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# Awareness Programme on Environmental Pollution, Drug Abuse, AIDS, etc.

Organized by: National Service Scheme (NSS), Maynaguri College

**Date:** 30th May 2019

**Location:** Maynaguri College Campus

### **Introduction:**

The National Service Scheme (NSS) of Maynaguri College organized an extensive awareness program aimed at addressing critical societal issues such as environmental pollution, drug abuse, AIDS, and other pertinent topics. The program sought to educate, engage, and empower students and the community to become proactive agents of change in addressing these pressing concerns.

# **Number of Participants: 122 (Click to View)**

# **Objectives:**

- 1. To raise awareness about the detrimental effects of environmental pollution, drug abuse, and AIDS on individuals and society.
- 2. To foster a sense of responsibility among participants towards environmental conservation, healthy living, and social well-being.
- 3. To equip participants with knowledge and resources to combat these issues effectively.

# **Activities:**

- 1. Lectures and Workshops: Expert speakers were invited to deliver informative lectures and conduct interactive workshops on various aspects of environmental pollution, drug abuse, and AIDS. These sessions covered topics such as the causes and consequences of pollution, the impact of drug abuse on health and society, and preventive measures against AIDS.
- 2. Awareness Campaigns: NSS volunteers organized awareness campaigns within the college campus and surrounding communities. These campaigns included distributing informational pamphlets, conducting street plays, and engaging in door-to-door outreach to disseminate crucial information about environmental conservation, the dangers of drug abuse, and methods of preventing the spread of AIDS.

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- 3. **Clean-Up Drives:** To address environmental pollution directly, clean-up drives were organized in collaboration with local authorities. Volunteers actively participated in cleaning up littered areas in and around the college campus, emphasizing the importance of maintaining a clean and healthy environment.
- 4. **Interactive Sessions:** Interactive sessions were held where participants could openly discuss their concerns and share their experiences related to environmental pollution, drug abuse, and AIDS. This allowed for a deeper understanding of the issues and facilitated the exchange of ideas on possible solutions.
- 5. **Distribution of Resources:** Informational materials such as brochures, posters, and educational videos were distributed among participants to serve as ongoing resources for further learning and awareness-raising efforts.

### **Outcomes:**

- 1. Increased awareness among students and the community about the detrimental effects of environmental pollution, drug abuse, and AIDS.
- 2. Enhanced understanding of preventive measures and strategies to combat these issues effectively.
- 3. Empowerment of participants to take proactive steps towards environmental conservation, leading a healthy lifestyle, and promoting social well-being.
- 4. Strengthened collaboration between NSS, Maynaguri College, and local authorities in addressing societal challenges.

# **Conclusion:**

The awareness program organized by the National Service Scheme (NSS) of Maynaguri College proved to be highly impactful in addressing critical issues such as environmental pollution, drug abuse, and AIDS. By fostering awareness, education, and community engagement, the program has laid the groundwork for sustained efforts towards building a healthier, cleaner, and more socially conscious society. Moving forward, it is imperative to continue such initiatives and expand their reach to create lasting positive change.

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