



Report on Breastfeeding Week 2025

“PRIORITISE BREASTFEEDING – CREATE SUSTAINABLE SUPPORT SYSTEM”

Name of the Event : National Nutrition Week

Date : 02/07/2025 – 07/07/2025

Time : 2pm – 3pm

Venu : Smt. Vimladevi Khyalilalji Vagarecha College of Nursing, Thane.

The World Breastfeeding Week 2025 was celebrated with great enthusiasm by the 3rd Year GNM students at Smt. Vimladevi Khyalilalji Vagarecha College of Nursing from 2nd to 7th August 2025. The week aimed to raise awareness about the importance of breastfeeding for the health and well-being of both mothers and children.

The celebrations commenced with various planned activities spread over the week. The theme inauguration was held on 2nd August 2025 and was graced by our respected Principal, Ms. Chitra Naik Ma'am, who formally inaugurated the event. Ms. Meera Minnu highlighted the significance of this year's theme in promoting exclusive breastfeeding practices.

On 4th August 2025, under the supervision of Mrs. Angel Gladwin, the students actively participated by delivering health talks to spread awareness among women and families about the benefits of breastfeeding, its nutritional value, and the role it plays in strengthening the bond between mother and child in Sau Meenatai Prasuti Grah, Waghle Estate. The students also emphasized common myths and corrective measures to encourage proper feeding practices. As part of practical learning and community outreach, the students demonstrated correct breastfeeding techniques on 6th August 2025 under the supervision of Ms. Dhanashree Wagh in Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Hospital, Kalwa. These demonstrations helped create a clear understanding of proper positioning, latching, and frequency of feeding, thereby enhancing the knowledge of expectant and new mothers.

On the final day, 7th August 2025, the students distributed handmade pamphlets in Sau Meenatai Prasuti Grah, Waghle Estate, under the supervision of Mrs. Angel Gladwin, containing key points on breastfeeding benefits, techniques, and maternal care. This marked the conclusion of the Breastfeeding Week celebrations, ensuring that valuable information reached the community in a simple and accessible form.

The week-long celebration was highly impactful, combining theoretical knowledge, practical demonstrations, and community education. It successfully spread awareness, encouraged healthy practices, and reflected the dedication of both faculty and students in promoting maternal and child health.



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