



## **I Best Practice**

### **Title of the Practice:**

Developing the students for the Society and Nation through Extension & Outreach Programs

### **Objectives of the Practice:**

- To sensitize students to identify and address social issues.
- To sensitize the community to social issues and solutions thereof.
- To develop character, discipline, comradeship, secular outlook, ideals of selfless services and adventure spirits amongst large numbers of young citizens.
- To create a pool of trained, organized and motivated youth with various leadership qualities in every walk of their life and serve the Nation irrespective of career they choose.

### **The Context:**

Poor access to health care and hygiene facilities, education and/or livelihood opportunities lead to disparity and result in an underprivileged/vulnerable section of the society. Students may act as a change agent where they can be developed for the betterment of the society. Therefore, it was decided to provide more and more opportunity to students through Extension & Outreach Programs who in turn will further make other people aware and sensitize them for the nation duty.

### **The Practice:**

MIMT organizes a number of extension activities in the institute-neighborhood community to sensitize the students towards community needs. The students actively participate in such activities leading to their overall development. Student Welfare Committee, Fitness Club, UHV Cell and Internal Complaint Committee undertake various activities like:

- Rally on World -No Tobacco Day
- Tree Plantation
- A day with star kids of Desire Society (Orphanage Visit)
- Mask distribution
- World Environment Day (Awareness by quiz and Tree Plantation )
- Awareness on Health and Hygiene- Sanitary Pad distribution
- Clothes Donation drive "Samvedna"
- Exploring the World of Folk Art and Crafts
- Awareness towards Indian culture & heritage
- Mask Distribution Drive and Awareness Camp
- Exploring the human labor: A Textile Industry Visit
- Scouts and Guide Camp



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- Blood Donation Camp
- Awareness Campaign on the role of balanced diet for pregnant and lactating women
- Nukkad Natak on "Awareness on the importance of Immunization"
- Donation Drive: Woolen Cloths and Blanket distribution
- Food for life Program: Food Distribution service
- Workshop on "Self Defense"
- Awareness Campaign: Mask and Sanitizer distribution activity
- Nukkad Natak (National Education Day)
- Cleanliness Drive

### **Evidence of Success:**

All these mentioned activities have positive impact on the students and it developed student community relationship, leadership skill and self-confidence of students. It also helped in cultivating hidden personality of students and created awareness among students towards societal issues and solutions thereof. Besides, institute has been awarded 09 participation/recognition certificates.

### **Problems Encountered and Resources Required:**

Dropout of the students is major problem because of hard training and time boundation and sometimes girls students' parents also didn't allow them to attend the program.



## **II Best Practice**

### **Title of the Practice:**

Scholarships to needy, meritorious and extraordinary students based on merit and eligibility

### **Objectives of the Practice:**

The main objective of the scholarship scheme is to ensure equal opportunity for access to quality education to students without any discrimination. It includes an attempt to ensure that all the eligible students get benefit of Government schemes. But for those who are not eligible for Government scholarship schemes, institutional scholarship in the form of financial assistance is provided to the needy, meritorious and extraordinary students so that they are not deprived of education due to want of resources. Further, institute also puts efforts to increase GER of girl students in Higher Education.

### **The Context:**

At times, the students are unaware about the various scholarships and freships available from the Government. Besides, the economically weaker students, the aspiring meritorious students and girl students who are not benefitted from Government scholarship schemes face hardship in paying their fees.

In order to ensure equity on campus where all students have same opportunity and resources to participate in key learning activities, special efforts are required in empowering students from the marginalized sections of the society. Challenges required to be addressed before implementation of the policy were:

1. Determination of categorization of institutional scholarship schemes.
2. Determination of criteria for selection of needy and deserving students.
3. Funds to disburse scholarships.

After getting inputs from various committees, finally it was resolved in BoG meeting that institutional scholarship schemes be categorized with specific criteria/parameters so as to execute the policy. The selected categories fixed for Students for Scholarships were:

Category A: Merit Based Scholarship

Category B: Additional Scholarships For Promoting Girls Education

Category C: Scholarship For Wards Of Defense Personnel

Category D: Economically Weaker Section Scholarship



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Category E: Aashirwad Scholarship For each of the category, the specific criteria/parameters were developed. Further the institutional scholarship is funded by the management.

### **The Practice**

Institute makes conscientious efforts to create awareness about the various scholarships and freeships available from the Government to all the eligible students. All other students who apply for institutional scholarship are given financial help on the basis of parameters developed and mentioned in the policy. The committee is constituted to scrutinize the details and finally notifies the list of eligible students to get the benefit of scholarship. The following categories of students are considered: Meritorious students, Girl students, Wards of Defence Personnel, Students from Economically Weaker Section. Scholarship namely Aashirwad Scholarship is also given to the meritorious students in the in the remembrance of Father of Trustee of Institute Shri Lt. L.S. Mangal. Scholarship is funded by the management. Need based Freeship is also given to students.

### **Evidence of Success:**

Institute through the scholarship ensures equal opportunity for access to quality education to students without any discrimination. This is evident from the fact that 440 students from different categories amounting to Rs. 3846800 received the scholarship to pursue and realize their future dreams. This is besides the scholarships that students have received from government schemes.

### **Problems Encountered and Resources Required:**

The institute wishes to extend the facility to number of other students, but constraint of funds restricts it reach to every deserving students.