

FACULTY OF PARAMEDICAL SCIENCES

GLAUCOMA AWARENESS METRO RIDE REPORT-2023

Faculty of paramedical sciences, Dept of optometry Rama University, Kanpur, under guidance of our Principal Dr. Brijendra Nigam, organized a Glaucoma awareness metro ride with Dept of Ophthalmology to spread awareness about glaucoma between general population from Motijheel metro station to IIT metro station Kanpur. Glaucoma is a group of eye diseases that can cause vision loss and blindness by damaging a nerve in the back of your eye called the optic nerve. The symptoms can start so slowly that you may not notice them. The only way to find out if you have glaucoma is to get a comprehensive dilated eye exam, Glaucoma is a leading cause of blindness for people. But blindness from glaucoma can often be prevented with early treatment. To aware about one leading cause of blindness between population students from Department of Optometry (All Bachelor and Diploma) make poster and distributed pamphlet during ride and aware people with discussion with them about Glaucoma. This awareness rally organised on the occasion of world glaucoma week celebration which is celebrated between 12-18 march every year. To Complete the event on the time all the students from department of optometry and PG students from Dept of Ophthalmology 18th March 2023 accompanied with teaching faculty from the Optometry Department Mr. Satyendra Singh Sachan and Ms. Meghna Verma & Dr. Ruchika Agarwal along with Dr. Harnoor, Dr. Shivangi from the Dept of Ophthalmology, All participant were board from Motijheel Metro station and distributed Pamphlet and explain about cause effect and prevention from glaucoma and make eyes healthy epidemiology,

After successfully completion of ride students get refreshment at IIT Kanpur metro station.

Summary of the report:

Programme: Awareness metro ride from Motijheel to IIT

No of students participated: 34

Department participated: Optometry (Bachelor + Diploma) & Dept of Ophthalmology

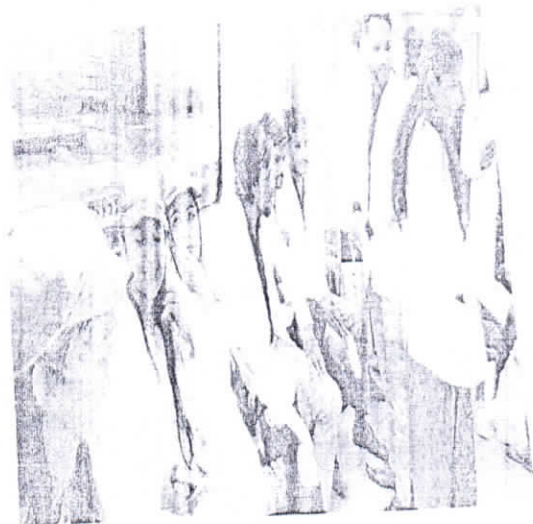
Visit coordinated by: Dr Ruchika Agarwal Mr. Satyendra Singh Sachan; Ms. Meghna Verma

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Insights of the Visit



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