



Date/Day: 27.10.2024, Sunday

Free Eye Check-up Camp for Autorickshaw and Taxi Drivers

Objective:

The objective of the event was to provide accessible, affordable, and comprehensive eye care services to individuals, especially those who might not have easy access to regular eye examinations or treatments.

Program Outcome: PO8, PO11

Details of the Resource person/Event: MES's H. K. College of Pharmacy had organized a Free Eye- Check up camp in collaboration Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension (DLLE), Sutantra Narayani Seva Trust and Lotus Eye Hospital for Autorickshaw and Taxi drivers.

Participant details:

Total no. of college students: 23

Total no of Faculty: 01

Summary of the Lecture/Activity:

MES's H. K. College of Pharmacy had organized a Free Eye- Check up camp in collaboration Department of Lifelong Learning and Extension (DLLE), Sutantra Narayani Seva Trust and Lotus Eye Hospital for Autorickshaw and Taxi drivers on 27th October 2024.

The eye check-up camp at Hanuman Mandir, Jogeshwari, was a significant initiative aimed at providing free vision screening and eye care awareness to taxi drivers and underprivileged individuals. The camp addressed a crucial need for accessible eye health services, particularly for those who may not prioritize regular check-ups due to financial or time constraints.

A dedicated team of volunteers and healthcare professionals worked together to ensure the camp ran smoothly. The event included basic eye examinations, vision tests, and preliminary screenings for potential issues such as refractive errors, cataracts, and other common eye conditions. Individuals requiring further medical attention were advised on necessary next steps, including referrals for spectacles or specialized treatment.

The volunteers, actively participated in organizing and managing the event. role involved assisting in registrations, guiding patients through the screening process, and ensuring efficient coordination between healthcare professionals and attendees. The camp not only helped in early detection of vision problems but also emphasized the importance of regular eye check-ups, encouraging attendees to prioritize their eye health.

By reaching out to a vulnerable section of society, the eye check-up camp successfully promoted better vision care, enhancing the quality of life for many. The initiative served as a reminder of the power of community-driven healthcare efforts in bridging gaps in accessibility and awareness.

Brochure/Photo Gallery:



Key Outcomes of the Lecture/ Activity:

- Eye check-up camp can significantly improve the eye health of participants and contribute to the broader goal of reducing preventable blindness.
- Eye check-up camp for ensures that students not only receive the eye care they need but also develop habits that will protect their vision throughout their lives.



Link for social media:

LinkedIn:	https://www.linkedin.com/posts/h-k-college-of-pharmacy-mumbai-303524222_on-27th-october-2024-the-extension-and-outreach-activity-7260152031259082752-ADbr?utm_source=share&utm_medium=member_desktop
Facebook:	https://www.facebook.com/photo?fbid=1008104347995874&set=pb.100063889549264.-2207520000
Instagram:	https://www.instagram.com/p/DCDq5auoV8W/?utm_source=ig_web_copy_link&igsh=MzRIODBiNWFIZA==

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