## **College News:**

## Support for Nepal earthquakes survivors by East West Medical and Update Dental College & Hospital.

A major earthquake struck Nepal at 11:56:55 NST on 25 April 2015 with a moment magnitude ( $M_w$ ) of 7.8 or  $8.1M_s$  It was the most powerful earthquake to strike Nepal since the 1934 Nepal–Bihar earthquake. The Government of Nepal has confirmed more than 8,000 deaths and over 17,800 injuries resulting from the quake. Many health facilities are damaged or destroyed, overcrowded and running short of emergency supplies, leaving many people with no access even to the most basic health care.

East West Medical and Update Dental College & Hospital, Dhaka, Bangladesh has mobilized a team lead by Dr. Mohsinuzzaman, shortly after the first 7.8-magnitude earthquake hit on April 25 and began providing medical services, Clothes and food materials to people in isolated village at kusadevi, Kavre, Nepal.





## Burn Unit and Intensive Care Unit (ICU) Start at East West Medical College & Hospital

Coming to the aid of the increasing number of arson attack victims in the entire country of Bangladesh, East West Medical College and Hospital opened ten bed Burn unit and Intensive Care Unit(ICU) on its premises on Sunday, April 2015.

Honorable Member of parliament Advocate Sahara Khatun, (MP) was present at opening ceremony as a chief guest, Dr. Md. Enamur Rahman (MP) and honorable Pro vice chancellor, University of Dhaka Prof. Dr. Shahid Akhtar Hossain was also present as special guest on that auspicious day. They have given their advices and a proper guideline on their valuable speech.

The burn unit is designed and equipped to meet the special needs of the burn patient. In addition to initial assessment and ongoing intensive and surgical care, the Burn Care unit team provides the physical and emotional supports that are an important part of the total rehabilitation of burn patients.

Initially 12 Doctors and 20 Nurses will provide round the clock, basic life saving treatment with intensive care. What we will do is ensure necessary and emergency treatment essential for a burn patient at the initial stage. HD units and more beds will be gradually introduced, Said by Prof. Dr. Md. Moazzem Hossain, Chairmen of the East West Medical College & Hospital.



