

BEST PRACTICES 2022-2023

Title of the Practice 1: "Community Engagement and Social Impact Program (CESIP)"

Objectives of the Practice: CESIP aims to engage students in social outreach initiatives, promoting civic responsibility, community development, and awareness on various societal issues.

The Context: The Institution acknowledges the need to instill social responsibility and awareness among students. Some of the main challenges in this task include societal apathy, lack of awareness about civic duties, and environmental degradation issues.

The Practice: The NSS unit of the college initiated diverse activities like establishment of a "cloth bank", "electoral literacy education programs", "adoption of a village", and awareness campaigns on road safety, drug abuse, and periodic blood donation camps. These initiatives significantly impacted the community, fostering social responsibility among students.

Evidence of Success: Increased participation in social outreach programs, positive community feedback, and measurable impacts on road safety awareness, health campaigns, and environmental conservation indicate the success of CESIP in engaging students and making a meaningful impact on society.

Problems Encountered and Resources Required: Challenges included logistical issues in organizing camps, sustaining community engagement, and consistent participation. Adequate resources such as volunteer coordination, financial support for initiatives, and community partnerships were crucial for successful implementation.

Title of the Practice 2: "Sustainable Campus Initiatives (SCI)"

Objectives of the Practice: SCI focuses on environmental preservation, promoting cleanliness, sustainable practices, and creating an eco-friendly campus environment.

The Context: With growing environmental concerns and a need for sustainable practices, the college has always aimed to create a green and eco-conscious campus. Challenges included waste management, especially plastic waste management, and lack of awareness on sustainable living.

The Practice: The NCC and NSS units organize cleanliness drives inside and outside the campus, maintain a botanical garden with medicinal plants, enforce a plastic-free policy,

operate a bio compost pit, and beautify the campus through plantation drives and floral arrangements.

Evidence of Success: Visible improvements in campus cleanliness, increased green cover, reduced plastic usage, and successful waste management showcase the positive impact of SCI on the environment and a heightened sense of environmental responsibility among students.

Problems Encountered and Resources Required: Challenges encompassed waste disposal logistics, continuous monitoring for a plastic-free campus and the necessity for sustainable waste management practices. Resources like waste management infrastructure, ongoing maintenance, and community involvement were essential for successful implementation.