

**NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE  
AND HOSPITAL**

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**Shri . S . R . Reddy**

Chairman, Navodaya Education Trust®

Shri .S .R . Reddy, Chairman, Navodaya Education Trust®, a pioneer, an entrepreneur, and a social reformer who believes that education need not know any boundaries of growth. It's no small achievement to distinguish oneself in such diverse fields as Medical, Dental, Engineering, Education, and Physiotherapy. Shri. S . R. Reddy is a blessed person by dint of hard work and singular devotion to service. Born to humble beginnings he rose to become one of the doyens of the education sector of North Karnataka.

His pioneering efforts revolutionized the education scenario in North Karnataka. Endowed with sharp business acumen, a balanced perspective and a social bent of mind he set up the Navodaya Education trust in 1992 for furthering his dream of shaping young minds through quality education.



# JOURNEY OF NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE



## *Navodaya Educational Trust (NET)*

*Navodaya Educational trust (NET) is a prestigious institute of Hyderabad, Karnataka region. It was established in the year 1992. It has contributed to this region under the able leadership of Shri. S.R. Reddy. Net campus is filled with educational hubs, which constitutes of colleges under both medical and engineering field -*

*Navodaya medical college (MNC), Navodaya Dental college (NDC), Navodaya College of Pharmacy and Pharma D, Navodaya College of Nursing, and Navodaya College of Physiotherapy and Paramedical sciences and Navodaya of education. NET has separate campuses for Navodaya institute of technology and Navodaya Central School.*

*NET has taken care of Health sector and treating all patients under various schemes. It has been following various Government Health schemes that has been of help to majority of the patients with low economy. Patients are taken care by providing free food and medicines.*



## Navodaya Dental college

Navodaya Dental college, one of the prestigious institutions of Navodaya educational trust, was started in the year 2006-2007 with an undergraduate course in dentistry, and an annual intake of 100 students. The institution has gained the name of being one of the reputed Private Dental colleges in Karnataka. It is popularly known as NDC and was established with the objective of fortification of the weakest section of the Nation, i.e., Rural Population. NDC was started to serve students with the best dental care and high-quality education by creating requisite infrastructure complemented by start-of-the-art technology, making excellence a natural inspiration, and converting the institute into a premier educational hub. NDC is missioned to create a new benchmark in exemplary education driven by consistent commitment towards providing complete

knowledge based solutions fostering total career enlightenment for students and personnel. The institute pushes itself beyond the boundaries to meet the objective of making NDC a centre of academic excellence in teaching, research and community extension services. To provide a gradual learning curve in a student friendly environment for learning. NDC is a promising institute creating dental surgeons empowered to excel in the field of dental science. It focuses on instilling ethical and moral values amongst students to create a compassionate and humane society.



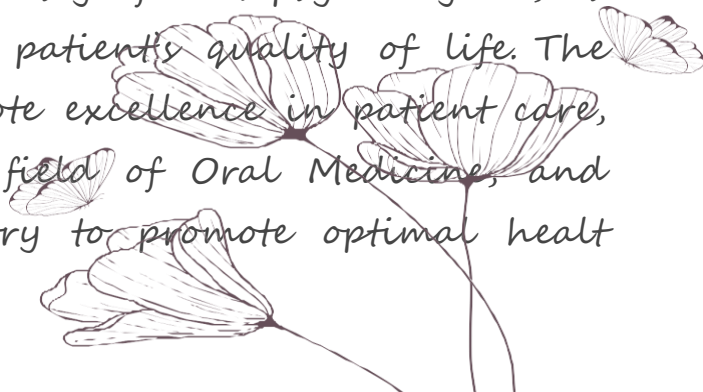
# Clinical Services

## DEPARTMENT OF ORAL MEDICINE AND RADIOLOGY



*"Medicine is only for those who cannot imagine doing anything else"*

Department of Oral Medicine and Radiology is unique in that it combines Oral Medicine and Radiology .It sits at the interface between dentistry and medicine. It is a specialist clinical area of care for treating head and neck medical diseases. Oral medicine is involved in patient care, teaching and researching involving diagnosis of orofacial complex and systematic and behavioural disorders that impact oral health .Oral Medicine and Radiology deals with the acquisition and interpretation of Radiographic imaging studies performed for diagnosis of treatment guidance for conditions affecting the maxillofacial region. In certain cases where mouth symptoms can suggest a connection with disease or problems in other parts of body and it is the oral medicine specialist who can best decide what tests or investigations are needed in these situations. Conditions managed in Oral Medicine are often chronic and may have a significant psychological, as well as physical impact on the patient's quality of life. The Department is missioned to promote excellence in patient care, education and research, in the field of Oral Medicine, and integrating medicine and dentistry to promote optimal health



# DEPARTMENT OF ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY



*“Oral and Maxillofacial surgeon only because full time multitasking Ninja isn’t an official job title”*

The department of Maxillofacial Surgery is responsible for surgical treatment of acquired, congenital and traumatic issues related to the jaws and facial regions as well as developmental diseases of these areas. As it is considered the only surgical department in dentistry, it deals with - Facial fractures, Impacted wisdom teeth, dental cysts, salivary gland problems, cancers of head and neck, facial deformity, facial pain, TMJ disorders, and plan and placement of dental implants. OMFS is often seen as the bridge between dentistry and medicine that involves management of medical emergencies in dental chair and treating conditions that require expertise from both backgrounds



# DEPARTMENT OF PEDODONTICS



*"Little teeth need special care"*

Department of Paediatrics is a place where total care is provided to children from birth through adolescence including children with special health care needs. The department focuses on training the undergraduates to develop necessary clinical skills for providing basic dental care to children with emphasis on preventive dentistry. The department holds a friendly reception area which is a visual

treat for children and a strong emphasis is put on prevention of oro-dental diseases in children by providing preventive procedures and appropriate parent and child counselling. The department is of the firm belief that "Every child has a fundamental right to total oral health" and strives towards achieving this end. The department of Pedodontics aims to improve the overall well being of the child and cater to his/her needs and provide a holistic treatment which is satisfactory, ethical and cost effective.



# DEPARTMENT OF PROSTHODONTICS



*“Being a famous designer is like being a famous prosthodontist”*

The department of Prosthodontics and crown & bridge offers diagnosis, treatment planning, rehabilitation and maintenance of oral function while ensuring comfort, appearance and health of patients with clinical conditions associated with missing or deficient teeth. It specialises in implant, aesthetic and reconstruction dentistry. The department focuses not just on patients care but also gives equal emphasis on innovative teaching methodologies and researches. The department emphasises on imparting comprehensive skills to undergraduate and postgraduate students.





# DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATIVE AND ENDODONTICS



*“Endodontist - I get to the ‘root’ of the problems”*

Conservative dentistry is branch of dentistry which is concerned with the conservation of teeth in the mouth. It embraces the practice of operative dentistry and endodontics and include various kinds of direct and indirect restorations of individual teeth in mouth. The primary goal of this department is prevention, diagnosis and treatment of sequelae of dental caries and the other defects of natural teeth; techniques and procedures to restore the teeth to full function and appearance in an aesthetically pleasing manner with as little loss of the healthy tooth structure as possible with periodic check up as routine practice. The department has a state-of-the-art technology, dedicated teaching and non teaching stand and infrastructure to render effective and predictable services to patients.



# DEPARTMENT OF PERIODONTICS



*“Be flawless. Not flossless”*

Periodontology is a branch of dentistry that encompasses the prevention, diagnosis, and treatment of diseases of supporting tissues of teeth and their artificial substitutes. With separate clinics for both undergraduate and postgraduate students, the department has high instructional quality and research which associates its pursuit of excellence with long-term perspective. The aim of the department is to preserve the natural dentition and periodontium to maintain and improve periodontal health, comfort, aesthetics and functions



# DEPARTMENT OF ORTHODONTICS



*"It's never too late to get your smile straight"*

The department of Orthodontics and Dentofacial orthopaedics focusses on craniofacial growth and the development of the dentition and occlusion, while concentrating on prevention and correction of occlusal anomalies. A solid understanding of orthodontics is an essential prerequisite to planning treatment in children and treating complex malocclusion in adults. The department primarily aims to improve the overall well being of the patients and cater to his/her needs and provide holistic treatment which is satisfactory, ethical and cost effective.



# DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY



*"Tooth is the only part of the body that can't heal itself"*

The department of Public Health Dentistry at Navodaya Dental College is dedicated to training graduate and undergraduate students in community dentistry to work within interdisciplinary teams investigating the risk factors for oral disease, their relation to systemic disease and on the use of oral epidemiological methods to study health outcomes of dental services and oral health policy. Public Health Dentistry is subject designed to help the students to explore professional ethics as they relate to dentist's relationships to peers, patients and the community. Students attend dental camps and perform initial screening examinations. They are sensitised to specific needs of a variety of patient population.



# DEPARTMENT OF ORAL PATHOLOGY



*"Learn to see  
microscopically"*

The Department of Oral Pathology and Microbiology is a branch of dental science that involves the study and diagnosis of diseases of mouth and jaws through the examination of exfoliated cells, surgically removed tissues (biopsy samples) and body fluids (blood and saliva) using tools of immunohistochemistry, microbiology and haematology. The department deals with teaching the subject of Dental Anatomy, Embryology and Oral Histology for the First BDS course and subject of Oral Pathology and Microbiology for Third year BDS course. The department is involved in training the post graduate students in speciality of Oral and Maxillofacial Pathology and Microbiology. The staffs of the department are actively involved in academic and research activities and have many publications in the international and national journals, delivered guest lectures and presented scientific papers at various platforms.



# UNDERGRADUATE COURSE INAUGURATION

EVERY YEAR AN ORIENTATION CEREMONY IS CONDUCTED BY NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE TO WELCOME THE NEW STUDENTS TO THE PROFESSIONAL DENTAL COURSE. THE DCI AND UNIVERSITY NORMS RELATING TO THE ATTENDANCE REGULATION AND ACADEMIC SCHEDULES ARE EXPLAINED IN DETAIL. THE STUDENTS AND THEIR GUARDIANS ARE MADE A PART OF NAVODAYAN FAMILY. THE CHIEF GUEST WAS **DR P M SAILMATH**, HON'BLE VICE CHANCELLOR, UNIVERSITY OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES , RAICHUR. THE PROGRAM WAS HOSTED IN DR.S R HEDGE HALL, NMCH, RAICHUR. HON'BLE CHAIRMAN OF NAVODAYA EDUCATION TRUST, SRI S R REDDY INAUGURATED THE 12<sup>TH</sup> BATCH OF DENTAL UNDER GRADUATE COURSES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2017-2018 ON MONDAY 04<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2017 AT 11.00AM. THE PROGRAM WAS CONCLUDED WITH VOTE OF THANKS.



# POSTGRADUATE COURSE INAUGURATION

EVERY YEAR AN INAUGURAL FUNCTION IS CONDUCTED BY NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE TO WELCOME THE NEW POST GRADUATE STUDENTS TO OUR CAMPUS. THE PROGRAM WAS HOSTED IN LECTURE HALL NO 4, NMC, RAICHUR. THE CHIEF GUEST OF THE PROGRAMME WAS **DR T SRINIVAS, REGISTRAR , NET , RAICHUR** AND INAUGURATED THE 7TH BATCH OF DENTAL POST GRADUATE COURSES FOR THE ACADEMIC YEAR 2017-2018 ON MONDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2017 AT 11.00AM. THE PROGRAM WAS CONCLUDED WITH VOTE OF THANKS.



# ALUMNI SERIES

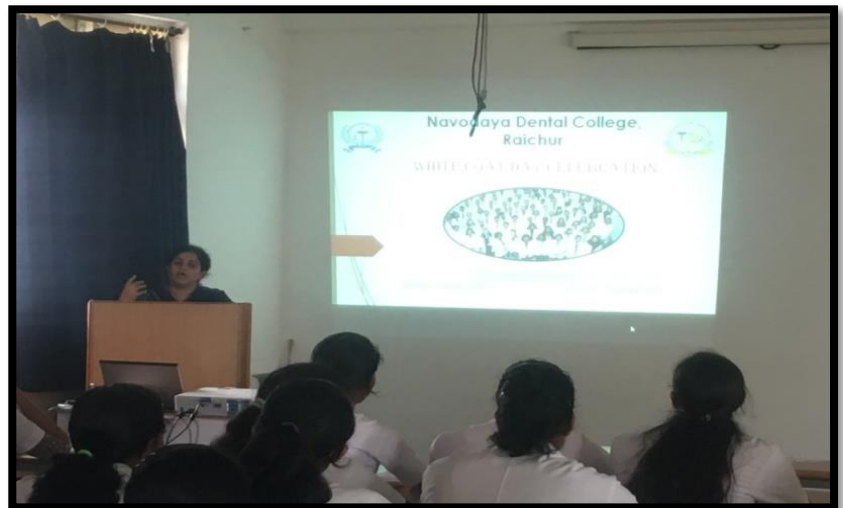
ALUMNI LECTURE SERIES 2017 WAS ORGANISED BY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION, NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE RAICHUR ON 28<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER 2017. THE SPEAKER FOR THE PROGRAMME WAS DR. NAFIYA. SHE EMPHASIZED ON THE TOPIC NEET PREPARATION HIGHLIGHTS AND IMPORTANCE OF REVISION. THE PROGRAM WAS ATTENDED BY UNDERGRADUATE STUDENTS AND STAFF. IT WAS PRESIDED OVER BY DR SANTOSH .H, PRINCIPAL, NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE





## WHITE COAT DAY

WHITE COAT DAY IS ORGANIZED EVERY YEAR. IN THIS CEREMONY, WHITE COAT SYMBOLISES THE PURITY OF PURPOSE BEING AFFIRMED IN A STUDENT IN BECOMING A HEALTH CARE PROFESSIONAL. THE SPEAKER WAS **DR.CHITRA CHAKRAVARTHY, PROFESSOR & HOD OF ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY,NDC**.THE PROGRAM WAS HOSTED IN LECTURE HALL NO 4 ON 21<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER, 2017 FROM 10.00AM TO 11:00 AM. THIRD YEAR BDS STUDENTS ATTENDED THE PROGRAM AND WHITE COATS WERE DISTRIBUTED TO THEM. THE PROGRAM WAS CONCLUDED WITH THE VOTE OF THANKS



# ANTIRAGGING WORKSHOP

**GET HIGH ON LIFE NOT ON RAGGING -ANTI -RAGGING WORKSHOP”** WAS CONDUCTED FOR ALL BDS STUDENTS TO CREATE AWARENESS ON RAGGING ON 20<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2017 IN AUDIO VISUAL HALL OF CENTRAL LIBRARY.THE PROGRAM WAS INAUGURATED AT 10.30 AM BY T. SRINIVAS, REGISTRAR, NET. THE FUNCTION WAS CHAIRED BY DR SANTHOSH HUNSAGI, PRINCIPAL, AND NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE. THE GUEST SPEAKER WAS DR SHIV SHARAN K, DENTAL COUNCIL OF INDIA MEMBER.A SKIT WAS PERFORMED BY STUDENTS.



# CDE PROGRAMS AND WORKSHOPS

ON 15/03/2016, DEPARTMENT OF ORAL MEDICINE CONDUCTED A CDE PROGRAM ON “OROFACIAL PAIN” – A CLINICAL UPDATE. THE RESOURCE PERSON WAS DR. RAJESHWARI ANNIGERI & DR. D B GANDHI BABU. THE OBJECTIVE WAS TO SUMMARIZE THE PHYSIOLOGY, MECHANISMS ON PATHOPHYSIOLOGY OF OROFACIAL PAIN IN DENTISTRY. TWO LECTURES WERE DELIVERED ON THE TOPICS “DIAGNOSTIC DILEMMAS IN OROFACIAL PAIN DISORDERS” & “THERAPEUTIC PROTOCOLS IN OROFACIAL PAIN DISORDERS – CURRENT TRENDS” BY DR. RAJESHWARI ANNIGERI WHICH WAS FOLLOWED BY PANEL DISCUSSION ON OROFACIAL PAIN” BY DR GANDHI BABU.



DEPARTMENT OF ORAL AND MAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY ON 19th December 2017 CONDUCTED A PROGRAM ON TRANSFORMATION BY DISTRACTION - A SURGICAL WORKSHOP . THE RESOURCE PERSONS WERE DR. S. RAMKUMAR; DR.P.SURESH KUMAR .THE OBJECTIVES WAS TO PROVIDE A WONDERFUL LEARNING OPPORTUNITY FOR STUDENTS AND STAFF.



A CDE PROGRAM WAS CONDUCTED ON 4<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER 2017 EXCEL YOUR FIELD. THE RESOURCE PERSONS WERE DR. N. GOVIND RAJ KUMAR, MDS PROFESSOR & HEAD, DEPT OF ORAL PATHOLOGY , VISHNU DENTAL COLLEGE, BHIMAVARAM AND DR. SANTOSH HUNASGI, MDS, PROFESSOR, DEPARTMENT OF ORAL PATHOLOGY AND MICROBIOLOGY, NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE, RAICHUR. OBJECTIVE OF THE PROGRAM WAS TO EXCEL THE TEACHING SKILLS AND UNDERSTAND THE ORAL CANCER. THE SCHEDULE OF THE PROGRAM INCLUDED ROLE OF COMMUNICATION SKILLS FOR EFFECTIVE TEACHING, UNDERSTANDING CANCER WITH REASONING AND HOW TO PRESENT A SCIENTIFIC PAPER.



**ON 26/10/2017 A CDE PROGRAM WAS CONDUCTED ON CLINICAL APPLICATIONS OF CBCT IN IMPLANT DENTISTRY. THE RESOURCE PERSON WAS DR. UPENDRANATH REDDY PROFESSOR OF DEPARTMENT OF CONSERVATIVE AND ENDODONTICS , PULLA REDDY DENTAL COLLEGE KURNOOL .THE OBJECTIVE WAS TO GAIN AND ACCESS KNOWLEDGE REGARDING APPLICATION OF CBCT IN IMPLANT DENTISTRY**



DEPARTMENT OF PERIODONTICS ORGANIZED A PROGRAM ON PERIODONTICS BEYOND PROPHYLAXIS ON 1<sup>ST</sup> AUGUST 2017. THE RESOURCE PERSON WAS DR.JEEVANAND DESHMUKH PROF AND HOD OF DEPT OF PERIODONTOLOGY AT NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL, RAICHUR. THE MAIN OBJECTIVE WAS TO UNDERSTAND THE CONCEPTS OF **SURGICAL PERIODONTAL THERAPY**



THE CULTURAL COMMITTEE OF NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE ORGANISED PENCIL SKETCH COMPETITION ON OBSERVATION OF NATIONAL CONSERVATION ENERGY DAY ON 14/12/2017. TOTAL OF 16 STUDENTS PARTICIPATED. THE JUDGES FOR SINGING WERE MS. CHETANA HUNASAGI AND DR. SNEHA PATIL. AMONG ALL THE PARTICIPANTS, THE 1<sup>ST</sup> PRIZE WAS REWARDED TO HUSNA AND TEAM AND 2<sup>ND</sup> PRIZE WAS REWARDED TO AFROZ





THE CULTURAL COMMITTEE OF NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE ORGANISED QUIZ ON 14/12/2017. TOTAL OF 4 GROUPS PARTICIPATED , EACH GROUP HAVING 4 STUDENTS. THE JUDGES FOR SINGING WERE DR. NAVEEN , DR. RAVI PATIL . AMONG ALL THE PARTICIPANTS, THE 1<sup>ST</sup> PRIZE WAS AWARDED TO SHAFER TEAM AND 2<sup>ND</sup> PRIZE WAS AWARDED TO AFROZ TEAM



INTRA COLLEGE COMPETITIONS WERE CONDUCTED IN THE COLLEGE. FASHION SHOW WAS ONE AMONGST THOSE COMPETITIONS CONDUCTED ON 22<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY 2018. THE JUDGES FOR FASHION SHOW WERE DR. DEVI, DR. SINDURA AND DR. PRAVEEN. FOUR TEAMS PARTICIPATED. AMONG ALL THE PARTICIPANTS, 1<sup>ST</sup> PRIZE WAS REWARDED TO LALFAKZUALI AND TEAM AND 2<sup>ND</sup> PRIZE WAS REWARDED TO ROOPALI AND TEAM.



# WOMEN CELL PROGRAMS

WOMENS CELL OF NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE ORGANISED ON 5<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2017 A TALK ON DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AND WOMEN. THE OBJECTIVE OF ORGANIZING THE PROGRAMME WAS TO STRESS ABOUT WHY EVERYONE SHOULD WORRY FOR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN AND WHAT ONE HAS TO DO WHEN THEY FACE IT OR KNOW SOMEONE WHO IS FACING IT. AFTER THE WELCOME ADDRESS, INVOCATION SONG AND LAMP LIGHTING, THE SPEAKER DR DEVARATNAMMA FROM DEPARTMENT OF PERIODONTICS, NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE BEGAN WITH THE TALK. SHE ADDRESSED THAT THE DOMESTIC VIOLENCE IS A GRAVE VIOLATION OF WOMEN'S HUMAN RIGHTS AND HAVE MANY POTENTIAL NEGATIVE HEALTH CONSEQUENCES FOR WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN. DOMESTIC VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN CAN RESULT IN INJURIES AND SERIOUS PHYSICAL, MENTAL, HEALTH PROBLEMS, CAN RESULT IN DEATH. THIS IS UNACCEPTABLE, AND THE RISKS OF VIOLENCE THAT WOMEN AND THEIR CHILDREN FACE CANNOT BE IGNORED.

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WOMENS CELL OF NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE HOSTED A PROGRAM ON WOMEN S HEALTH AT EVERY AGE ON 22<sup>ND</sup> SEPTEMBER 2017. THE OBJECTIVE OF THE PROGRAM WAS TO SHOW HOW ADDRESSING WOMEN’S HEALTH IS A NECESSARY AND EFFECTIVE APPROACH TO STRENGTHENING HEALTH SYSTEMS OVERALL ACTION THAT WILL BENEFIT EVERYONE. THE EVENT BEGAN WITH AN INVOCATION SONG AND LAMP LIGHTING CEREMONY. SPEAKER DR SHILPA R T, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF DEPARTMENT OF ORAL MEDICINE THEN BEGAN BY SAYING THAT IMPROVING WOMEN’S HEALTH MATTERS TO WOMEN, TO THEIR FAMILIES, COMMUNITIES AND SOCIETIES AT LARGE. SHE SAID THAT PARADOXICALLY, HEALTH SYSTEMS ARE OFTEN UNRESPONSIVE TO THE NEEDS OF WOMEN DESPITE THE FACT THAT WOMEN THEMSELVES ARE MAJOR CONTRIBUTORS TO HEALTH, THROUGH THEIR ROLES AS PRIMARY CAREGIVERS IN THE FAMILY AND ALSO AS HEALTH-CARE PROVIDERS IN BOTH THE FORMAL AND INFORMAL HEALTH SECTORS



# AWARENESS ON BLOOD DONATION AND ORAL SCREENING CAMP

IN ORDER TO HIGHLIGHT THE IMPORTANCE OF BLOOD DONATION AMONG THE PEOPLE, A DENTAL SCREENING CAMP WAS CONDUCTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY, NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL ON 24<sup>TH</sup> JUNE 2017. THEY WERE ENCOURAGED TO DONATE ON REGULAR BASIS. THE BENEFITS OF BLOOD DONATION WERE TAUGHT TO THE ATTENDEES. THEN ORAL SCREENING WAS DONE FOR THE PARTICIPANTS AND DEPENDING ON THEIR NEED WAS REFERRED TO NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE FOR THEIR RESPECTIVE TREATMENTS. STUDENTS WHO ATTENDED THE CAMP DISTRIBUTED PAMPHLETS WITH AWARENESS QUOTES ABOUT BLOOD DONATION TO THE PEOPLE.



# CLEAN ENVIRONMENT-SWATCH BHARATH ABYAAN

IN THE VIEW OF CREATING AWARENESS ABOUT SWATCH BHARATH AMONG THE PUBLIC, ORAL SCREENING CAMP WAS ORGANISED IN COORDINATION WITH CLEAN ENVIRONMENT CAMPAIGN AT NDC CAMPUS COLLABORATING WITH NSS ON 2<sup>ND</sup> OCTOBER 2017.30 STUDENTS AND STAFF MEMBERS PARTICIPATED IN THE EVENT WHICH WAS HELD IN THE CAMPUS ITSELF AND A SPEECH WAS DELIVERED BY THE NSS OFFICER DR.ZAHEER AHMED ABOUT THE SWATCH BARATH CAMPAIGN WHICH BENEFITTED THE PUBLIC PRESENT OVER THERE.



# ORAL HEALTH AWARENESS AND DENTAL SCREENING CAMP

ORAL SCREENING AND AWARENESS CAMP WAS HELD BY THE DENTAL TEAM AT RACE CONCEPT SCHOOL ON 9<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2017. STUDENTS WERE EXPLAINED ABOUT THE POSSIBLE FORMATION OF HARMFUL ACID WHICH DEVELOPS WHEN BACTERIA (PLAQUE) COMES IN CONTACT WITH SUGAR IN THE MOUTH WHICH ULTIMATELY RESULTS IN TOOTH DECAY. THEY WERE EXPLAINED ABOUT “ADDED SUGARS OFTEN ARE PRESENT IN SOFT DRINKS, CANDIES, COOKIES, PASTRIES AND THEREFORE HAVE TO CONTROL THE CONSUMPTION OF SUGAR. ONE MUST READ THE FOOD LABELS AND CHOOSE THE RIGHT FOODS AND BEVERAGES THAT ARE LOW IN ADDED SUGAR”, THEY ADDED. THE CAMP GAVE THE OPPORTUNITY TO ASSESS THE ORAL HEALTH AWARENESS AMONG THE STUDENTS AND LEARN ABOUT THE ORAL HYGIENE PRACTICES WHICH ARE OF GREAT IMPORTANCE IN DAY-TO-DAY LIFE. 520 PATIENTS WERE SCREENED IN TOTAL AND 229 PATIENTS WERE REFERRED FOR TREATMENT IF NEEDED TO NDC



# **AWARENESS PROGRAM AN VILLAGE ADOPTED & ORAL SCREENING**

VILLAGE ADOPTION IS AN IMPORTANT STEP TO DO SERVICE TO SOCIETY. THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC HEALTH DENTISTRY, NAVODAYA DENTAL COLLEGE ALONG THE NSS UNIT CONDUCTED A CAMP ON 10<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST 2017. INDIVIDUALS WERE EXAMINED AND ORAL HYGIENE INSTRUCTIONS WERE GIVEN THROUGH AUDIO VISUAL AIDS.





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