Rayat Shikshan Sanstha's

Karmaveer Bhaurao Patil Mahavidyalaya, Pandharpur

(Autonomous)

Best Practices

(2020-21)

Best Practice-I

1. Title of the Practice: Blood Donation Camps

2. Goal:

- To make student confident regarding blood donation.
- To provide free service to the nation.
- To fulfil the blood demand of society.
- To inculcate the values of social responsibility among the students.
- 3. Context: Blood is one of the most essential elements for human life. Each second of every day in our country, someone needs blood. Blood cannot be manufactured outside the body and has a limited shelf life. Still there is a huge demand of blood to the needy. In this regard to supply and replenish the blood, donors are required. Blood donors play a vital role in donating blood and supplying it to the needy people. An integrated strategy for blood safety is required for the provision of safe and adequate blood. Recruiting the sufficient number of safe blood donors is an emerging challenge. The shortage of blood in India is due to an increase in the demand, with less number of voluntary blood donors. To cope up with this problem, the government and non-government organizations approach the college every year to conduct blood donation camp in college premise.

4. The Practice:

The college organizes blood donation camp every year on the occasion of birth anniversary of late Padmabhushan Dr. Karmaveer Bhaurao Patil, founder of Rayat Shikshan Sanstha. In the academic year 2020-21, one blood donation camp was organized on 12th December 2020 by NCC department on the college campus. Total 31 units of blood were collected in this camp. The camp was organized in collaboration with Shri Chattrapati Shivaji Maharaj Sarvopachar Rugnalay (Civil

Hospital) and Dr. Vaishampayan Memorial Government Medical College, Solapur. The refreshment and individual certificates are given to each blood donor as a token of gratitude. The collected blood units are carried by the respective authority and are deposited in the Government blood bank without applying any charge on it. Some of the donors who could not donate the blood this time were assured for donation in the next camp. Free blood coupons are handed over to the college.

5. Evidence of Success:

• A certificate of appreciation to the college.

• List of donors.

• Some photographs of Blood donation camp.

6. Problem encountered and resources required:

Due to COVID-19 Pandemic, most of the students could not able to attend the programme of blood donation.

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Best Practice-II

1. Title of the Practice: "Plastic free campus"

2. Goal: Reduction of Plastic footprint of college

3. Concepts: The plastics and their ingredients are pervading our oceans and waterways.

It is degrades into "micro-plastics" which are disrupting our food chains and

degrading natural habitats. Now, the time has come that we should eliminate the

plastics from our life as much as possible. The most of the Schools, Colleges and

University students and official staffs have been using plastic articles. Most of the

times, we have observed our students are used Plastic bottles, Utensils and Polythene

bags. The institutions are working to reduce their plastic footprint. In this regards, we

have decided to prepare our plastic footprint and make the campus plastic free.

4. The Practice: In order to acquaint the students with the adverse effect of plastic and

its ingredients on human health as well as on environment, online lectures on "Plastic

Pollution" is organized by some department. These lectures have brief summary of

plastic pollution, adverse effects of single use plastic myths and common

misconception.

5. Evidence of Success:

Report of special online lectures on plastic pollution.

Screenshots of the online event.

6. Problem encountered and resources required: It is quite difficult to provide

alternatives for all plastic items in the premises of institution.

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