



COMMUNITY HEALTH NURSING DEPARTMENT

REPORT ON PARTICIPATING IN MEDICAL CAMP, PATHANAPURAM, OCTOBER 18, 2025

Introduction

This report documents the participation, activities, and outcomes of the day-long Oncology Awareness and Screening Camp held in Pathanapuram on October 18, 2025. The camp was organized by Gandhi bhavan to bring specialized cancer awareness and primary consultation **objectives**

Increase Awareness: Educate the public on common cancer types, risk factors, and the significance of Early Detection.

Facilitate Screening: Administer fundamental, non-invasive physical examinations and health assessments pertinent to prevalent malignancies (e.g., oral, breast, cervical, and general symptoms).

Provide Consultation: Extend complimentary, tailored consultations with qualified oncologists and general practitioners.

Referral: Identify individuals at heightened risk and furnish essential referrals for further diagnostic evaluations and comprehensive care.

Activities

The camp was conducted successfully within the scheduled five-hour window, accommodating a total of 72 attendees. The activities were structured to ensure a smooth flow from registration to

final consultation.

***Registration and Vitals Assessment (10:00 AM - 3:00 PM)**

Volunteers adeptly managed the registration desk, gathering essential demographic information and medical history.

All participants underwent a mandatory initial evaluation of vital statistics, encompassing blood pressure, pulse, BMI, and blood glucose levels.

***Awareness Session (10:30 AM - 11:30 AM)**

A succinct yet impactful presentation was delivered by Dr., focusing on the lifestyle and environmental determinants that contribute to cancer risk.

The session underscored self-examination techniques and highlighted the '7 Warning Signs of Cancer' for prompt public recognition.

***Oncology Consultation and Screening (11:30 AM - 3:00 PM)**

Three dedicated consultation stations were established.

Oncologists, along with supporting physicians, conducted personalized consultations, addressing specific patient concerns and symptoms.

Preliminary screenings were performed based on age and gender (e.g., palpation for breast masses, inspection for oral lesions).

Observation

Common Concerns: The majority of consultations involved general vague symptoms (persistent fatigue, unexplained weight loss) and concerns related to tobacco/alcohol use.

Referral Rate: Approximately 12% of the total attendees were flagged as high-risk and were





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formally referred to the nearest cancer care centre for specialized investigations (e.g., mammography, endoscopy)

Report

The students from 8th semester BSc nursing took part in this medical camp. The camp starts from 10.00 am. This camp includes various screening of different cancer and an awareness session by the oncologists. Through this camp the local community will be aware about the warning signs of cancer. The camp ends at 3.00 pm.





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