

CAMP NO. 19

ON SUNDAY 23RD SEPTEMBER 1990, A MULTI DIAGNOSTIC, MEDICAL, SURGICAL, IMMUNISATION, BLOOD GROUPING, SCREENING OPHTHALMIC, FAMILY WELFARE EXHIBITION CUM ADVISE CAMP TOOK PLACE : AT MUNC. MARATHI SCHOOL, RAMBHOU BHOGLE MARG, FHERABANDAR, B'BAY -33. SPONSORED BY : ABHINANDAN NIWAS & SANGHAVI BHAVAN SARVAJANIK GANESH UTSAV MANDAL, FHERABANDAR, BOMBAY - 400 033. TECHNICALLY ASSISTED BY : THE FAMILY PLANNING & MEDICAL AID TRUST Indian Merchantile Mansion, 3rd Floor, Madam Cama Road, Fort, Bombay 400 039. AND M. P. C. C. (I) MEDICAL CELL.

Our team of the following members started from the centre at 8.00 a.m. and reached the site at 9.00 a.m. after picking up the members from different

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| 1. | Dr. H. V. Pophale | Physician and Cardiologist |
| 2. | Dr. Suhas Pophale | General Surgeon |
| 3. | Dr. B. R. Kherdikar | Medical Officer |
| 4. | Mrs. Meena Kulkarni | Co - ordinator |
| 5. | Mr. Vilas Shimpi | Co - ordinator |
| 6. | Ms. Bhagyashree Puranik | Co - ordinator |
| 7. | Ms. Lissy M. G. | Laboratory Technician |
| 8. | Ms. Archana Hadaye | Laboratory Technician |
| 9. | Mr. Shaikh Waris | X- Ray Technician |
| 10. | Ms. Alka Sawant | Staff Nurse |
| 11. | Mrs. Malati Paikar | Staff Nurse |
| 12. | Mr. Nitin Sarale | Ward Assistant |
| 13. | Mr. Satish Dudhane | Ward Assistant |
| 14. | Mrs. Indu Sawant | Ayah |
| 15. | Mr. Manohar Bodke | Driver with Family Welfare Clinic - cum Ambulance |

The following were the invited Doctors :

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| 1. | Dr. Jayawanti Gangar, M.S.(Oph.) | Eye Specialist |
| 2. | Ms. Ratana Amdoskar | Optician |
| 3. | Ms. Anup Kaur | E.C.G. Technician |
| 4. | Ms. Kokila Shah | E.C.G. Technician |

The camp was inaugurated at 9.30 a.m. by Dr. H. V. Pophale, who was senior member among all the personalities present.

The following activities were carried out :

1. Medical check up was done by Dr. B. R. Kherdikar and ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY SIX people took advantage of these services.
2. Surgical check up was carried out by Dr. Suhas Pophale, ONE HUNDRED AND NINE patients took advantage of this facility and deserving patients were referred to various hospitals for operations and further investigations when necessary.
3. Ophthalmic check was done by Dr. (Mrs.) Jayawanti Gangar and treated ophthalmic problems and referred the cases of defective vision for testing their eyes to opticians there itself, who gave them spectacles. SEVENTY FOUR persons were given specs on the cost price of Rs.20 each.
4. Cardiac check up was done by Dr. H. V. Pophale, patients were investigated for screening of the chest and E.C.G. He carried out clinical examination and prescribed the necessary specialised treatment to the patients. THIRTY THREE people took advantage of the cardiac department.
5. Free screening activities were carried out in our 'Family Welfare Clinic - Cum - Ambulance and those referred by different departments who were having cardiac and pulmonary problems, for necessary guidance screening of TWENTY NINE patients were one out of which ONE case was found to be positive for Tuberculosis and ONE case was found to be of cardiac enlargement.
6. Free Immunisation was given for Typhoid, Cholera, Triple vaccine, Tetanus toxide, and measles to THIRTY FOUR patients including

children. and the same unit was given Vitamin A and Folic acid to the children for prevention of blindness. FIFTEEN children were given Vitamin A & Folic acid orally.

7. Free Blood Grouping and Rh was done in EIGHTY NINE persons. they were given Blood Group cards in plastic covers for their records for using when such occasion arises. Their names & addresses were entered into Blood Group Directory in the next issue.
8. Family Welfare Exhibition was set up by Smt. Meena Kulkarni hanging posters & she also kept condoms & oral tablets for distribution. She also gave advise of sterilisation operation to certain eligible ladies who promised to get operated in the nearby Kamgar hospital or to come to our centre if required,
9. Distribution of Medicine Tablets : Distribution of Iron & Folic acid tablets to the pregnant & anaemic ladies and also anaemic men & children free of cost & advised them to continue the treatment for at least a month.

Observations : Totally FOUR HUNDRED AND NINETY FOUR people took advantage of this camp activity. Most of them were from the low middle class and mill workers as well as domestic servants. Some of them were organisers of the camp & their relations. They were suffering from chronic diseases of bronchitis, asthma, arthritis, peptic ulcer, anaemia, avitaminosis, sub nutrition, alcoholic & tobacco toxicity.

Necessary instructions were given to the persons diagnosed Tuberculosis & they were advised to attend Tuberculosis out patient departments of Municipal or Govt. hospitals & get treated as there likelihood of spreading the diseases to the relations & small children at home. The infants of family group were advised to take B.C.G. injection at nearest centre & if not available they were advised to attend our Family Welfare Immunisation Centre which is held on first Saturday of every month, between 11.00 a.m. to 12.30 p.m.

At 1.30 p.m. the camp was over & the camp registration was closed at 1.00 noon. The organisers were kind enough to arrange for lunch package of good quality to all the staff members and also gave a well framed memento to Dr. H.V. Pophale

Thus, the camp went on very well and all the organisers were very happy & requested all our staff to come over again when the different branches of the same organisation would approach them.

Mr. Ranjit Furiya, the chief organiser had taken great pains for doing the work, issuing the printed pamphlets, banners & doing the announcements for family welfare sterilisation and Government incentives etc. through our camp activity.

This is for information and record.

Dr. H. V. Pophale
M.B.B.S. (O.S.M.), D.T.M. (Calcutta), M.R.C.P.,
D.T.M. & H. (Edinburgh), D.C.H. (London),
F.I.C.A. (U.S.A.), F.C.C.P. (U.S.A.)
Chairman - The Family Planning & Medical Aid Trust.

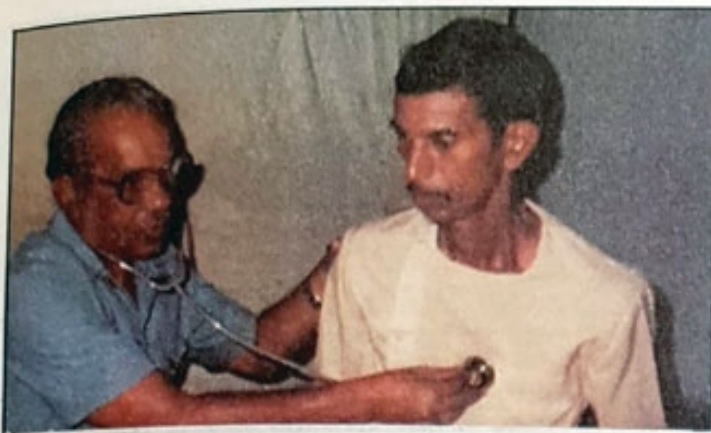


Patients attending camp on 23/9/90



Dr. Pophale examining the patients on 23/9/90

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Dr. Kherdikar examining the patient on 23/9/90



Dr. Suhas Pophale examining the patients on 23/9/90



Blood Group Project in progress on 23/9/90



Immunisation given by Sister Malti on 23/9/90