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Seminar on Intellectual Property Rights

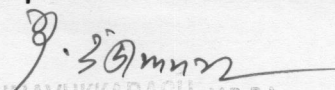
Report

Introduction

A seminar on Intellectual Property Rights (IPR) was held on 18th September 2017 at VMCHRI, Madurai. The seminar aimed to provide an understanding of the basics of IPR and the different types of IPR. It also covered the legal requirements of obtaining patents, trademarks, and copyrights, as well as the commercialization of intellectual property. The seminar was organized for faculty members to enhance their knowledge about IPR and how it can be applied in their respective fields.

The seminar started with an introduction and welcome address by Dr. Jhansi Charles, Head of the Department of Microbiology. She welcomed all the participants and stressed the importance of IPR in today's world. The next session was on IPR overview and types of IPR, which was led by Mr. R Ellilavan, Assistant Professor in Mechanical Engineering. He provided an overview of IPR and explained the different types of IPR, including patents, trademarks, copyrights, and trade secrets. The third session was on patents, trademarks, and copyrights, led by Mr. M Raja Chandra Sekar, Assistant Professor in Mechanical Engineering. He discussed the legal requirements for obtaining patents, trademarks, and copyrights and explained the differences between them.

After a tea break, the fourth session was conducted by Mr. R Ellilavan, who explained the requirements for obtaining patents, trademarks, and copyrights in detail. The session on IP commercialization was led by Mr. M Raja Chandra Sekar. He discussed the different ways in which intellectual property can be commercialized, such as licensing, assignment, and franchising. The seminar ended with vote of thanks by Dr. Anu, Program Coordinator, who thanked all the speakers and participants for their contributions to the seminar.


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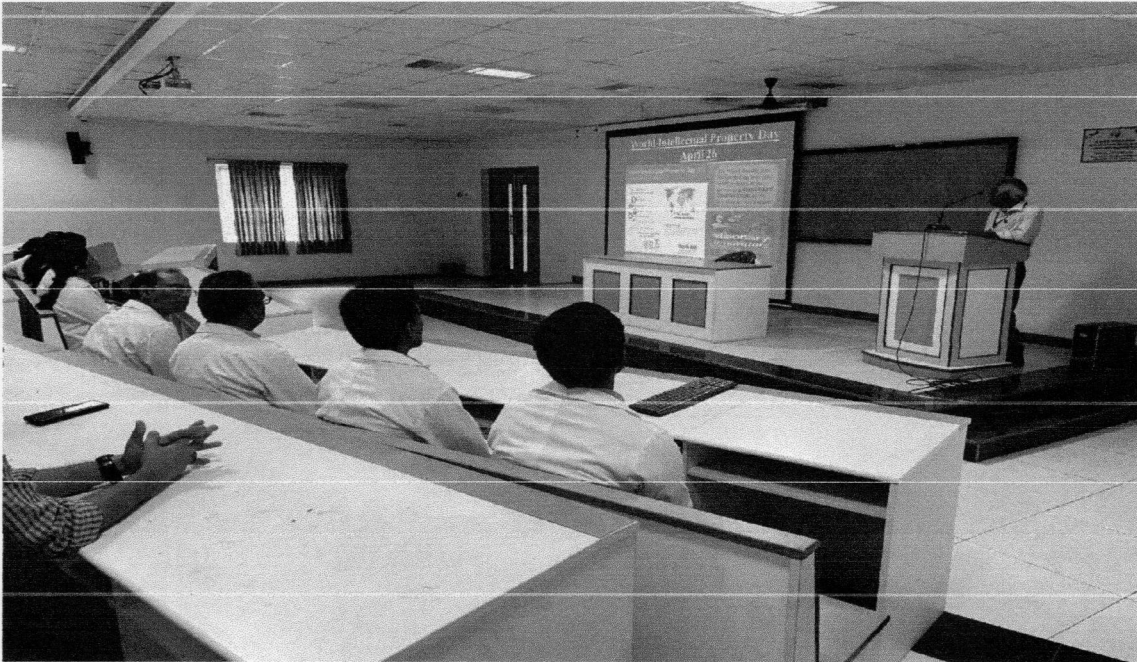
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Sl. No.	Time	Topic	Speakers
1.	9:00 am – 9:15 am	Introduction and welcome address	Dr.Jhansi Charles, HOD, Dept of Microbiology
2.	9:15 am – 9:45 am	IPR overview and Types of IPR	Mr R Ellilavan, AP, Mechanical Engineering, VCET, Madurai
3.	9:45 am – 10:30 am	Patents, Trademark, and copyrights	Mr M Raja Chandra Sekar, AP, Mechanical Engineering, VCET, Madurai
4.	10:30 am – 10:45 am	Tea Break	
5.	10:45 am – 11:15 am	Requirements	Mr R Ellilavan, AP, Mechanical Engineering, VCET, Madurai
6.	11:15 am – 11:45 am	IP commercialization	Mr M Raja Chandra Sekar, AP, Mechanical Engineering, VCET, Madurai
7.	11:45 am – 12:00 pm	Vote of thanks	Dr. S Anu Program Coordinator

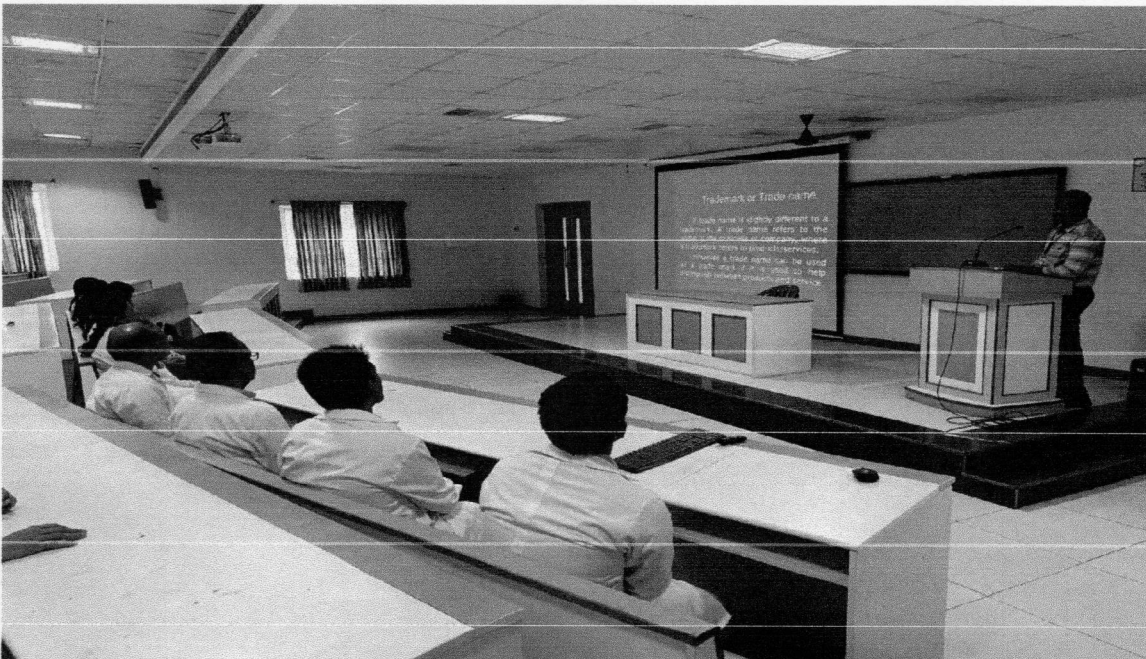
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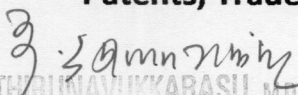
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IPR overview and Types of IPR – Mr Ellilavan



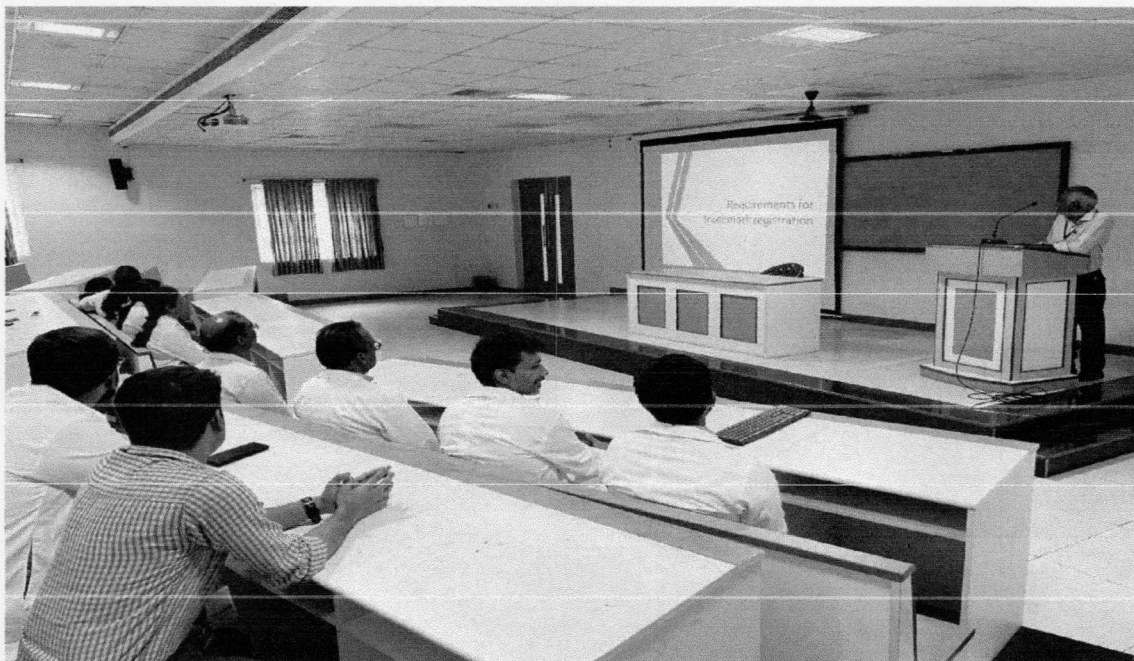
Patents, Trademark, and copyrights – Mr Raja Chandra Sekar


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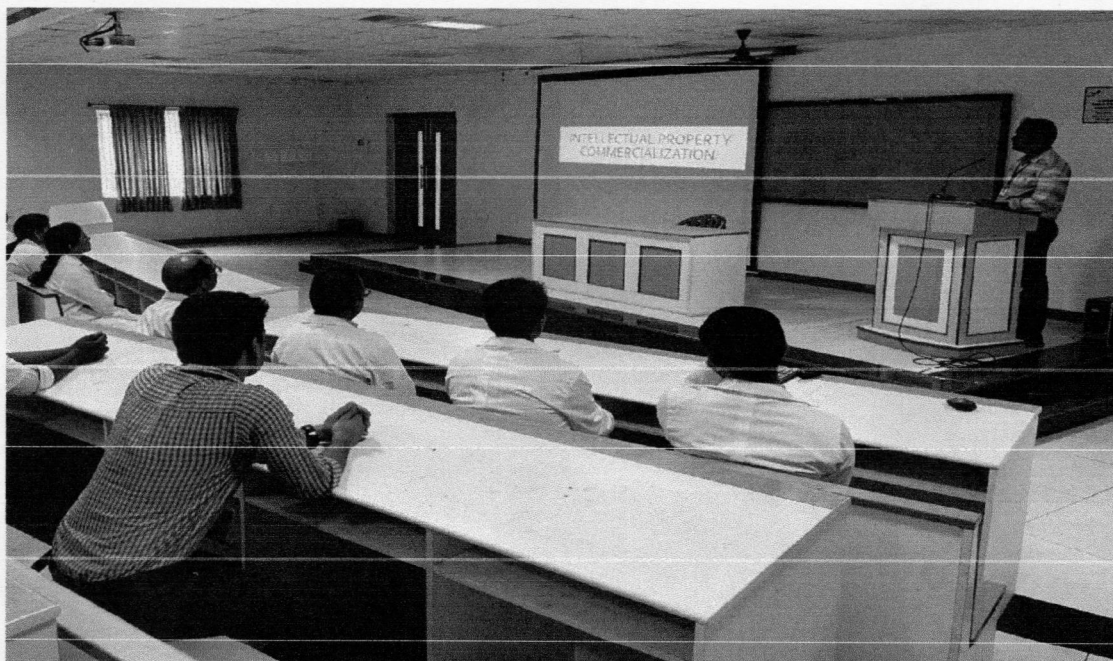
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IP commercialization – Mr Raja Chandra Sekar



Requirements for Registration – Mr Ellilavan

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Workshop on Management of Needle stick injury

Report

Date: 11.10.2017

The Department of Microbiology at Velammal Medical College Hospital and Research Institute organized a seminar on the topic "Management of Needle Stick Injury" on 11th October 2017. The event took place in Lecture Hall 2 and included various sessions addressing different aspects of needle stick injuries. A total of 50 delegates from the nursing department attended the program

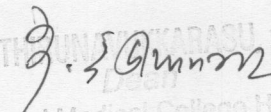
The seminar began with an inauguration ceremony at 9.00 am, followed by a pre-test at 9.15 am to assess the participants' knowledge and understanding of the topic. Dr. Jhansi Charles MD, the Head of the Department of Microbiology, then delivered an introduction to set the stage for the subsequent sessions.

At 9.40 am, Mrs. Devi from the Infection Control Nurses (ICN) team presented standard precautions to prevent needle stick injuries. This session aimed to educate the attendees on the importance of following established protocols and guidelines to minimize the risk of such incidents.

After a tea break at 10.45 am, Dr. A. Ramesh MD, Professor of Microbiology, took the stage to discuss the effects of needle prick injuries. He elaborated on the potential consequences, including the transmission of bloodborne pathogens and the subsequent implications for healthcare workers.

Following this, at 12.00 pm, Dr. A. Ramesh MD returned to address the topic of how to manage needle prick injuries. This session focused on practical strategies and protocols to be followed in the event of an injury, emphasizing prompt and appropriate actions to minimize risks and ensure the well-being of healthcare professionals.

At 1.00 pm, a post-test and quiz were conducted to evaluate the participants' understanding and retention of the information presented during the seminar. This allowed the organizers to gauge the effectiveness of the sessions and identify areas for further improvement.

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The seminar concluded with a feedback session at 1.30 pm, where attendees had the opportunity to provide their thoughts and suggestions regarding the event. This feedback would be valuable in refining future seminars and ensuring that the department continues to address the needs of its audience effectively.

Time	Topic	Speaker
9.00 am	Inauguration	
9.15-9.30 am	Pre-Test	
9.30 am	Introduction	Dr.Jhansi Charles MD , H.O.D, Microbiology
9.40 am	Standard precautions	Mrs Devi(ICN)
10.45 am	Tea break	
11.00 am	Effects of needle prick injuries	Dr. A.Ramesh MD , Professor, Microbiology
12.00 pm	How to manage needle prick injuries	Dr. A.Ramesh MD , Professor, Microbiology
1.00 pm	Post test & Quiz	
1.30 pm	Feedback	

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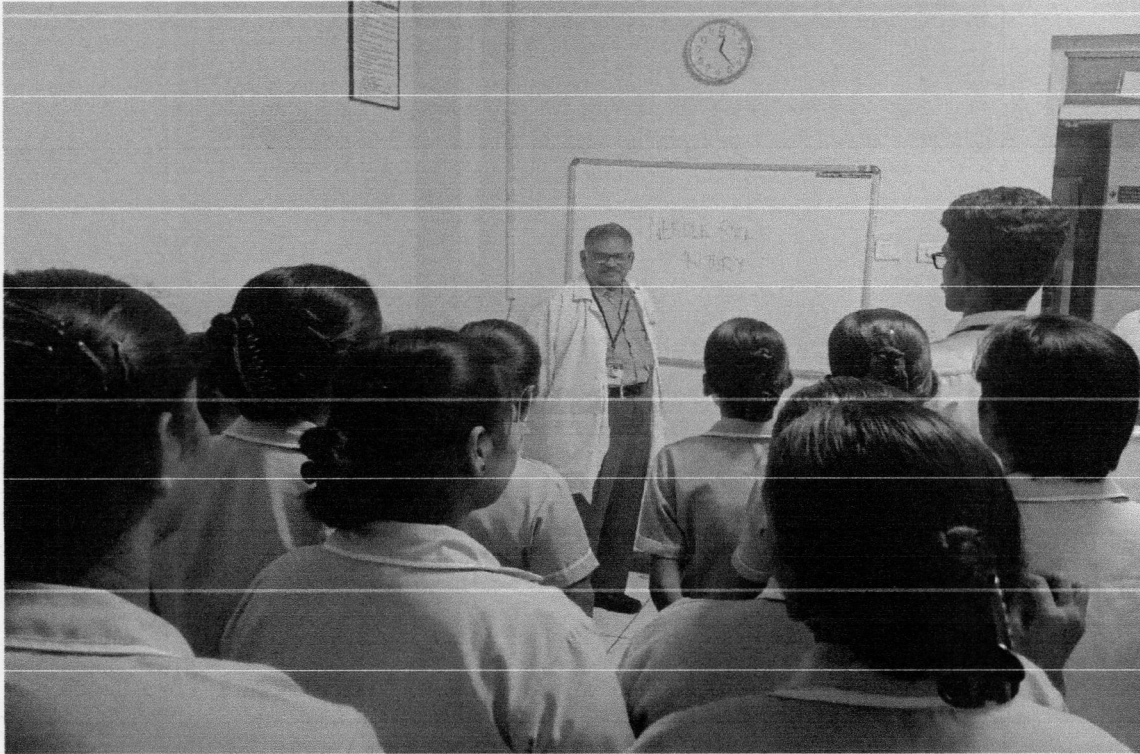
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Date: 01.11.2017

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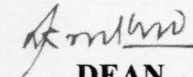
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All Doctors

Workshop on Laboratory Risk Management

Department of Biochemistry is organizing a workshop on Laboratory Risk Management on 13.11.2017 (Monday) between at 8.00 AM to 4.00 PM.

All Faculties are invited.


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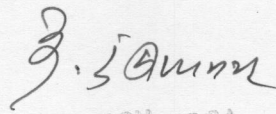
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Invitation
Faculty Development Programme

Laboratory Risk Management

Venue: Demo Room I, Dept. of Biochemistry

Date: 13.11.2017 (Monday)

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AGENDA

Timings	Topics	Speaker
9.00 AM – 09.45 AM	Overview of Risk Management	Dr.P.K.Mohanty
09.45 AM – 11.00 AM	Risk Identification	Dr.K.Suganthy
11.00AM-12.00 NOON	Group exercise - 1	Dr.K.Suganthy
12.00NOON-12.30PM	Risk evaluation	Dr.A.Hariharan
12.30-1.00PM	Group exercise - 2	Dr.A.Hariharan
1.00-2.00PM	Lunch	
2.00-2.30 PM	Risk Control	Dr.K.Suganthy
2.30-3.00PM	Group exercise – 3	Dr.K.Suganthy
3.00-3.30 PM	Documentation	Dr.A.Hariharan
3.30-3.45 PM	Q&A	All Faculty
3.45-4.00 PM	Vote of Thanks	Dr.K.Suganthy

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Report on Laboratory Risk Management programme

Topic: Laboratory Risk Management

Date: 13.11.2017

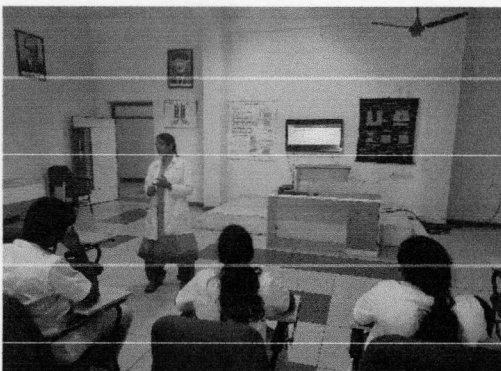
Venue: Biochemistry Demonstration Room I

Target audience: Faculties

Number of participants: 23

Event Report: The Biochemistry Department of Velammal Medical College Hospital and Research Institute held a Risk Management Programme on November 13th, 2019. Dr. P.K. Mohanty delivered the welcome speech, and the program focused on key topics such as risk identification, evaluation, control, and documentation. Dr. K. Suganthy highlighted the significance of identifying potential risks and controlling them, while Dr. A. Hariharan conducted the session on risk evaluation and documentation. Participants were encouraged to identify possible risks in their ongoing research projects and share their findings with the group. The program offered an invaluable opportunity for the department's faculty members to learn about risk management and its importance in their field of work. The event concluded with a vote of thanks from Dr. K. Suganthy.

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Seminar on Getting Research Grant

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Date: 2nd Feb 2018

Venue: Lecture Hall 4

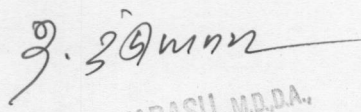
Time: 9am-1pm

A Seminar on "Getting Research Grant" was conducted on 2nd February 2018 at Lecture Hall 4. The seminar aimed to provide an overview of the research grant proposal and its components, creating a budget and time scale for the research project, finding a suitable funding agency, and the process of applying to external funders.

Dr. P.K. Mohanty, the Vice principal, welcomed the audience, and the seminar was initiated. The first session of the seminar was conducted by Dr. M. Maran, who introduced the grant proposal and discussed its differences from a research proposal. The session emphasized the importance of a well-structured grant proposal that includes the problem statement, objectives, methodology, expected outcomes, and budget.

In the second session, Mr. G. Pradeep Kumar provided insights on creating a budget and timescale for the research project. The session highlighted the significance of budget planning, resource allocation, and a realistic timeline for the project. The following session was also conducted by Mr. G. Pradeep Kumar, who talked about the outcomes, implications, and limitations of the research project.

Dr. P. Rajeshwari took the stage in the fifth session and discussed the process of finding a suitable funding agency. She explained the importance of identifying the right funding agency based on the research field, budget, and project goals. Dr. M. Maran continued the discussion in the sixth session, where he explained the process of applying to external funders.


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In the final session of the seminar, Dr. P. Rajeshwari discussed additional requirements and the review process. She emphasized the significance of following the guidelines and regulations of the funding agency and preparing a comprehensive proposal. The seminar ended with a vote of thanks by Dr. Mahesh Krishna.

The seminar was beneficial for researchers, faculty members, and students who are seeking funding for their research projects. The discussions on grant proposal, budget planning, and finding suitable funding agencies were informative and insightful. Overall, the seminar provided valuable insights into the research grant process and helped in understanding the critical components of a successful grant proposal.

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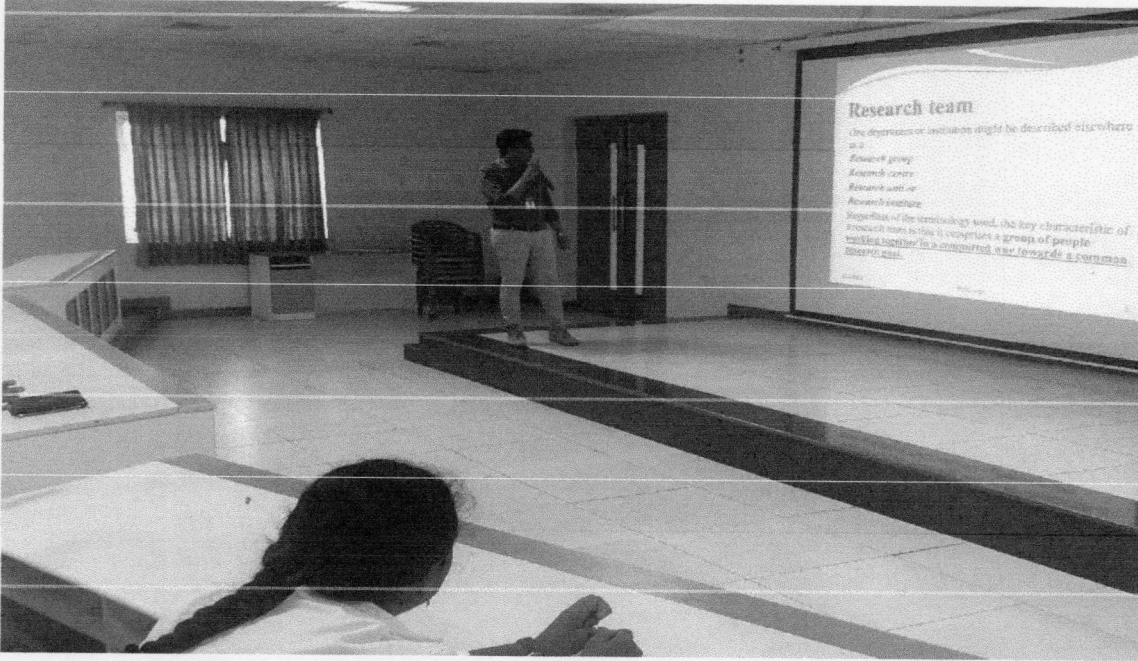
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1.	9:00 am – 9:15 am	Introduction and welcome address	Dr. P.K. Mohanty
2.	9:15 am – 10:00 am	Grant proposal (Introduction, components, and differences from a research proposal)	Dr. M.Maran, Associate Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering
3.	10:00 am – 10:30 am	Creating a budget and time scale for the research project	Mr. G.Pradeep Kumar, Asst Prof, ECE, VCET, Madurai
4.	10:30 am – 11:00 am	Outcomes, implications, and limitations for the research project	Mr. G.Pradeep Kumar, Asst Prof, ECE, VCET, Madurai
5.	11:00 am – 11:45 am	Finding a suitable funding agency	Dr. P.Rajeshwari, Asst Prof, ECE, VCET, Madurai
6.	11:45 am – 12:15 pm	Process of applying to external funders	Dr. M.Maran, Associate Professor, Department of Mechanical Engineering
7.	12:15 pm – 12:45 pm	Additional requirements and review process	Dr. P.Rajeshwari, Asst Prof, ECE, VCET, Madurai
8.	12:45 pm – 1:00 pm	Vote of thanks	Dr B G Mahesh Krishna (Organising Secretary), Prof & HOD, Dept of Forensic Medicine

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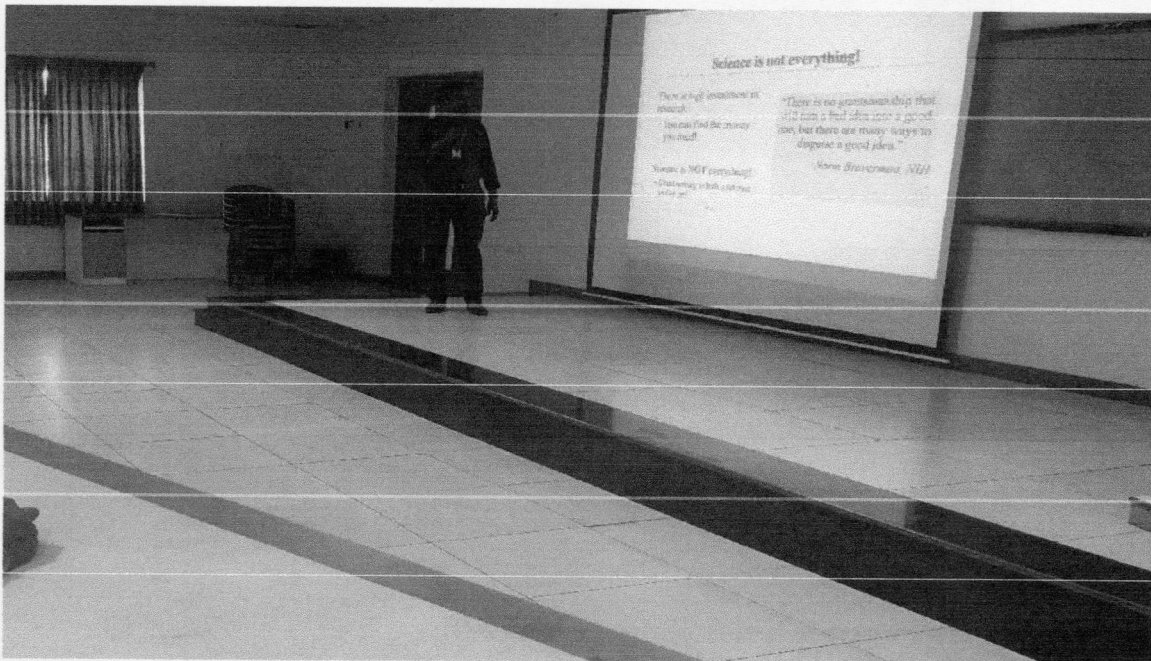
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“Creating a budget and time scale for the research project” by Mr. G. Pradeep kumar



“Grant proposal” by Dr. M Maran

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Additional requirement and review process by Dr. P. Rajeshwari.

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Seminar on Infection control practices – Bundle care Approach

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Venue: Lecture Hall 2

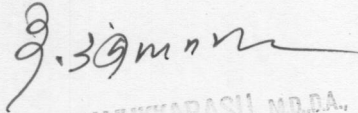
Date: 05.03.2018

The Department of Microbiology at Velammal Medical College Hospital and Research Institute organized a program on the topic "Infection Control Practices - Bundle Care Approach" on 5th March 2018. The event was held in Lecture Hall 2 and aimed to educate healthcare professionals on the importance of infection control practices and the bundle care approach in preventing healthcare-associated infections (HAI). A total of 52 participants including doctors & nurses took part in the program.

The program began with an inauguration ceremony at 9.00 am, followed by a pre-test at 9.15 am to assess the participants' knowledge and understanding of the subject matter. Dr. Jhansi Charles MD, the Head of the Department of Microbiology, then delivered an introduction to provide an overview of the program's objectives and the significance of infection control practices in healthcare settings.

At 9.45 am, Dr. Vithiya MD, an Assistant Professor of Microbiology, presented the importance of infection control practices in a hospital setting. This session emphasized the need for strict adherence to protocols and guidelines to prevent the spread of infections within healthcare facilities.

Following a tea break at 10.45 am, Dr. A. Ramesh MD, Professor of Microbiology, took the stage to discuss the impact of hand hygiene, and the use of personal protective equipment (PPE) in controlling healthcare-associated infections (HAI). This session highlighted the role of proper hand hygiene practices and the appropriate use of PPE in reducing the transmission of infectious agents in healthcare settings.


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After a lunch break at 12.30 pm, Dr. Vithiya MD returned to address infection control in special situations. This session focused on the challenges and strategies related to infection control in specific settings or patient populations, providing insights into the implementation of bundle care approaches for optimal infection prevention.

At 2.30 pm, a post-test and quiz were conducted to evaluate the participants' understanding and retention of the knowledge imparted during the program. The program concluded with a feedback and conclusion session at 3.00 pm, led by Dr. Jhansi Charles MD. Participants were given the opportunity to provide their feedback on the program and share their thoughts on the topics covered.

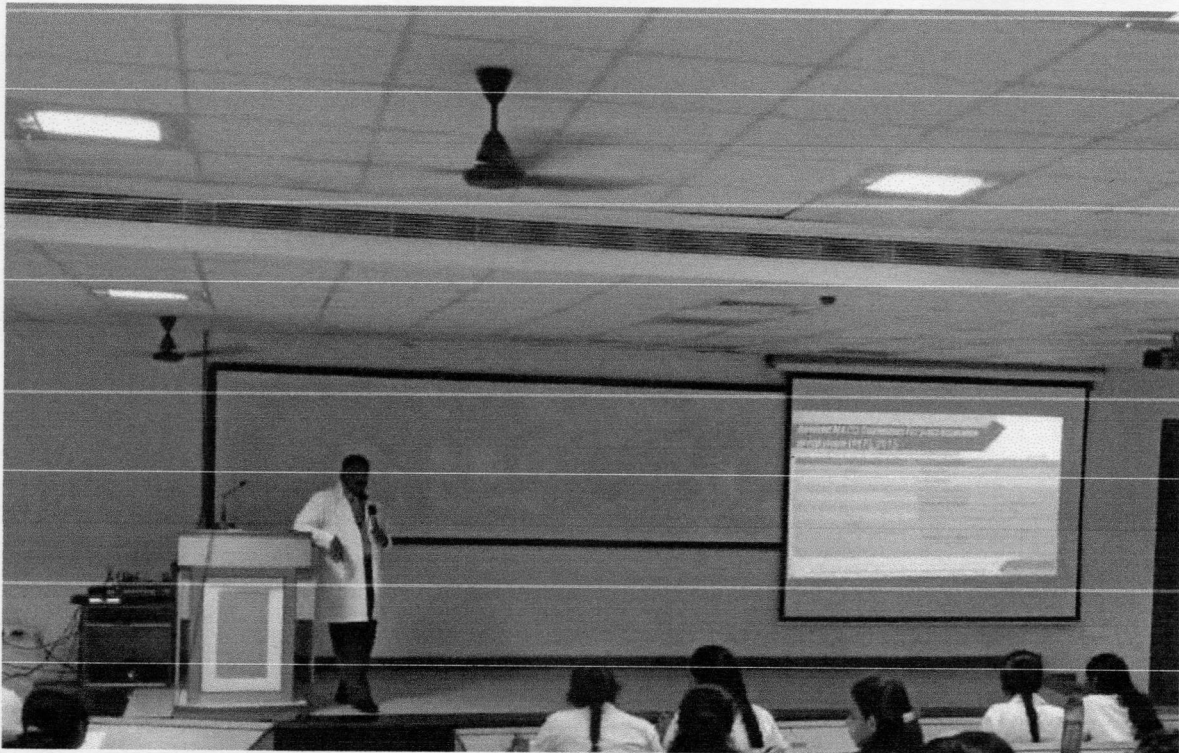
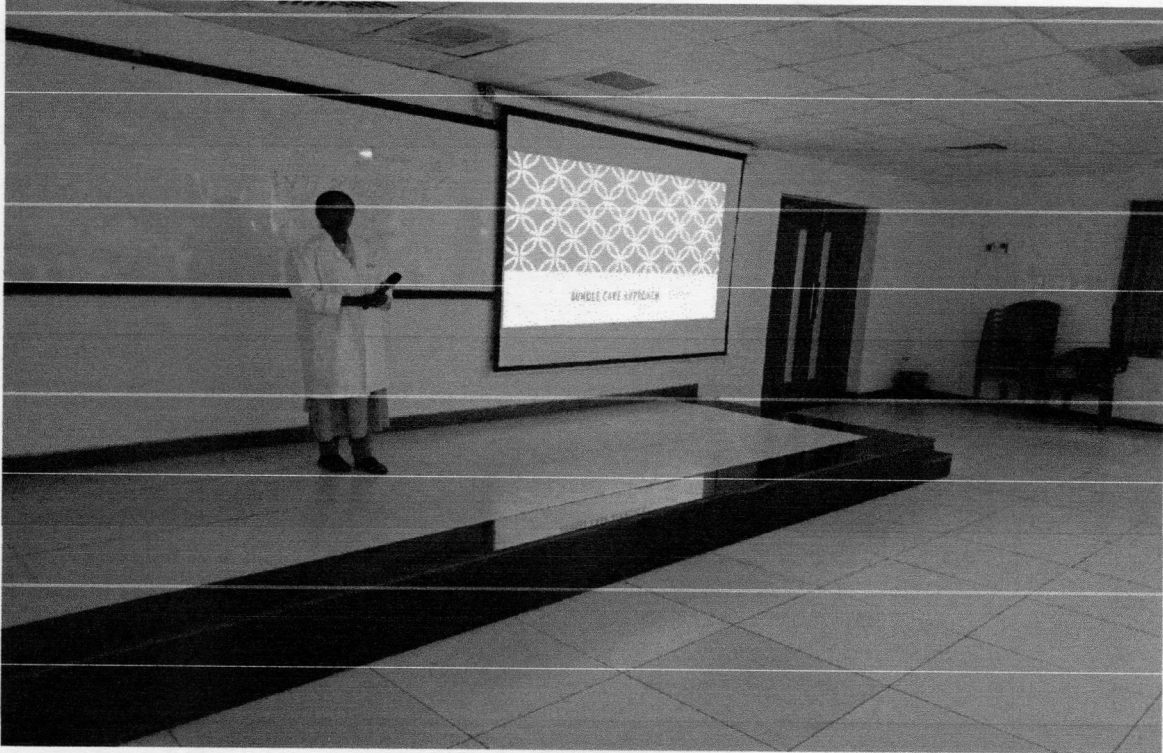
Time	Topic	Speaker
9.00 am	Inauguration	
9.15-9.30am	Pre-Test	
9.30 am	Introduction	Dr.Jhansi Charles MD , H.O.D, Microbiology
9.45 am	Importance of Infection control practices in a hospital setting	Dr.Vithiya MD, Assistant Professor, Microbiology
10.45 am	Tea break	
11.00 am	Impact of hand hygiene and use of PPE to control HAI.	Dr. A.Ramesh MD , Professor, Microbiology
12.30 pm	Lunch	
1.30 pm	Infection control in special situations	Dr.Vithiya MD, Assistant Professor, Microbiology
2.30 pm	Post test & Quiz	
3.00 pm	Feedback & Conclusion	Dr.Jhansi Charles MD , H.O.D, Microbiology

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Workshop on Research Methodology

Report

Date: 06.04.2018

Time: 8am to 4pm

The workshop on Research Methodology was started with a pre-test which was carried out by Department of Community Medicine. First session of the day was on Introduction to research methodology, which was handled by Dr. Deiveegan. He explained the importance of research and elaborated the main objectives of the Research Methodology Workshop were as follows:

- a. To familiarize participants with various research methods and techniques.
- b. To enhance participants' understanding of the research process from conceptualization to publication.
- c. To provide practical guidance on designing research studies and data collection methods.
- d. To enable participants to critically evaluate research studies and identify methodological strengths and limitations.
- e. To facilitate networking and knowledge sharing among researchers from different disciplines.

This was followed by another topic on "Research design and strategy", by Dr. Jayashree. She taught about formulating research questions, objectives and selecting appropriate research designs (quantitative, qualitative, mixed-methods). Later Dr. Praveena dealt with the topic "Descriptive studies". She explained about the basic summary about the types of research design and went into his topic – case reports and case series.

Starting from history to ending with the advantages and disadvantages of the case studies, she explained in depth and in an easily understandable way. After a short tea break, Dr. Samir handled the subject on "Analytical studies". He explained about the types of analytical studies - case control studies and cohort studies.

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He emphasized the importance of analytical studies in finding the association between two study groups and in testing a hypothesis. This was followed by "Randomized controlled trials", by Dr. Trupti Bodhare. In RCT, she explained about the basics about RCT, Blinding types and technique, advantages and the difficulties in conducting a RCT. And a few words about quasi experimental studies were also explained.

After this session there was a lunch break for 1 hour.

After lunch two sessions were continuously taken by Mr. Vijay Anto on "Sampling methods" and "Data collection and analysis". He explained about the different types of probability and non-probability sampling techniques with suitable examples and pictorial representation.

Sample size calculation was dealt in brief for each study design. Level of significance, power of study and different formula for sample size calculation was explained briefly with an example. Then he also provided participants with practical knowledge of different data collection methods and their application in various research contexts.

Participants gained familiarity with statistical analysis techniques for quantitative data and qualitative analysis methods for textual or narrative data, enabling them to draw meaningful conclusions from their research findings. After a short tea break Dr. Dhaval discusses about "Ethics in medical research".

He emphasized the importance of ethical conduct in research, including obtaining informed consent, ensuring participant confidentiality, and addressing potential conflicts of interest.

After conducted the post-test, the workshop ended with vote of thanks.

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S. No	Duration	Topic	Faculty
1.	08.00am – 08.15am	Pretest	
2.	08.15am – 09.00am	Introduction to research methodology	Dr. Deiveegan
3.	09.00am- 09.45am	Research design and strategy	Dr. Jayashree
4.	09.45am – 10.30am	Descriptive studies	Dr. Praveena
5.	10.30am- 10.45am	Tea Break	
6.	10.45am – 11.30am	Analytical studies	Dr. Samir bele
7.	11.30am – 12.15pm	Randomized controlled trials	Dr. Trupti bodhare
8.	12.15pm- 01.15pm	Lunch Break	
9.	01.15pm- 02.00pm	Sampling methods	Mr. Vijay Anto
10.	02.00pm- 02.45pm	Data collection and analysis	Dr. Vijay Ano
11.	02.45pm- 03.00pm	Tea Break	
12.	03.00pm- 03.45pm	Ethics in medical research	Dr. Dhaval Mahevwala
13.	03.45pm- 04.00pm	Post test	

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ADR Reporting

Report

The Department of Pharmacology at Velammal Medical College Hospital & Research Institute, Madurai, organized a one-day workshop on Adverse Drug Reaction (ADR) Reporting on 18th April 2018. The workshop aimed to create awareness and enhance the skills of healthcare professionals regarding the identification, assessment, and reporting of adverse drug reactions. The event took place at Lecture Hall 4 in Velammal Medical College.

The workshop schedule was as follows:

Dr. Raj Kishore, Professor and Head of the Department of Pharmacology, extended a warm welcome to the participants, introducing the agenda of the program, and highlighting the importance of adverse drug reaction reporting in patient safety.

He also dealt with the topic of introduction to adverse drug reactions. The session covered the definition, types, and significance of adverse drug reactions, emphasizing their impact on patient care and pharmacovigilance.

Dr. Hemalatha, Assistant Professor, department of Pharmacology delved into the process of causality assessment. Participants learned about the various methods and tools used to determine the likelihood of an adverse event being caused by a specific drug.

Following Lunch, Dr. Raj Kishore took the stage to provide hands-on training on filling out suspected adverse drug reaction reporting forms. Participants were guided through the essential components of the reporting form and were given practical examples to enhance their understanding of the process. Participants engaged in interactive exercises and case discussions to reinforce their knowledge and skills in accurately documenting and reporting adverse drug reactions.

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3:45 pm - 4:00 pm: Vote of Thanks

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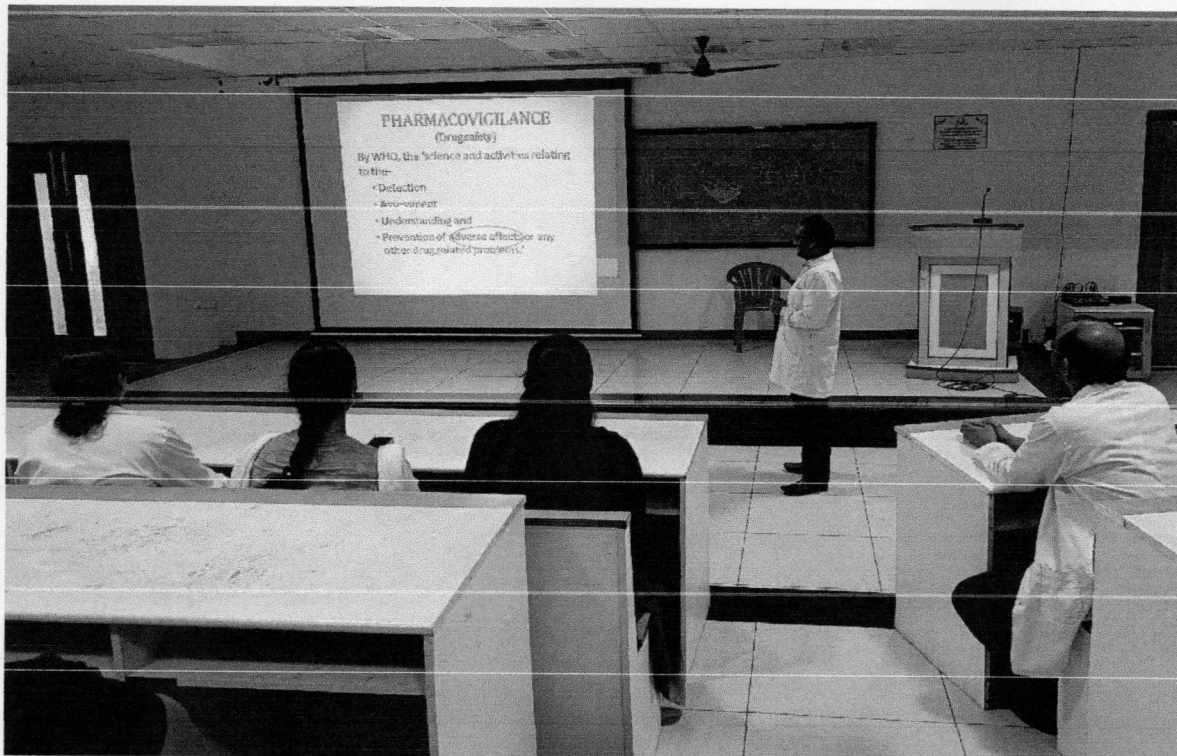
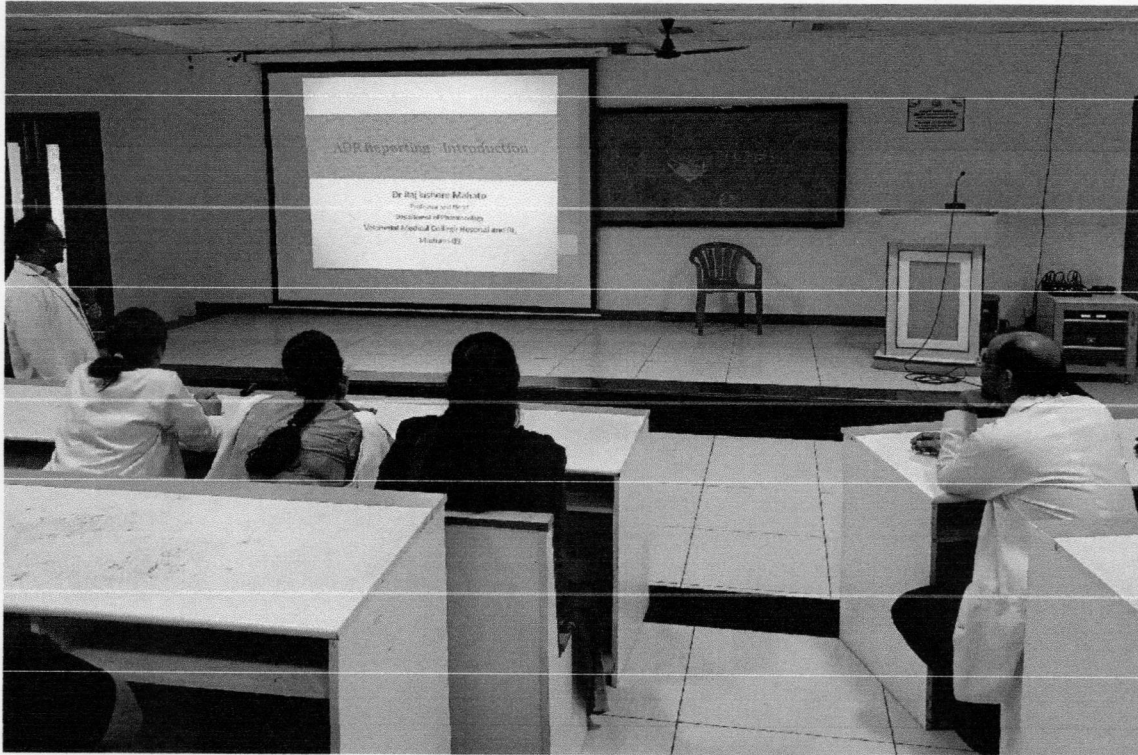
Assistant Professor,

Pharmacology, delivered the vote of thanks, expressing gratitude to the workshop participants, organizers, advisors, and the institution for their contributions to the success of the event. The participants were encouraged to apply the knowledge gained during the workshop in their professional practice and contribute to improving patient safety through proactive adverse drug reaction reporting.

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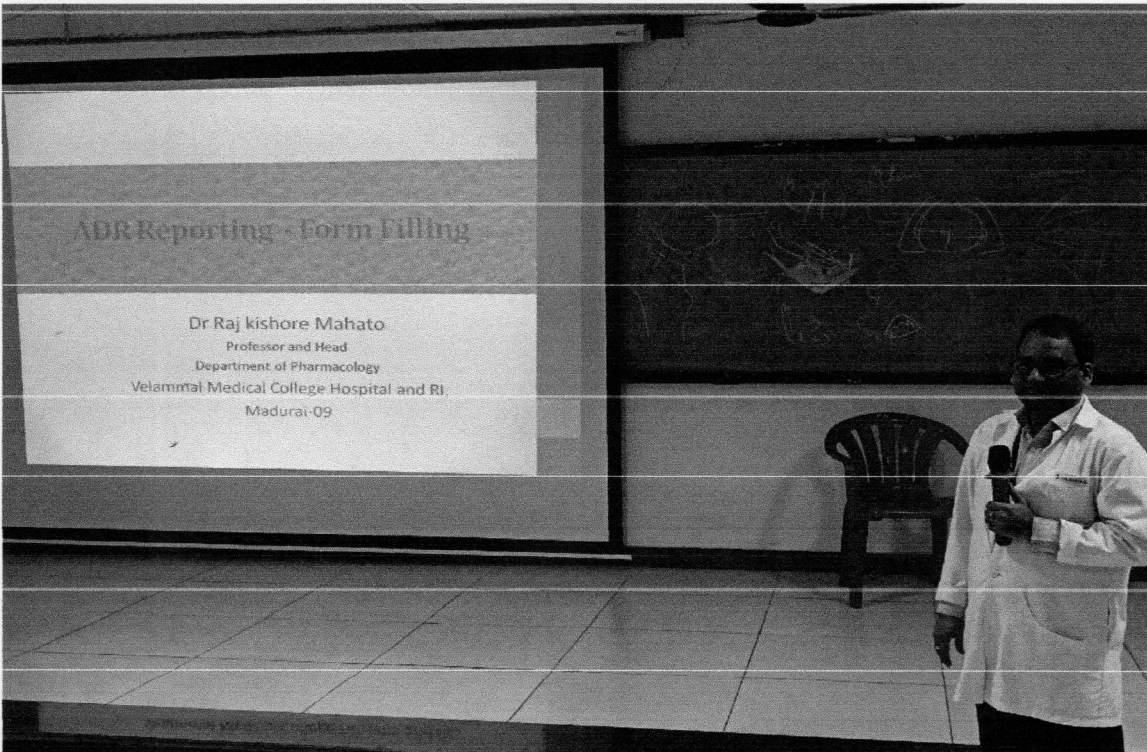


Introduction To ADR Reporting – Dr. Raj Kishore

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ADR Form Filling– Dr. Raj Kishore

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A Workshop on Effective Medical Writing and Publishing

Report

Date: 12.07.2018

A workshop on effective medical writing and publishing was held on 12.7.2018. The aim of the workshop was to equip medical professionals with the skills and knowledge required to write and publish effective research papers in medical journals. The workshop was attended by 36 members of the teaching faculty.

The workshop was divided into three sessions. The first session focused on the basics of medical writing, including the structure and format of a research paper. Dr Samir Bele, Professor & Head, Department of Community Medicine, discussed the various sections of a research paper, including the abstract, introduction, methodology, results, and discussion. He also provided tips on how to write clear and concise sentences, avoid common grammar and punctuation errors, and use appropriate medical terminology.

The second session focused on the process of manuscript submission and publication. Dr Trupti Bodhare discussed the various types of medical journals, the submission guidelines for each journal, and the peer review process. Dr Trupti also provided tips on how to choose the right journal for a research paper, how to write an effective cover letter, and how to respond to reviewer comments.

The final session focused on the ethical considerations of medical writing and publishing. Dr Raj Kishore, member secretary of IEC, discussed the various ethical issues that can arise during the research and publication process, including plagiarism, data fabrication, and conflicts of interest. He also talked about how to avoid these ethical issues and how to ensure that research papers are conducted and reported ethically.

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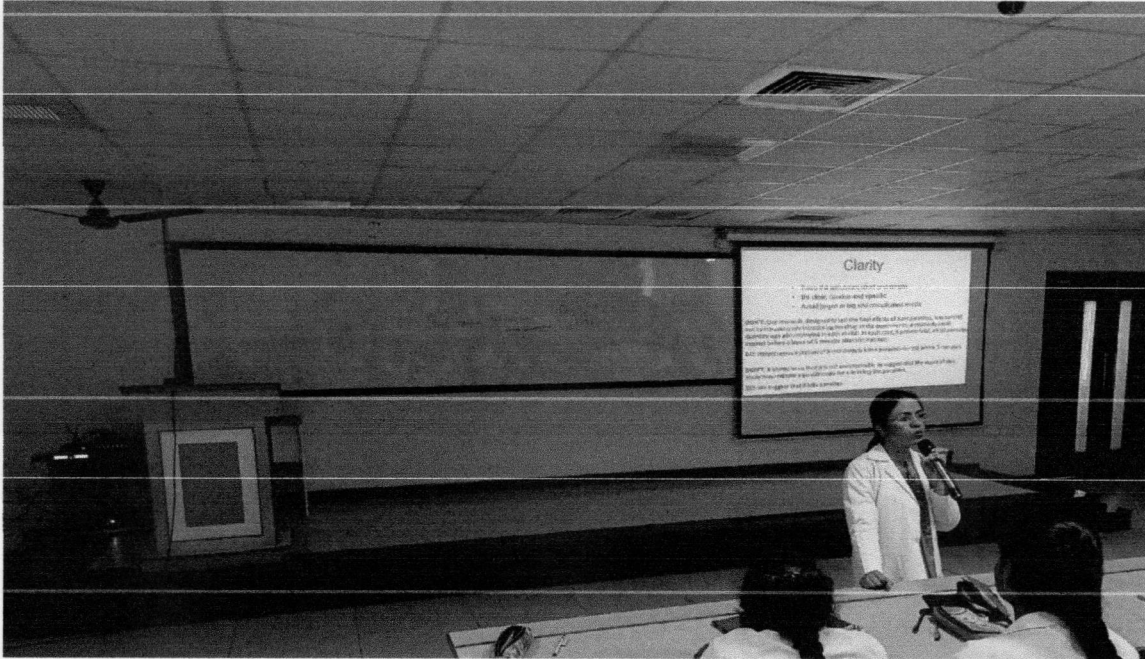
Throughout the workshop, the attendees were encouraged to participate in group discussions and ask questions. The resource persons also provided several exercises and writing prompts to help attendees practice their writing skills. Overall, the workshop was a great success and provided valuable insights and knowledge to medical professionals who are looking to write and publish research papers in medical journals.

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00 am - 9:30 am	Registration and Welcome	
9:30 am - 11:00 am	Basics of Medical Writing	Dr Samir Bele, Professor & Head, Department of Community Medicine
11:00 am - 11:15 am	Tea/Coffee Break	
11:15 am - 12:45 pm	Manuscript Submission and Publication	Dr Trupti Bodhare, Professor, Department of Community Medicine
12:45 pm - 1:45 pm	Lunch Break	
1:45 pm - 3:15 pm	Ethical Considerations of Medical Writing and Publishing	Dr Raj Kishore, member secretary of IEC
3:15 pm - 3:30 pm	Tea/Coffee Break	
3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	Group Discussion and Q&A Session	Dr Samir Bele & Dr Trupti

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Dr. Trupti – Manuscript Submission and Publication



Dr. Raj Kishore – Ethics of medical writing and publication

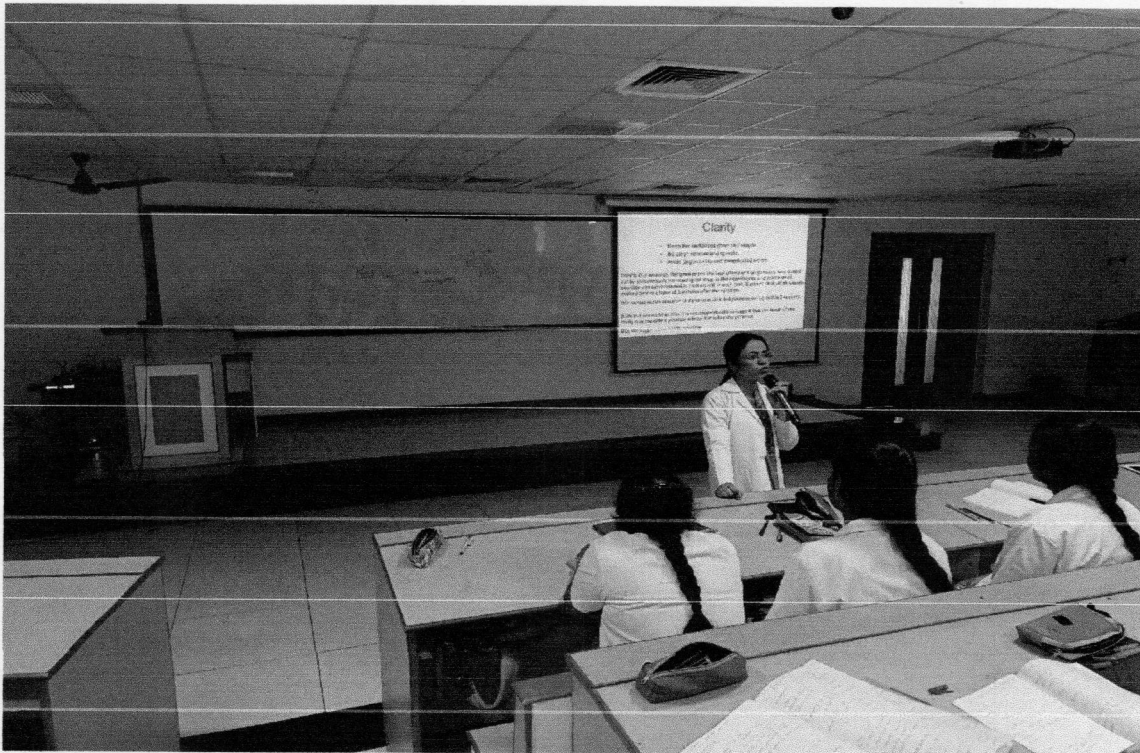
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Dr.Samir Bele – Basics of Medical Writing

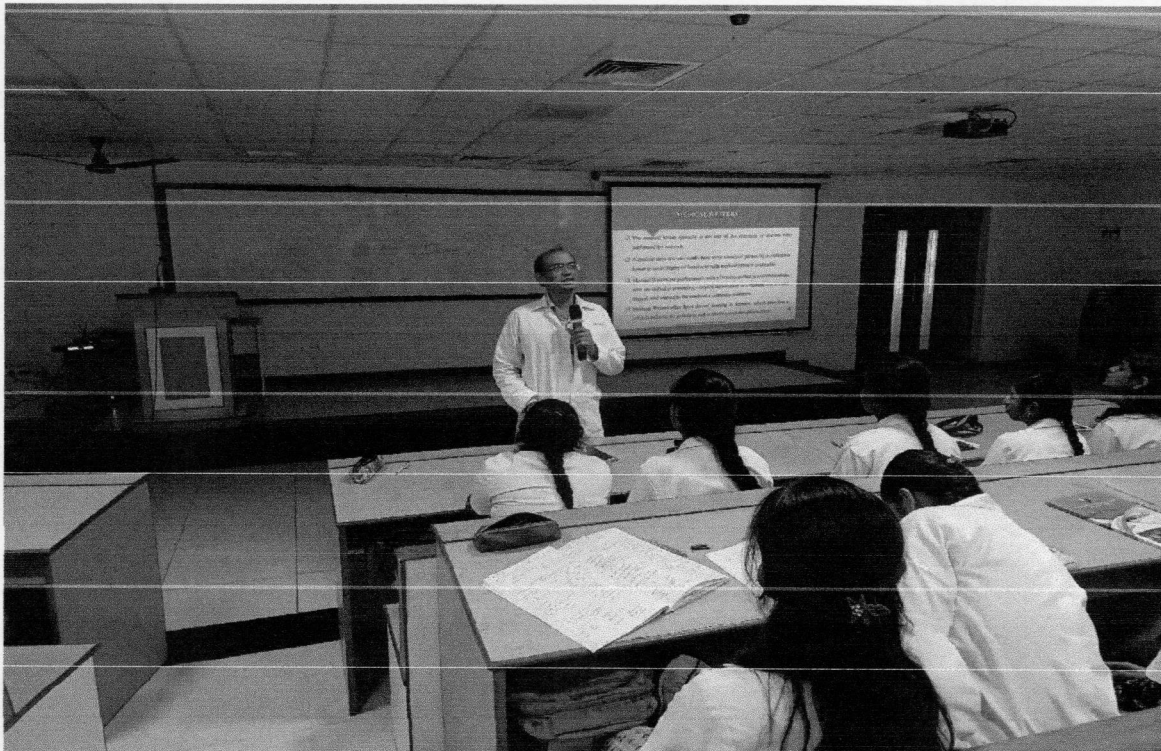
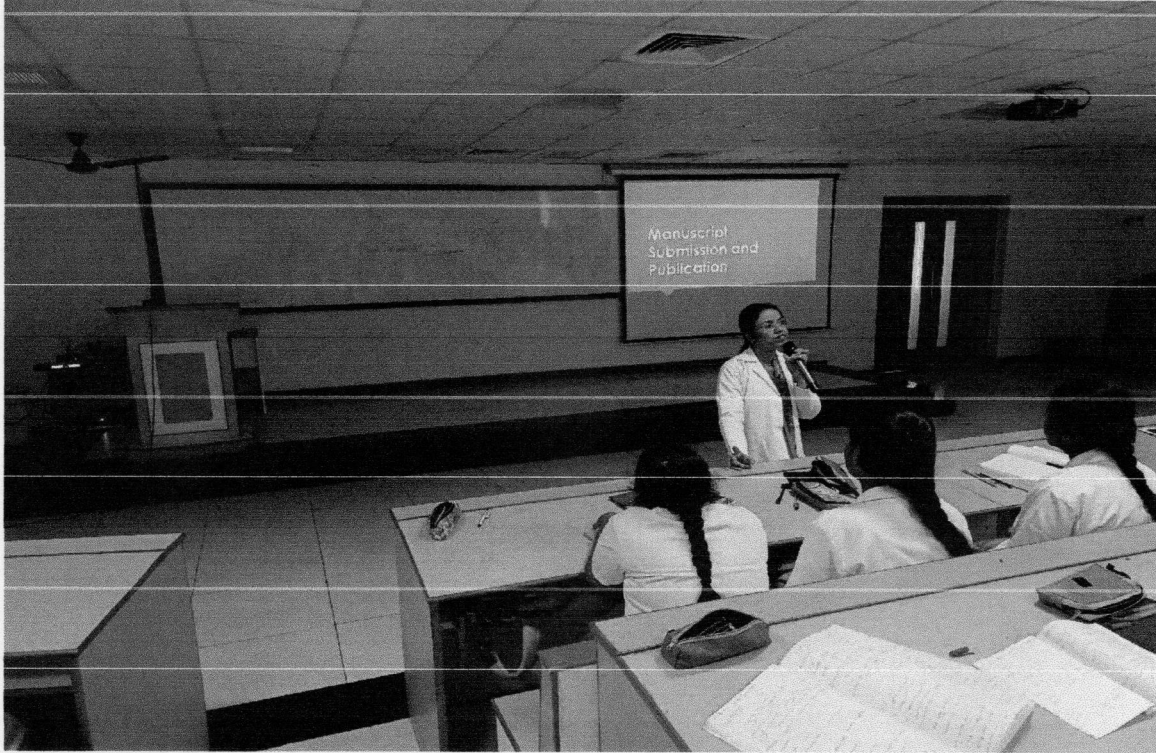


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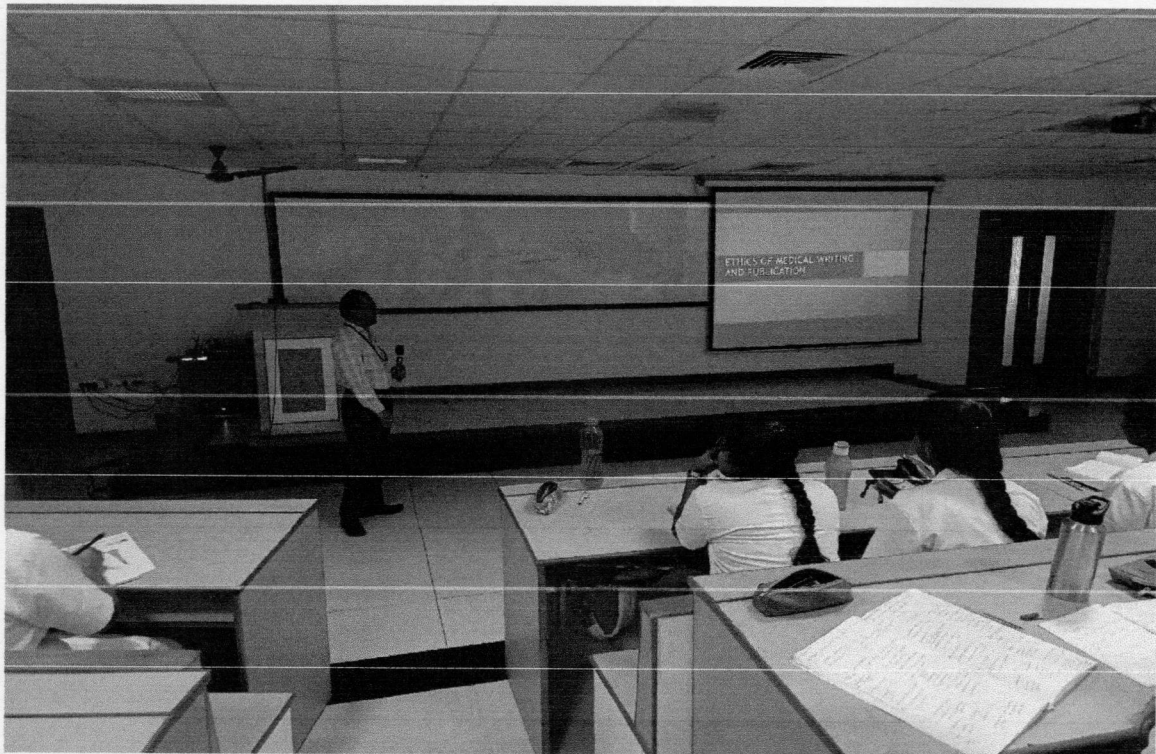
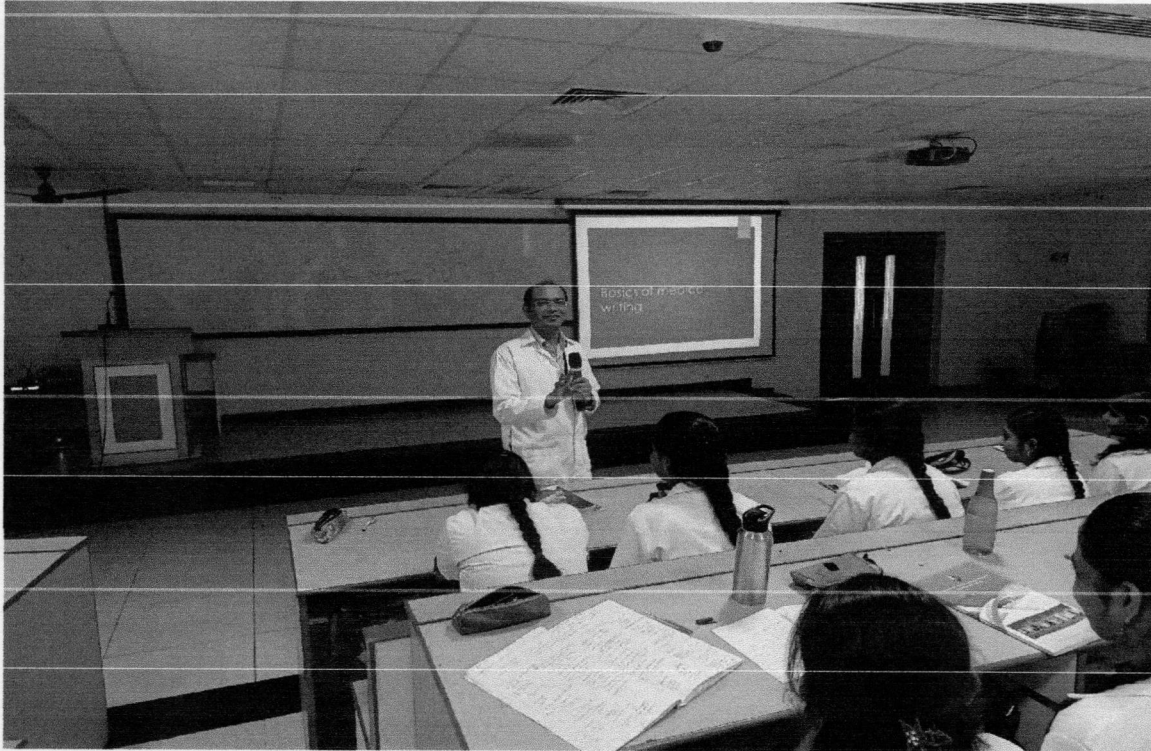
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