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Thalassemia Detection & Awareness Camp

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Place: College Premises

Thalassemia is a great threat in India. India has the largest number of children with Thalassemia major in the world – about 1 to 1.5 lakhs and almost 42 million carriers of β (beta) thalassemia trait. About 10,000 - 15,000 babies with thalassemia major are born every year.

In this alarming situation, the NSS unit of Nabagram A.C.K. College has organized a Thalassemia detection camp in the college for the students and youths of the local areas. A total of 67 students and 9 youths from the nearby areas provided blood samples for free thalassemia detection camp.

Outcome: Youths and students have become aware of how to prevent the spread of thalassemia. One student has been reported thalassemia carrier stage.



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