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Indian Institute of Technology Bhubaneswar

Press Release

**IIT Bhubaneswar organizes Blood Donation Camp  
195 Units of blood collected**

**Bhubaneswar, 30 August 2025:** The NSS Bureau, Pravaah and Social & Cultural teams of Students Gymkhana, Indian Institute of Technology (IIT) Bhubaneswar, in collaboration with NGO Sahaya and S.C.B. Medical College and Hospital, Cuttack, organized a mega blood donation camp, namely '**Umeed 5.0**' today. 195 units of blood were collected during the camp, held at the Community Centre inside the Institute campus.

Prof. Rajesh Roshan Dash, Dean (Student Affairs), and Shri Bamadev Acharya, Registrar of the Institute, graced the occasion and motivated the donors. Among others, Dr. Seema Bahinipati, Professor-in-Charge (Healthcare); Dr. Santhoshkumar G, Chairperson, Pravaah; Dr. Suvradip Mullick, Faculty Advisor, Social & Cultural; Student Gymkhana Secretaries of Socio-Cultural, Chief Coordinator, Pravaah, Sudhanshu, Souls for Solace, and Chandra Sekhar, NSS Coordinator; Dr. Samhati Tripathy, Blood Bank Officer; and the team from S.C.B. Medical College and Hospital, Cuttack, along with Shri Kailash Sarangi and team from NGO Sahaya were present on the occasion. Dr. Sivaiah Bathula, Coordinator-NSS, coordinated the camp. The members of the faculty, staff, students, and residents of the Institute participated in this noble initiative and donated blood.

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