

## **DEPARTMENT OF PAEDIATRICS**

and

## **DEPARTMENT OF QUALITY**

### **PATIENT SAFETY WEEK CELEBRATION – 2025**

*September 15-19, 2025*

Theme: “Safe care for every newborn and every child”

Motto: “Patient safety from the start!”

**DAY ONE (15<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025)**

Inauguration with keynote talk on safe neonatal and  
paediatric care for public

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Poster presentation for postgraduates

Venue: Hospital courtyard near Paediatric OPD

## Inauguration Ceremony – 15<sup>th</sup> September

The patient safety week celebration 2025 at Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital commenced on 15th September 2025 with an inspiring inauguration ceremony. The event was graced by our Director, Medical Superintendent, Dean (Academic), Dean (Research), Deputy Medical Superintendent, Resident Medical Officer, HOD- Paediatrics, esteemed faculties of Paediatrics, Quality department, postgraduate students and hospital staffs marking the beginning of a week-long initiative dedicated to enhancing patient safety and promoting quality healthcare practices.

The inaugural session featured a keynote talk on safe neonatal and paediatric care, which focused on raising awareness among the public about essential practices for ensuring the safety and well-being of newborns and children. The session highlighted practical strategies, preventive measures, and the importance of vigilant care in neonatal and pediatric settings.

Venue: Hospital Courtyard near Paediatric OPD





# Poster presentation competition for Postgraduates – 15<sup>th</sup> September

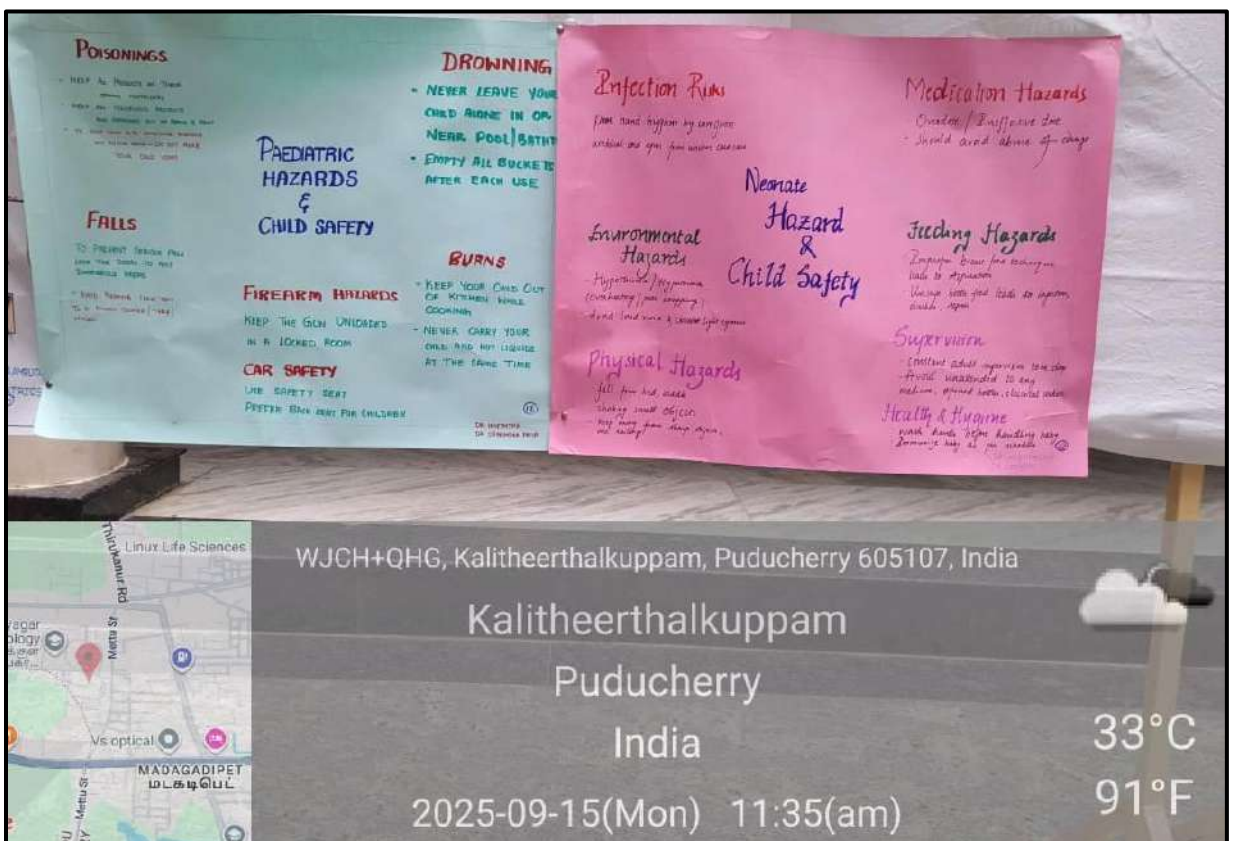
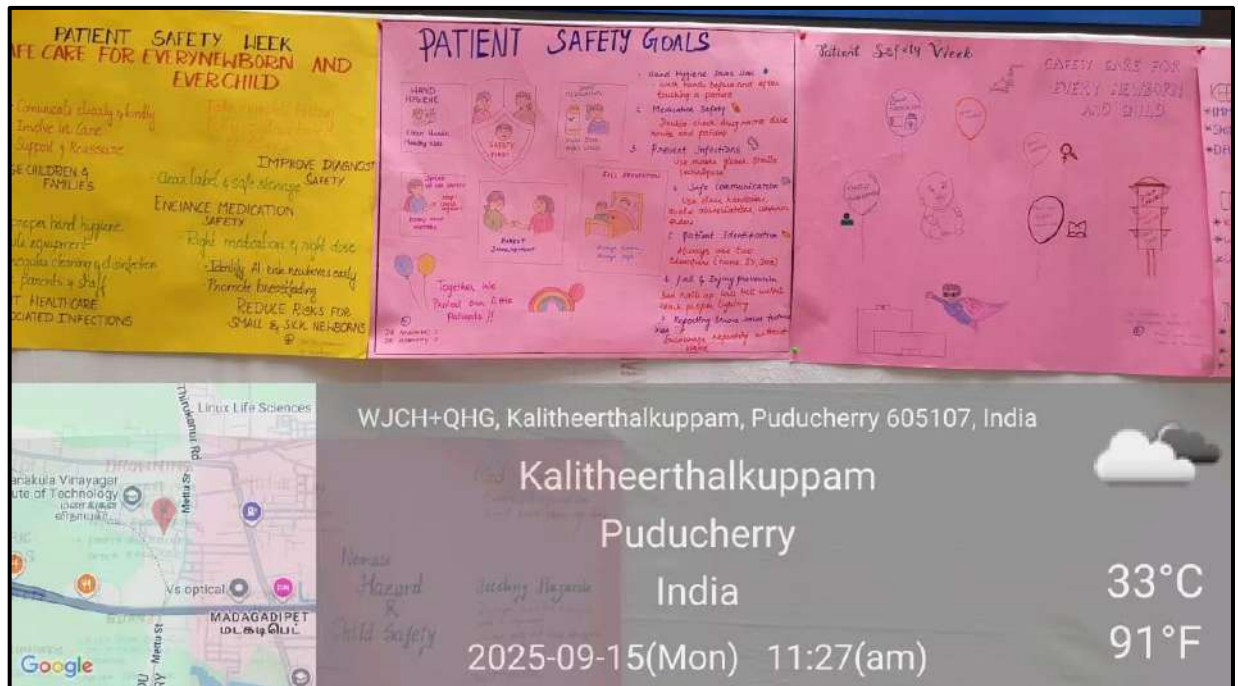
In addition, a poster presentation for postgraduates was organized, offering a valuable platform for young doctors to present their innovative practices and initiatives aimed at enhancing patient safety and pediatric care. The session encouraged interaction, discussion and peer learning highlighting the commitment of the next generation of medical professionals to quality healthcare.

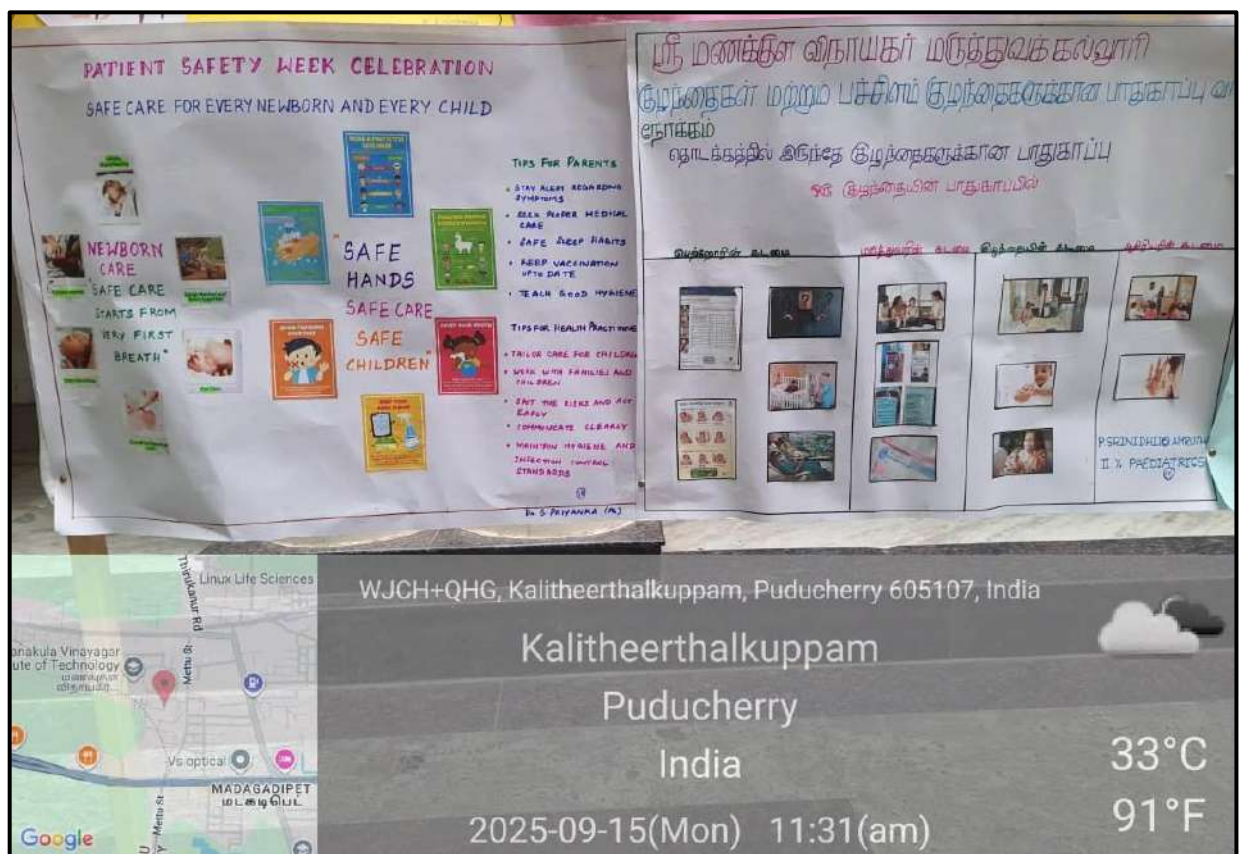
The activities of the first day successfully set a positive and energetic tone for the week, emphasizing knowledge sharing, raising awareness and fostering active participation from both faculty members and students. The day reflected the hospital's dedication to promoting a culture of safety, continuous learning, and collaborative engagement in patient care.





# Posters presented







## Winners List

Sl.No.	Name	Score	Prize
1	Dr. Anandraj & Dr. Leelavathy	36	I
2	Dr. Priyanka	34	II
3	Dr. Sudakshina	32	III

## 1<sup>ST</sup> Prize



## 2<sup>nd</sup> Prize



### 3<sup>rd</sup> Prize



**DAY TWO (16<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025)**

Mock drill “**Code Pink**” for staff

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Elocution competition for PG’s on this year **Theme:**  
**“Safe care for every newborn and every child”**

## Mock drill “Code Pink”

A mock drill on Code Pink was conducted to simulate a pediatric emergency scenario. The activity aimed to enhance staff readiness, improve response times and ensure adherence to hospital protocols during critical situations.

The drill involved nursing staff, doctors and support staffs with real-time coordination and evaluation to identify areas for improvement. Such exercises are integral to reinforcing the hospital’s commitment to patient safety and emergency preparedness.

### Activating code pink



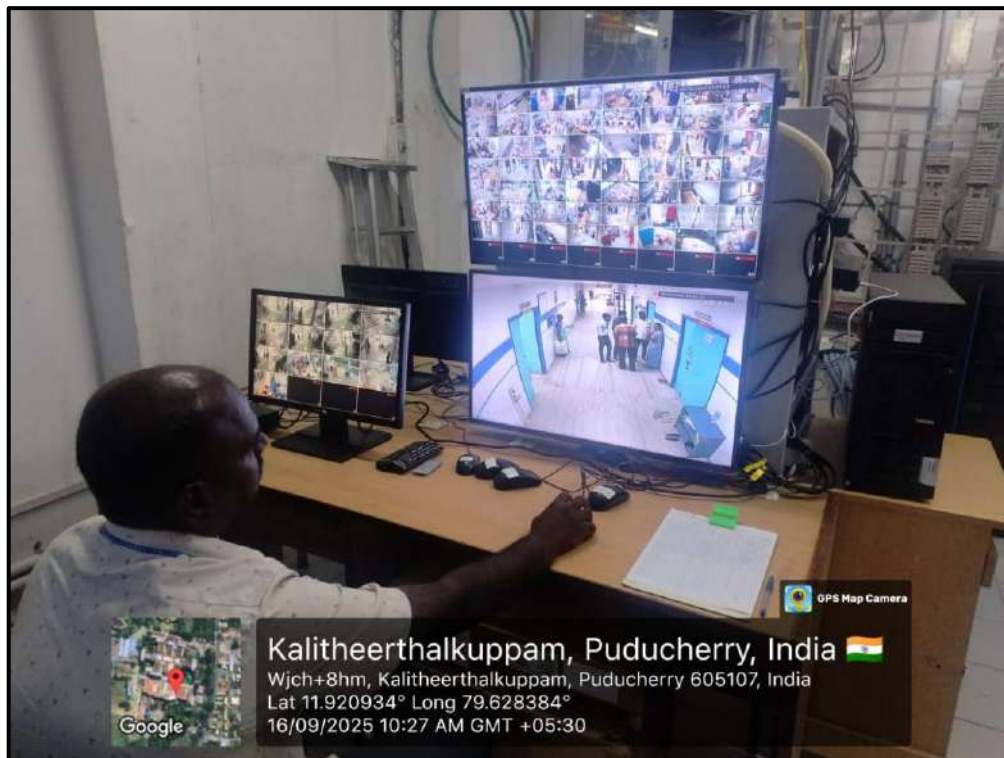
## Searching toy baby inside the hospital







CCTV monitored



## Toy baby found by the code pink team



## Deactivating code pink





## Elocution competition

Venue: Paediatric OPD Demo hall

Theme: “Safe care for every newborn and every child”

An elocution competition was conducted for postgraduate students at the Paediatric OPD demo hall, centered on the theme: “**Safe Care for Every Newborn and Every Child**”. Participants showcased their insights, ideas, and strategies for improving patient safety in neonatal and pediatric care.

The event provided a platform for young doctors to demonstrate effective communication skills while advocating for patient-centered practices. It encouraged active engagement, peer learning, and reinforced the importance of safety and quality in healthcare delivery.





## Winners List

Sl.No.	Name	Score	Prize
1	Dr. Srinidhii Alias Amrutha.P	7	I
2	Dr. Sudakshina. K & Dr. Nivethitha. N	6	II
3	Dr. Patam Thejaswini & Dr. Madhumitha. S	5 ½	III

**DAY THREE (17<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025)**

NRP for Staff nurses (Skills Lab)

Venue: Stimulation centre college block

## **Basic NRP Workshop for Staff Nurses**

**Date:** 17.09.2025

**Venue:** Simulation Lab, SMVMCH

**Duration:** 09:00 am to 02.00 pm

### **Learning objectives:**

At the end of basic NRP Workshop student should be able to:

1. Perform routine Newborn care and initial steps of Neonatal Resuscitation.
2. Demonstrate bag and mask ventilation including chest compression.

### **Schedule:**

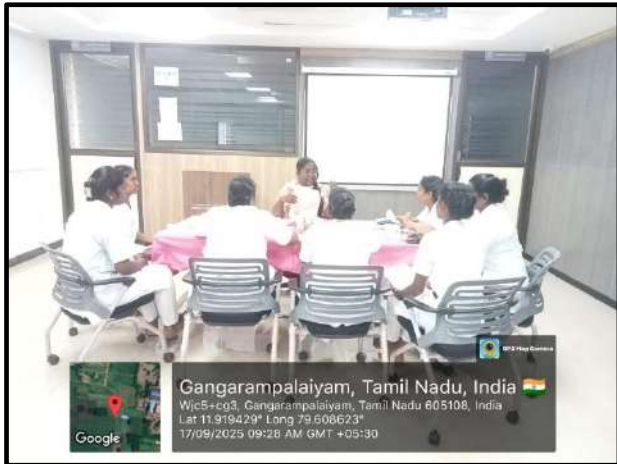
<b>TIME</b>	<b>TOPIC</b>
09:00 to 09:20 am	Introduction, Plan of the day, Pre test
09:20 to 10:00 am	<b>Skill Station 1</b> ----- Preparation at birth,
10:00 to 10:45 am	<b>Skill station 2</b> ----- Routine newborns care and initial steps of Resuscitation
10:45 to 11:00 am	<b>TEA BREAK</b>
11.00 to 11.50 am	<b>Skill station 3</b> ----- Bag mask ventilation including corrective steps
11.50 to 01.00 pm	<b>Skill station 4</b> ----- Prolonged ventilation with normal Heart Rate and slow Heart Rate (Including chest compression)
01.00 to 01.15 pm	Feedback and Post test
01.15 to 02.00 pm	Valedictory Function

## Pre-Test



## Skill training





## Post test



**DAY FOUR (18<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025)**

Quiz competition for Staff Nurses

Venue: Paediatric OPD Demo hall

As part of Patient Safety Week 2025, a quiz competition was conducted for staff nurses at the Paediatric OPD demo hall. The competition aimed to enhance knowledge, awareness, and application of patient safety practices in daily clinical care.

Participants actively engaged in the event, demonstrating their understanding of safe healthcare practices, neonatal and pediatric care protocols, and hospital safety guidelines. The quiz served as both an educational and interactive platform, promoting continuous learning and encouraging staff to maintain high standards of patient care.



## **Winners List**

<b>Sl.No.</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Score</b>	<b>Prize</b>
1	A. Thirushayeni	17	I
2	A. Jayapradha	16	II
3	R. Rajalakshmi	15	III

**DAY FIVE (19<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER 2025)**

Valedictory

Venue: Auditorium Basement

The week-long celebration concluded with a valedictory function, recognizing the active participation and contributions of faculty, postgraduate students and hospital staffs.

Prizes and certificates were awarded for the poster presentation and elocution & quiz competition, acknowledging excellence in communication and commitment to patient safety. In addition, Quality Committee members were honored with Certificate of Appreciation for their valuable contributions to quality improvement and patient safety initiatives.

During the function, the Medical Superintendent highlighted the importance of maintaining and strengthening quality initiatives within the hospital, emphasizing patient safety as a top priority. The Quality Manager expressed sincere gratitude to the Department of Pediatrics for their active collaboration and support in making the Patient Safety Week celebration a success.

The closing session emphasized the importance of sustaining patient safety initiatives throughout the year, reinforcing the hospital's dedication to quality care, proactive risk management, and continuous professional development.





## Appreciation certificate issued to Quality Committee members



