

AMRI Hospitals, Bhubaneswar Organizes Basic Life support and First-Aid Training Programme for the Fire Personnel of Odisha

<u>Bhubaneswar, 29th June, 2015:</u> AMRI Hospitals, Bhubaneswar, a Super Specialty Hospital from AMRI Hospitals Ltd, one of the largest and fastest growing hospital chains in Eastern India, organized a basic Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation (CPR) and First Aid Training Programme for the fire department personnel of Odisha.

The programme was inaugurated by Shri M Nageswara Rao, IPS, Addl. D G Police & Fire services, Govt. of Odisha. More than 40 personnel from the State Fire Service attended the training session. Speaking on the occasion, Shri Rao, said "It is really a significant initiative by AMRI Hospitals Bhubaneswar to arrange such a useful learning programme for the fire personnel. Human life is precious. Like Doctors, fire personnel also shoulder similar responsibility to save people's life. The knowledge gained thus should be put to effective use and also shared among the peers. This is just the beginning. We would like to continue with similar initiatives in future and request AMRI Hospitals to be a partner towards such endeavor."

Addressing the fire personnel, **Shri S. N. Tiwari, IPS (Retd) Ex. DG Police, Govt. of Odisha,** the Guest of Honour, appreciated the initiative taken by the AMRI Hospitals Bhubaneswar. He also expressed his satisfaction about the way the fire department of Odisha has shaped up under the guidance and leadership of Shri M. Nageswar Rao, Addl. D G Police & Fire services, Govt. of Odisha. He also lauded the role played by the fire department in saving many lives during "PHYLINE" for which Govt. of Odisha was awarded by the Central Government.

In a day- long programme, the participants were given hands on training on First Aid and Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation, shifting a victim from the site of occurrence of disaster / accident to a hospital or triage area in mass casualty, by the team of specialty Doctors of AMRI Hospitals Bhubaneswar.

Adm (Dr) Salil Kr Mohanty, SM VSM, VP, AMRI Hospitals, Bhubaneswar welcomed the dignitaries and the participants. Speaking on the occasion he highlighted AMRI Hospitals Ltd's commitment to society in providing preventive healthcare and also the various initiatives taken by AMRI Hospital, Bhubaneswar. He also stressed the importance of providing expert First Aid to the victims at the site within the "GOLEDN HOUR" period.

Early this month, AMRI Hospitals, Bhubaneswar had conducted a similar exercise for the Police personnel of Odisha that witnessed an overwhelming response.

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