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Details of Rural and Urban Health Centre's involved in Teaching Learning Activities

As per DCI guidelines ACDS has two Satellite centers, Golden Palm Sainik Bhavan (GPSB) & Ex-Servicemen Contributory Health Scheme (ECHS) as part of our dedicated outreach to army veterans of the twin cities.

Attached Satellite Primary Health Center - Golden Palm Sainik Bhavan (GPSB)

GPSB is an integrated complex closest to all means of communication; adjacent to the railway station, encompassing all facilities for the Veterans to incl. Polyclinic, URC, office of the Dir Veterans and stay arrangements for referral patients. Est. of ECHS at GPSB has helped these outstation ESM patients by cutting down their travel time and travel expenditure. However, those requiring Dental treatment still needed to be referred to ACDS which is located 20 KM from GPSB as ACDS is the most favored empanelled Hospital for ECHS Dental patients and the only one in for ESIC Hospital (for State Govt. Employees).

ACDS Referral Centre at GPSB has 4 fully loaded Electronic Dental Chairs and related equipment such as Portable X Ray, advanced X Ray (RVG) machine, Autoclaves, UV sterilizer etc. has been established at GPSB which enables ease of treatment in the Referral Centre. It is manned by One Senior Lecturer, Interns on training and three Specialist Dentists on rotational basis from ACDS. This Referral Centre is capable of carrying out Endodontic, Prosthodontic, Periodontic and Minor Oral surgical procedures at Secondary care level.

Attached Rural Health Center - Ex-Servicemen Contributory Health Scheme (ECHS)

The ECHS facility available at Thirumalgiri is empanelled with ACDS for Endodontic and Prosthodontic treatment for ECHS patients.

A senior specialist is assigned to perform the duty 2 days per week from 8 AM to 3 PM The various facilities available at ECHS are:

- 1. Patient waiting area
- 2. Patient relaxing area
- 3. 2 Dental chairs
- 4. Dental X-ray and RVG system available for proper diagnosis and treatment planning
- 5. Separate seating cabin available for working doctors
- 6. All required dental (impression) materials are also available for Endodontic as well as Prosthodontic treatment planning.
- 7. A good storage boon facility also available for various dental materials available at the operatory set up.
- 8. The above key points are added feather in the laurels of achievement of ACDS, as an institution with aim of providing necessary and correct treatment planning for ex-servicemen patients and their wards.

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