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## 1,500 examined at free medical camp

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About 1,500 persons, including students were medically examined at a free medical camp organised by the

Chaupal, a community health centre, Baiyanpur village, at Saidpur village.

The patients were given spectacles, hearing aids and backpain belts free of cost in the camp.

A team of doctors and specialists, including Rishi, Manju, Ramesh Aneja, Veenu, Hemant, Rakesh, Yogender, Alam, Rajesh, Inderjeet, Abhishek, Sanjay and Salim led by Dr Rajinder Singh Tonk, chairman of the Chaupal, examined the patients. The ultrasound, blood, ECG tests were also done free of cost.

Addressing the villagers on the occasion, Dr Tonk cautioned them against the increasing menace of the female foeticide, saying that if there were no girls, where they would bring the brides



An eye surgeon examines a student at a free medical camp at Saidpur village.

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from . "A girl

looks after two families and plays a great role in giving a new generation to society," he remarked.

He exhorted the women not

to go for the sex determination test. He also asked people to give equal preference to girls as far as education was concerned

Chaupal had so far organ-

ised more than 100 free medical camps in rural areas of Haryana, Delhi and UP, benifitting around three lakh people had been benefited in these camps.