

CANCER SCREENING CAMP

The power of community to create health is far greater than any physician, clinic, or hospital."

— Mark Hyman



A **Cancer Screening Camp** was organised on Saturday, 28th September, in the school premises. This initiative, organised in collaboration with **CanSupport**, aimed to promote the overall health and well-being of our entire staff, along with Group D employees, by offering essential health check-ups free of charge, aligning with several Sustainable Development Goals: **SDG 3 – Good Health and Well-being** and **SDG 8 – Decent Work and Economic Growth**.

The camp provided a wide range of health screenings to ensure that employees could monitor their health and address potential issues early. **Dr. Shashi and Dr. Brijesh from Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute and Research Centre** led the team of professionals. Several key tests were conducted during the event, **including blood pressure** monitoring to identify hypertension, **cholesterol** testing to assess cardiovascular health, **thyroid** function tests to detect any imbalances, and **blood sugar testing** to screen for diabetes, all facilitated by **Curelo**. These tests allowed participants to gain insight into their health status and encouraged them to seek any necessary medical follow-up.





In addition to the general body check-ups, specialized services were offered. **Dental care** services were generously provided by **Clove**, where professionals conducted comprehensive dental examinations, offering advice and guidance on maintaining oral hygiene.

Eye examinations were carried out by experts from the **Centre of Sight**, allowing participants to check their vision and receive recommendations for corrective measures if needed.



An important highlight of the camp was its focus on cancer screening and early detection. Female employees were given access to **Pap smear tests**, which are crucial in detecting cervical cancer at an early stage. Additionally, **mammography screenings** were conducted to identify potential signs of breast cancer.

These tests played a significant role in promoting awareness about the necessity of regular check-ups, particularly for serious conditions like cancer, where early detection can make a critical difference.



The camp was met with an overwhelmingly positive response, with many employees enthusiastically participating and taking full advantage of the various health services offered free of cost.

The convenience of having such comprehensive health screenings conducted on-site encouraged many to prioritize their health in ways they may not have otherwise.



This proactive approach emphasized the importance of holistic healthcare and preventive measures, reinforcing the school's dedication to fostering a healthy workforce. By investing in the health of its staff, the school demonstrated its commitment to creating a supportive, safe, and healthy work environment.

The camp was a resounding success, with enthusiastic participation from staff members and Group D employees, who appreciated the convenience of on-site, comprehensive health screenings. This initiative reinforced the school's genuine care for its employees, encouraging them to prioritize their health and well-being.