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Comprehensive Health Programme

OUR OBJECTIVE

Health is a condition (physical & mental) in which the individual is functionally well adjusted internally with respect to body parts and externally with his environment. Wellness has been defined as the constant and deliberate effort to stay healthy and achieve the highest potential for well-being.

Our institution strongly believes in the concept of effective partnership of health and education and thereby harmonizes these sectors to facilitate holistic development of students. We focus upon fostering a healthy learning environment which is conducive to proper education by providing basic health services, health education & counseling to students as well as staff. These aspects are well integrated into our curriculum in the form of health check-up, community based projects/out-reach programmes, programmes for supporting differently abled children etc. Given below are the various aspects of our comprehensive health Programme.

A. GENERAL HEALTH CHECK- UP

A.1 Students

Medical check-up for every student (which includes assessment of vision, dental, obesity & other growth elements) is done once in a year by the doctor & nursing staff in the school infirmary .In the present session the assessment of Blood Pressure ,Pulse, Circumference Hip and Waist have been introduced following the CBSE Guidelines (Ref: Circular No.Acad-2112018). The medical check-up is followed by a descriptive report of individual students that are maintained in the student's almanac as well as school records and are also uploaded on a yearly basis in the form of health card under student's portal so that the students /parents can access it .



A.2 Teachers & Staff

Medical Checkup of teaching, administrative and support staff of our school is done in collaboration with Fortis Jindal Hospital and Research Centre. Medical checkup is conducted for teachers in every two years where as for support staff (particularly drivers & conductors), it is conducted every year & compulsorily includes the assessment of vision.





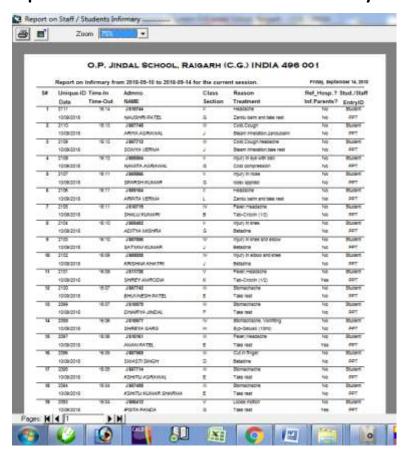


B.HEALTH SERVICES IN SCHOOL

School Infirmary is well equipped with doctor and nursing staff to provide first aid during medical emergencies and basic medical facilities to students and staff members visiting the infirmary with health complains during the school hours. The services provided in the infirmary expand to the following domains:

- Attending to learners who are injured or who become ill while at school, administering
 first-aid and other emergency nursing measures, and arranging for medical attention
 where the circumstances indicate.
- Securing and carrying out medically approved written instructions for care of sick and injured learners.
- Initiating various screening activities to ascertain learner's health appraisal.
- Conferring with teachers, learners and parents regarding management of identified health problems.
- Providing instructions to learners and parents in subjects such as nutrition, rest and relaxation, communicable diseases and home healthcare.
- Providing updated health information and coordinating care to parents, teachers and other health authorities.
- Maintaining accurate and updated health records of all learners with confidentiality and care. Coordinating with hospitals, first-aid services and other medical facilities.

Sample: Electronic Record in SYMSIS of Infirmary Visit



C. ONE TO HEALTH COUNSELLING

The school doctor /nurse also provides one to one counselling services to students and staff reporting chronic illness/ frequent health problems. Follow up sessions are also done to asses the effectiveness of counselling .The report of such sessions are maintained & sent to the school on a monthly basis.

Sample Format of recording such repoty

S.No	Name		Reason	Advice by school doctor	
1	ABC	V B	Complaint of giddiness. He had fallen in the ground two – three times earlier also with the same complaint.	Talked to his parents on telephone, and advised to consult a physician for complete medical check up to rule out the cause and proper treatment for his illness	
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D. MONITERING CLEANLINESS & HYGIENE

The infirmary staff continuously monitors the cleanliness & hygiene related aspects in and around the school including water coolers, toilets, corridors & other areas. The support staff is guided accordingly to keep our school environment clean as well as hygienic.

E. HEALTH AWARENESS SESSIONS FOR STUDENTS & STAFF

E.1 Students

Health Counselling Sessions are conducted at frequent intervals by the school doctor/counsellor for Pre —Primary, Primary, Middle & Senior school students in order to address a broad spectrum of health related issues including healthy food, exercise, nutritional assessment and guidance, lifestyle advice etc. Through these sessions, students are encouraged to adopt healthy habits and good health practices at an early age to prevent health problems in their future life.











E.2 Teachers & Staff

Separate health counseling sessions are also conducted by the school doctor for the teachers. The purpose of those sessions were to generate awareness about the symptoms & management of health problems commonly observed during the health check-up of teaching staff. Health sessions are also conducted for support staff at regular intervals to educate them about personal hygiene, healthy diet, substance abuse etc.





F. HEALTH PROGRAMMES

F.1 Observing Special Health Days

Health & Wellness Club in our school organizes a special assembly programmes/Notice Board Display/Radio Programmes to observe official Health Days .The programmes arre basically theme based (as set by World Health Organization every year) but essentially covers other aspects related to general health & well being of students

Table 2: represents the list of special health programmes organized at school

Special Health Programmes	Date
World Health Day	07 th April
International Day against Drug Abuse & Illicit Trafficking	26 th June
World Heart Day	29 th September
International Day of Yoga	21 st June
World AIDS Day	1 st December
International Day of Disabled Persons	3 rd December













F.2 Community based health programmes

The Health & Wellness club organizes special health campaigns in the villages near the school .Such programmes are organized to generate awareness among the villagers about general health issues like prevention of diarrhoea, healthy eating habits ,substance abuse etc





G. HEALTH DISPLAY

Posters based on the theme of season specific healthy practices, cleanliness & personal hygiene, benefits of cycling as an exercise, causes prevention & treatment of Diarrhoea etc are developed & displayed on the notice-boards in the corridors at regular intervals During annual exhibition, several aspects of healthy living are also displayed with the help of charts and models

Sample: Health Posters Designed & Displayed









H.HEALTH MESSAGES

The school Health Department circulated messages through the official WhatsApp Group at regular intervals to generate awareness among the teachers about general health issues(like tips to stay healthy in different seasons ,cleanliness & hygiene ,healthy food & herbs etc.) Teachers are also requested to share that knowledge with their students . This is an initiative to improve health & wellbeing of employees as well as students .

Sample: Health related WhatsApp Message for Official Group

Dear All, De-Worming Day: 10/09/2018 (Monday) We strongly believe in high standards of hygiene and sanitation providing healthy and hygienic life Dear Teachers in our premises by adopting several measures to We are organizing De-worming Day on 10.09.2018 in our school. Please refer to the Parental Circular (Circular Number: 243/OPJS/PC/2018-19) maintain cleanliness. As a matter of policy it has been decided to uploaded on the school website. The following procedure needs to be followed by the Class Teachers in this regard. increase the frequency of mosquito repellent fogging in the school & teacher's colony. It will be For Middle & Senior Wing 8^{th} period will be the CTs period & for Primary Wing 4^{th} period will be the CTs period. done every fortnight to inhibit the breeding of mosquitoes & other disease carrier insects. The support staff will distribute the medicines to each class within It is further expected from all to ensure "No the first 20 minutes of the CT's period . Stagnation" of water in your respective locations. The CT will be responsible for administering the medicine to the If you notice any permanent stagnation of water students in their classes. Before giving the medicine CTs must may please be reported to the authorities. oneuro that students have taken their hre Keep your air coolers clean and spray with kerosene oil /mosquito repellent to prevent larvae · The tablet (medicine) is chewable but students must consume sufficient amount of water after taking it. growth. · The CTs must not force any student to take medicine in case they refuse to take it. As per the directives received from Govt. of Chhattisgarh, parents of the students of classes The CTs must record the medicine intake as per the format given Nur-VIII are communicated through SMS that their w which will be provided to them with medicines. ward may wear full pant/leggings & knee-length socks to avoid any mosquito/insect bite during No. of students No. of students who had refused to No. of absentees who had taken monsoon. Therefore, all are advised to allow the medicine take medicine students in such cases. Girls Girls. Boys Boys Girls Boys The student(s) suffering from any infectious disease must be guided properly about the basic Total strength of class personal hygiene to avoid further spreading the infection. They may be asked/ allowed to resume the school after complete recovery under the · The CTs must return the remaining tablets along with the filled consultation of qualified doctor. format of medicine intake to the infirmary staff on the same day before leaving the school. NOTE: Do not get panic/spread/ pay attention to any rumor about any disease; instead we should take vigilant precaution to handle such unforeseen Note: Incase of any confusion / further queries / problems class situation. teachers may contact the school doctor / nurses in the infirmary . R. K. Trivedi Principal

O. P. JINDAL SCHOOL, RAIGARH (CG) 498 001, INDIA Many infectious diseases like corona virus /flu spread through the droplet route from an infected person to others while coughing /sneezing or touching a contaminated surface followed by touching mouth, nose and eyes . Wearing face mask properly (covering nose and mouth) forms a barrier to these respiratory droplets from spreading. Therefore, all are instructed to compulsorily wear face mask in crowded places (for e.g. in the classrooms/assembly areas /official gatherings/ and poorly ventilated areas). Those suffering from cough and cold (preferably stay at home if unwell) and take all other preventive measures to stay safe. "Stay Safe, Stay Healthy" Head Administration

I .SPECIALISED HEALTH PROGRAMMES

De-worming and Vaccination

The Ministry of Health and Family Welfare organizes specialized health programmmes like De-worming and Vaccination Programmes .The Health and Wellness Club coordinates and conducts (in collaboration with government health officials) those programmes by taking up the following initiatives .

- Training and sensitization of teachers about the programme
- Sensitization of students through assembly announcements
- Display of posters related to the programmes
- Drafting of parental circular and consent form
- Campaigns to popularize this initiative
- Support to the team of government doctors during vaccination



HYGIENE EDUCATION

Students are also trained by teachers under the guidance of school doctor for encouraging them in adopting a healthy as well as hygienic lifestyle .these activities are planned and monitored by the Health and Wellness Club of our school .



CONCLUSION

In fact the comprehensive health counselling programme attempts to favorably influence the habits, attitude and knowledge regarding general health & modify the behavior of students, teachers and other staff members towards the attainment of optimum health.

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