

Physiotherapy camp at Fangani Village.

Name of College: K.M. Patel Institute of Physiotherapy
Name of Department: Physiotherapy
Name of Healthcare Day Celebration: - World Physiotherapy Day
Date/s of Celebration:- 3 rd September 2025
Venue of Celebration Activities: Fangani Village -Rural outreach program
Objective/s of Celebration: To celebrate World Physiotherapy Day by spreading physiotherapy-related awareness, providing exercise education, treating conditions, and referring patients for further management, thereby offering students a meaningful community-based rehabilitation experience.
Brief Summary on the Activities conducted to celebrate the day: KMPIP conducted a physiotherapy visit camp on 3rd September 2025 at Fangani Village. Dr. Anjali Wadhwa, 7 final year students, 1R1, and 2 R2s left the hospital for the camp at 8:45 am and reached at 9:10 am. The setup was made with the coordination and support of the staff and camp organizers. Patients gradually started coming as we reached the camp. The main conditions observed were Osteoarthritis (OA) and Low Back Pain. All the patients were explained the exercises very well. Home exercise program pamphlets were distributed to the patients according to their conditions. Patients who were unable to attend the camp were visited at their homes and were taught the required exercises. All those requiring regular physiotherapy treatment were referred to SKH. In addition, a 50% concession for 7 days was provided to patients who could not afford treatment. The camp ended at 3:45 pm. A total of 64 patients took advantage of this camp. It was a great opportunity to serve the community and spread awareness about physiotherapy.
Target Population: Community People at Fangani Village
Total Participants: Faculty – 1, Final Year Students – 7, R1 – 1, R2 – 2, Patients – 64
Brief summary of Participant Feedback on the Organization and Impact of the Activities conducted to celebrate the day. Patients expressed satisfaction with the services provided during the camp. Many appreciated the detailed exercise demonstrations, the easy-to-follow pamphlets, and the personal attention they received. The initiative of offering concession for further treatment was especially welcomed by those facing financial constraints. The camp was acknowledged as a highly beneficial and impactful community health activity, reflecting the importance of physiotherapy in rural healthcare.



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