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Name of Activity	Unnat Bharat Abhiyan Regional Workshop
Date of Conduction	06-07-2019
Organized by	National Service Scheme
Student Participated	100

Brief Report

On July 6, 2019, Dr. Babasaheb Ambedkar Marathwada University (Dr. BAMU) organized a regional workshop on Unnat Bharat Abhiyan, a flagship program initiated by the Ministry of Education, Government of India. The workshop aimed to promote community service, foster rural engagement, strengthen UBA implementation, and build partnerships between educational institutions, local governments, and non-profit organizations for sustainable rural development. The event began with a welcome address by the NSS Program Coordinator, emphasizing the importance of community service in higher education. The Registrar of Dr. BAMU delivered a keynote speech, emphasizing the university's commitment to Unnat Bharat Abhiyan and rural development. Notable guests, including UBA coordinators and rural development experts, shared insights into the significance of UBA and the role of educational institutions in societal development. The panel discussions focused on various aspects of community service and its impact on rural development, including education, healthcare, infrastructure, and sustainable agriculture. Panelists from academia, government, and NGOs shared their experiences and best practices in implementing community service projects in rural areas. Participants engaged with panelists through a Q&A session, exploring challenges and opportunities in rural engagement.



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The workshop also included workshops and breakout sessions on the theme of effective implementation of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan. In session 1, participants learned techniques for conducting needs assessments in rural communities to identify areas requiring intervention and support. In session 2, they focused on designing community service projects that align with UBA objectives and address specific rural challenges. In session 3, they trained on monitoring and evaluating the impact of community service projects to ensure sustainable and measurable outcomes. Case study presentations showcased success stories of successful UBA projects, highlighting innovative approaches and community impact. Learning from experience provided valuable insights into practical strategies for community engagement and the challenges faced in implementing rural development projects. Networking and partnership building were opportunities for participants to network with peers, government officials, and NGO representatives, fostering potential collaborations for future community service projects. Feedback and reflection were also discussed, with participants providing feedback on the workshop and suggesting improvements for future events. The outcomes and impact of the workshop were positive, with increased awareness, knowledge transfer, strengthened community and institutional ties, and practical skills development. However, there were challenges and solutions to the workshop, such as engaging diverse stakeholders and addressing varied community needs. Some suggested expanding workshop coverage, increasing community involvement, incorporating field visits to successful UBA project sites, and conducting follow-up sessions to monitor progress and provide ongoing support and guidance. In conclusion, the Regional Workshop on Unnat Bharat Abhiyan was a successful initiative that significantly enhanced participants' understanding of community service and rural development. The workshop provided a valuable platform for sharing knowledge, fostering collaborations, and empowering participants to contribute to meaningful societal change. The positive outcomes and feedback highlight the importance of continued efforts in promoting community service and rural engagement, setting a strong foundation for future initiatives in line with the goals of Unnat Bharat Abhiyan.



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