

A Brief Report on Extension Activity organized by the Department of Bioengineering on October 25, 2021

An extension activity was organized by the Department of Bioengineering to create **awareness about common health ailments and health consciousness among the rural population** of Village-Fatehpur Khamrai, Barabanki on 25 October 2021. The students of B. Tech Biomedical Engineering and Dual Degree Biotechnology courses participated in the activity. **Prof. Iffat Zareen Ahmad**, Chairperson, DQAC coordinated the activity in association with **IIMSR**. **Dr. Punit Kumar Singh** and **Er. Soban Ahmad Faridi** was nominated as the Faculty Coordinator and they accompanied the students of the Department of Bioengineering for conducting the extension activity.

The students actively participated in apprising the villagers with the **medical and health issues** commonly neglected and which later results in aggravated diseases and illnesses. Students explained to the masses about diabetes and its myths and also regarding cardiac problems which slowly arise and are often neglected in early stages. Students felt satisfied as many commoners weren't aware of their health. The students advised them to reach out to the community health center and get a health check-up immediately. The students accompanied a few villagers, who were sick, to the local **rural community health center of Integral Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Sansarpur, Lucknow**. The villagers were overwhelmed by the support which the students of Integral University, Lucknow offered them.

