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Progress on SDG 4

Quality Education

4.3.4 Educational outreach beyond campus



Year 2025

Community health literacy and schoolchildren's learning
Bhatan Village outreach

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Bhatan Village event and learners

World Pharmacist Day Celebration and Community Health Checkup Camp
25 September 2025 | 10:30 am to 4:00 pm
Gram Panchayat Office, near Hanuman Mandir, Bhatan Village

Amity Institute of Pharmacy, in collaboration with E-Cell, took a health education programme to Bhatan Village during Innovation Week. First-year B.Pharm students performed a Nukkad Natak on rational medicine use, the dangers of self-medication and lifestyle management. The programme also provided individual counselling and interactive guidance for schoolchildren on nutrition, hygiene and lifestyle habits.

The educational activity reached local residents at the Gram Panchayat venue outside the university campus. The event report records the following participant groups and counselling coverage:

Recorded group or activity	Number	Source page
Schoolchildren under 10 years of age	30	3
Villagers aged 10 years and above	90	3
Total participants individually counselled	120	3

The activity was convened by Prof. (Dr.) Suneela Dhaneshwar, Director, Amity Institute of Pharmacy. Ms. Neha Raghuwanshi and Dr. Vrushali Bhalchim were the faculty coordinators; Prof. (Dr.) Bhawana Sharma supported the E-Cell collaboration. Sarpanch Shri Tanaji Patil and other Gram Panchayat representatives participated in the village programme.

The stated 10:30 am to 4:00 pm timing covers the whole event, including screening and formal proceedings.



Photograph 1. Village proceedings at the outreach venue. The original geotag records Bhatan and 25 September 2025.

Teaching activities and documented delivery

The teaching comprised three identifiable activities. The table records the content and delivery described in the original report.

Teaching activity	Content and delivery recorded
Educational street play	First-year B.Pharm students used humour and drama to communicate rational medicine use, dangers of self-medication and lifestyle management.
Individual counselling	All 120 participants were counselled individually. The report describes counselling for identified cases of pre-diabetes and hypertension, encouraging timely intervention and healthier practices.
Interactive guidance for schoolchildren	Children received counselling on nutrition, hygiene and lifestyle habits. The participant breakdown identifies 30 schoolchildren under ten years of age.

Counselling linked to individual findings

Among 90 villagers screened, the report records 18 readings classified as pre-diabetic and 11 classified as hypertensive. It states that villagers with abnormal readings were advised to seek follow-up care. These figures describe screening findings that informed counselling; they are not counts of learners who passed an assessment.

Fit with educational outreach beyond campus

The relevant educational provision was the street play and counselling delivered to village residents and children at the Gram Panchayat venue. The event identifies its wider reach with SDG 3; its documented community teaching supplies the specific evidence for SDG 4 indicator 4.3.4.

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Photograph 2. Participants at the village camp's interaction and screening stations. Source: original report, page 8.

Community participation and recorded outputs

The original report records individual counselling for 120 participants and interactive guidance for schoolchildren. The feedback section records a request from the Sarpanch for further activities on cleanliness and self-medication awareness.



Photograph 3. Schoolchildren and the university team at Bhatan Village.



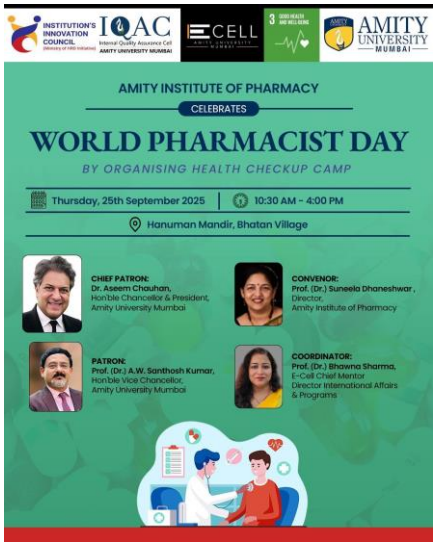
Photograph 4. Village residents gathered at the outreach venue.



Photograph 5. University team and residents during the camp. The image documents participation at the venue.

Street play delivered by students

"A Nukkad Natak on Health Awareness was presented by First Year B. Pharm students. Through humor and drama, they delivered impactful messages on rational medicine use, dangers of self-medication, and lifestyle management."



Photograph 6: Flyer of the event