Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) College of Ayurved & Hospital, Pune

Community Outreach Activity

Report

Free Health Check-up & Medicine Distribution Camp for Warkari Mauli

1. Title of the Program

📽 Seva Hi Dharma – Free Health Check-up & Medicine Distribution Camp for Warkari Mauli

2. Date & Time

Date: 23rd June 2025

Time: 8:30 AM to 3:00 PM

3. Venue

Palakhi Tal, near Garwa Biryani, Saswad, Pune

4. Organizing Unit

Organized by: Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University) College of Ayurved, Pune In collaboration with: Ray's Alumni Association, Pune

5. Objective

To promote holistic health care through community service and uphold the values of Seva Parmo

To provide free health check-up and Ayurvedic & Allopathic medicines to Warkari Mauli participating in the sacred Palkhi pilgrimage.

6. Details of the Activity

Wari refers to a religious pilgrimage in Maharashtra, India, most famously the Pandharpur Wari. It is a centuries-old annual pilgrimage to the town of Pandharpur in honor of Lord Vithoba (Vitthal), a form of Lord Krishna.

Serving pilgrims from Wari is a divine task because it involves selfless service (seva) to thousands of devotees who walk with deep faith and devotion. By offering food, water, shelter, or medical aid to Warkaris, one becomes part of their sacred journey and earns spiritual merit. It reflects the values of compassion, humility, and unity.

The camp was held under the noble guidance of Hon'ble Dr. Asmita Jagtap Tai Saheb.

Tai Saheb personally interacted with Warkari Mauli, participated in their health assessment, and distributed Ayurvedic medicines with compassion.

The camp was organized under the guidance of Principal Dr. Shailesh Deshpande & Medical Superintendent Dr. Shubhangi Katkar.

The camp was graced by the presence of Vice Principal Dr. Rahul Kadam, dedicated faculty, alumni, and enthusiastic students.

More than 1300+ Warkari Mauli were examined and provided with free health consultations and medicines.

7. Outcome of the Activity

Successful delivery of preventive and promotive health care to a large number of Warkari pilgrims.

Strengthened the community engagement mission of the institution & alumni.

Enhanced experiential learning for students in the domain of community health and service ethics.

Promoted the integration of traditional and modern medical practices for holistic well-being.

8. Beneficiaries

Over 1300+ Warkari Mauli (pilgrims)

9. Faculty/Students Involved

Following faculty was present,

- 1 Dr. Rahul Kadam Vice Principal
- 2 Dr. Mrudula Kulkarni
- 3 Dr. Dhananjay Patil
- 4 Dr. Virendra Pawar
- 5 Dr. Rohit Chavan
- 6 Dr. Harshvardhan Vagaj

Around 52 Postgraduate & 27 undergraduate students participated in the camp.

10. Collaboration

Ray's Alumni Association, Pune

The following alumni extended their support to the camp through their valuable presence.

- 1 Dr Sushant Solaskar
- 2 Dr Kirti Jagtap
- 3 Dr Jagruti Jagtap
- 4 . Dr Mangesh Wagh
- 5 Dr Sambhaji Karande
- 6 Dr Sakshi Pasalkar
- 7 Dr Sanjana Jagdale
- 8 Dr Niraj Jadhav

11. Impact

The initiative showcased the institution's commitment to community service and holistic health care aligned with the vision of Bharati Vidyapeeth (Deemed to be University).

Reinforced institutional social responsibility (ISR) and contributed to the sacred Palkhi tradition through health service.

12. Photographs









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