



## NSS- MAIDS UNIT

### INTRODUCTION:

The National Service Scheme (NSS) is a Central Sector Scheme of Government of India, Ministry of Youth Affairs & Sports. Proclaiming its motto “**NOT ME BUT YOU**”, it provides opportunity to the student youth of Technical Institution, Graduate as well as Post Graduate at colleges and University level of India to take part in various government led community service activities & programmes.

**Maulana Azad Institute of Dental Sciences (MAIDS)** envisions emerging as an institute of regional and global excellence in the field of dental education, patient care and research. The Department of Public Health Dentistry is working towards improving the access to dental care for underserved populations and encourage development and maintenance of community dentistry oriented programs and promote the use of preventive dentistry through different modes and channels.

### OBJECTIVES OF NSS:

- To understand the community in which they work understand themselves in relation to their community identify the needs and problems of the community and involve them in problem-solving
- To develop among them a sense of social and civic responsibility utilise their knowledge in finding practical solutions to individual and community problems.
- To develop competence required for group-living and sharing of responsibilities gain skills in mobilising community participation acquire leadership qualities and democratic attitudes develop capacity to meet emergencies and natural disasters and practise national integration and social harmony.

### ACTIVITIES:

1. Adoption of Villages, Survey of the Village/Area and related activities
2. Adoption of Slums and related activities
3. Coordination with Voluntary Organization and related activities
4. Organizing Community based oral health promotion and tobacco cessation programs

For Further Information kindly visit: <https://nss.gov.in/#>

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