



**NATIONAL SERVICE SCHEME UNIT  
M.G.M DENTAL COLLEGE AND HOSPITAL,  
KAMOTHE, NAVI MUMBAI.**

**NSS Dental Check up Camp**

Date: 19/2/17

Venue: MMRDA Grounds, BKC

On the 19th of February, 2017, NSS Unit of MGM Dental College and Hospital, Navi Mumbai, participated in a medical camp 'Swasth Zindagi' organized by R.K. HIV AIDS Research & Care Centre at MMRDA Grounds, BKC, Mumbai. The camp focused at building an awareness amongst the less fortunate in society and thus, bridging the gap between the needy and the various medical schemes that they are eligible for.

Alongside about 52 hospitals from all over Maharashtra, 5000 doctors, 20000 paramedical doctors and volunteers, MGM Dental college's NSS Unit worked to provide Dental care and education to the camp attendees requiring the same.

The following steps were undertaken by the volunteers and assisting staff:

1. Registration of individuals seeking dental/oral care and processing of all other necessary information.
2. Thorough recording of medical/dental history with facilities available for confidential discussions between the individuals and staff/volunteers.
3. The individuals seeking dental/oral care were provided with a provisional diagnosis of their condition with counselling for management and treatment.
4. Individuals were educated about the necessity of maintaining good oral hygiene.

5. The association between oral and systemic health was emphasized.

6. Special care was taken for the storage of equipment and suitable methods adopted for proper waste disposal.

The camp, which also attempted at being the world's largest of its kind, proved fruitful as a great number of people participated in the programme, and the idea of 'Swasth Zindagi' was well established and propagated.



