

## Case-Study

### Habibullah Lashari – Hepatitis Survivor

In the village of Kamal Khan Lashari, district Khairpur resides, 36 years old patient, Habibullah Lashari. He was diagnosed with Hepatitis B+ve in the year 2012. Being a poor father of 6 children he was unable to support his family due to his physical weakness and inability to work.

When OSDI adopted the village of Kamal Khan Lashari four years ago, initiatives were taken to ensure proper health-care facilities to be provided to the community. As a result, Hepatitis Prevention & Control Program was launched by OSDI, in which people were provided with free screening and vaccinations against the disease by the health staff. Patients who were diagnosed with Hepatitis were taken under treatment and were facilitated with medicines.

Regular follow-ups by the OSDI appointed health staff ensured the proper intake of medicines by the ailing patients. Appropriate monitoring and check-ups helped the patients to recover from this disease within one year of its diagnoses.

Today, Habibullah is able to live a healthy life with his family after being completely recovered from Hepatitis. He is grateful to OSDI for supporting him and providing him medical assistance on time.

