

1. Introduction

With Vasila Mubarak of Aqa Mola tus and Raza Mubarak of Mazoon Mola tus the 2nd Medical camp at Mumbra was held on Sunday 24th Zilqada 1431 (31st October 2010).

Close to 500 mumineen registered for the medical camp and more than 450 attended the camp. The camp started at 10:00am and ended at 3:00pm. There were 6 GPs, 1 Gynecologist, 1 Nutritionist, 1 Dietitian, 1 acupuncturist and 6 paramedic medical staff. In addition to this Dr. Abi Turab Chunia (Orthopedic Surgeon), Dr. Mustafa Parekh (Eye Surgeon) and Dr. Najeeb Kachwala (Cardiac Surgeon) also attended the camp and provided free consultations.

Hadiyat was given to all mumineen who attended camp, with Mazoon Mola tus doa paigaam.

2. Planning

M. Hatim Badri and Mohammed Khorakiwala were the main coordinators for this camp. Mustafa Sanchawala had set up a registration desk in Masjid Saifee in Mumbra for mumineen wanting to attend the medical camp. In addition to this Zahra Hasanaat members, Aziz Bhaigora, Ahmedali had visited homes of mumineen in order to make them register for the camp.

The two madrasa buildings were taken up for the camp. The bottom floor housed the medicine room, where mumineen procured free medicines and exited the building. The 1st floor rooms were occupied by Dr. Chunia, physiotherapists, acupuncturists and Dr. Kachwala. The 2nd floor was occupied by Dr. Mustafa Parekh and his staff. The 3rd floor was occupied by the Gynecologists and GP's. The 2nd madarasa building was occupied by GP's.

2.1 Volunteers

Zahra Hasanat members and Gulam Husain (GH) members coordinated critical activities such as filling of record forms, collecting and indexing of record forms and organizing refreshments i.e. tea, sherbet and lunch.

The local jamaat khidmat guzaars included Burhani First-Aid Committee, Burhani Guards, Pani committee. They Burhani Guards and First-Aid committee did all activities pertaining to mumineen flow management.

3. Refreshments

Burhani First-Aid committee had a welcome breakfast of Poha and idli. Everyone was served tea at 11am. Lunch was served at 1:30pm. Lunch included a vegetable sandwich, 2 dal samosa's, 1 piece of kaju-katri and 1 frooti. 80 packets of lunch were distributed.

Salawat sharbat was provided to all mumineen on exit.

4. General Assessment

As expected 500 mumineen attended the camp. Most of the one's who attended were above aged and above the age of 45. Handful of middle-aged mumineen attended the camp. We had distributed 1000 handbills and stuck handbills at the entrance of mumineen buildings.

Mumineen were attracted to the camp as free consultations of specialists were available. Most mumineen were suffering eye ailments and chronic body aches. Dr. Parekh and Dr. Chunia must have diagnosed close to 350 mumineen.

Doctors observed that there were high cases of diabetes, chronic knee and joint pains and back aches. Dr. Zainab found a general improvement amongst mumina bahen's who had visited for the second time. This was because they were given Iron and calcium tablets. Also since free de-worming tablets were given out in the previous camp, mumineen had fewer cases of worm related ailments. Dr. Zainab did not find any serious cases, but general ailment was white discharge for female patients. For this Iron, calcium and Vitamin B complex tablets can be given out.

Dr. Mustafa Parekh has given his clinic contact and mumineen are approaching him for cataract surgery, glaucoma, etc. Furthermore, mumineen have been provided free access to eye care at J.J. Hospital.

