



BISHOP ENZIGER COLLEGE

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4.2.4 - Community Based Teaching Learning Activities

4.2.4 AVAILABILITY OF INFRASTRUCTURE FOR COMMUNITY BASED LEARNING

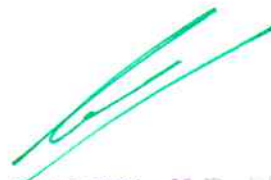
DESCRIPTION OF COMMUNITY BASED TEACHING LEARNING ACTIVITIES

The institution is affiliated to government health centres like Community health Centre, Thrikkadavoor, covering a population of 42732 Kollam, Community health Centre, Palathara, Kollam, Primary health Centre, Sakthikulangara, Kollam covering a population of 51840. Students are also sent to various renowned community health training institutions like RUSHA, CMC Vellore, Gandhigram, Dindigul.

The institution has two adopted community health centres which serves the coastal population of Kollam district: Bishop Benziger Community Health Centre, Pallithottam, Kollam serving 7420 population, Bishop Benziger Community Health Centre, Eravipuram, Kollam (closed with effect from July 2020).

Students are regularly engaged in community based teaching learning activities as part of their curricular requirements as well as extension activities of the college. Students receive 8 weeks of community posting at rural and urban areas; and 4 weeks of centre posting at subcentre, primary health centre, community health centre and urban health centre, in UG programme and 40 weeks in PG programme. Institution offers wide range of community based teaching learning activities like all home visiting and family assessment, conducting health surveys, community mobilization, mass awareness campaigns, outreach clinics, awareness rallies, collaboration with national health programs, school health services, community research projects, community nutrition demonstrations, health exhibitions, health camps, national and international day celebrations. Students also participate in community awareness programmes through community radio benziger 107.8. Radio club of the college 'Voice of Nightingale' conducts programmes like narrative talks, discussions, question and answer sessions etc. Students were also involved in radio project named 'Swashraya' which is a joint venture of the college and community radio benziger to empower the coastal women in rendering home-based basic health care services.




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