On June 14, 2024, *Maria Siddha Medical College and Hospital* organized a "Voluntary Blood Donation Camp" in association with "Vivek Blood Bank" at Nagercoil. The camp was held in the hospital premises. In this event, students, staff and public donated blood and helped save the lives of the victims.

The primary objective of the Blood Donation Camp is to encourage students to donate blood, replenish the blood supply and save lives. Camp started at 10.00 am. Donors were greeted by volunteers and directed to the registration area, where they provided their personal information and underwent a brief medical examination to confirm eligibility for donation. Screening tests include height, weight, blood pressure and Hb test. Eligible donors proceeded to the donation area, where trained medical staff collected blood samples using sterile instruments. Donors reclined comfortably during the donation process, which lasted approximately 15 minutes per donor.

After the donation, the donors were offered soft drinks and snacks to help replenish their energy levels. Medical staff monitored donors for any adverse reactions following donation and provided necessary care if necessary. A total of 30 students including interns, teachers and public volunteered to donate blood and around 50 units of blood were collected during the event. Donated blood is used to support patients in medical treatments, surgeries and emergencies at local hospitals and health facilities.

The blood donation camp was a huge success due to the overwhelming support and generosity of the college students and staff who participated in this blood donation camp.

After that "*World Blood Donor Day 2024*" was celebrated in the college campus at 2.00 pm. Speeches by college students and professors on the occasion highlighted the contributions of voluntary blood donors and created awareness about the need for safe blood and blood products. The program concluded with the National Anthem at 3.00 pm.

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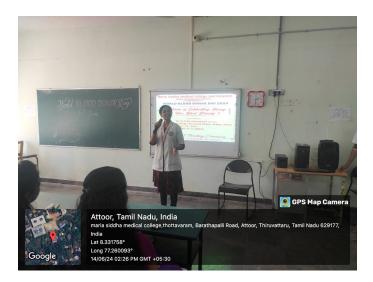






























































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