Preventing and Treating Snakebite Envenoming

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Every year, hundreds of thousands of people lose their lives, limbs, and any viable future from snakebite envenoming, a neglected tropical disease that can be prevented and treated. Solutions are within reach.

PREVENTING SNAKEBITES

Snakebites can be prevented by:

- Using snake-proof footwear and bed nets
- Making homes unattractive for snakes (e.g., closing holes, removing waste, storing food and water in containers, keeping livestock outside).

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