

# LENORA INSTITUTE OF DENTAL SCIENCES

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## INSTITUTIONAL DISTINCTIVENESS

### Building Resilience through volunteering during COVID-19

Lenora Institute of Dental Sciences, Rajanagaram did a varied duties in building resilience through several volunteering programs during COVID. Our institute provided covid medicine to the deprived people. All the interns of our institute extended their hand by participating in COVID duties in and around East Godavari district reaching the remote places in providing service to the people in spite of regular internship duties. Our institute played a vital role in managing the covid patients by telemedicine and also giving training to our students in treating the covid patients. Our institute also took a step ahead and provided quarantine centre for the covid patients in our college. We extended our help by providing food, Ration kits, Medicines, PPE kits to the underprivileged people. We tied up with Red Cross society and distributed oxygen concentrators to the people in need.

#### **COVID DUTIES:**

Students of our institute along with the Andhra Vaidya Vidhan participated in taking care of the covid patients. Students fulfilled their duties even in the midst of the pandemic. Our institute supported them by giving them training about the measures to be taken in treating patients.

#### **MEDICINE DISPENSARY:**

We have provided covid related medicines to the people in need at free of cost. We distributed medicine to large number of people in and around the Rajanagaram. We have created a separate counter in the college to provide medicines to the people. We prepared a kit consisting of all the necessary medicine and distributed it.

**RATION KITS:**

We all know about the chaos created by lockdown so our institute extended help by providing free provisions to the people. These kits helped people in around Rajanagaram immensely. These kits consists of rice bag, dal, salt, 1 litre oil packet and all other necessities'.

**FOOD:**

Our institute provided prepared food for localities and trespassers daily. We provided cooked food for the patients and also to the people in need as a part of our service. We have provided nutritious food to the people to boost up the people's immunity.

**QUARANTINE CENTRE:**

We also took a step ahead and provided quarantine service to the people. We have used our institute buildings in providing shelter to the people. Due to the lockdown many people got stuck down here and there were many affected people in them. Our institute provided shelter to many infected people. We also provided them with food and medicine.

**TELEMEDICINE:**

We also provided a telemedicine service for the people who are in emergency. For this purpose we had online seminars for the students and engaged them in taking part in it. We had conducted online seminar with prominent doctors in the society. We had created the program such that whenever people in emergency can contact a doctor immediately through phone.

**OXYGEN CONCENTRATORS:**

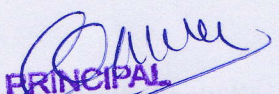
During the covid time we have seen the shortage of oxygen concentrators immensely. We had tied up with the Red Cross society and provided oxygen concentrators at free of cost. We made sure that oxygen cylinders reach the right people and save their lives.

  
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## 5. Problems encountered and Resources required:

1. Due to a fixed schedule of the transportation service patients need to allocate time for the same.
2. Giving appointments are difficult.
3. Transportation is difficult to reach all areas.
4. Extended multiple follow-ups cannot be done on time due to a fixed schedule.

  
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