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Best Practice B.Ed. Session 2017-18

1. Best Practice-I

Linkages for International Exposure

2. The Context

To provide exposure to our student teachers at international level, the Institute organized a week long International School Internship program and an International Conference on Peace and Harmony to promote mutual understanding, harmony and cooperation among people. It also aimed to expand, strengthen interdisciplinary deliberations and research in field of Education .With a focus on innovative ways to add value to students' learning, the college aims at collaborations with international institutes and universities to broaden their horizons. Since last year,, selected students have been invited to international institutes to share their teaching-learning experiences and seeking exposure. Such kind of activity certainly motivates students and encourages them to develop a holistic attitude towards life.

3. Objectives of the Practice

- To develop a society that is free from exploitation ,injustice and violence
- To generate interest, values and qualities that are necessary for bringing peace to mind conduct student orientation programs
- To build vision for future where diversity and plurality can co-exist
- To equip current and future teachers with an education that promotes the culture of peace and harmony .
- To provide a platform to the teachers to learn about the teaching practices abroad.
- To make the student teachers aware of the different practices, international curriculum and teaching techniques followed at schools there.
- To develop and increase cultural awareness for mutual benefits and joint endeavors.

4. The Practice

For any student, scholar or a researcher, a conference at an International platform brings in benefits like international exposure, mingling of different cultures and assessing your knowledge and potential. The practice began for the first time and eminent educationists and academicians invited spoke to the impact education has on global peace and harmony. This conference was a platform for researchers to share their experiences and findings and encourage a healthy discussion among the researchers. International internship was beneficial as it helps develop sufficient communication skill, interact with people of diverse background, helps you apply theoretical classroom knowledge in a real world setting and gain a better understanding of a given field in global context.

5. Advantages

- Maintaining transparency of the academic, cultural, and social environment of the institution.
- Improves student feedback and performance in the college

6. Challenging issues

In pursuit of better future of its students, Army Institute of Education has been on a continuous mission instrumental for forging collaborations with schools and Universities at Global level.

Sometimes few challenges met were:

- High cost of travelling abroad was a deterrent for many
- Technical challenges at the time of framing MOUs.
- Feasibility of an exchange program was also a challenge
- Assessing the quality of Foreign Universities as per our students' requirement.
- Keeping the sessions conducted with students confidential

7. Evidence of Success

Students, who have been part of the selection processes and witnessed the academia of foreign universities, have shown a holistic approach towards life; be it professional or personal. They have shown marked difference in comparison to other students in terms approachability, relationships and perseverance in matters related to academics, and co-curricular activities. They have exhibited pro-activeness, positive attitude, bringing an extra edge to their work in terms of quality. These are some of the highlights found in our students which itself paves the path of success for them.

8. Resources Required

- Personnel who can help facilitate signing of MoU's with International schools and Universities.
- Investment in intellectual and knowledge propagators.
- Provision of exchange program between International schools and Universities.

1. Best Practice-II

Community Services—Adoption of life saving practices towards health

2.The Context

The institute organized programs under community services to make the students aware of the benefits of good life saving practices like Organ donation, Blood Donation not only to the beneficiary, but also to the donor . To provide exposure to our student teachers, about how such legit practices can save lives, the resource person spoke on how organ and blood donation can be done, in what circumstances and what does it mean. This also covered being made aware about Thalassemia, a blood disorder involving lower than normal amounts of oxygen carrying protein.

3. Objectives of the Practice

This was organized to spread awareness about the following objectives:

- How such practices can save lives of the needy on Organ Donation
- Anybody can be a donor irrespective of their caste, community or religion.
- Spreading awareness on donation of Tissues like cornea, heart valves, skin and bone that can be donated in case of natural death but vital organs like heart, lungs, liver kidneys can be done only in case of ‘brain death’
- To make people educated on Thalassemia, an inherited blood disorder characterized by less oxygen carrying protein and fewer RBC than normal

4. The Practice

Since organ and blood donation and transplant vary widely across the globe, there remains a universal shortage of deceased donors. To meet this demand, intense interest from international and national organizations have led to framing of legal and ethical guidelines. Such programs should seek to reduce both the need for transplantation and develop deceased donation to its maximum potential. The student teachers can shoulder the responsibility of spreading public awareness on donation and educate people on Thalassemia

5. Advantages

The advantages of such services are many

- Organ, Tissue and Blood Donation can save precious lives.
- We get to know about different pathways to organ donation (Brain Death, Circulatory death, Living Donation)
- When and how can we donate blood
- How timely intervention and diagnosis can help people with thalassemia

- Spreading awareness on different treatments and remedies, adopting healthy-living habits
- Organ donation can help grieving families
 - Helps further medical research, which can save and improve lives and helps doctors understand certain diseases and their effect on human body.

6. Challenging issues

In pursuit of educating students on different societal issues, Army Institute of Education has been a forerunner in organizing camps to spread awareness and educate the youth but sometimes there are challenges.

- Ignorance and prejudice continue to be the main challenges in organ transplantation
- Fears concerning diagnosis of brain death and being cheated
- The belief that the organs will first go to the rich and influential and then the poor/needly
- Effect of medicines that may affect the recipient.
- Stories about criminal organ commerce floating in media and organ trafficking

7. Evidence of Success

Student teachers who were part of the organ donation camp were committed to this cause, and pledged organ and blood donation that can help save many lives. Lives can be transformed and affected patients can find hope. It also led to celebrating and observing 'World Organ Donation Day' & 'World Blood Donor Day'. Lives are transformed and the hope of living is rekindled. The concept of giving a new lease of life to someone inspired many to pledge organ, tissue and blood donation.

8. Resources Required

For community services, to make it more effective and widespread, we need

- Trained Medical Personnel who can make people aware about the positives of organ donation, blood donation and Thalassemia
- Well-equipped medical room with all facilities
- Motivated student teachers are a must who are willing to commit themselves for a social cause and understand the need for increasing organ donation and harnessing of donor organs
- Funds for spreading awareness regarding organ donation using different mediums are needed. For example workshops, orientation programs, rallies- adequate resources are required.

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