



REPORT ON FLASH MOB ACTIVITY AT 50th WORLD LUNG CONFERENCE, HYDERABAD



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Short Report

FLASH MOB STAGED AT 50TH WLC, HYDERABAD

FLASH MOB STAGED ACKNOWLEDGING ILL-EFFECTS OF TOBACCO AT 50th THE UNION WORLD CONFERENCE ON LUNG HEALTH AT HYDERABAD ON 30th OCTOBER, 2019.

A **flash mob** activity was conducted by the artists group of EVIBE (Event organizer) at 50th World Lung Conference to aware the people about the ill effects of smoking. It was appreciated by various senior officials from renowned National and International organizations including Bihar Health Minister Mr Mangal Pandey, along with Dr. Swasticharan, CMO – MoHFW, Jt.



level dignitaries from various department and was staged during 50th The Union World Conference on Lung Health at Hyderabad on 30 October 2019. The Union World Conference on Lung Health is the world's largest gathering of clinicians and public health workers, health programme managers, policymakers, researchers and

advocates working to end the suffering caused by lung disease, with a focus specifically on the challenges faced by low-and lower-middle income populations. Of the 10 million people who die each year from lung diseases, some 80 percent live in these resource-limited settings. The conference theme, *'Ending the Emergency: Science, Leadership, Action'*, focuses on what is



needed to ensure commitments become action, and that lifesaving targets are met.

As host country to the conference, India provides a unique backdrop to discussions on ending TB Tobacco and lung disease with the current highest burden of TB and Tobacco in the world.

The conference theme

resonates strongly with TB, but it also raises awareness that all threats to lung health – TB, air pollution, tobacco and many more – are emergencies that our science, leadership and action needs to meet head on.

The flash mob urged delegates from over 120 countries during the conference to stay away from tobacco and substance abuse.

Beside it showcased about the forthcoming National Conference on Tobacco or Health (NCTOH) to be held at PGIMER from 25th - 27th September 2020.

