Remember:

National Deworming Day: **10 August 2016**
Mop-up day: _____ **August 2016**
Date of submission of school reporting form: _____ **August 2016**

Note:

1) Behind this page is the National Deworming Day reporting form
2) Separate the reporting form from the handout
3) Ensure that the headmaster compiles the correct data into the reporting form and submits it in time to the ANM

Reporting Guidelines for School

**Recording:**
- On National Deworming Day, along with giving the tablet, every teacher will mark a single tick (✓) next to each dewormed child's name in the class register
- On mop-up day, along with giving the tablet every teacher will mark a double tick (✓✓) next to each dewormed child's name in the class register

**Reporting:**
- Every teacher will count the number of ticks on the form after deworming and mop-up day separately and report this number to the headmaster
- The headmaster must ensure the accuracy of the reported data before filling it into the form. Designate teachers to ensure correct counting
- The headmaster will compile the reported data from all classes into the School Reporting Form and submit to the ANM on time along with the leftover tablets
- Keep one copy of the form in your school for records and verification purposes.
On National Deworming Day, Swati goes to school and has the deworming tablet.

Swati now feels healthy and tells her friends about the importance of deworming.

Other practices to reduce worm infections, in addition to deworming:

- Keep your nails clean and short
- Always drink clean water
- Keep food covered
- Wash fruits and vegetables with clean water
- Wash your hands with soap, especially before eating and after using the toilet
- Keep your surroundings clean
- Wear shoes
- Do not defecate in the open. Always use a toilet

Talk to your community about these preventive measures.

It is your responsibility to keep Swati free from worms.
Swati often defecates in the open, like other children in her village.

She plays outdoors barefoot and often eats food without washing her hands.

Lately, Swati's mother has noticed that she often complains of stomach ache.

Swati has diarrhoea and has become really weak. Because of this, she is unable to attend school regularly.

Teacher, why does Swati keep complaining of stomach ache?

Swati might be suffering from worm infection.

Key Points About Worm Infection

What are worms?
Worms are parasites that thrive on nutrition from the human intestine.

Worm Transmission Cycle
1. An infected child contaminates soil with faeces containing worm eggs. These eggs develop into larvae in the soil.
2. Other children are infected by eggs ingested through food or dirty hands, or by larvae penetrating the skin.
3. In an infected child, eggs and larvae develop into adult worms, which produce eggs and have an ill effect on the child's health.

Worm infection in children can spread through:
- Playing outside barefoot
- Eating food without washing hands
- Defecating in the open
- Unclean surroundings

Three types of worms most commonly found in children
- Round worms
- Whip worms
- Hook worms

Impact of worm infection on children
- Anaemia
- Nutritional impairment
- Loss of appetite
- Weakness and anxiety
- Stomach ache, nausea, vomiting, and diarrhoea
- Weight loss

Benefits of deworming children:
Direct benefits:
- Controls anemia
- Improves nutritional uptake

Indirect benefits:
- Helps improve concentration, capacity to learn, and attendance at school/anganwadi
- Helps improve work potential and livelihood opportunity
- Benefits the community by reducing worms in the environment

Albendazole tablet helps control worm infection

10 August 2016
National Deworming Day
On this day, all children aged 1-19 will be given the deworming tablet free-of-cost in schools and anganwadis
Your role as a teacher on National Deworming Day

**Before National Deworming Day**

**Checklist of necessary material**
- Sufficient drugs
- Keep the ANM’s and nearest healthcare centre’s contact number handy
- National Deworming Day reporting form
- Generate awareness about National Deworming Day among children, parents, and community members
- Inform children about National Deworming Day during morning assembly and in class
- Inform parents about the date of National Deworming Day to ensure maximum attendance
- Display posters and other IEC properly for maximum visibility

**On National Deworming Day**

Ensure availability of following:
- Clean drinking water and glasses
- Sufficient tablets
- Spoons to crush the tablets
- Emergency phone numbers
- Attendance register
- ASHA should encourage all children who did not receive deworming tablet on NDD to attend school on mop-up day

**After National Deworming Day**

- Teachers should compile all records of deworming and mop-up days in the attached reporting form and share with the headmaster
- Headmasters should compile the reported numbers from all classes into the School Reporting Form and submit it to the ANM by ____August 2016.
- Encourage parents and children to keep their surroundings clean to prevent further worm infection
**Teacher Training Handout**

**Remember**

1. **FULL**
   - Albendazole 400mg (chewable tablet)
   - Children aged 6-19 should be given one full tablet

2. Ask children to chew the tablet.
   - Make sure drinking water is available
   - Administer the tablet to the child yourself and do not give it to parents to be taken home

3. Along with giving the tablet, ensure that you mark a single tick (✓) next to each dewormed child’s name in the class register

4. Do not give the tablet to children who are sick or have had some other medication

5. Children who could not be dewormed on National Deworming Day must be given the tablet on mop-up day. Also, be sure to mark double ticks (✓✓) next to each dewormed child’s name in the class register

6. Count the number of ticks (✓) and (✓✓) on the form after deworming and mop-up day. Hand over this information along with left over tablets to your headmaster

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**This tablet is safe for both children and adults**

- Sometimes children will show mild symptoms of nausea, mild abdominal pain, vomiting, diarrhoea and fatigue which can be expected if they have worms. Please do not panic. Follow the adverse event management protocol
- Any adverse events are temporary and generally can be managed easily at the school
- In case of an adverse event, make the child lie down in an open, shaded area and give the child water to drink
  - Albendazole is an easily chewable tablet. Still if the child chokes on part of the tablet, make the child bend over on your lap and pat the child on the back until the tablet comes out
- Call _____ for any medical assistance

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**Frequently Asked Questions:**

1. **Why should I give the deworming tablet to all children, even though some children do not appear sick?**
   - It is essential to deworm all children reduce worm infection in the community
   - Children can carry worms for a long time and not have visible symptoms. But it has long-term impact on the health, educational, and overall well-being of the child. The deworming tablet helps control worm infection
   - The deworming tablet is safe and effective for all children. WHO and Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India recommends this treatment on National Deworming Day. It is not possible to screen every child for worm infection, so it is better to give this tablet to children aged 1-19 on a designated day (National Deworming Day)
   - The deworming tablet helps in overall physical and mental development

2. **Can this tablet be given on an empty stomach?**
   - Yes, this tablet can be given on an empty stomach also. Instruct children to chew the tablet properly. For children aged 1-2, give half of a crushed tablet mixed in water

3. **Why have I been given the responsibility of reporting on National Deworming Day?**
   - Timely reporting of each dewormed child is crucial because this helps to determine the success of the program. Your role is important in this process

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**Important Information:**

- Ensure that you receive all material in the National Deworming Day kit at the time of training:
  - [ ] Tablets + This handout + IEC + Reporting Form = National Deworming Day Kit
- After your training, share what you learnt and the training material with other teachers in your school
- Fulfill your role in this program with enthusiasm and play a part in giving children a brighter future
# SCHOOL REPORTING FORMAT

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**Type of school**
- Govt./govt. aided school ( )
- Private school ( )

Did someone from the school attend the official training on NDD (Yes/No)

## Albendazole Coverage

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Any others

**GRAND TOTAL** of number of children who were administered Albendazole (B = 1 + 2 + 3 + 4)

Number of adverse events reported from the School (submit adverse event reporting format as applicable)

## Logistic Details

Total No. of Albendazole tablets given to the School

Total No. of Albendazole tablets administered to the children by the School (total of both National Deworming Day and Mop-Up day)

Stock of Albendazole tablets left with School

**Name of the Signatory**
- (School Headmaster)

**Signature**
- (School Headmaster)

Date of submission of form

Contact number of Headmaster:

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You may call up the State Office (Name: ___ / Phone: ___) for any assistance required

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SCHOOL WORKER SUBMIT THIS FORM TO ANM BY AUGUST ------ 2016

ANM WILL SUBMIT ALL THE SCHOOL REPORTING FORMS TO BLOCK BY AUGUST ------2016

**Note:** Headmaster will prepare two copies of this form. One copy will be submitted to ANM while the second copy will be kept in the school for record and verification purposes.