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## IIT BBS holds Pulse Polio drive

### 40 in-campus kids administered drops



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A pulse polio drive was held at the IIT Bhubaneswar on Sunday for in-campus children (under five years) as part of the National Polio immunisation programme of the Union Ministry of Health.

The pulse polio drive was organised by the medical unit of IIT Bhubaneswar in collaboration with Odisha Government. As many as 40 children aged below five years were administered pulse polio drops inside the campus due to

active participation of faculty and staff members. IIT Director Prof RV Raja Kumar said the pulse polio immunisation programme, aimed at bringing down the number of polio affected people, has been successful across the nation in the recent years.

He urged the faculty, staff members to utilise such immunisation camps held inside the campus including the ones conducted by the State Government and NGOs to help eradicate polio from the world.