

# *Eye Care Camp*

## *A Report...*

**Date of Eye Camp: December 14, 2020. Timings- 10.30am- 3.30pm**

**Eye Camp spot: Ranhola Village, Nangloi**

**Financial support for the Eye Camp: Oxigen & Sahyog Foundation.**

**Organizing support: JSS**

### ***Eye camp no-14 /FY20-21***

Eye Camp held at Hiran Kudana Village, Najafgarh road, on 29 January 2021.

Sahyog Foundation conducted Eye Camps for the underprivileged in and around Hiran Kudana, to provide free Eye Checkup, Medicines, Spectacles and Cataract Surgery.

Around 180 people attended a free one-day eye care camp at Organized at Shahravat Chupal by Oxigen& Sahyog Foundation in association with Jan shiksha Sansthan.

Along with Free eye checkup facility team also facilitated patients with vision assessment and issuing of spectacles and medications and identifying cataract operations

The patients with certain eye defect were also referred to hospitals for detailed examination and required treatment and no cost. The patients with cataract were given counseling about cataract surgery.

Along with eye checkup B.P and weight were also monitored.

The camp was organized in a very systematic way with clean & Sanitized room and equipment's. Following Social distancing and other COVID 19 guidelines. It was very heartening to see many people from the villages coming to get their eyes screened and thanking the organizers for providing them such facilities at their doorsteps.

"This eye care camp was of great help for us, since we are unable to go out to big hospitals and get our eye checkups done. said a resident of Hiran Kudana.

During the camp Doctor Manoj addressed the patient about eye care and said, "Vision care is a serious problem in India which often gets neglected due to lack of awareness."

"The aim is to facilitate better facilities for villagers as vision related problems here often go unnoticed. This initiative aims to enable people in remote areas to have access to specialized eye care facilities and to act as an interface between them and the doctors," said CSR Head Mr. Rajpal Singh Duggal from Sahyog Foundation.

While the team rapped up the camp around 5 pm, Many villagers still walked in and were keen to get the eye examination done but due to time constrain we couldn't help them.

The country has the largest number of blind people in the world and currently about 19 million blind people live in India, of which 80 per cent live in rural and slum areas. Looking forward to reaching many more and do our best.

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