

ICAR-NRC ON YAK CELEBRATED WORLD VETERINARY DAY'2020

ICAR-National Research Centre on Yak (NRCY) organized the **World Veterinary Day'2020** in Dirang campus of the institute on 25th April'2020 taking all the preventive measures of Covid-19 including social distancing during the meeting in the auditorium with limited scientific, administrative and financial staffs of the institute.



Presentation in progress

In this connection, Dr. Shyam Sundar Choudhary, newly recruited Scientist (Vety. Medine) was entrusted to prepare ppt on this year's World Veterinary Day theme "***Environmental protection for improving animal and human health***". He prepared the same and sent to the institute by e-mail from his home at Rajasthan as he could not make himself available due to Nationwide Lock Down. Dr. D. Medhi, Senior Scientist cum I/C Extension of the institute made the same power point presentation. While presenting, Dr. Medhi described how environment is interrelated to animal and human health, different harmful aspects on the environment that affect animals and humans, the protective issues thereof and the role and responsibility of veterinarians for maintaining good health of animals and human being as well under such challenges. Dr. P. Chakravarty, Chairman cum Director, of the institute in his



A view of Audience

deliberation urged upon all the staffs for maintaining a pollution free environment of the campus, particularly during this COVID-19 crisis. He also suggested the gatherings to take up strict preventive measures against Covid-19 following ICAR guidelines for welfare of the staff, neighbours, farmers, the society as a whole, and the yaks in Nyukmadung Farm as well.

Dr. V. Paul and Dr. Joken Bam expressed their views on the occasion, particularly on increasing population and environmental pollutants & emerging diseases like Corona, respectively, which have tremendous effects on environment that consequently affect both animal and human health. Dr. Vijay Paul while thanking all the staff, employees for their active participation, appreciated Dr. Shyam Sundar Choudhary for his contribution though ppt prepared for the purpose.