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# WORLD ANAESTHESIA DAY

“World Anaesthesia Day” was celebrated on 16.10.2023. As a part of the occasion various events were conducted.

A public display (Poster) about the field of Anaesthesia to create awareness among public was done in the Hospital.

A Poster Competition for Allied Health Sciences was conducted and cash prize was awarded to the Best Poster.

A social outreach activity was conducted in Government Boys Higher Secondary School Valavanur. Public Awareness about the field of Anaesthesia was created among the Higher Secondary School Students and Basic life supporting training was given to interested students in the Campus. Around 200 students were sensitized about basic life support.

A workshop on Peripheral Venous Cannulation was conducted for Paramedical Staff and Nursing Staff was conducted in Hospital Premises.

A talk by Postgraduates on Pioneers of Anaesthesiology was conducted from 2.00 PM to 4.00 PM in the Department.



## GUEST LECTURE

# Oral Anti-Diabetic Drugs - from the Old to the New



Dr. Leo Gounalane, MD, honored as Chief Guest, presented a guest lecture titled "Oral Anti-Diabetic Drugs - from the old to the new" on Diabetic Day, November 14, 2023. The lecture explored the evolution of oral anti-diabetic medications, tracing their journey from traditional to contemporary treatments. Dr. Gounalane's expertise shed light on advancements in diabetes management, encompassing both historical perspectives and cutting-edge developments. Attendees gained valuable insights into the diverse range of oral anti-diabetic drugs available, underscoring the significance of continuous innovation in combating diabetes and improving patient outcomes.



# MD/MS Students INDUCTION DAY *Celebration*

09 October, 2023



# MBBS First Year Students INDUCTION DAY *Celebration* 20 October, 2023



# WORLD SIGHT DAY CELEBRATION

# LOVE YOUR EYE AT WORK

(Guest Lecture)



Guest lecture was conducted by our department on 13-10-2023 between 2.00pm. A lecture was delivered by Dr. Srikanth .K Professor of Ophthalmology, Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute. The faculties, Post graduates, MBBS students (2020-25 Batch) and Optometrist students attended the lecture.

Welcome address was given by Professor Dr. Bhagwati Wadwekar, Department of Ophthalmology. Vote of thanks was offered by Dr. Renuga Devi, Associate Professor, Department of Ophthalmology.

# ROENTGEN DAY

## *Celebration*

08 November, 2023



Roentgen day was celebrated on 08.11.2023, by the Department of Radiodiagnosis. Dr.Gopal, Professor and HOD, Department of Microbiology, Dr.A.Umameswari, Professor and HOD, Department of Radiodiagnosis and Dr.P.Elamparidhi, Associate professor, Department of Radiodiagnosis lit the lamp. Floral tributes were paid to Sir Wilhelm Conrad Rontgen. Prizes were distributed to the winner annual Quiz box competition.

# ORIENTATION SESSION ON NATIONAL EDUCATION POLICY



On November 10, 2023, a collaborative orientation session between IQAC and MEU was held at Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital. Dr. Sivasakthy Manivasaram, Director of the Institute of Health Profession Education, led the session, emphasizing the importance of the "National Education Policy." The event targeted administrators, department heads, and administrative staff, aiming to enlighten them on the transformative changes and objectives delineated in the policy. This session served as a platform to deepen understanding and foster engagement with the principles outlined in the National Education Policy, aligning stakeholders with its vision for educational reform.



# Focus on point of care ultrasonography (POCUS)



On December 15th 2023, Department of Emergency Medicine of Sri Manakula Vinayagar Medical College and Hospital conducted "Focus on point of care ultrasonography (POCUS)". It was a 1 day event held from 9:30am to 4:30pm at the Simulation lab. The event started off with a prayer song. Dr. R. Nithyaraj, Assistant Professor and Incharge of Department of Emergency Medicine at SMVMCH gave welcome address.



The above mentioned faculties delivered speed about various topics and hands on training about Ultrasonography and they spoke about the various skills on Ultrasonography and techncs in treating on Trauma patients. How to effectively help to revert the different types of shock and how to use Ultrasound in Emergency Patients. It was a informative, educational speech and training.



The event ended with a vote of thanks by Dr. E. Kirubasankaran, Senior Resident, Department of Emergency Medicine, SMVMCH, followed by National Anthem.

# WORLD MENTAL HEALTH WEEK 2023



The Department of Psychiatry orchestrated a guest lecture during World Mental Health Week 2023, with the theme "Mental Health is a Universal Human Right." Set on October 12, 2023, the event welcomed Dr. S.R. Nirmal, Professor and Head of the Department of Psychiatry at Dhanalakshmi Srinivasan Medical College And Hospital, as the distinguished speaker. Dr. Nirmal's presentation delved into the imperative nature of mental health as an inherent human entitlement. Attendees had the privilege of gaining profound insights and expertise on this subject, emphasizing the significance of universal access to mental health care. The lecture not only facilitated enriching discussions but also equipped participants with a deeper understanding of mental health challenges, fostering a stronger commitment to advocating for mental health awareness and support across communities.