

## Reconstructive Surgeries (RCS)

Leprosy is known to be associated with involvement of nerves due to which deformity in hand, foot or eye occurs. Due to this leprosy affected persons become disabled. Leprosy Affected Persons (LAP) already cured but left with deformities of hand, foot or eye would require Reconstructive Surgery (RCS) for correction of their deformity, to improve their functional ability. Pre & post-operative physiotherapy is essential for successful outcome of surgery and therefore an integral part of the RCS process. Reconstructive Surgery services for Medical Rehabilitation of the deformed leprosy Affected Persons. Thus, the main activities are –

- RCS & other surgical interventions with pre & post operative care.
- Treatment of severe reactions / neuritis
- Treatment of complicated ulcers / wounds Confirmation of Relapse and its differentiation from reaction
- Experts opinion on diagnosis of leprosy in difficult cases and associated disease.
- Training of surgeons in RCS

Year	At institute				
	No. of Patients	No. of Procedure			
2000-01	16	17			
2001-02	5	5			
2002-03	10	13			
2003-04	21	21			
2004-05	54	56	CAMP		
2005-06	73	74	No. of CAMP	No. of Patient	No. of Procedure
2006-07	86	88	2	37	41
2007-08	86	87			
2008-09	70	77	4	92	104
2009-10	67	73	6	115	135
2010-11	59	62	8	158	180
2011-12	73	76	8	148	154
2012-13	43	43	5	45	53

Graph showing year wise No of patient undergone RCS at institute and camps at periphery health institute

