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Inaugural Ceremony of AMPICON-2019

(Left to Right: Dr. Ashis Mukhopadhyay, Oncologist & Chairman, Organising Committee; Mrs Sudesh Dhankhar, First Lady of West Bengal; Shri Jagdeep Dhankhar, Hon'ble Governor of West Bengal; Shri G. Nageswara Rao, Chairman, AERB)

Chairman AERB inaugurated palliative treatment unit of Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Cancer Hospital, Kolkata on November 7, 2019. He visited other facilities of radiotherapy & nuclear medicine there.



Chainman, AERB inaugurating the Palliative Care Ward, Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Cancer Institute - Kolkata on November 7, 2019.



Chainman, AERB interacting at the Palliative Care Ward, Netaji Subhash Chandra Bose Cancer Institute - Kolkata on November 7, 2019.

Eastern Regional Regulatory Centre (ERRC) of AERB is under construction at Rajarhat, Newtown, Kolkata. Chairman, AERB along with Officer In-Charge, ERRC visited the ERRC building and interacted with various personnel from Directorate of Construction & Estate Management (DCSEM) and Variable Energy Cyclotron Centre (VECC). He interacted with the officers of ERRC, Kolkata posted at VECC campus and gave suggestions on different facets of work.



Photograph: Visit to AERB-AMD Building under Construction at Rajarhat, Kolkata

He visited various facilities at VECC, Kolkata. During his visit he interacted with the officials of VECC at K-130 Cyclotron, Super Conducting Cyclotron (SCC), Radioactive Ion Beam (RIB) Project and Department of Atomic Energy (DAE) Medical Cyclotron Project at Chackgaria which is under commissioning stage.



Chairman, AERB visiting DAE Medical Cyclotron, Kolkata on November 7, 2019

He delivered a Lecture on "Pursuit of AERB for safe use of Radiation for societal benefit" at Ajai Divatia Lecture Hall, VECC on November 8, 2019 & interacted with various staffs of VECC. He mentioned that in the endeavour for ensuring safety, it is of immense importance that all of us the regulators, the facility owners, the operators and other stakeholders understand and appreciate their respective roles and responsibilities well. That will help us in addressing the special challenges involved in ensuring nuclear, radiological, fire and industrial Safety in the facilities, towards achieving the goal of high standards of productivity and protection of people and the environment.





Chairman, AERB Delivering Lecture at VECC and interacting with staffs of VECC