

Blood donation camp held at IIT BBS

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The IIT Bhubaneswar in association with the NSS Odisha organised a blood donation camp in collaboration with the Capital Hospital, Bhubaneswar and NGO Sahaya at its campus on Sunday in the presence of IIT Bhubaneswar Director Prof RV Raja Kumar.

A total of 92 people including students, faculty and staff members donated blood. The samples were transported to the Blood bank of Capital Hospital.

Prof Raja Kumar hailed the drive “during the pandemic when the regular procurement of blood and blood donation in general has taken a hit and also the opportunities to hold such events were drastically impacted.”

“Despite the pandemic, already 70% of our students have been brought to the campus; and in the coming three days, it is going to be 85%,” he informed.

The programme was coordinated by NSS Coordinator Dr Sasidhar Kondaraju and EAA coordinators Dr Srikant Gollapudi and Dr Bankim Chandra Mandal.

<https://www.dailypioneer.com/2021/state-editions/blood-donation-camp-held-at-iit-bbs.html>