



### **Brief report of “VOLUNTARY BLOOD DONATION CAMP” on 27.08.2018**

It is rightly said that “**To Donate Blood is to donate life**”. Donating blood is indeed the noblest donation a person can make. With rising population in India, blood banks are also facing scarcity. A Blood Donation Camp is such a place where both the interest of Blood bank and a donor can be catered. A day long camp is organized, preferably in medical centers, where the blood bank comes with their volunteers to receive the blood from the interested donors. After successfully donating blood, the donors are provided with Government approved certificates as well as Donor Card, which is valid for 1 year from the date of donation. A donor can exchange his donor card for a unit of blood, within this 1 year.

**Objective of the program:** The objective of the program was to stand for a noble cause and to help the North Bengal Medical College Blood bank with potential donors.

*The program details are as below:*

*Title of program: Voluntary Blood Donation Camp 2018*

*Resource Organization: EES, Department of Electrical Engineering in association with NSS unit of SIT*

*Date: 27.08.2018*

*Time: 10.00 am onwards.*

*Venue: Medical unit, SIT*

#### **Summary of the program:**

- The program was inaugurated by **Dr. Rudranath Bhattacharya, Ex-MLA, Siliguri** and **Chairman, Rogi Kalyan Samiti of NBMC, North Bengal Dental College & Siliguri Sadar Hospital** in presence of **Dr. J. Jhampati, Director of Siliguri Institute of Technology & Prof. J. B. Basu, HOD, EE**. Dr. Bhattacharya appreciated the initiative taken for the noble cause and highlighted the benefits of blood donation. He also said that this kind of program will encourage the budding technocrats and future managers to be socially responsible. Dr. Jhampati has happily consented to extend necessary support for organizing this type of program in the surrounding area to create awareness as part of social responsibilities that Techno India Group always carries out..
- After the inauguration, the students as well as blood bank volunteers were ready with the kits, emergency beds, refreshments and other requirements.
- Snigdha Chakraborty, EE, 4<sup>th</sup> year student was the 1<sup>st</sup> donor.
- After giving blood she was provided with refreshment packet and was awarded with Blood Donation Certificate as well as the donor card which is valid for 1 year from the date of donation. A donor can exchange his donor card for a unit of blood, within this 1 year.
- Before donating blood each blood donor's health was inspected by the professional doctors who came from North Bengal Medical College. Their weight, earlier medical history were asked by the concerned assigned volunteers.
- The student's refreshment were arranged near the BHM building. There were total 200 online registrations done before the blood donation and out of that 160 donors came forward for donation.

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- Various faculties from different departments also participated and after the proper health checkup by the doctor were allowed to give blood.
- Each donor were provided with donation certificate, donor card, donor badges and refreshment packets.
- There were few emergency cases also which were handled with proper care and precaution by the professional doctors.
- The camp witnessed a huge success with active participation from students and faculties of Siliguri Institute of Technology.

### Some Glimpses of the “Voluntary Blood Donation Camp”



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