

## Lesson 19

Topic: **Taharah** / Tayammum

### Procedure of Tayammum

Case: In performing tayammum instead of wudu', four issues are mandatory:

1. The *niyyah*,
2. To strike both palms of the hands simultaneously on an object that tayammum is valid on,
3. To wipe the entire forehead and its sides with the palms beginning from the hair growth [on the head] up to the eyebrows and the top of the nose, and as a precaution to wipe over the eyebrows as well.
4. To wipe the back of the right-hand with the left palm, and wipe the back of the left-hand with the right palm.

In the *tayammum instead of ghusl*, after *niyyah*, one must *strike his palms on the soil and wipe them over his forehead and the back of his hands*, as given in the previous case, and as a precaution, it is *mandatory to strike his palms on the soil a second time and wipe over the back of his hands*.

Case: When stating the *niyyah*, it is mandatory to specify whether the tayammum is instead of wudu' or ghusl, and if it is ghusl the kind of ghusl must be specified.

Case: If one doubts – after wiping the back of the left hand – whether his tayammum is valid or not, it is deemed valid.

Case: If a person knows [for sure] that his reasons [for opting for tayammum] will not last until the end of the particular [salah] time, it is mandatory for him to wait until he can perform wudu' or ghusl and perform the salah.

Case: If one is unable to perform ghusl and is required to do a number of ghusls, *one tayammum will suffice*.

Case: If one performs tayammum instead of the Janabah ghusl, he is not required to perform wudu' in order to perform salah.