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Sub: Celebration of National DNA Day – April 25th 2025-reg.

Dear Members,

Greetings from ISHA!!

The Indian Speech-Language and Hearing Association is pleased to announce the observance of National DNA Day on April 25th, 2025, led by EC Member (Private Practice), The day commemorates the discovery of the DNA double helix and the completion of the Human Genome Project.

This initiative aims to highlight the genetic links in communication disorders and promote the role of Audiologists & Speech-Language Pathologists (ASLPs) in understanding and addressing genetically rooted hearing and speech conditions.

Target Professionals: Audiologist and Speech-language Pathologist working in Hospitals


Proposed Activities:

- Awareness Campaigns (Online & Offline)
 - Social media info graphics and reels
 - Educational posters and pamphlets
- Expert & recorded video Talks
 - Genetics and Hearing loss
 - DNA and Neurodevelopmental Disorders affecting Speech
 - Speech delay and syndromic screening
 - Referral for genetic counselling
 - DNA and Speech Disorders
 - Collaboration with Geneticists

We encourage all members, especially Audiologist and Speech-language Pathologist working in Hospitals, private practitioners, institutions, and students, to actively participate and showcase their efforts using the hashtag #DNAdayISHA2025 across social media platforms.

For queries or contributions, please contact: Chair-Private Practice, Mr. Ram Pravesh Kumar, chair.privatepractice@ishaindia.org.in

Yours Sincerely,


(Dr. Namita Joshi)
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NATIONAL DNA DAY

“From Genes to Voices: Empowering Hearing and Communication Through Science and Care”



APRIL 25



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