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Seminar on Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation (SVEEP) 13-14th January 2025

Introduction

As part of the **Systematic Voters' Education and Electoral Participation (SVEEP) Programme**, the NSS Club of Banarsidas Chandiwala Institute of Physiotherapy (BCIP) organized an educational session on **January 13th and 14th, 2025** to raise awareness about the significance of voting and the electoral process. The initiative aimed to educate BPT 1st & 2nd year students on their rights and responsibilities as voters and encourage them to actively participate in the democratic process by registering to vote.

Objectives of the Event

- To educate students about the importance of voting in a democracy.
- To provide detailed information on the voter registration process.
- To encourage first-time voters to register and participate in upcoming elections.
- To clarify doubts regarding the electoral process through an interactive session.

Event Highlights

- Informative Presentation: A comprehensive session explaining the importance of voting, electoral rights, and the step-by-step voter registration procedure was conducted.
- **Interactive Q&A Session:** Students had the opportunity to ask questions regarding voter eligibility, documentation, and voting procedures.
- Awareness Drive: Posters and digital materials were displayed to further reinforce the significance of electoral participation.
- **Participation:** Around **80**+ **students** of the BPT program attended the session, showing keen interest in the electoral process.

Outcomes of the Event

- **Enhanced Awareness:** Students gained a clearer understanding of the electoral process and the importance of their participation.
- **Encouraged Voter Registration:** Many first-time voters were motivated to register and take part in the upcoming elections.

- Active Engagement: The interactive session successfully addressed students' doubts, leading to increased confidence in the voting process.
- **Strengthened Democratic Values:** The event reinforced the importance of civic responsibility among students.

Conclusion

The Voter Awareness Campaign under SVEEP at BCIP was a successful initiative that effectively educated students about their electoral rights and responsibilities. By fostering an understanding of the voting process, the session empowered students to participate actively in the democratic framework of the country. The enthusiasm and engagement of the students highlighted the significance of such awareness programs in shaping informed and responsible citizens.

