

Extension activity

Awareness on Environmental Hazards for the construction workers

An awareness program on “**Environmental Hazards for the construction Workers**” was organized by the Department of Physiology, Velammal Medical College Hospital and Research Institute, Madurai, Tamilnadu in association with AK builders and Rotary club- Metro Heritage , Madurai, Tamilnadu on 30.08.22.

The target audience were the construction workers of AK builders Madurai, Tamilnadu.

The program began with the welcome address by Dr.M.Renu Meena Senior resident, Department of Physiology, Velammal Medical College, Madurai. It was followed by a acknowledgement talk on the topic air pollution - hazards and protective measures by Dr.S.P.Kausikan, Postgraduate, Department of Physiology, Velammal Medical College, Madurai. The Construction workers were benefited and found the speech very useful and cleared their doubts on the topic after the speech. This was followed by a talk on chemical hazards and protective measures by Mr.S.Kavin, First year MBBS student. After such impressive talks, Mr. J. Jeyasakthi aja, First MBBS student spoke on Heat stress hazards and protective measures which was very helpful for the construction workers. Miss K. Narpavi, First MBBS student spoke about noise hazards and control measures. Later, the Blood pressure measurements was taken for 10 construction workers and blood glucose level was checked for the construction workers by the resource persons.

Following this, the audience came with questions and the doubts were immediately and appropriately cleared by the resource persons. The program concluded by the Vote of thanks delivered by Mr.Rtn. Venkatesh CR, president of rotary club, Metro heritage- Madurai. The program was a timely awakener and eye-opener for the audience. The same was appreciated by the Mr.V.Anandhakarthi, Managing Director, AK Builders, Madurai.



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