

# Eye Care Camp-

## A Report...

Date –March 4, 2021. Timings- 10.30am- 5.00pm  
Eye Camp spot: Jhanda Colony, Asola Village, Delhi

### Eye camp no-19 /FY20-21

*"The eye is the jewel of the body" -Henry David Thoreau*

On March 2021, Pure India Trust conducted a special Eye Camp at Jhanda Colony, Asola Village. The objective of the camp was to create awareness about eye disorders and to detect refractive errors and eye ailments amongst villagers and migrants residing there. At Eye camp the medical team reached the location at 10 am and held the free eye camp till 5 pm. During the Camp, the team aimed to increase awareness and provide access to eye care services. Generating awareness about general eye care, cleanliness, hygiene and wellness also educate community members about eye infections, fading eyesight, conjunctivitis etc. Before the camp, Pure India Team with the help of Its Staff and Volunteers through rallies and awareness sessions sensitize the community about the ophthalmic illnesses and the camp, to be held.

**More than 186 patients visited the camp.** The team of Doctor and Para medical staff examined each patient carefully and prescribed the required medicine(s), Eye drop(s) Spectacles, Cataract Surgery and Follow up at Hospital for treatment; which varied from case to case. **10 People were identified with Cataract, 105 people were given free spectacles and 98 were provided with free eye drops.**

Patients awaiting their turn at camp site were counseled by the pure India team about how to take care of their eyes and what are the dos and don'ts. Doctors also referred to many of the severe cases to the organizational tie up hospitals where they could consult for free or on a minimum cost.

The efforts of the Doctors' team were commendable as they not only examined well but also came with the required optical services and pieces of equipment. They thoroughly checked the patients taking note of their earlier infections or allergies. The patients were pleased to get themselves checked by such wonderful medical staff. In spite of the long queue, they all kept patience. In turn, the Doctors also took enough time to examine them and communicated politely.



Finding Corona spread once again rising in Delhi and these underdeveloped areas are not too hygienic and neither the people living in such areas are aware of preventing themselves from the various diseases they can suffer from due to in- hygiene. Therefore, we made our aim to educate them and provide them with the knowledge to live more hygienically so that they too can lead a healthy life and prevent themselves and their families from any health issues.

We are thankful to our health partner, for his support and help, to make this camp a success. We are also thankful to our Volunteers for their support of providing us with a clean space, making all arrangements and sensitizing the community about the camp was remarkable. Hope to work more for these dwellers in the coming years.



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