## **National Service Scheme**

World AIDS Day, 1-15 Dec 2023

## HIV AIDS Prevention and Awareness Campaign and survey with the theme "Community Leadership and Collaboration" by volunteers of National Service Scheme and Red Ribbon Club of AUMP in the NSS adopted village Sigora

## (15 December, 2023)

The National Service Scheme and the Red Ribbon Club of Amity University Madhya Pradesh launched HIV and AIDS awareness activities in the NSS adopted village Sigora, in accordance with the direction of the Ministry of Higher Education, Government of Madhya Pradesh, as per letter 994/349/NSS/2023/38 dated 10.11.2023. In this year's AIDS Awareness Campaign, "**Community Leadership and Collaboration**" is the topic. Dr. Jyoti Priyadarshini Srivastava, Professor, Department of Pathology, Gajra Raja Medical College, Gwalior, gave an expert presentation on the topic of "AIDS Awareness and Prevention" on December 13, 2023, to the NSS volunteers of Amity University. Dr. Priyadarshini Srivastava gave an in-depth explanation of the myths, concerns, and facts surrounding HIV/AIDS.

In this initiative, on December 15, 2023, an awareness campaign and survey and were conducted with a questionnaire in the National Service Scheme-adopted village Sigora.

The NSS volunteers taught the villages about HIV prevention and simple ways to live with the disease. They also gave them access to the most recent knowledge, which the educated youth can then share with the less informed members of society.

The NSS volunteers performed skits that reflected the views about HIV/AIDS that are prevalent in our community. The program was overseen by Drs. Rachna Kathal and Manish Dubey, Program Officers for the National Service Scheme, and Arvind Singh Jadon from AIP. 45 NSS volunteers participated in the camp.

AUMP Pro Chancellor Lt Gen VK Sharma (AVSM) praised NSS and RRC volunteer work. Professor Dr. Anil Vashishth, the Pro Vice Chancellor, prompted them that a young person with education should always be engaged in society and assume full responsibility for social welfare.

The program's objectives were fully met in line with the directives provided by the government under the "Let Communities Lead" concept.

