

## A State Level Rally on World Population Day

A Rally was organised by Directorate of Health Services in co-ordination with Primary Health Centre, Corlim and Santo Minguel High School, Taliegao on 11<sup>th</sup> July 2016. Along with the rally, PlaCard Competition was organised.

The Director, Directorate of Health Services, Dr. Sanjeev Dalvi, Dy. Director, Public Health, Dr. Jose D'Sa, CMO, State Family Welfare Bureau, Dr. Vandana Dhume and Medical Officer Incharge, PHC Corlim, Dr. Kedar Raikar addressed the students on the occasion.



The other dignitaries present for the function were, Dr. Rupa Naik, District Immunization Officer, and Medical Officers from various programmes, Dr. Yogesh Desai, Dr. Shweta Naik, Dr. Sharvari Gaunekar (Medical Officers School Health, PHC Corlim), and staff of Department of Family Welfare, PHC Corlim and Sub Centre Borbot. Ms., Sabina Araujo, Headmistress, Santo Minguel High School and staff.



Dr. Vandana Dhume spoke on importance of Population Stabilization and social and financial implications. Director, Directorate of Health Services, flagged off the rally.



The rally commenced at 11.00 a.m. Around 200 students participated in the

rally. The route involved was from the school, towards the community hall then towards the market and left from the market back to the school.

The programme was covered by electronic and print media.

