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## Indian doctors get US patent for hair regrowth

Commercial production sought; Chemotherapy patients likely to be the biggest beneficiaries

Indian plastic surgeons, Dr Debraj Shome and Cosmetic Chemist Dr Frank Kapoor, have just won a patent for a treatment to regrow hair.

Q1976 that treats hair loss in post-menopausal women, but also in patients with alopecia areata, female pattern hair loss, androgenetic alopecia, and secondary alopecia.

Dr Shome has treated at least 100 chemotherapy patients who go through hair loss during and after treatment, and says the psychosomatic aspect of cancer survivors.

According to Dr Debraj Shome, the treatment is a combination of two natural hair regrowth hair Q1976 and only contains hair loss and stimulates hair growth of new hair. Once we get the approval for commercial production, we will offer this treatment through various cosmetic clinics in India. The biggest beneficiaries of this treatment will be chemotherapy patients as this will address the hair loss issue. This will be our biggest service to the cancer survivor community and elevate their self-esteem.



Dr. Debraj Shome

The molecule will now get into commercial production with the application for US, Canadian and other countries. Dr Shome and Dr Kapoor have started this procedure on 1000 patients including patients in an international medical journal.

Dr. Debraj Shome is currently a consulting plastic surgeon with Brahm's Hospital, Bangalore. He is also the Director of the Plastic Surgery and Reconstructive Surgery, facial and ocular oncology

oncology, oculoplastic, eyelid and orbital surgery. He is currently the Head of Facial Plastic Surgery, Nova Specialty Surgery, Mumbai. He is also the Head of Institute for Aesthetic and Cosmetic Surgery at Apollo Hospitals, Hyderabad. He was earlier associated with Department of Facial Plastic Surgery at All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi.

Dr Shome completed his undergraduate medical education from

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