Commencement Ceremony of
The Japanese Grant Aid Project for Improving Loikaw General Hospital in Kayah State

In an effort to support Myanmar to provide appropriate medical services in rural areas through improving services at main referral hospitals, Ministry of Health (Myanmar) and Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) signed on two Grant Aid Projects, namely; “the Project for Improving Loikaw General Hospital in Kayah State” and “The Project for Improving Lashio General Hospital in Shan State” on 29 May 2014.

The commencement ceremony of the Project for Improving Loikaw General Hospital in Kayah State was organized on 9 February 2015 (Monday) at the project’s location in Loikaw, Kayah State.

The ceremony was opened by Her Excellency Dr. Thein Thein Htay, Deputy Ministry for Health, Dr. Akihiko Tanaka, JICA President and His Excellency U Khin Maung Oo, Chief Minister of Kayah State and was attended by high level officials of the Kayah State Government and the Ministry of Health.

The said project will extend total grants amount up to “one billion nine hundred and forty five million Japanese Yen” (JPY 1,945,000,000) for two (2) main buildings (East and West) and other facilities, such as roofed passage, guard house, electrical room
and elevated water tank. Necessary medical equipment will also be provided under the grant amount.