable & quality health care services that are accountable and responsive to people's needs.

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Various programmes like ASHA, Janani suraksha yojana has been undertaken.

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