## World Aids Day observed at the Central University of Orissa, Koraput

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Blood donation camp was organized by Central University of Orissa, Koraput at its Campus Landiguda, Koraput on the eve of World Aids Day. Colonel Rajive Singh Chauhan, Registrar of the University inaugurated the camp and emphasized on importance of blood donation.

A pint of donated blood can save up to three lives. We understand that donating blood is not only important for the patient but it sometimes works as life saver drug for the patient. Human Blood can't be replaced by artificial blood he said while inaugurating the camp.

He extended his thanks to the District Head Quarter Hospital and Blood Bank of Koraput for their technical support to organising the camp at the University premises. Especially he thanks to Dr. Ratikant Khatua for his active presence during the camp.

A large number of teachers, non-teaching staff and students of the University voluntarily came forward to donate blood. The initiative was meant to spread awareness on donating blood for a noble cause. A total of around hundred bottles were donated at the end of the day.

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