

VISIT REPORT ON “WORLD ORAL HYGIENE DAY – 2019”

World Oral Hygiene Day was observed on 20th March every year focusing on ideal platform to raise awareness and encourage action in favour of good oral health. The theme for 2019 was “Say Ahh: Act on Mouth Health’. The Department of College of Nursing, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar observed the World Oral Hygiene Day in Government Primary School, Patrapada on 20/03/2019 between 10 am -12 pm with different activities by BSc (N) and MSc (N) students. 150 Children from 1st – 5th standard attended awareness programme. A survey on Practice of dental hygiene among 3rd – 5th standard students was conducted.



A role play was performed focusing on causes, symptoms, identification and prevention of dental caries. Demonstration on techniques of brushing was done by the nursing students on a model and return demonstration was done by school students. A video assisted health teaching was performed by PG Nursing students emphasizing on dental hygiene practices & prevention of dental caries. School students were actively participated in the programme and assured that they will change their dental hygiene practices.

