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### 1. PURPOSE:

To have a place where environmental friendly practices and education combine to promote sustainable and eco-friendly practices in Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital.

### 2. SCOPE:

The green campus concept offers an institution the opportunity to take the lead in redefining its environmental culture and developing new paradigms by creating sustainable solutions to environmental, social and economic needs of the mankind.


### 3. RESPONSIBILITY:

This policy is applicable to all stakeholders of Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital.

### 4. PROCEDURES:


- To sensitize the students/ faculties and staffs to minimize the use of polluting product.
- To increase the usage of renewable sources of energy such as
  - improvising the solar plant
  - implementation of biogas plant
  - usage of automatic cut off system with sensors
  - Replacing CFL bulbs with LED bulbs, etc.
- To improvise the waste handling methods so that the waste disposed from university campus do not create any sort of pollution to the environment. The waste includes
  - solid waste of all form from the campus
  - liquid waste
  - biomedical waste


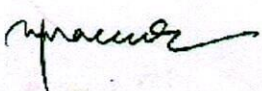



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- Hazardous chemicals from laboratories, etc.
- The e-waste of the university must be properly handed over to approve e-waste handling agencies so that they do properly discard and dispose them.
- The water conservation facilities of the university such as
  - rainwater harvesting pits
  - surface water conserving facility
  - recycling the waste water from campus
  - proper water distribution system in the campus
- To motivate students/ faculties and staffs to adopt environment friendly practices which include paper bags, save electricity, etc.
- Improving the green system of the campus in all aspects like
  - To reduce the use of vehicles in order to save nonrenewable source of energy
  - To gradually decrease and attain the zero point of usage of single use plastics
  - To promote the usage of bicycles and walking culture which makes everybody fit.
  - Make the campus green gradually increasing the green cover of the University.
- To take necessary steps to protect the environment



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