

Case-Study

Qalander Bux – From Ailment to Prosperity

In the year 2012, when OSDI moved a step forward towards creating sustainability in the under-privileged community of village Kamal Khan Lashari, district Khairpur various health programs were initiated. It was observed that due to lack of health awareness most of the people residing here were suffering from various diseases. From which Hepatitis was the most common disease.

OSDI realizing the severity of this disease initiated the Hepatitis Prevention & Control Program in this village. Free Hepatitis screening and vaccinations were provided to the entire community. During screening, 30 year old, Qalander Bux a farmer by profession was diagnosed with this disease. It was identified that he was suffering from B+ve. Being a young man and happily married with one child he felt the world came apart for him.

The patient was given medical treatment by OSDI through medicines and vaccinations to fight against this disease. The health staff made regular visits to his home to ensure that he took medicines on time. After one year of regular follow-ups for medicines and diet control, Bux has been successful in recovering from this disease completely.

Qalander Bux, is a free man today, who is happy to be a Hepatitis survivor. He is grateful to OSDI for saving his life on time.