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VISIT REPORT

M.Sc. Nursing Students, Tata Memorial Hospital Mumbai

School of Health Sciences, IGNOU DR. NEERJA SOOD

11 MSc students visited IGNOU on 18th April 2023 with the following objectives

- 1. Understand philosophy, vision and mission statement and the objectives
- 2. Know the Organizational hierarchy
- 3. Learn the various activities conducted towards growth of Nursing profession
- 4. Discuss the various policies related to staff members

A Feedback was obtained from the students using Google form before their visit for collecting basic information regarding their awareness of ODL programmes and IGNOU. The Programme of the visit was customised, keeping the basic knowledge of the students under consideration and the objectives of the visit.

On the day of visit students were welcomed by Dr. Neerja Sood, Discipline Coordinator, Nursing at Conference Room, Block D.

Dr. T.K. Jena, officiating Director SOHS, welcomed students, and their accompanying teachers on behalf of IGNOU and SOHS. Self introduction of all students and teachers was carried out.

Director SOHS explained the vision, mission. objectives of IGNOU, and emphasised on the various initiatives of IGNOU especially during 2022. He also emphasised on the national and international presence of IGNOU. Organisation structure, design, development, implementation of various programmes, including the three tier system, Learner support system and academic flexibility concepts were discussed. Prof. Jena had discussion with students regarding various concepts of ODL/Online system.

Dr. Neerja Sood highlighted the objectives of SOHS, disciplines and various programmes offered by SOHS and implementation strategies. She elaborated on implementation strategy, credits and evaluation of Ph.D., Post Basic BSc, Nursing and DNA Programmes.

Dr. Reeta Devi explained the need for CCH programme, its collaboration with the Ministry and delivery model. She also communicated regarding it's integration with the post Basic MSc Nursing programme of IGNOU.

Students discussed various issues with the Nursing faculty regarding nursing academic and co-curricular activities.



Visit to MPDD and EMPC was organised for students. MPDD Registrar Col Sree Krishna welcomed students and explained the process of material production and printing, He shared with them the procedure of material is packing and despatch. He also discussed the challenges faced by MPDD. Students visited one of the stores and observed how all the process from packing till delivery of study material.

Dr. Jatinder Kaur producer for the School of Health Sciences welcomed the students at EMPC. Few videos were played for the students and they also had a glimpse of the teleconference sessions. The students were given orientation on how scripts are written, conducting outdoor shooting, editing of the shoots and production of final videos and the procedure of sharing the same with the student. They also visited to IRC and Teleconference studios, earth station and recording room, library etc. This was followed by an interactive session with the producer.



The students' gained a lot of InSite into the programmes of ODL system and the programmes of the university and the School of Health Sciences. They were deeply oblidged for the information and having their misconceptions cleared.