

Indigenous Production of Low-cost Hand Sanitizer in NITD



Towards prevention of contamination from COVID-19 outbreak, National Institute of Technology Durgapur has indigenously developed low-cost hand sanitizer with an utmost initiative of the faculties and technical staffs of Department of Chemistry and Department of Chemical Engineering to become self-sustained in meeting the timely need of the institute and the society as well. The sanitizer has been manufactured in different capacities as per the stringent composition guidelines of the World Health Organization and following the standard operating procedure. In the event of inauguration on October 16, 2020, Prof. Anupam Basu, Director, NIT Durgapur, has congratulated the team members of the production unit from both the departments for their meticulous efforts to address the noble cause and expressed his desires to distribute the sanitizer (inscribed in the photograph) to various schools, colleges and religious places in the vicinity of the institute in addition to various sections of NIT Durgapur campus for proper sanitation.