

Report on One Day Local Level CRE Program

The Composite Regional Centre for Skill Development, Rehabilitation, and Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities (CRCSRE) – Guwahati, functioning under the administrative control of Swami Vivekanand National Institute of Rehabilitation Training and Research (SVNIRTAR), Department of Empowerment of Persons with Disabilities, Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment, Government of India, organized a One Day Local Level (Offline) Continuing Rehabilitation Education (CRE) Program on 05th August 2025.

Topic of the Program:

“Rehabilitation Approaches for Muscular Dystrophy”

This CRE program was **approved by the Rehabilitation Council of India (RCI), New Delhi** and aimed to enhance the knowledge and clinical skills of rehabilitation professionals in addressing the multifaceted challenges of Muscular Dystrophy through evidence-based therapeutic and management approaches.

Program Coordination:

- **Coordinator:** Dr. Mantu Paul (PT), Lecturer – Physiotherapy
- **Co-coordinators:**
 - Dr. Aziza Karim, Clinical Assistant – Speech & Hearing
 - Dr. Monika Megha (PT), Physiotherapist – CDEIC

Inaugural Session:

The program commenced with a **welcome address by Dr. P. K. Lenka**, Director, CRCSRE – Guwahati. He highlighted the significance of multidisciplinary rehabilitation strategies in managing Muscular Dystrophy and encouraged professionals to continually upgrade their skills to better serve persons with disabilities.

Technical Sessions:

A total of **six pre-approved technical sessions** were conducted during the day by **eminent resource persons**, covering a wide range of topics related to the assessment, intervention, therapeutic advancements, and assistive technologies in the rehabilitation of individuals with Muscular Dystrophy. These sessions provided in-depth insights and practical knowledge beneficial for various rehabilitation professionals.

Participation:

The program witnessed active participation from 48 registered professionals, including physiotherapists, occupational therapists, speech-language pathologists, special educators, and other stakeholders from the disability and rehabilitation sector.

Conclusion:

The event concluded with a vote of thanks, acknowledging the efforts of all resource persons, participants, and organizing members. Participation certificates were distributed to all attendees as a token of recognition for their involvement and commitment to professional development.

Photographs:



