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Best Practices

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Date :

- Title of the Practice Fight against Corona pandemic
- Objectives of the Practice

1. To raise awareness about the Corona pandemic in the college and nearby community.
2. To prevent oneself and the community from being affected from Corona pandemic.
3. To trained students to explain to others about the corona virus, take precautions.

• The Context

Following are the challenging issues that needed to be addressed in designing and implementing this practice.

The disease started in China and then spread to Europe and America. The disease started spreading in India from March onwards. Covid precautionary scheme started in Maharashtra from 13th March 2020. A curfew was first imposed in Pune city. A nationwide curfew was imposed on March 22. Schools and colleges were closed. Colleges started after the first wave subsided and the college took measures to control Covid 19. Involved in this fight by involving college students. There was a severe shortage of medicines, injections, doctors, beds all over the country. The country had to face a big crisis. In the second wave, the condition of the country became very bad. Therefore, control over Covid 19 became a necessity and the college undertook the task of controlling this disease.

• The Practice

Describe the practice and its uniqueness in the context of India higher education. .

It was decided to raise awareness about the disease in the respective villages by contacting the student who had participated in the National Service scheme and the National cadet corps in the college to fight the corona epidemic and create public awareness.

The main objective was to create awareness about corona in the minds of people who did not know much about corona.

The college student was given the responsibility of rising awareness against the Corona epidemic in his own village. The students surveyed each family and checked the temperature and oxygen level. Told everyone in the family to take care of this.

Evidences of success

Online education was being imparted in the college at the time of Covid's infection. We followed all the rules to prevent the spread of the disease during this period. Therefore, no Covid patient was found in the college. Although we started teaching offline in the second term, we did not spread the disease among students and teachers by following all the rules. We asked the students to follow all the rules related to Covid. The college did not have to close due to the outbreak of Covid disease as the students followed the instructions. This is the success of this initiative.

Constraints / limitations

1. Shortage Lack of resources: There were acute shortages of Doctor, Medicines, Beds, Oxygen, Ambulance, PPE Kit, Mask, Sanitizer Material etc all over the country.
2. Lack of cooperation from the community about social distancing, obedience of government. Guidelines etc.
3. Excessive Fear of the pandemic resulted in not accepting our cooperation by the society.

Best Practices -2

1. Title of the Practice Online Education

2. Objectives of the Practice

- Reaching students through online learning.
- Creating infrastructure in colleges for online education.
- To train teachers to teach online.
- To create awareness among teachers and students about the need for online education in case of outbreak.

- Provide study materials to students.

- **The Context**

Online education is the newly evolved form of education where students study from their homes with the help of computers and the internet. At present COVID-19 still have an impact on our lives where we are not able to move out freely in public areas. We have been facing this situation since March 2020, where students can't go to schools, colleges, or tuition for their studies, this is where online education made a crucial role in everybody's lives. Online Education made it convenient for the students to attend their classes from their homes. Online education corona epidemic forces college students to stay away from basic education. Efforts were being made at the government level in the fight against corona so lockdown was implemented in various sections of society. This lockdown proved to be very dangerous for the future of the students. Considering the education loss of the students the option of online education came up from the government level as the society was held hostage due to the lockdown.

- **The Practice**

The following activities were implemented in online education.

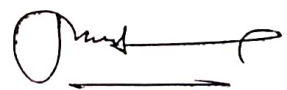
1. Professors were given online education training.
 2. Students were taught through Zoom, Google Classroom and Google meet.
 3. PPT Training was given.
 4. Educational tools were provided through What's up app.
- Corona epidemic has led to a lockdown at the central and state levels. College was not far behind in the lockdown of various sections of the society. Our college was not far behind in deciding to use the online education system to bring these students into the education circle who were deprived of education. The decision taken at the government level was implemented immediately in the colleges. Students started their academic year by taking online admission. The college conducted a one-day computer training workshop for the college professors on how to take online lecture by following all the rules of corona to facilitate online education for the students entering the new academic year. It was decided to make the zoom app available to college professors and students. Professors started educating students through the zoom. These online lectures got a good response from the students.
 - **Evidence of Success**
Despite facing many difficulties, the college has achieved a lot in online education. We completed the syllabus of all the classes. Arranged to deliver study materials to the students. Created internet system in college. Provided online teaching training to teachers. Solved many questions of students. And finally the exams were taken online. All the students sat for the exam.

6. Problems Encountered and Resources Required

The following, explore the biggest challenges facing online education.

Provide web link to:

- Best practices in the Institutional web site
- Any other relevant information


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