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Namaste,

I hope this mail finds you both (families) in good health. I am really sorry for late update. The circumstances were unfavorable due to covid.

I am doing well along with my family. I was busy doing surgeries and became the surgeon doing most operations during early period of covid. So I was in social medias for few days ie Kantipur TV (Dr Kantipur), National News Paper like Gorkhapatra.

Updates in Project.

We have already started building toilets but the pace is slow due to Covid. The people from Villages are more afraid than urban People. I went for follow up during Dasain time but girls and women weren't comfortable like before. The only reason I am doctor coming from Kathmandu because Kathmandu is considered as hot spot. However I was able to see leaders and got follow up. No bad experience at all.

I don't think I will be able to gathering for more few months. I hope you might be aware of political unstability too.

I will be visiting school next month so that I can send you pics of toilet too. I am planning to do programme once schools are open.

I am always curious on knowing how things are going on your side too. How are you coping with this Pandemic?

Please stay safe,

Regards

Dinesh Koirala