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DIFFERENCE BETWEEN COMMUNICABLE AND NON-COMMUNICABLE DISEASE.

Non-Communicable disease

- o These are diseases that are not passed on from one person to another.
- o Infecting agents are virus, bacteria, Protozoa etc :

o Can be inherited

o Caused due to pathogens

o For example - night blindness, beriberi, Scurvy, Rickets, Anaemia etc.

Communicable disease

- o These are diseases that are passed from one person to another.
- o It's not caused due to any agents.

o Cannot be inherited

o Caused due to change in lifestyle, allergy, malnutrition etc.

o For example - Plague, malaria, chickenpox etc.