

Soft Skill Development

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DEPARTMENT OF MICROBIOLOGY**

Pen to paper workshop was conducted from 18 to 22 February 2020. 23 participants and 2 observers were part of this workshop. Resource faculties were from University of Tennessee, Dartmouth school of medicine and also from SRIHER.

Lecture sessions were put to maximum use during the group activity and primed the participants to the preliminary aspects of manuscript writing making them no longer uncomfortable in this task along with intricacies on how sentences should be worded to give the intended overall meaning, are how the day 1 session impacted the participants. Escalated the knowledge of participants with regard to literature search, data analysis and interpretation which gradually built on their day1 experiences in alignment with title, need for study and materials and methods. Being budding researchers, taking onus of their work and nurturing appropriate publication ethics and etiquette was also a nice take home message. Day 3 session was extremely worthwhile in assisting participants to perform structured and focussed literature search, to write a brief and informative case report in adherence with the Do's and Don'ts and choosing appropriate journals for publishing research work keeping in mind that the shortcomings if any would amount to rejection. It was useful to participants in developing appropriate skills of writing a case report and manuscript in an impressive manner incorporating relevant literature in introduction and discussion along with construction of appropriate figures and tables. The sessions on Day 4 also sensitized participants on the art of writing a review article which involves providing a state of the art understanding of the topic in question. Day 5 sessions were extremely impactful in helping participants in completing referencing of their manuscript, choosing appropriate journals with a caution of predatory ones and also how to take the knowledge gained through these sessions forward for personal and institutional development.



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REPORT ON

Virtual RAPTS - [Ramachandra Annual Postgraduate Teaching Skills]

August '2020

Organized By

Department of Physiology,

Sri Ramachandra Medical College & Research Institute,

Porur, Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India-600 116



INTRODUCTION:

The Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI conducted the virtual annual RAPTS [Ramachandra Postgraduate Teaching Skills Workshop] on 28th and 29th of August 2020. Post graduate medical curriculum is usually devoted to developing competencies in the specialty concerned, patient care and submitting dissertations. Medical postgraduates have the responsibility to teach or develop competencies in undergraduates along with gaining expertise in their concerned specialties. The Department of Physiology, SRMC&RI, in recognition of this need conducts the annual RAPTS workshop to create awareness among postgraduates on the scientific basis behind the various facets of medical teaching and give hands on experience.

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INAUGURATION & REGISTRATION

The workshop was attended by 47 postgraduate students, from the Departments of Anatomy, Physiology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, Pharmacology, Pathology, Immuno hematology and blood transfusion (IHBT), Forensic Medicine and Community Medicine. This workshop had been reviewed and accredited by the Tamil Nadu Medical council and obtained 10 SRMC credit hours. The program started with the inauguration and administration of a pretest questionnaire to the delegates.

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DEPARTMENT OF PHYSIOLOGY, SRMC & RI

Cordially invites you for the inauguration of
Virtual 'RAPTS-2020'
(Ramachandra Annual Postgraduate Teaching Skills) workshop

DATE : 28th AUGUST 2020 FRIDAY | TIME : 08:45 AM IST

Welcome address	Dr. Priscilla Johnson Prof. & HOD, Dept. of Physiology
About the workshop	Dr.R.Padmavathi Prof. & Associate Dean – PG studies
Special Address	Dr.Latha Ravichandran Associate Dean Education
Inaugural Address	Dr. S. Anandan Dean – Medical College
Vote of Thanks	Dr. K.Dilara Professor, Dept. of Physiology

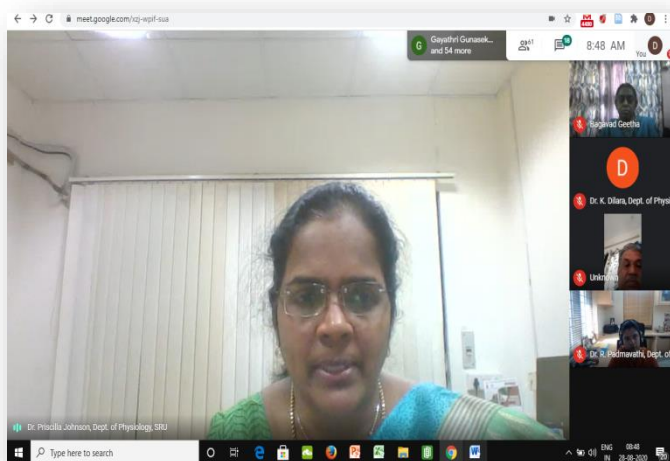
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Inauguration:

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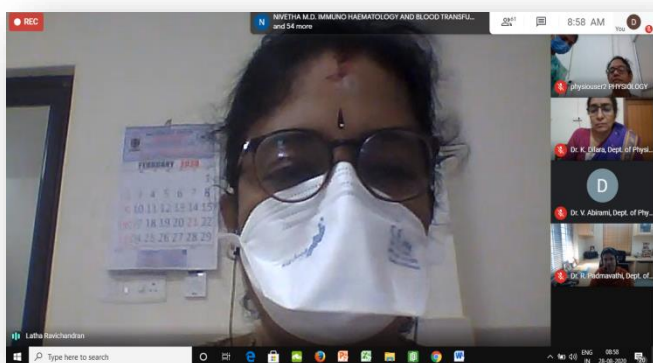
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- Dr.R.Padmavathi, Associate Dean (PG Studies)



Dr.Priscilla Johnson, Professor and Head, Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI welcomed Dr.S.Anandan, Dean, Medical College and Dr. Latha Ravichandran, Associate Dean Education. She stressed the need to acquire a holistic training during post graduation and therefore the importance of imparting teaching skills along with the core specialty curriculum.



Dr. R.Padmavathi, Associate Dean (PG Studies), Professor, Department of Physiology, outlined the overall objectives of the workshop. She said that RAPTS conducted successfully since 2014 has been well received by the postgraduates. She emphasized that good medical practice includes competencies spanning the domains of knowledge, skills and attitude. She said therefore the workshop includes all aspects of teaching such as interactive lectures, small group facilitation, mentoring and giving feedback. She also stressed on the relevance of CBME as put forth by the MCI and e-learning in the current pandemic era.



Dr. Latha Ravichandran, Associate Dean Education, informed the gathering on the steps taken by SRMC & RI in curriculum and faculty development much before the MCI directive. She congratulated the postgraduates for having enrolled in the workshop and equip them with skills to function as competent teachers in their future careers. She said the teaching skills workshops assume significance in faculty development by striving for excellence in teaching along with

DEPARTMENT OF PHYSIOLOGY

VIRTUAL RAPTS 2020

(RAMACHANDRA ANNUAL POSTGRADUATE TEACHING SKILLS COURSE)

28th & 29th AUGUST 2020

Program schedule

DAY-1 [28th August 2020 Friday]

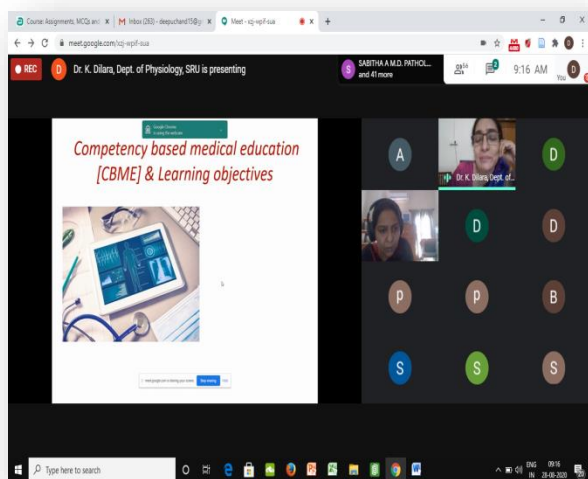
TIME	TOPIC	FACULTY
08.30- 8.45 am	Registration & Pretest	Dr.Bagavad Geetha & Dr.Teena Lal
8.45 - 9.30am	Inauguration	MC : Dr.Abirami
9.30 - 10.15am	CBME & Learning objectives	Dr. Dilara.K
10.15-11.45am	Workshop on Learning Objectives (Small group activity)	Dr. Dilara.K & Facilitators
11.45 - 12.30pm	Overview of Teaching –Learning methods	Dr. Sowmya
12.30- 1.15 pm	Use of media in T/L methods	Dr. Abirami
1.15 - 1.45pm	Lunch Break	
1.45 – 2:45pm	Overview of microteaching	Dr.Priscilla Johnson
02.45 - 5.00pm	Work shop on T-L methods (Small group activity)	Dr. Dilara.K & Facilitators

DAY – 2 [29th August 2020 Saturday]

TIME	TOPIC	FACULTY
08.30-09.00am	Recap session	Dr.K. Dilara
9.00- 9.45 am	Mentoring in medical education	Dr. Leena Dennis Joseph
9.45-10.30 am	Giving student feedback	Dr. Pankaj.B.Shah
10.30 – 11.30 am	E-learning	Dr. Anupriya
11.30 – 12.30 pm	Integration in medical education	Dr. R. Padmavathi
12.30 – 1.30 pm	Lunch Break	
1.30 – 4.00 pm	Microteaching practice	Dr.Sheela Ravinder & Facilitators
4.00 – 4.30 pm	Post test & Feedback	Dr.Anbuselvan & Dr.Teena Lal
4.30 – 5.00 pm	Open house	Dr.K. Dilara

Day 1

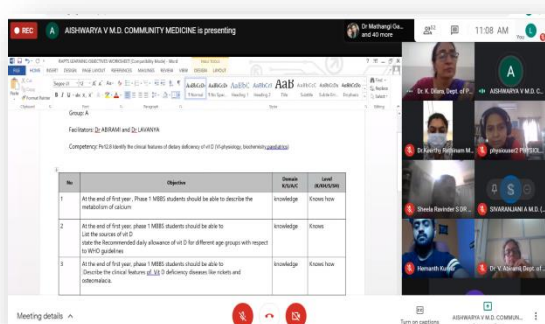
Session 1: Competency based medical education (CBME) & Learning objectives by Dr.K.Dilara, Professor, Dept of Physiology



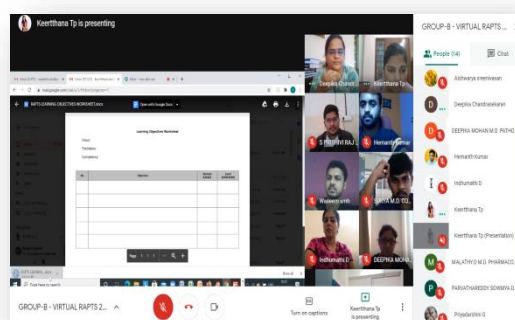
The relevance and core features of competency based medical education were stated by the speaker. The ascendancy of competencies in the curriculum by achieving objectives during various phases was explained with suitable examples. The criteria for writing measurable learning objectives based on various learning domains were presented comprehensively. This was followed by a group activity where participants were divided into 4 groups and each group had to frame objectives for a given competency. A plenary session to evaluate and reframe the objectives was done at the end of the session.

Work shop on Learning Objectives by Dr. Dilara. K and facilitators

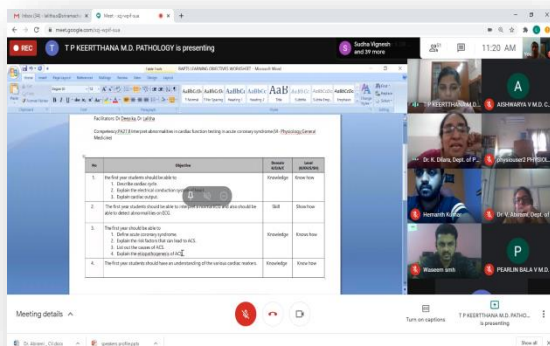
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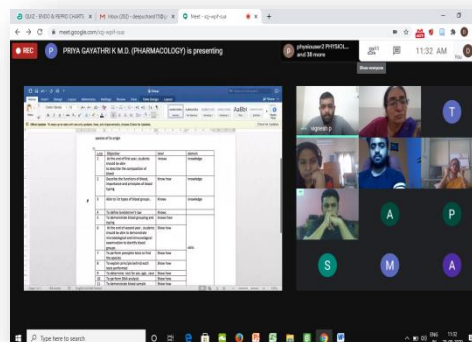
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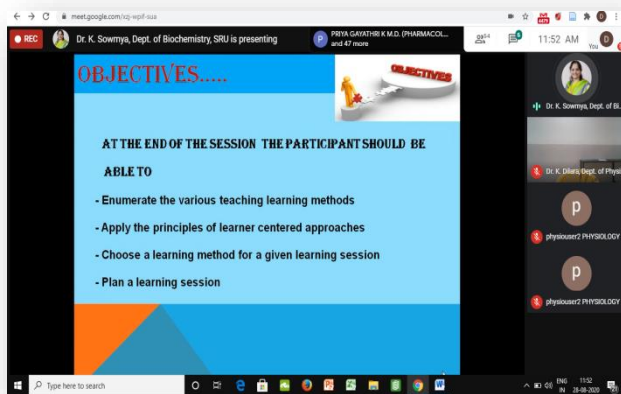
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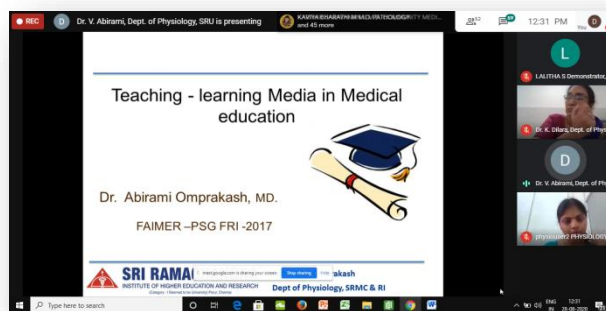


Session 2: Overview of teaching learning methods by Dr. Sowmya, Professor, Dept of Biochemistry



The session dealt with how teaching learning methods can be large group, small group or individualized based on the intended objectives. The speaker also elaborated on the criteria to be followed for effective teaching. Emphasis was laid on the criteria of various TL methods and the need for innovative & appropriate methods in medical education.

Session 3: Use of media in T/L methods by Dr. Abirami Omprakash, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Physiology



The speaker clearly explained the importance of selecting the appropriate media for a given teaching learning method & the rules to be followed for making effective power points and OHP slides

Session 4: Overview of microteaching by Dr. Priscilla Johnson, Professor & Head, Dept. of Physiology

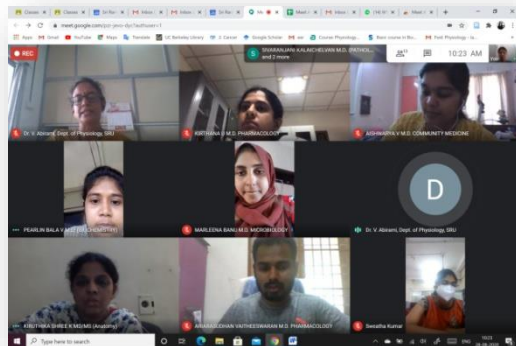


The history of microteaching, recent literature, microteaching cycle and the advantages of microteaching were covered in depth.

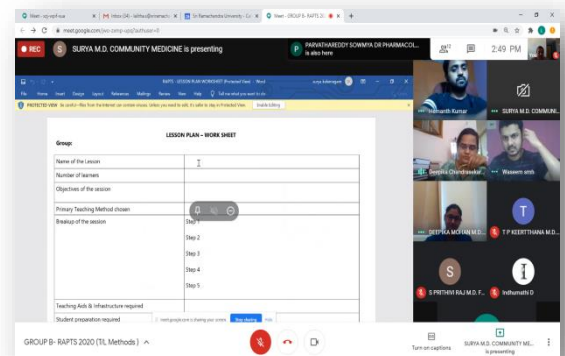
The overview of microteaching session was followed by a workshop on Teaching-Learning Methods. The participants developed appropriate teaching learning methods for the given learning objectives. The groups presented the lesson plan for Teaching-Learning methods contemplated during the plenary session

Work shop on T-L methods by Dr. Dilara. K and facilitators

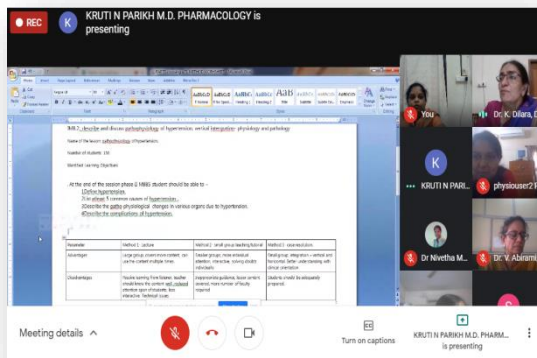
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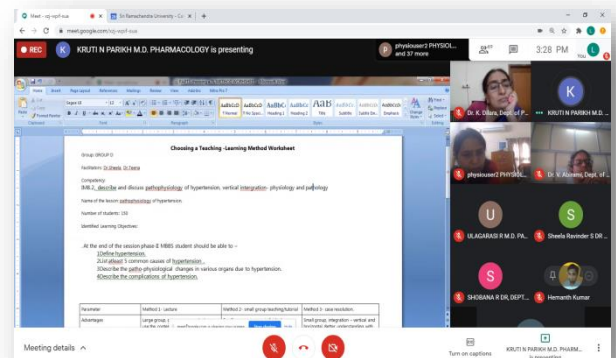
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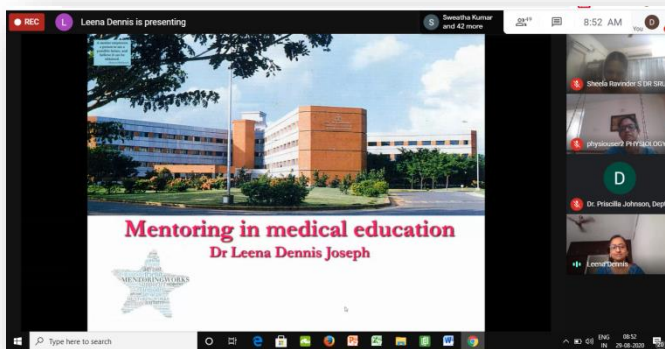
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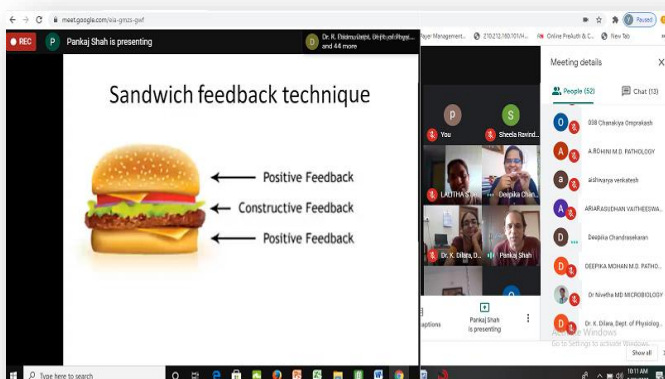
Started with a recap session where participants from each group reflected on the learning outcomes of the previous day session.

Session 1: Mentoring in medical education, Dr. Leena Dennis Joseph, Professor, Dept. of Pathology.



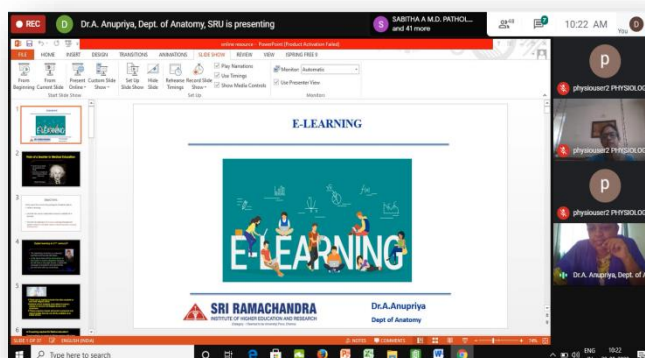
The speaker spoke on how mentoring gave the personalized care which is indispensable for learning in a high stakes profession like medicine. The session discussed on the advantages and disadvantages in mentor mentee relationships. Criteria to be followed for effective mentoring were also presented.

Session 2: Giving student feedback by Dr.Pankaj.B.Shah, Professor & Head, Dept of Community Medicine



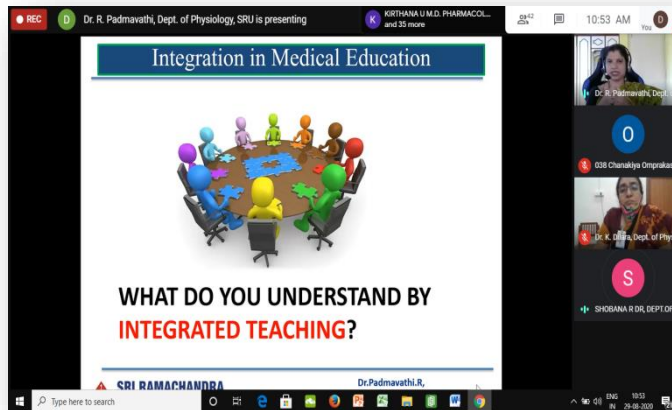
The session elaborated on the importance of feedback in medicine. The factors which facilitated and inhibited feedback were also outlined. The methods to be employed to make feedback an important learning tool were discussed.

Session 3: E- learning by Dr.Anupriya, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Anatomy



The session dealt on the role of technology in facilitating learning. The speaker spoke on synchronous and non synchronous forms of e-learning and the strategies to incorporate an e-learning culture in the learning environment.

Session 4: Integration in medical education by Dr. Padmavathi.R, Professor, Dept. of Physiology, Associate Dean (PG studies).

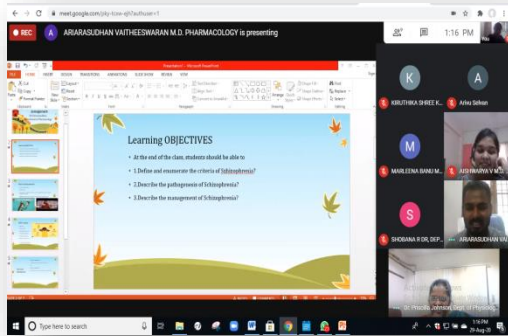


The speaker interacted with the audience on the need for integration, the various methods and processes in an integrated curriculum. She also highlighted on the methods followed for achieving integration in the current competency based medical education.

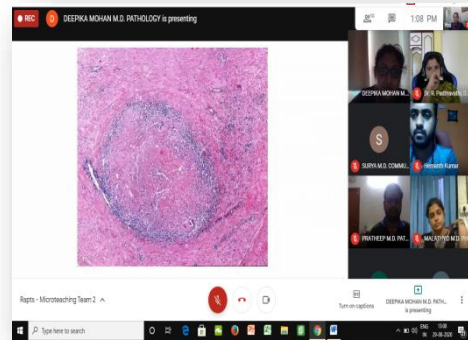
This session was followed by a workshop on microteaching practice. The participants were divided into 6 teams and each gave a short presentation for 8 minutes which was video recorded. Every PG was guided by facilitators to assess one's own presentation and also receive feedback from peers. The PG's presented very innovative sessions, gave and received feedback professionally.

Work shop on Microteaching practice

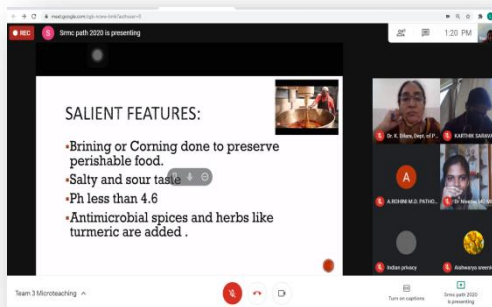
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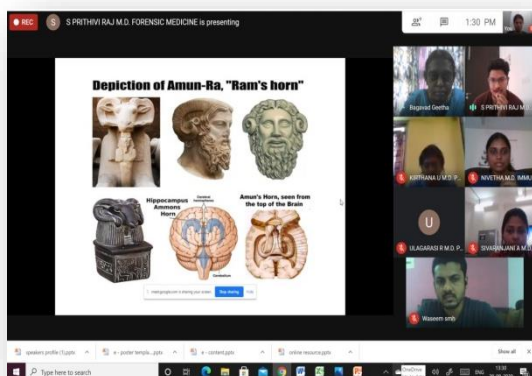
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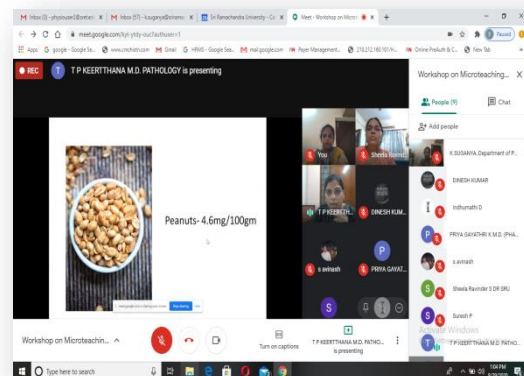
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Team 6



PRE-TEST, POST-TEST & FEEDBACK

Fig 1: Comparison between Pre & Post test score among the participants

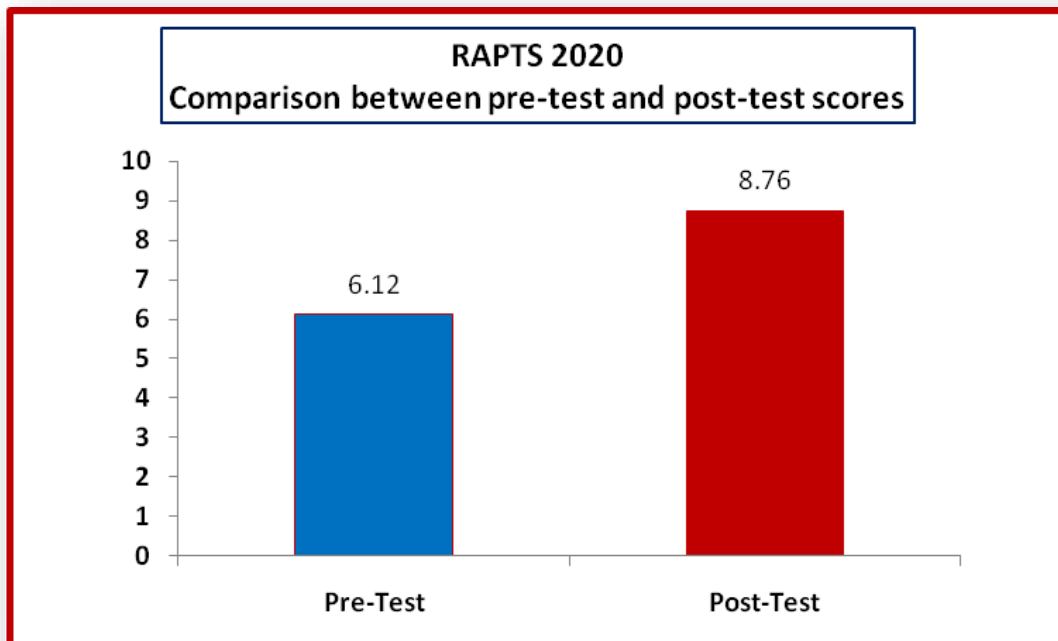
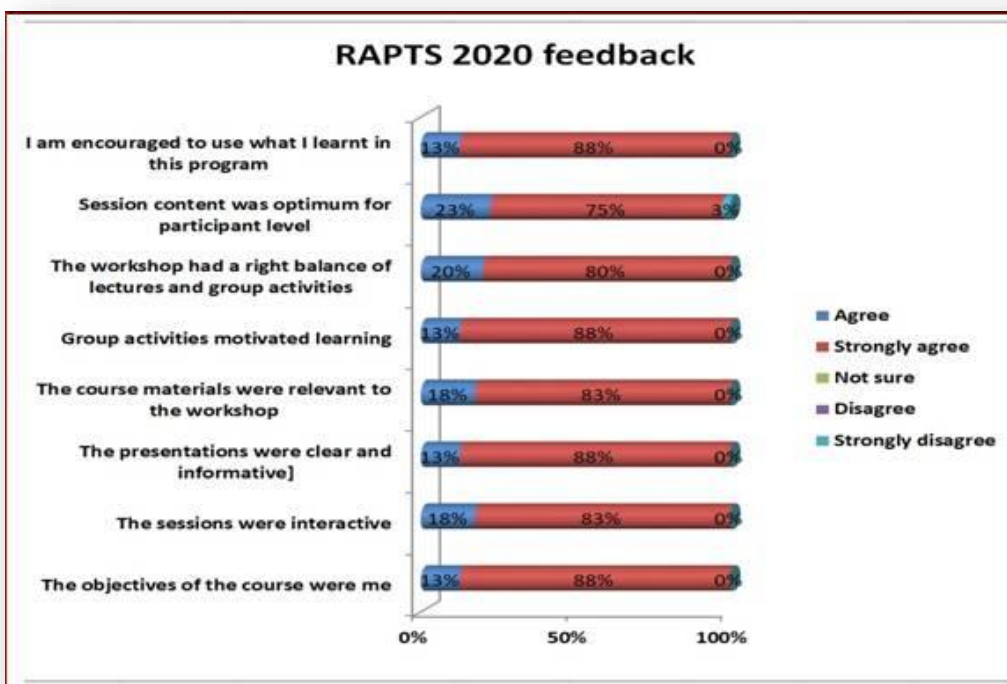


Fig. 2 Feedback about the program



Post test questionnaire and feedback were collected from the delegates. Analysis of pre test& post test score showed a significant improvement in the learning outcome. The program evaluation showed that 88% of the participants strongly agreed that group activities motivated learning and also the presentations of the sessions were clear and informative. 83% felt that the sessions were interactive and 88% strongly agreed that the objective of the course were met.

The workshop concluded with an open house session by Dr.K.Dilara, Professor, Department of Physiology. Dr.Dilara stressed the importance of applying sound scientific concepts to enhance teaching skills and requested participants to give feedback on the workshop. Many participants reflected on how the learning outcomes of the workshop had been satisfied and their enrichment of knowledge on teaching learning concepts. They thanked the department of physiology for exposing them to faculty development at the initiation of their careers. Dr.R.Padmavathi, Associate Dean (PG studies) told the participants to apply the educational concepts in their regular teaching activities. Dr.Priscilla Johnson complemented the postgraduates for taking interesting and innovative microteaching sessions. The session concluded with thanking all the resource persons and participants.



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Clinico-mycological update 2020

This virtual CME program was conducted as an integrative program between clinical and diagnostic fields on 26th June 2020. The program had Dr R Madhu, Dr Jayanthi Savio & Dr P Senthurnambi as external speakers and Dr S Prasanna Kumar as internal speakers. There was an interactive case based discussion chaired by the speakers. Also the CME had oral and e poster presentations judged by the external panelists and prizes were awarded for the best presentations. This program had a good feedback from the participants and hence it was decided to conduct this program on yearly basis as requested by the participants. There were 57 participants participated in this workshop.



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Faculty of Dental Sciences

Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery

3rd Ramachandra Maxillofacial Alumni Webinar

- Ramachandra Maxillofacial Alumni conducted a webinar on the topic "3-D Printing And Virtual Simulation In Complex Craniomaxillofacial Surgery" through Google meet.
- The webinar was conducted on 18/7/20 at 11 am.
- The speaker for the webinar was Dr John Nesan (2005 batch of MDS from SRIHER). The session was moderated by Dr Emmanuel.
- The sessions was attended by 132 participants which included undergraduates, post-graduates, faculties and private practitioners.
- Participants feedback was collected through google forms.
- 3 D printing, Virtual Surgical planning, Patient specific implants, bio-printing were the topics covered extensively in the webinar along with demonstration of cases.

Ramachandra Maxillofacial Alumni Webinar 3 (2020-07-17 at 22:37 GMT-7)

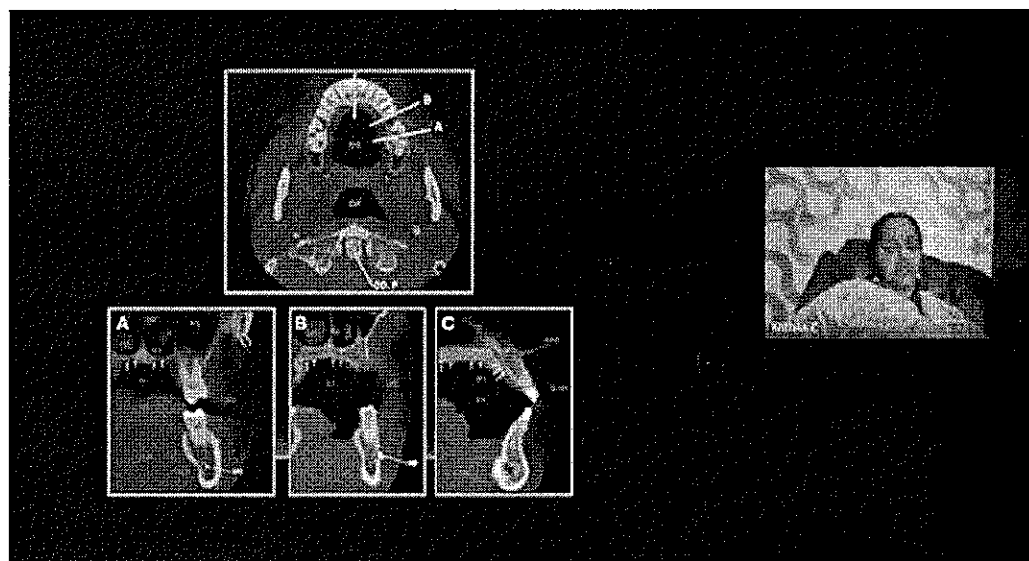
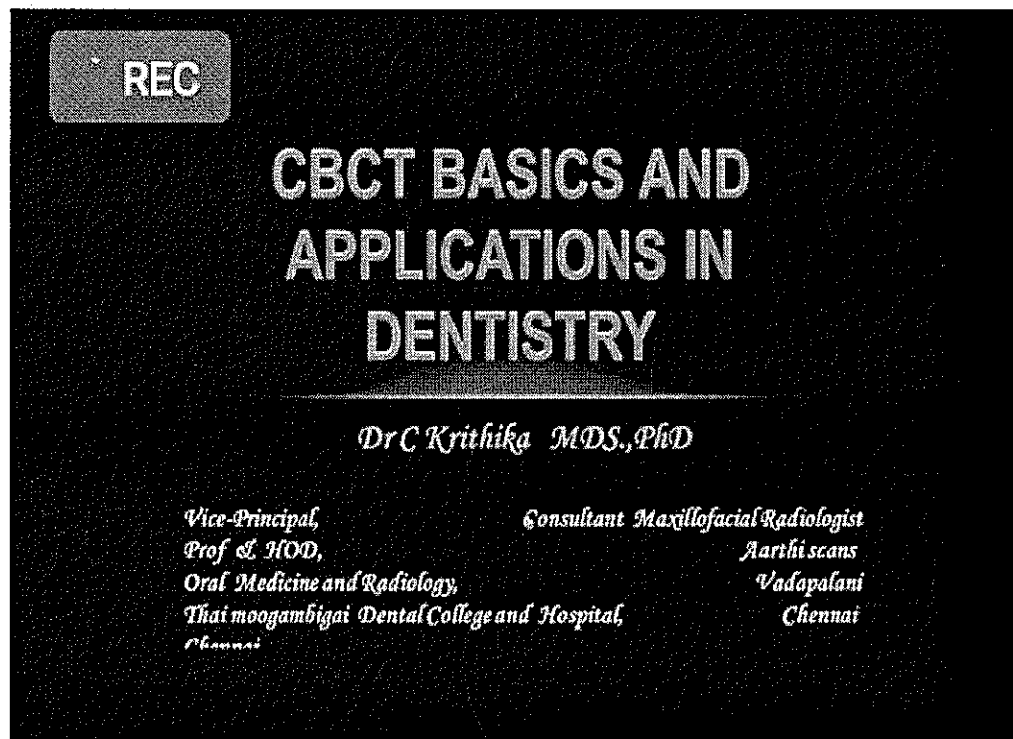
The poster for the webinar features the Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research logo at the top. Below it, the text reads "Ramachandra Maxillofacial Alumni Presents". The main title of the webinar is "3-D PRINTING AND VIRTUAL SIMULATION IN COMPLEX CRANIOMAXILLOFACIAL SURGERY". It is labeled as an "Interactive Webinar 3". The speaker is Dr. John Nesan (2005 batch), C.F.O., of Clark Pvt Ltd, Chennai. The moderator is Dr. Emmanuel Azariah, Associate Prof - OMFS, Faculty of Dental Sciences, SRIHER. To the right of the poster, there is a small inset photo of Dr. A. Emmanuel, Dhiraj Sargunan, Dept. of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery.

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The second webinar program on the Basics of CBCT and Applications in Dentistry was successfully conducted by the CSM and SAF committee on 14-05-2020 between 9-30AM to 10.30AM. The speaker Dr. C. Krithika discussed in detail the basics of CBCT and judicious use of CBCT in dentistry. A total of 96 participants attended and benefitted from the program.



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CRRI Soft Skills Workshop

CRRI soft skills workshop was conducted online on 22/05/2021.

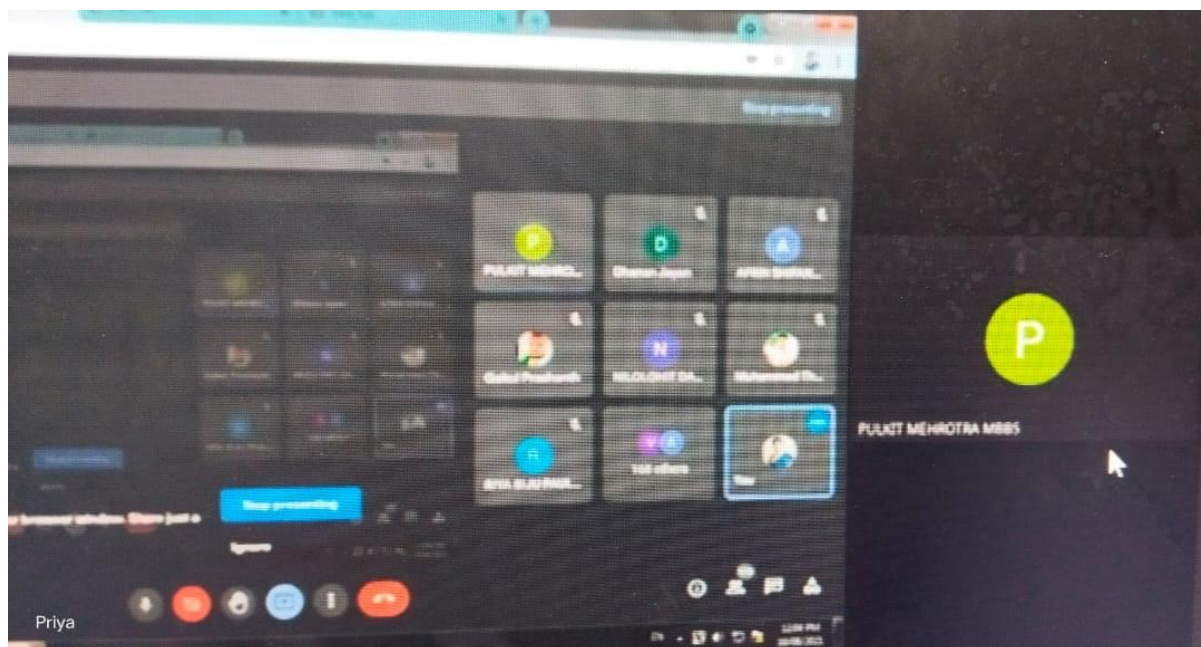
After Covid-19 this is the first CRRI workshop conducted by the Department of OBGYN.
Posted from 15.04.2021 to 14.06.2021 (61 Days) – C BATCH

The session covered topics such as leadership skills, empathy, professionalism, conflict and stress management, time management etc.

Total no of students - 35 for the first posting of OBGYN

Total responses – 24

Total number attended – 29



S. No.	NAME	Present(P)
71	TANYA CHAWLA	P
72	MEGHNA KS	A
73	AKSHAY KUMAR CHOPRA	P
74	SUCHETA DEY	P
75	GHANTA PRIYA VAISHNAVI KRISHNA	A
76	VIKASHINI G	P
77	IAN POULDON	P
78	AVINASH DESUR SURESH	P

79	PRIYANKA RAJANI	P
80	PULKIT MEHROTRA	P
81	MILONI MORE	P
82	NAZAL RAHMAN	A
83	KHARTHIK DV	P
84	SHEETHAL SASIDARA PANICKER	P
85	NATASHA RENCHI MATHEW	P
86	ARJUN S	P
87	DARSHINI	P
88	SOUNDHARYAA G	P
89	ARUL THARANI RAMACHANDIRAN	P
90	ABHINAV TALWAR	P
91	ABHENAYA	P
92	ADITI BHARUKHA	P
93	RUPKAR KUNDU	P
94	ASHISH KUMAR(08/04/1998)	A
95	NOURA MUMTAJ MOHIDEEN AK	P
96	KALAIARASAN N	A
97	RAMANA BALAJI A	P
98	SHARAN SUBRAMANIAM	P
99	NYMISHA BHEEMA REDDY	P
100	AASAKTI	P
101	APURVA NAYAK	P
102	SUBIKSHA K	A
103	PALLABI CHANAK	P
104	HARSHINI V	P
105	RIYA BIJU PAUL	P



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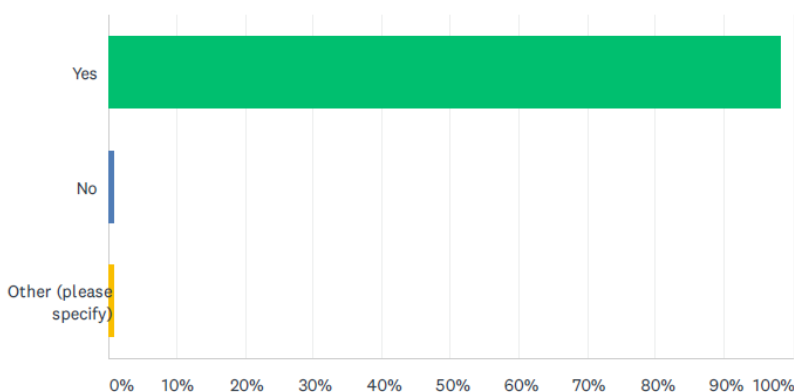
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ACCENDO-2020 report

Accendo – 2020, a 3rd workshop cum course on laboratory techniques in Molecular biology and Clinical virology conducted virtually from 26th to 29th August, 2020. Resource faculties are from Christian Medical College, Vellore and Sri Narayani Hospital and Research Centre. Also a team of Molecular biology and Clinical virology contributed to conduct the workshop successfully. One hundred and seventy five participants were participated from all over India. Participants were highly satisfied about video demonstrations during the workshop. Audio issues were noted as one of the common issues to address in future.

Q14 Was the overall objective of the workshop met?

Answered: 117 Skipped: 4



ANSWER CHOICES	RESPONSES	
Yes	98.29%	115
No	0.85%	1
Other (please specify)	0.85%	1
TOTAL		117

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Executive Development Programs conducted from 2017 to 2020

S.No.	Academic Year	Name of the program	Duration	No. of Students	Amount Received(In Rupees)	Amount received (in words)
1	Sep-17	Advance Course in Medical Education	One year	23	287500	Rupees two lakhs eighty seven thousand five hundred only
2	Mar-18	Advance Course in Medical Education	One year	25	375000	Rupees three lakhs seventy five thousand only
	Sep-18	Advance Course in Medical Education	One year	25	375000	Rupees three lakhs seventy five thousand only
3	Apr-19	Advance Course in Medical Education	One year	25	375000	Rupees three lakhs seventy five thousand only
	Oct-19	Advance Course in Medical Education	One year	25	375000	Rupees three lakhs seventy five thousand only
4	Oct-20	Advance Course in Medical Education	One year	30	450000	Rupees Four lakhs fifty thousand only


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Sri Ramachandra Faculty of Allied Health Sciences

Student interaction and Self-improvement programme

First Semester BSc (Allied Health Sciences) and other branches

19-03-2021 (12 noon to 12.30 pm) (University Auditorium)

26-03-2021 (11 am to 12 noon) (online in google meet)

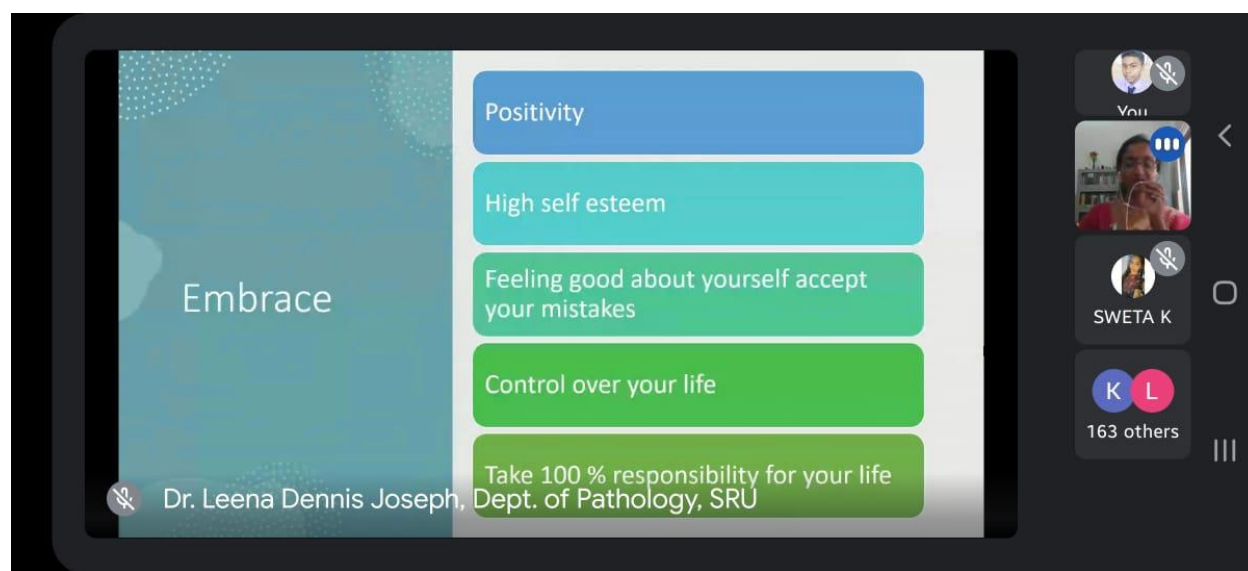
Dr Leena Dennis Joseph, Associate Dean of Students and Dr. Lakshmi Vekatesh (Assistant Dean – Students FAHS) interacted with the first semester students and discussed the following:

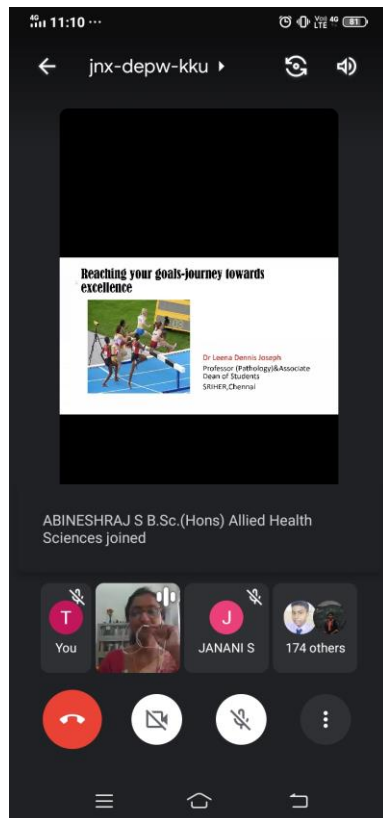
- Preparation for upcoming exams
- Extracurricular activities through student clubs and student council
- Information dissemination through the student representative whats-app group.

Self-improvement programme

Dr Leena Dennis Joseph, Associate Dean of Students, presented a talk titled: Reaching your goals – Journey towards excellence” on 26.03.2021.

The talk encouraged students to be motivated and overcome the stress and depression due to the pandemic and overcome fear for their first university examination. As many as 207 students participated.

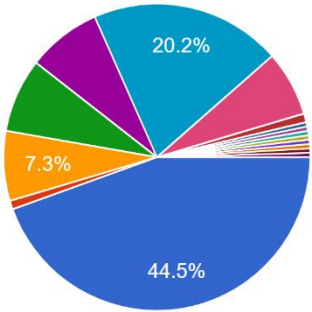




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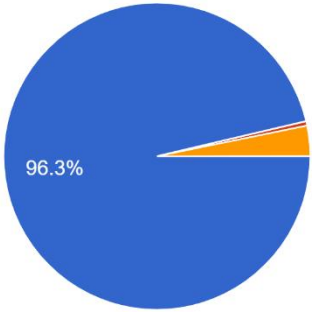
Feedback from students

Please choose your course
218 responses



- BSc (Hons) Allied Health Sciences
 - BSc (Hons) Radiotherapy Technology
 - BSc (Hons). Radiation and Imaging S...
 - BSc (Hons) Respiratory Therapy
 - BSc (Hons) Medical Laboratory Techn...
 - BSc (Hons) Cardiac Technology
 - BSc (Hons) Renal and Dialysis Techn...
 - BSc (Hons) Medical Microbiology and...
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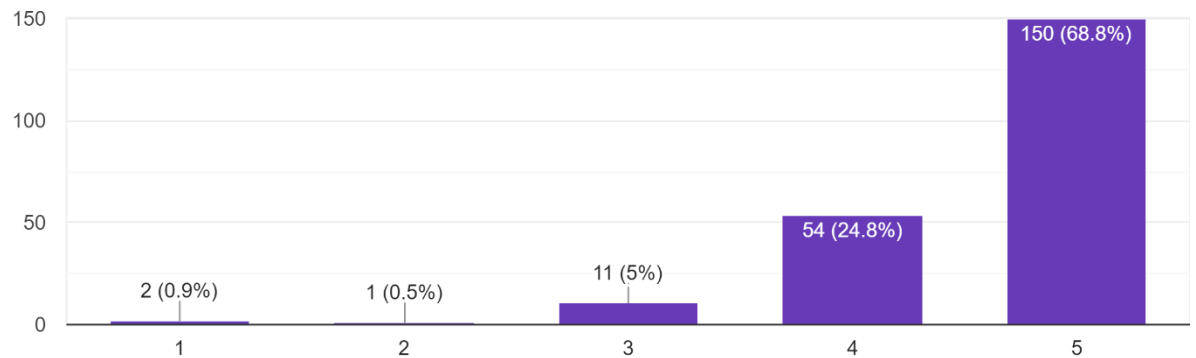
Did you find the topic interesting?
218 responses



- Yes
- No
- Maybe

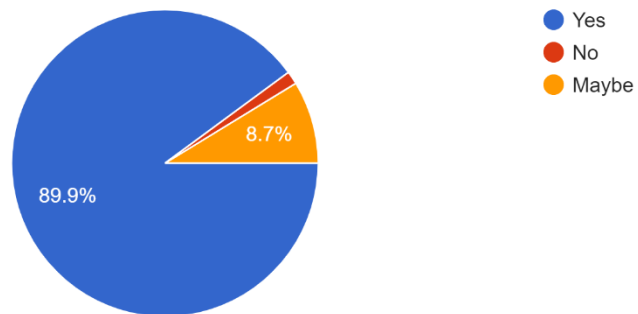
Overall the session was useful.

218 responses



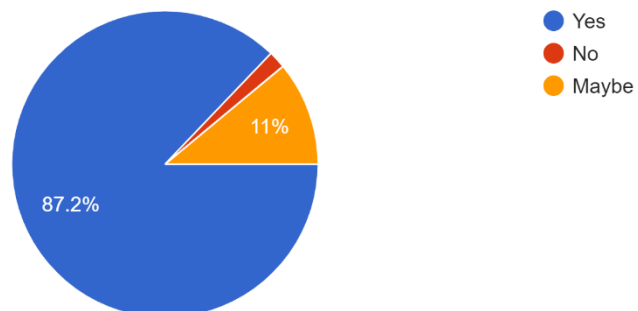
Will you take action and do something in terms of changing your thinking, feeling or behaviours after this session?

218 responses



Do you want to attend more sessions like these in future?

218 responses



Any topics, that you would like to be addressed in future seminars?

Sports
No idea
Coping with peer pressure
Motivation
Motivation
Positive mind thought
Yes Topics on about how to become an intelligent and outgoing person?
Nothing
None
you covered most of the topics mam
Anything which will motivate us
Motivational and inspiration speech and appreciate the speech
Stress management
The all
Thank u so much Mam for this wonderful messages ,we will follow your words and we will bloom
Mam thank u
How to improve memory power
Discard
How to find ourself
Study tips, motivational thoughts
Nothing
'Inspirational movies' and 'meditation'.
Time management
To ovecone laziness and about self confidence
Regret
The way to become more professional
Its was a great session and we are looking for more sessions like this... We are so grateful for you wonderful words mam
Need to know more about the preparation for exams and the tips from you mam. Hearing from you is more effective
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Personality development
Fear about exams
Career advice
Mam it was awesome session ..it's very inspirational and motivational words mam.after hearing those motivation words it's boost myself to ingore from negative and move towards positive vibes .thank you mam for organizing wonderful time ..thank you so much mam
Scope of studies in abroad
Choose topics that are more related to students life.
No need
Anything that will be motivating
To overcome stage fear
Grooming

How to get relief of stress and concentrate on studies for excellent marks
How to enhance our talents..
Follow your dreams,believe in yourself and don't giveup
About relationship s because (broken)
.
How to achieve our goals
How to handle difficulties in life, something like that mam
How to overcome our feeling or thinking after losing future dream exam ???
For Career speech
Overcome the negative vibes
Choose topics that are related to students life and the problems faced by them .
No, All Topics are covered in this seminar And it useful to our future
To take about confidence
How to make a bright future
Future benefits for our course
Bright future
Yeahhh.. Time management skills
Being confident
The meeting was very inspiring and good. Thank you for these speech based on motivational topics.
Avoiding unnecessary thought and only concentrating on what is necessary.
Peaceful life
Planing a day in useful way for reading
Motivational speech
Motivational topics
Improving self esteem
Intelligence
Other than our career
Yes about how the ahs can be successful in their professional life. What would they do after UG and PG
Learning
How to be like a pro in life
No
About positivity
How can we manage the stress in students
Yeah
Motivation towards carrier
I like dream topic
Stress management, learning techniques, etc
Motivating topics related to health sciences
Learning
Yes about choosing best career after completing
Human behaviour

Might be
Positivity is ok
About the abuses and crimes
Management of time
I Know
NIL
Discard
Tips to increase are exam preparation
Very interesting
The session was inspiring and good. Motivational seminars.
About memory and concentration
Good
Respiratory system
Anything which will motivate us

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How to improve memory power

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RaPTS [Ramachandra Postgraduate Teaching Skills Workshop] 2014



RaPTS
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Workshop for Postgraduates

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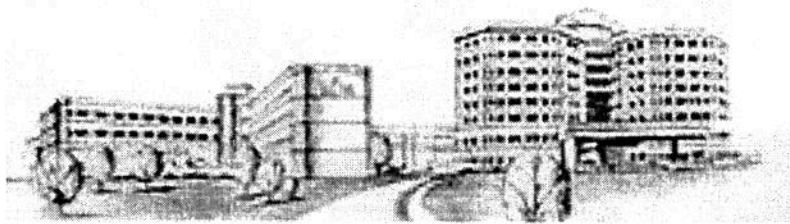
Organizing Chairman
Dr. P. V. Vijayaraghavan
Director, Academic Administration &
Dean (Education)
Sri Ramachandra University

Date : 28th & 29th November 2014
Time : 8 am to 4 pm
Venue : Dept. of Physiology



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Venue: Lecture Theater 2, Sri Ramachandra University

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INTRODUCTION:

Today's medical postgraduates receive good training in their core subjects and reasonably adequate exposure to research and patient care. It is ironical that the need to hone their teaching skills, which is an indispensable requirement of any medical college, is not given due importance. The Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI conducted a 2 day workshop, RaPTS [Ramachandra Postgraduate Teaching Skills Workshop] on 28th & 29th November 2014. This workshop is the first of its kind to be undertaken by any medical college, targeting faculty development of postgraduates.

Objective:

Conventional teacher training courses are not a part of medical curriculum. While structured faculty development programs under the preview of the MCI are being conducted for faculty since 2009, this workshop is aimed at training future medical teachers.

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DESCRIPTION OF EVENTS

Registration & administration of pretest:

The workshop was attended by 38 participants, from the departments of Anatomy, Biochemistry, Physiology, Microbiology, Pathology and Community Medicine. This workshop had been reviewed and accredited by the Tamil Nadu Medical council with 4 credit hours of category 2 CME. The program started with administration of a pretest questionnaire to the delegates.



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Inauguration:

The inaugural session was attended by

- Dr.Tripti K Srivatsava, Convener MCI Nodal Center, JNMC, Wardha, Maharashtra,
- Dr.Saikumar, President, Association of Physiologists of Tamilnadu[APT]
- Dr.Vishwanatha Rao, Secretary, Association of Physiologists of Tamilnadu[APT]
- Dr.K.V.Somasundaram, Dean of Faculties, SRU and
- Dr.D.Pratiba, Associate Dean, PG studies (Non Clinical)



Dr.R.Padmavathi, Professor and Head, Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI welcomed the gathering and defined the broad objectives of the workshop. She quoted from the great physician, William Osler “The medical teacher is not at a high pedestal pumping knowledge into passive receptacles, but a senior student eager to help his juniors”.



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Inaugural Address

Dr.K.V.Somasundaram, Dean of Faculties delivered the inaugural address and emphasized that motivation, team work & collaborative leadership are some of the healthy trends in medical education.



Dr.Saikumar Secretary of Association of Physiologists of Tamilnadu, said that the need for such a workshop was felt when PG's were found to be lacking pedagogic skills during a workshop conducted in Stanley Medical college.

Dr.Vishwanatha Rao, Secretary of APT also echoed similar ideas.

The RaPTS souvenir was released by the dignitaries present.

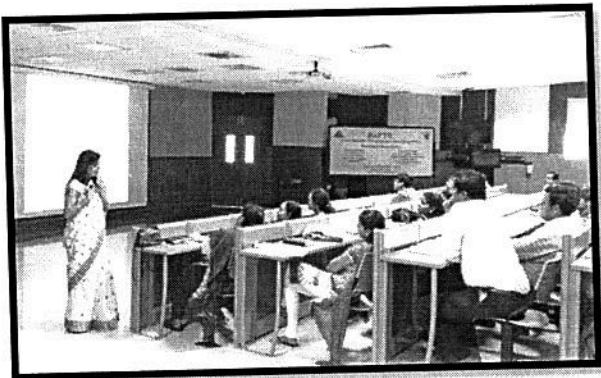
Dr.A.S.Subhashini, Professor proposed the vote of thanks.

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Day: 1

INVITED LECTURE: Teaching skills in postgraduate medical education



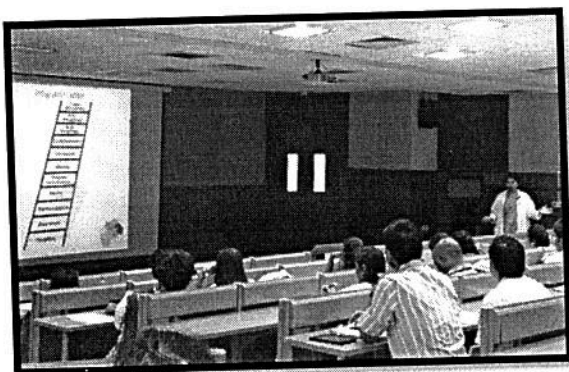
Dr. Tripti K. Srivatsava, the invited speaker, gave a literature review on the role and time spent by postgraduates in teaching undergraduates during their course. She also spoke on the importance of feedback and reflective practice in medical education.

Session 1: Learning objectives by Dr. K. Dilara



The criteria for measurable objectives and their classification into learning domains were presented comprehensively. This was followed by a group activity where participants were divided into 5 groups and each group had to frame objectives for a given teaching learning session. The participants were very committed to learning and had developed valid learning objectives. A plenary session to evaluate and reframe the objectives was done at the end of the session.

Session 2: Integration in Medical education by Dr. R. Padmavathi

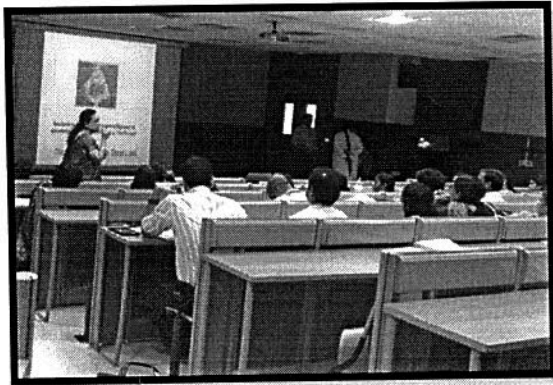


The speaker interacted with the audience on the need for integration, the various methods and processes in an integrated curriculum. She also highlighted the methods followed by SRMC towards integration in the preclinical phase of the MBBS curriculum.

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Session 3: Teaching learning methods by Dr.A.S.Subhashini



In the afternoon session on teaching learning methods, emphasis was laid on the criteria of various TL methods and the need for innovative & appropriate methods in medical education.

Session 4: Effective large group teaching by Dr.K.Dilara

The speaker dwelt on the various large group methods available, the need for lectures in the undergraduate curriculum and the methods to make them student centric.

This session was followed by a video presentation on “bad teaching habits” enacted by Dr.Semmal and participants were asked for feedback. The participants covered almost all the lacunae in professionalism, which was highlighted in the video.

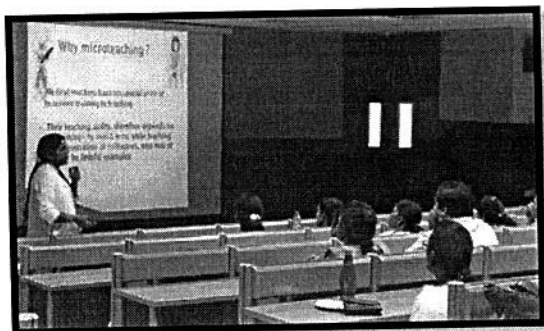
Day 2

Started with an oral feedback by 2 participants on how the sessions had impacted their learning outcome. This was followed by hands on training in Microteaching.

Session 1: Microteaching practice

The participants were divided into groups and each gave a short presentation for 8 minutes which was video recorded. Every PG was guided by facilitators to assess one's own presentation and also receive feedback from peers. The PG's presented very innovative sessions, gave and received feedback professionally.

Session 2: Overview on microteaching by Dr.Priscilla Johnson



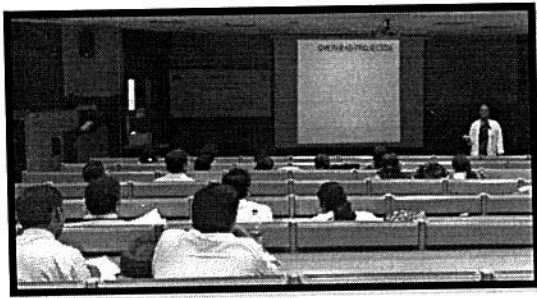
The history of microteaching, recent literature, microteaching cycle and the advantages of microteaching were covered in depth.

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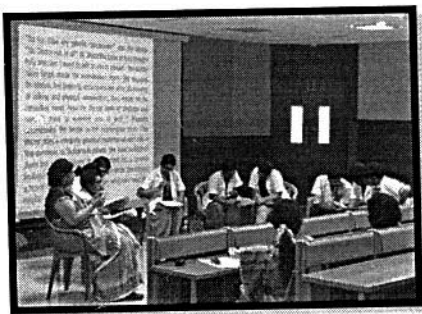
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Session 3: Effective use of media by Dr.V.Abirami



The speaker clearly explained the importance of appropriateness of media for a given TL method & the rules to be followed in making effective power points and OHP slides.

Session 4: Small group teaching by Dr.S.Roopa



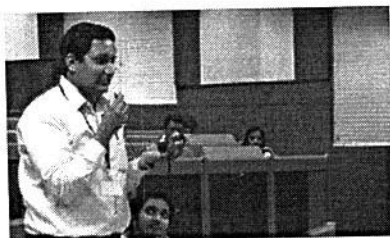
The session was illustrated with sufficient examples to reinforce the techniques to be followed for a fruitful small group teaching. She demonstrated small group facilitation with preclinical students and sought feedback from the audience.

Valedictory Ceremony



The workshop ended with the valedictory function which was attended by the Director, Academic administration and Dean, Education, Dr.P.V.Vijayaraghavan. He commended the Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI for conducting such a relevant and timely program and also gave away the certificates to the participants and resource persons.

Posttest & feedback



Post test questionnaire and feedback were collected from the delegates. The participants unanimously agreed that it was an enjoyable program and wished to attend many such programs in future.

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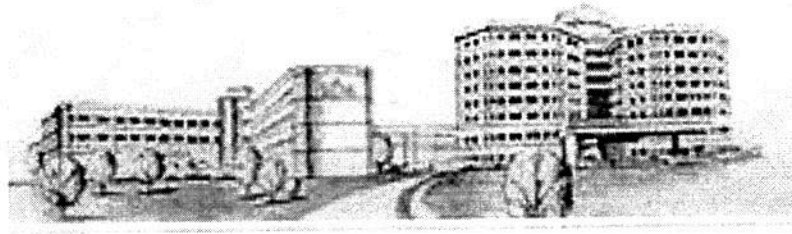
CME on 'Teaching and Research during Postgraduation' conducted on 19.07.2014



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The Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI conducted the **CME on 'Teaching and Research during Postgraduation'** on 19.07.2014. Post graduate medical curriculum is usually devoted to developing competencies in the specialty concerned, patient care and submitting dissertations. The Department of Physiology, SRMC&RI, conducted the CME on 'Teaching and Research during Postgraduation' to create awareness among postgraduates about the various facets of medical teaching and research.

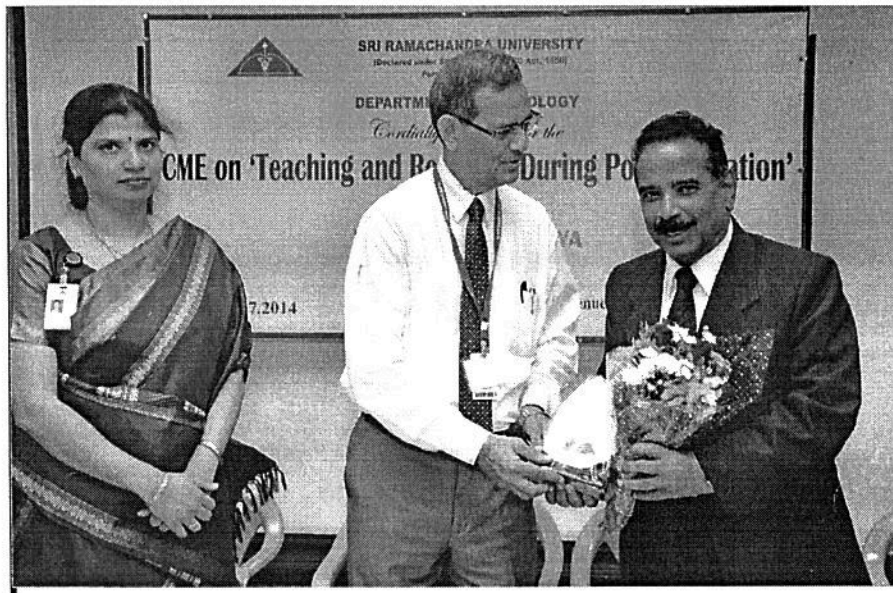
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Speaker: Dr. Puthuraya
Visiting Professor,
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The workshop was attended by **100 participants**. The speaker stressed the need to acquire teaching and also research skills during post graduation. He outlined the lack of standardized teaching skills among doctors in spite of possessing vast knowledge of medicine. He also highlighted the qualities a teacher should possess and the importance of two noble professions i.e Medical profession and teaching profession.

FACULTY OF DENTAL SCIENCES

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Department	<i>Faculty of Dental Sciences Department of Public Health Dentistry</i>
Collaborators (internal / external)	<i>Internal</i>
Name of the program	<i>PILOT 2015</i>
Nature of the program	<i>Rapid review program for PGS</i>
Theme of the program (if any)	<i>Preparation for exams</i>
Date (S)	<i>27.2.2015 to 29.2.2015</i>
Venue	<i>Dental Basement auditorium</i>
No of delegates/patients/ participants/etc	<i>54 delegates</i>
Chief Guest/s (name, designation & organization)	<i>Speakers Day1:Dr.D.Kandaswamy,Dr.Srinivasa Pachapa,Dr.N.Naveen,Dr.Ramprasad VP,DR.M.S.Muthu,Dr.Aswath Narayanan Day2: Dr.Anita Rani , Dr.Pankaj B Shah,Dr.Suresh Varadarajan,DR.Aravind Ramanathan ,Dr.Manjunath Puranik,DR.Joseph John,Dr.I.Melgnana Arumugam Day3:DR.D.Prabhu,Dr.Madhavi Padma ,DR.M.Senthil,Dr.S.Shankar ,Dr.P.D.Mathan Kumar,DR.M.B.Aswath Narayanan</i>
Activities / events	<i>PILOT 2015 The first National Rapid Review Program was held from February 27 -29th, 2015. There were 54 delegates from various South Indian states who participated in the program. The lectures were delivered by eminent Professors in the field of Public Health Dentistry. Quiz Programmes were also conducted every day, which was highly appreciated by the delegates.</i>
Other relevant information (if any)	<i>-</i>
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	<i>Yes</i>

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Sri Ramachandra University
Faculty of Pharmacy



Department	Faculty of Pharmacy
Collaborators (internal / external)	Alumni Chapter of Faculty of Pharmacy
Name of the program	"Reinvent Yourself"
Nature of the program	Personality Development program
Theme of the program (if any)	Lecture on life skills & value systems which are important for interpersonal relationship and happiness in life
Date (S)	28 th November 2015
Venue	Dental Auditorium, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	Approximately 300 (Students and faculty members of Faculty of Pharmacy)
Chief Guest/s (name, designation & organization)	Prof. K.V. Somasundaram Dean of Faculties, SRU Thiru P. Manikandan, Soft Skills Trainer, Chennai
Activities / events	- Report presentation on Alumni activities - Motivational lecture on Soft skills
Other relevant information (if any)	-
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	Yes, One Photograph

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Cordially invites your gracious presence for the

Personality Development Program on

“Reinvent Yourself”

on 28th November, 2015 at 10:00 am

Venue: Seminar Hall, II Floor,
Medical College Block, SRU

Speaker

Thiru. P. Manikandan

Soft Skills Trainer

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Program Schedule

Invocation

SRU Anthem

Welcome address

Mr. P. Thennarasu
President, Alumni Chapter
Faculty of Pharmacy, SRU

Special address

Dr. K. V. Somasundaram
Dean of Faculties, SRU

Felicitations

Introduction of the
Speaker

DR. M. Siva Kumar
Secretary, Alumni Chapter
Faculty of Pharmacy, SRU

Vote of thanks

DR. X. Fatima Grace
Executive Member
Alumni Chapter
Faculty of Pharmacy, SRU

Master of Ceremony

Dr. G. Praveen Kumar
Member , Alumni Chapter
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Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology

Soft Skills Workshop -2015

Department	Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Name of the program	Soft Skills Development
Nature of the program	Soft Skill Development
Theme of the program (if any)	This the program which helps in imparting the following skills to the CRRI's : - Interpersonal skills which is an external requirement for Professionalism - Communication taught to be effective, open and clear. - Learning to build harmonious relationship - To get Involved - To be a team player - To be empathic and flexible - To be able to motivate & direct other - To preserve when things do not work out - Helping the juniors & subordinates. - To maintain Integrity all the time & to be trustworthy. - To be active and take control of your life. - To Work smarter not harder - To carry a schedule and assign time do activities - To be specific & criticize in private. - Learn to manage stress & always Cary a smile.
Date (S)	26/10/2015 & 03/11/2015
Venue	4 nd Floor, MEU, Medical College building, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	All Departments 1st Year Approximately 120 Students
Name, designation & organization	Prof. Usha Vishwanath Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	No



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PG SOFT SKILLS ATTENDANCE ON 03.11.2015

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2	Dr. SNEHA S	Dept of forensic medicine	[Signature]
3	Dr. Priyadarshini	MICROBIOLOGY	[Signature]
4	Dr. POESY PAYAL	Microbiology	[Signature]
5	Dr. DEEPIKA E	Ophthalmology	[Signature]
6	Dr. HEMATHA M	Ophthalmology	[Signature]
7	Dr. TIRUMATHA	General Medicine	[Signature]
8	Dr. RAVI TEJAS	Pathology	[Signature]
9	Dr. VARSHA RAMESH	Pharmacology	[Signature]
10	Dr. S. SHARANYA	Pharmacology	[Signature]
11	Dr. Prathima	Obstetrics & Gynaecology	[Signature]
12	Dr. Isha Lekshmi	E. N. T	[Signature]
13	Dr. JAYASHREE	Pathology	[Signature]
14	Dr. Sugitha	Pathology	[Signature]
15	Dr. Kasthuri	Pathology	[Signature]
16	Dr. DIVYA S	Pathology	[Signature]
17	Dr. Sahana V	Dermatology	[Signature]
18	Dr. Mohisha N	DERMATOLOGY	[Signature]
19	Dr. Aravind D	M.D. Gen Medicine	[Signature]
20	Dr. Anurag	M.D. Gen Medicine	[Signature]
21	Dr. NIRANTHAR	M.D. PEDIATRICS	[Signature]
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25	Dr. Jagdish	General Medicine	
26	Dr. S. V. Kumar	General Medicine	
27	Dr. Thanu	General Medicine	
28	Dr. S. R. N. S. R.	General Medicine	
29	Dr. Aysha Pothali	Pathology	
30	Dr. GROWTHANE. K	ENT	
31	Dr. Supitha	Pathology	
32	Dr. C. Sathya Pragas	Pathology	
33	Dr. Anandh Pallen	Pathology	
34	Dr. Rahul Kongam	General Medicine	
35	Dr. Anu	General Medicine	
36	Dr. Syad	General Medicine	
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PG SOFT SKILLS ATTENDANCE ON 26.10.2015

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CRRIs Soft Skills workshop- 2016

Department	Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Name of the program	Soft Skills Development
Nature of the program	Soft Skill Development
Theme of the program (if any)	<i>This the program which helps in imparting the following skills to the CRRIs :</i> - <i>Interpersonal skills which is an external requirement for Professionalism</i> - <i>Communication taught to be effective, open and clear.</i> - <i>Learning to build harmonious relationship</i> - <i>To get Involved</i> - <i>To be a team player</i> - <i>To be empathic and flexible</i> - <i>To be able to motivate & direct other</i> - <i>To preserve when things do not work out</i> - <i>Helping the juniors & subordinates.</i> - <i>To maintain Integrity all the time & to be trustworthy.</i> - <i>To be active and take control of your life.</i> - <i>To Work smarter not harder</i> - <i>To carry a schedule and assign time do activities</i> - <i>To be specific & criticize in private.</i> - <i>Learn to manage stress & always Cary a smile.</i>
Date (S)	03.02.2016
Venue	4nd Floor, MEU, Medical College building, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	Approximately 45 Students
Name, designation & organization	Prof. Usha Vishwanath Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	No



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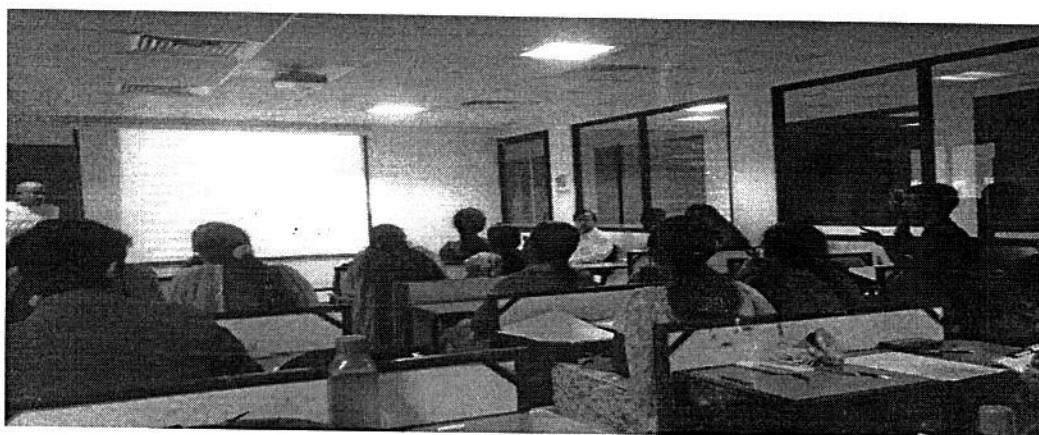
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Date (S)	29.03.2016
Venue	4nd Floor, MEU, Medical College building, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	Approximately 44 Students
Name, designation & organization	Prof. Usha Vishwanath Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	No

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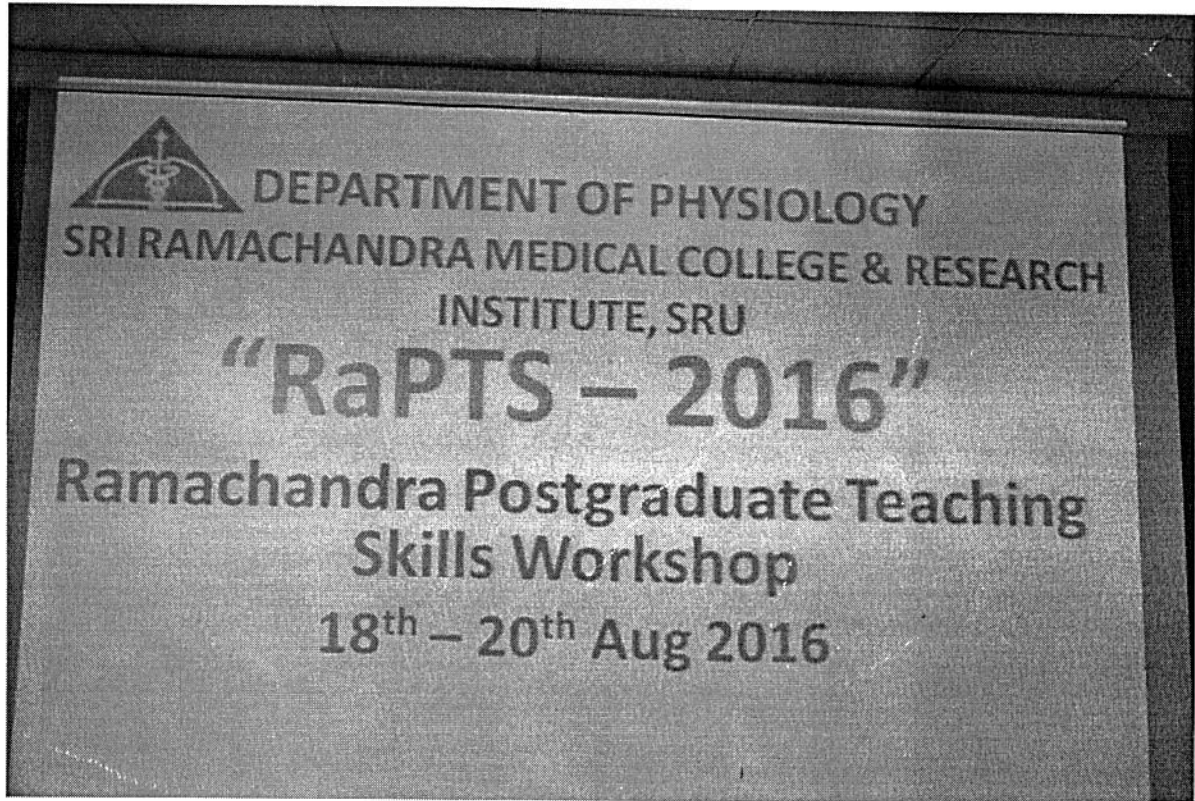
About the Programme	In-house Programme on “Self –Management”
Date (S)	21.1.2016, 28.1.2016, 04.2.2016, 18.2.2016 and 25.2.2016.
Venue	4 th Floor, Smt. Kamalam Ramaswamy Block, Faculty of Management
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	29 students of I MBA
Chief Guest/s (name, designation & organization)	Mr. Aravindan , Senior Disciple of Swami Paarthasarthy an ardent exponent of Vedanta was the resource person
Activities / events	A series of lecture on the topic “Self – management” was conducted for 2 hours for 5 weeks on Thursday from (8 am to 10 am).
Other relevant information (if any)	-
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	Yes, One Photograph


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REPORT ON

RaPTS [Ramachandra Postgraduate Teaching Skills Workshop] AUG '2016

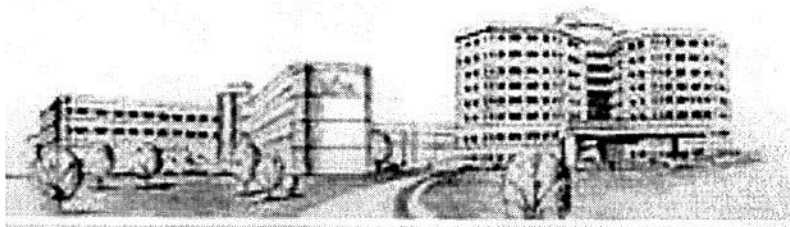


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INTRODUCTION:

The Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI conducted the annual RaPTS [Ramachandra Postgraduate Teaching Skills Workshop] on 18th & 20th August 2016. Post graduate medical curriculum is usually devoted to developing competencies in the specialty concerned, patient care and submitting dissertations. Doctors have the responsibility to teach or develop competencies in the next generation of doctors. This need has gone unrecognized in the postgraduate curriculum. The Department of Physiology, SRMC&RI, conducts the annual RaPTS workshop to create awareness among postgraduates about the various facets of medical teaching.

ORGANISING COMMITTEE

CHIEF - PATRON Thiru V.R. Venkataachalam, Chancellor PATRONS Dr.T.K.Parthasarathy, Professor of Eminence & Chief Advisor Dr.S.P.Thyagarajan, Prof of Eminence & Dean (Research), Dr.J.S.N.Murthy, Vice Chancellor Dr.K.V.Somasundaram, Dean of Faculties Dr.P.V.Vijayaraghavan, Director Academic Administration & Dean (Education) Dr.S.Anandan, Dean, Medical college	
ORGANIZING CHAIRMAN Dr.Prathiba, Associate Dean, Postgraduate studies (Non clinical)	ORGANIZING SECRETARY Dr.Padmavathi.R, Professor & Head, Dept. of Physiology

DESCRIPTION OF EVENTS


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Registration & administration of pretest:

The workshop was attended by 28 participants, from the departments of Anatomy, Biochemistry, Physiology, Microbiology, Pathology and Community Medicine. This workshop had been reviewed and accredited by the Tamil Nadu Medical council with 4 credit hours of category 2 CME. The program started with administration of a pretest questionnaire to the delegates.

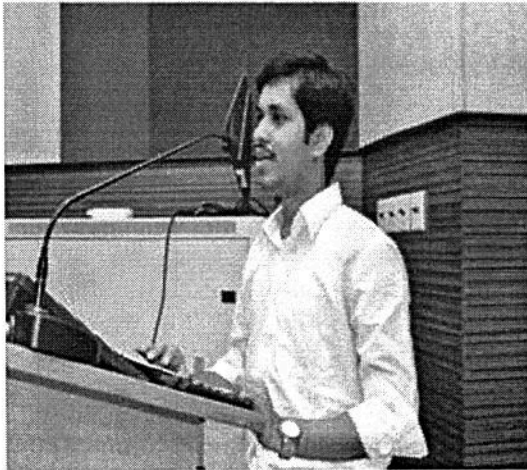


Inauguration:

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The inaugural session was attended by

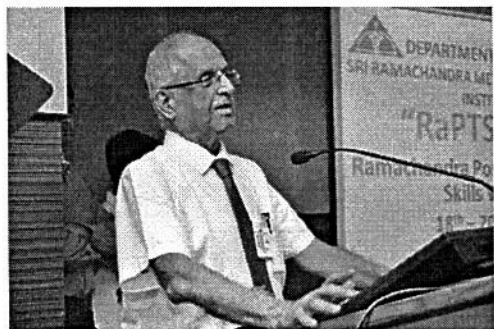
- Dr.K.V.Somasundaram, Dean of Faculties, SRU
- Dr.P.V.Vijayaraghavan, Director Academic Administration & Dean (Education)
- Dr.S.Anandan, Dean, Medical college
- Dr.D.Pratiba, Associate Dean, PG studies (Non Clinical)



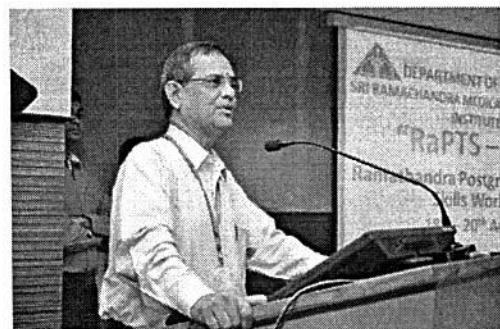
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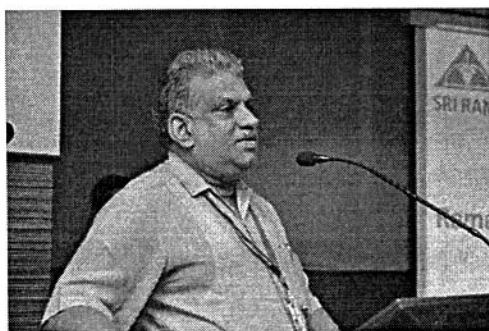
Dr.R.Padmavathi, Professor and Head, Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI welcomed the gathering. She stressed the need to acquire a holistic training during post graduation. This can only be achieved if postgraduates have clear and scientific concepts on teaching learning methodologies.



Dr.K.V.Somasundaram, Dean of Faculties delivered the inaugural address. He emphasized on the multiple and unique aspects of medical education. He elaborated how postgraduate function efficiently as student mentors when they help the undergraduates in their academics.



Dr.P.V.Vijayaraghavan, Director Academic Administration & Dean (Education) gave the special address. He recalled how medical education technologies have been streamlined in India by the development of Nodal and regional centers by the Medical Council of India for the same. He lauded the Department of Physiology for their efforts to sensitize the postgraduates on teaching.



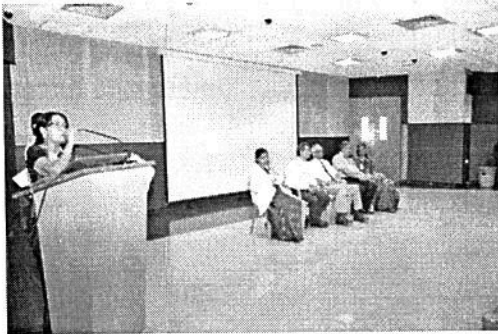
Dr.S.Anandan Dean, Medical College, elaborated how like patient care teaching in medicine was also based on role models. He said that adopting standard teaching practices favored learner centric education which is important for lifelong learning.

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Dr.D.Pratiba, Associate Dean, PG studies (Non Clinical) emphasized the need to inculcate a proper structure in both learning and assessment within the postgraduate curriculum. She added that adoption of sound teaching principles will help to maximize learning outcomes.



Dr. Dilara. K, Professor, Department of Physiology outlined the overall objectives of the workshop. She said the sessions have been planned to throw knowledge on every aspect of teaching such as importance of learning objectives, adoption of various learning styles and the judicious use of T/L methods and media.



Dr. Priscilla Johnson, Professor, Department of Physiology proposed the vote of thanks. She thanked the Chancellor and the members of the management for the unstinting support towards all academic activities. She also thanked the participants for their enthusiastic participation.

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Ramachandra Postgraduate Academic Performance Enhancement Workshop

Part – I RaPTS (Ramachandra Postgraduate Teaching Skills)

18th to 20th 2016-PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

DAY 1 - 18th August 2016 (Thursday)

TIME	TOPIC	FACULTY
9.00 – 10.00 AM	Registration & Pretest – Dr.Bagavad Geetha & Dr.Teena Lal	
10.00 – 10.30 AM	Inauguration	
10.30 - 10.45 AM	Tea break	
10.45 – 11.15 AM	Adult learning principles	Dr.Padma Srikanth
11.15 A.M– 1.15P.M	Learning objectives (Overview & Small group activity)	Dr.Dilara & Facilitators
1.15 – 1.45 PM	Lunch	
1.45 – 2.15 PM	Overview of Teaching learning methods	Dr.Santhi Silambanan
2.15 – 3.00 PM	Communication Skills	Dr.D.Prathiba
3.00 – 4.00 PM	Effective large group teaching	Dr.Thanka

DAY 2 - 19th August 2016 (Friday)

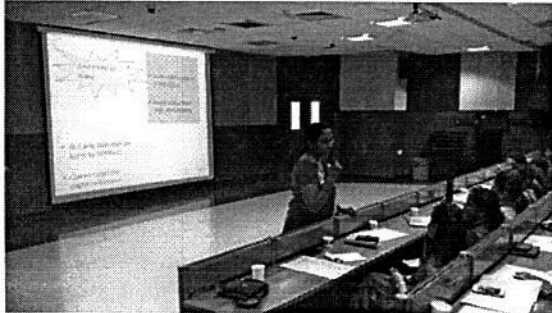
TIME	TOPIC	FACULTY
8.30 – 9.00 AM	Recap session	Dr.Dilara
9.00 – 9.30 AM	Learning styles in education	Dr.Dilara
9.30 – 10.00 AM	Use of media in T/L methods	Dr.Abirami
10.00 AM – 10.15 AM	TEA BREAK	
10.15 AM – 12.30 noon	Facilitating Small Group teaching (Group activity)	Dr.Roopa
12.30 – 1.00 PM	Lunch	
1.00 – 2.00 PM	Self directed learning	Dr.Archana
2.00 – 3.00 PM	E- learning	Dr.T.Vijayasagar
3.00 – 4.00 PM	Overview of microteaching	Dr.Priscilla

DAY 3 - 20th August 2016 (Saturday)

TIME	TOPIC	FACULTY
8.30 – 9.00 AM	Recap session	Dr.Roopa
9.00 – 12.00	Microteaching practice & feedback	Dr.Priscilla & facilitators
12.00 – 12.30 AM	Mentoring in medical education	DrLeena Dennis Joseph
12.30 – 1.00PM	Lunch	
1.00 – 1.45	Integration in medical education	Dr.Padmavathi.R
1.45 – 2.30 PM	Giving student feedback	Dr.Pankaj.B.Shah
2.30 – 3.00 PM	Feedback , post test	Dr.Ganesan &Dr.Sheela
3.00 – 3.30 PM	Valedictory	

Day: 1

Session 1: Adult learning principles by Dr.Padma Srikanth, Professor, Dept. of Microbiology



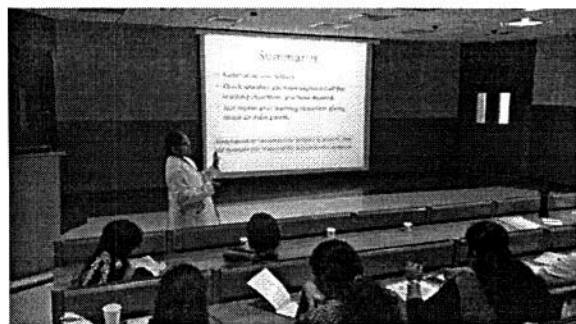
The speaker spoke on the need to employ adult learning principle or androgogy during teaching encounters in medicine. She discussed how adults learn better when they perceive learning as relevant, builds on their prior knowledge and are intrinsically motivated.

Session 2: Learning objectives by Dr.K.Dilara



The criteria for measurable learning objectives and their classification into learning domains were presented comprehensively. This was followed by a group activity where participants were divided into 4 groups and each group had to frame objectives for a given competency. A plenary session to evaluate and reframe the objectives was done at the end of the session.

Session 3: Overview of Teaching learning methods by Dr.Santhi Silambanan, Professor & HOD, Dept. of Biochemistry

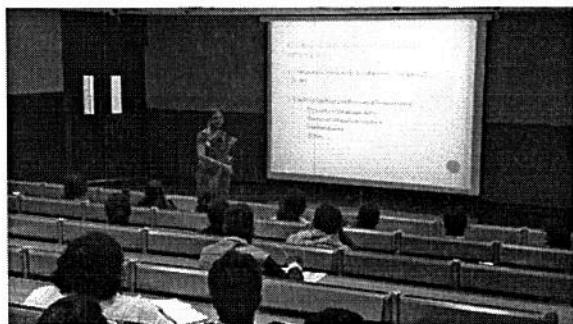


The session dealt with how teaching learning methods can be large group, small group or individualized based on the intended objectives. The speaker also elaborated on the criteria to be followed for effective teaching. Emphasis was laid on the criteria of various TL methods and the need for innovative & appropriate methods in medical education

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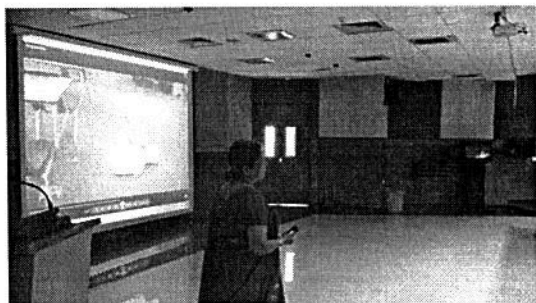
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Session 4: Communication Skills by Dr.D.Pratiba, Professor, Dept. of Pathology, Associate Dean, PG studies (Non Clinical)



The session stressed on the importance of oral and written communication skills in medical training. The need for effective communication in student teacher and patient doctor relationships was discussed. The speaker spoke on methods to make verbal and non verbal communication satisfactory.

Session 5: Effective large group teaching by Dr.Thanka, Professor & HOD, Dept. of Pathology



The session emphasized how large group teaching forms a cost effective method to disseminate core concepts to a large audience. The advantages and disadvantages of various large group methods like lectures, symposia and panel discussion was outlined. The strategies to make large group interactive was also demonstrated with the help of role play.

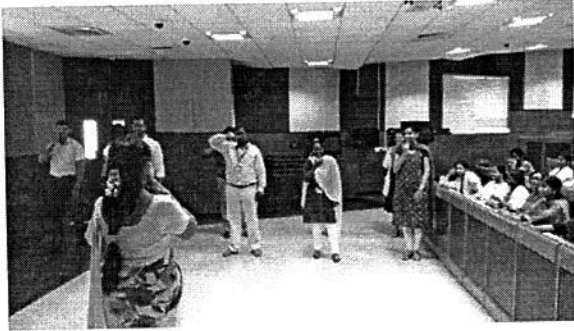
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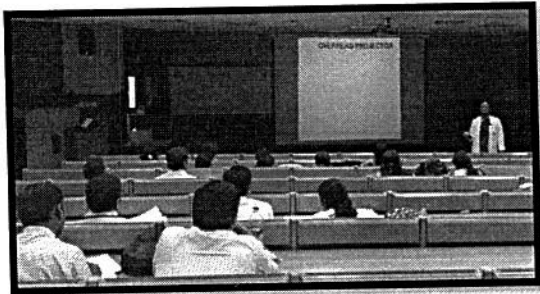
Started with a recap session where participants from each group reflected on the learning outcomes of the previous day session.

Session 2: Learning styles in education by Dr.K.Dilara



The session discussed on various learning styles of learning based on different sensory perceptions and multiple ways by which information is processed. The session underscored the need for instructors to modify teaching considering the diverse learning styles of students

. Session 3: Use of media in T/L methods by Dr.V.Abirami



The speaker clearly explained the importance of appropriateness of media for a given TL method & the rules to be followed in making effective power points and OHP slides.

Session 4: Facilitating Small group teaching by Dr.S.Roopaa

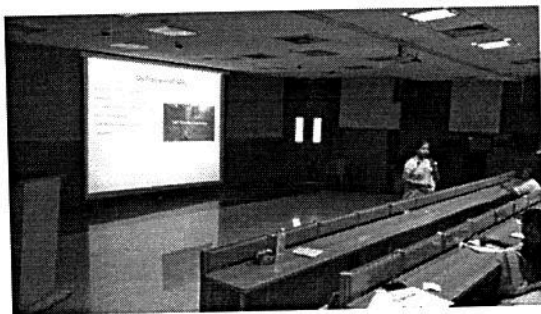


The session was illustrated with sufficient examples to reinforce the techniques to be followed for a fruitful small group teaching. She demonstrated small group facilitation with preclinical students and sought feedback from the audience

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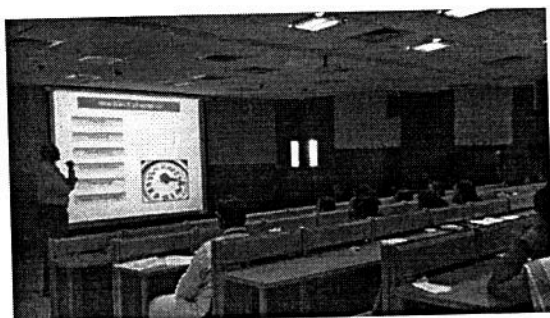
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Session 5: Self directed learning by Dr.Archana P Kumar



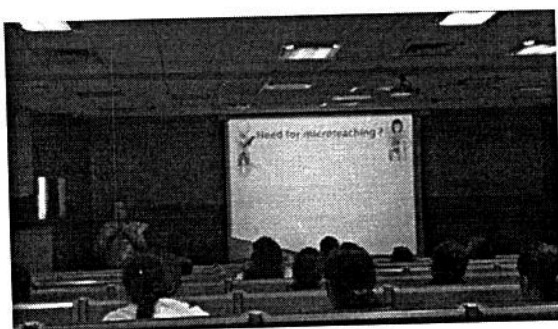
The session stressed the importance of self directed learning [SDL] in making medical professionals lifelong learners. The salient features of self directed learning, progression in SDL skills during the course of undergraduate training and the role the teacher in facilitating the same were discussed.

Session 6: E- learning by Dr.T.Vijayasagar



The session dealt on the role of technology in facilitating learning. The speaker spoke on synchronous and non synchronous forms of e-learning and the strategies to incorporate an e-learning culture in the learning environment.

Session 7: Overview of microteaching by Dr.Priscilla Johnson



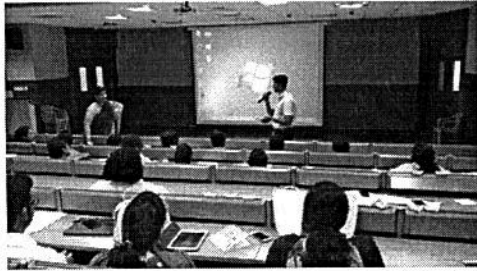
The history of microteaching, recent literature, microteaching cycle and the advantages of microteaching were covered in depth.

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DAY - 3

Session 1: Recap session by Dr.Roopaa

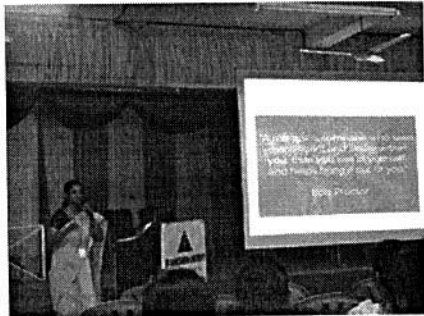


Session 2: Microteaching practice & feedback by Dr.Priscilla & facilitators



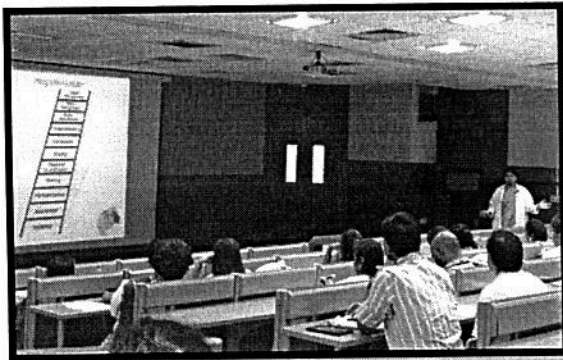
The participants were divided into groups and each gave a short presentation for 8 minutes which was video recorded. Every PG was guided by facilitators to assess one's own presentation and also receive feedback from peers. The PG's presented very innovative sessions, gave and received feedback professionally.

Session 3: Mentoring in medical education by Dr. Leena Dennis Joseph



The speaker spoke on how mentoring gave the personalized care which is indispensable for learning in a high stakes profession like medicine. The session discussed on the advantages and disadvantages in mentor mentee relationships. Criteria to be followed for effective mentoring were also presented.

Session 4: Integration in medical education by Dr.Padmavathi.R



The speaker interacted with the audience on the need for integration, the various methods and processes in an integrated curriculum. She also highlighted the methods followed by SRMC towards integration in the preclinical phase of the MBBS curriculum.

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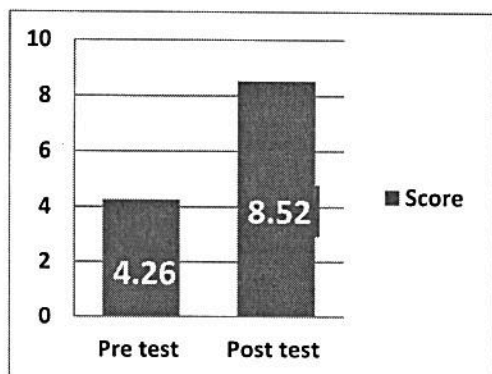
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Session 5: Giving student feedback by Dr.Pankaj.B.Shah



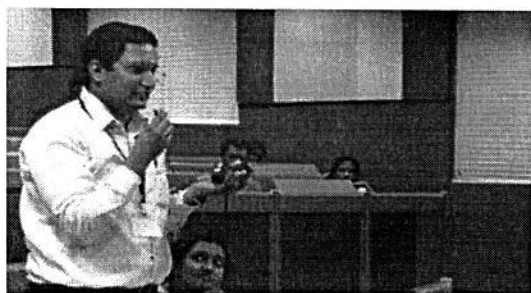
The session elaborated on the importance of feedback in medicine. The factors which facilitated and inhibited feedback were also outlined. The methods to be employed to make feedback an important learning tool were discussed

POSTTEST & FEEDBACK



Post test questionnaire and feedback were collected from the delegates. Analysis of pre test & post test score showed a significant ($P<0.04$) improvement in the learning outcome. The program evaluation showed that 90% of the participants felt that the contents of the program suited their learning. 80% of the participants opined that the presentations of the sessions were good and 85% were of the perceptions that time management was done well.

Table 1: Pre & Post test score among the participants



The participants unanimously agreed that it was an enjoyable program and wished to attend many such programs in future.

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4. Leadership Qualities
5. The Art of Communication
6. Relationship Management

Part C Achieving self-Management

1. Fundamental Values in Life
2. The Purpose of Life
3. Life Management through self-Management

OBJECTIVES

1. Comprehensive Development
2. Clarity in Thought
3. Enhanced Focus & Application
4. Value based perception in Life.


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Educational Institution In-House Programme

Subject Rundown

Part A Introduction to self-Management

I) Purpose of Education

1. What is Education
2. Liberal & Servile Education
3. Subjective And Objective Education
4. Effects of True Education

II) Fundamental of Self-Management

1. Life In Focus
2. The Human Composition
3. Nature & Manifestations of Mind
4. Disciplining & Directing the Mind

Part B Application of self-Management

I) The Technique of Right Action

1. Three Types of Action
2. Two Types of Movements of the Mind
3. An Ideal Action
4. Motivation - Role of Incentives vs. Initiative

II) Pillars of Success

1. What is Success
2. 3 C Success
3. Aids to Success
4. Common Misconceptions

III) Visioning Life & Career Management

1. Life-Time Management Equation
2. Choosing the Right Career
3. Plan & Programme Entire Life
4. Complete Personality Development

IV) Leadership Qualities

1. Leaders - Born or Made
2. Who Is A Leader
3. What Makes A Leader
4. Obligations of A Leader



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V) The Art of Communication

1. Factors Determining Sound Communication
2. Qualities of An Effective Communicator
3. Qualities of A Good Listener
4. Obstacles To Communication

VI) Relationship Management

1. Your Desire - The Basis of Any Relationship
2. Psychological Props to Harmony
3. Foundation of Harmony
4. Causes of Disharmony & Conflict

Part C Achieving self-Management

I) Fundamental Values in Life

1. Need for Ethics & Values in Life
2. Laws of Life
3. Understanding Corruption
4. Aggressive & the Passive Nature

II) The Purpose of Life

1. Search For Happiness
2. The Culmination of Life
3. Discover Your Self
4. Adhoc Practices vs. Scientific Techniques

III) Life Management Through self-Management

1. Uniqueness of Intellect
2. Why Develop the Intellect
3. Stages & Grades of Intellect
4. How to Develop the Intellect

Course Duration Every session will be for one hour. The entire course consisting of the above mentioned 11 topics would be completed in 15 sessions.

Presentation Methodology: Analytical presentation supplemented with PowerPoint presentation.

Material Handouts and charts for all topics will be mailed. Copies may be circulated to the participants.

Facilities Requested

- Flip charts or writing board with markers
- PowerPoint Projector

Course Director

Aravindan is a senior disciple of Swami Parthasarathy & a graduate from Vedanta Academy. He holds a graduation in Mathematics and triple post graduation in Mathematics, Psychology and Philosophy. Following a 7 year intensive study and research program on Vedanta at the Academy, he is doing research and teaching for nearly 3 decades. Aravindan has been serving as the resident representative and teacher of Vedanta in various national and international centers. Apart from public lectures and study classes on Vedanta and corporate programs, Aravindan's unique contribution has been delivering value based education, supplement programs based on Vedanta for educational institutions. Globally Innumerable educational institutions have subscribed to his value based supplement module.

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To

16.07.2016

The Dean of Education
Sri Ramachandra Medical College and Research Institute
Sri Ramachandra University
Porur, Chennai- 600116

Through

The Head, Department of Microbiology

Dear Sir,

This is to request for the approval for the conduct of a course on 'Self Management', by Vedanta. Mr. Arvindan (from Vedanta) will be conducting this course over 3-4 months once a week on Wednesdays, between 11.30 am to 12.30 pm. This course is for students in the department of Microbiology (PG and PhD scholars) and will be done free of cost. We also request for the issue of a certificate for the participants. The outline of the course is enclosed for your perusal and approval.

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Padma Srikanth

Dr. Padma Srikanth

Professor of Microbiology

Sri Ramachandra medical college and Research Institute

Sri Ramachandra University,

Porur, Chennai- 600116.

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Dr. S. Anandan

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1	M. Minika	Molecular biologist	
2	A. JANKIYA	Demonstrator	
3	R. Sudhakarathi	Molecular biologist	
4	Dr. Ramya R	I st year MD MICRO	
5	Dr. SANTHI. G.	" "	
6	Dr. Aishwarya R.	2 nd year M.D PG	
7	Dr. Prasadachari S.	" "	
8	Dr. K. Sangeetha	I st year MD MICRO	
9	Dr. C.V. Swapna Manjari	I st year MD MICRO	
10	Kansini	I st year MSc. Micro	
11	Surukha S	II MSc Micro	
12	Imayakumari V	SRMC Micro	
13	Manisha A	II MSc Micro	
14	G. KRITHIKA	III MSc Med Micro	
15	V. Shiny	" "	
16	Dr. Sobal. S	PhD	
17	SIVASUBRAMANIAM	PhD	
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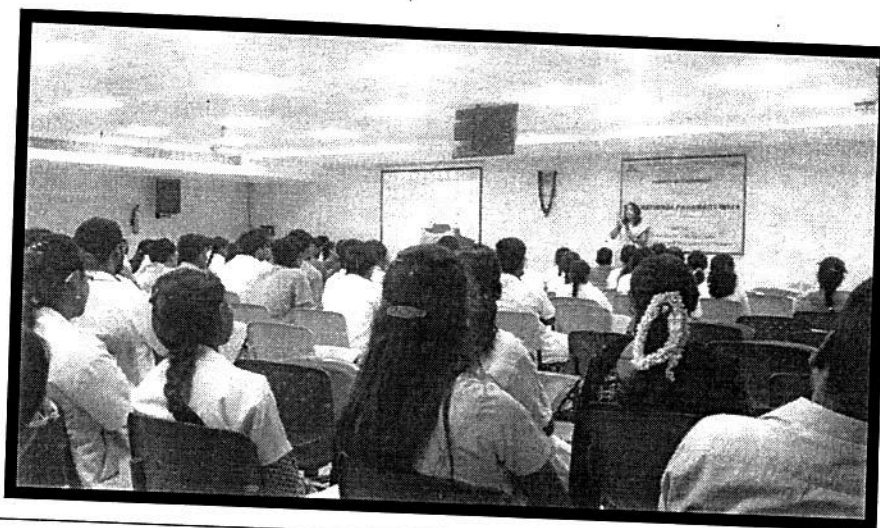
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2	S. Gopalasamy	Tutor	<i>G.P.</i>
3	SRIBAL. S	MD - ICMR - TSS	<i>S. Sribal</i>
4	R. Suchabhavathi	Molecular biologist	<i>R. Suchabhavathi</i>
5.	D. Ramya	Tutor	<i>D. Ramya</i>
6	Ramya P. A	Research fellow	<i>R. P. A.</i>
7	Dr. Geetha		<i>Dr. Geetha</i>
8.	Priyadarshini. S		<i>P. S.</i>
9	Rhea Michelle	Trunc. med. Micro	<i>R. Michelle</i>
10	Surekha S	"	<i>Surekha</i>
11	Pooja Payal.		<i>P. Payal</i>
12	Shanthi. G.		<i>S. G.</i>
13	Aishwarya R		<i>A. R.</i>
14.	V. Shiny		<i>V. Shiny</i>
15	G. KRITHIKA		<i>G. Krithika</i>
16	Ramya. R	MD II yr. Micro.	<i>R. R.</i>
17.	Packia Nancy. R.		<i>Nancy</i>
18	K. Sangeetha		<i>K. Sangeetha</i>
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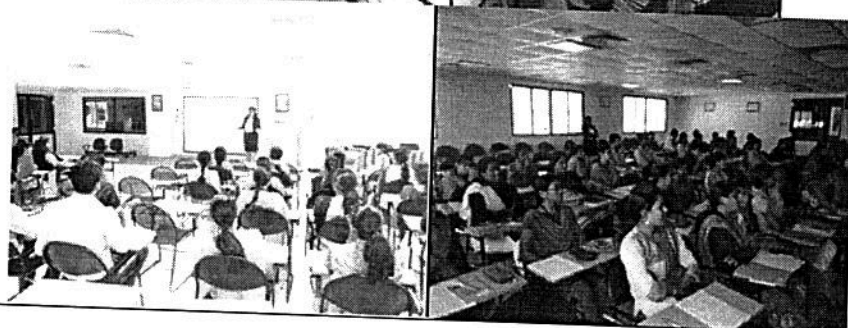


Department	Faculty of Pharmacy
Collaborators (internal / external)	Alumni Chapter of Faculty of Pharmacy
Name of the program	"Opening up the world of Opportunities"
Nature of the program	Soft skill development
Theme of the program (if any)	Soft skills for Personal and professional development
Date (S)	23/11/2016
Venue	Dental Auditorium, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/ etc.	290 participants (250 students and 40 faculty of Faculty of Pharmacy)
Chief Guest/s (name, designation & organization)	Kirtanya Krishnamurthy, Founder, Mind Fresh Soft Skills Training Academy, Chennai.
Activities / events	Lecture and activities on soft skills
Other relevant information (if any)	
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	Yes, One Photograph

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About the Program	Guest Lecture on "Image Management for Greater Success"
Date(s)	05/11/2016
Venue	4 th Floor, Smt. Kamalam Ramaswamy Block, Faculty of Management
No.of Delegates / patients / participants / etc	I Year MBA(30 students) , II Year MBA (29 students) & 6 Faculty Members
Chief Guest/s (name, designation & organization)	Ms.Subhashni S Reddy , Apercu Image Consulting
Activities / events	Interactive session
Other relevant information (if any)	-
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	Yes


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Sri Ramachandra University
Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Soft Skills Workshop- 2016

Department	Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Name of the program	Soft Skills Development
Nature of the program	Soft Skill Development
Theme of the program (if any)	<i>This the program which helps in imparting the following skills to the CRRI's :</i> - <i>Interpersonal skills which is an external requirement for Professionalism</i> - <i>Communication taught to be effective, open and clear.</i> - <i>Learning to build harmonious relationship</i> - <i>To get Involved</i> - <i>To be a team player</i> - <i>To be empathic and flexible</i> - <i>To be able to motivate & direct other</i> - <i>To preserve when things do not work out</i> - <i>Helping the juniors & subordinates.</i> - <i>To maintain Integrity all the time & to be trustworthy.</i> - <i>To be active and take control of your life.</i> - <i>To Work smarter not harder</i> - <i>To carry a schedule and assign time do activities</i> - <i>To be specific & criticize in private.</i> - <i>Learn to manage stress & always Cary a smile.</i>
Date (S)	14.06.2016
Venue	4th Floor, MEU, Medical College building, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	Approximately 45 Students
Name, designation & organization	Prof. Usha Vishwanath Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	No


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Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Soft Skills Workshop- 2016

Department	Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Name of the program	Soft Skills Development
Nature of the program	Soft Skill Development
Theme of the program (if any)	<i>This the program which helps in imparting the following skills to the CRRI's :</i> - <i>Interpersonal skills which is an external requirement for Professionalism</i> - <i>Communication taught to be effective, open and clear.</i> - <i>Learning to build harmonious relationship</i> - <i>To get Involved</i> - <i>To be a team player</i> - <i>To be empathic and flexible</i> - <i>To be able to motivate & direct other</i> - <i>To preserve when things do not work out</i> - <i>Helping the juniors & subordinates.</i> - <i>To maintain Integrity all the time & to be trustworthy.</i> - <i>To be active and take control of your life.</i> - <i>To Work smarter not harder</i> - <i>To carry a schedule and assign time do activities</i> - <i>To be specific & criticize in private.</i> - <i>Learn to manage stress & always Cary a smile.</i>
Date (S)	27.10.2016
Venue	4th Floor, MEU, Medical College building, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	Approximately 45 Students
Name, designation & organization	Prof. Usha Vishwanath Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	No


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Soft Skills Workshop- 2016

Department	Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Name of the program	Soft Skills Development
Nature of the program	Soft Skill Development
Theme of the program (if any)	<i>This the program which helps in imparting the following skills to the CRRIs :</i> - <i>Interpersonal skills which is an external requirement for Professionalism</i> - <i>Communication taught to be effective, open and clear.</i> - <i>Learning to build harmonious relationship</i> - <i>To get Involved</i> - <i>To be a team player</i> - <i>To be empathic and flexible</i> - <i>To be able to motivate & direct other</i> - <i>To preserve when things do not work out</i> - <i>Helping the juniors & subordinates.</i> - <i>To maintain Integrity all the time & to be trustworthy.</i> - <i>To be active and take control of your life.</i> - <i>To Work smarter not harder</i> - <i>To carry a schedule and assign time do activities</i> - <i>To be specific & criticize in private.</i> - <i>Learn to manage stress & always Cary a smile.</i>
Date (S)	05.12.2016
Venue	4nd Floor, MEU, Medical College building, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	Approximately 43 Students
Name, designation & organization	Prof. Usha Vishwanath Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	No


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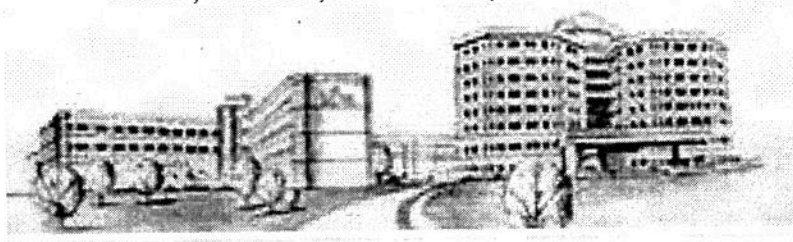
REPORT ON

RaPTS [Ramachandra Postgraduate Teaching Skills Workshop]

July 26th -28th 2017

Organised By

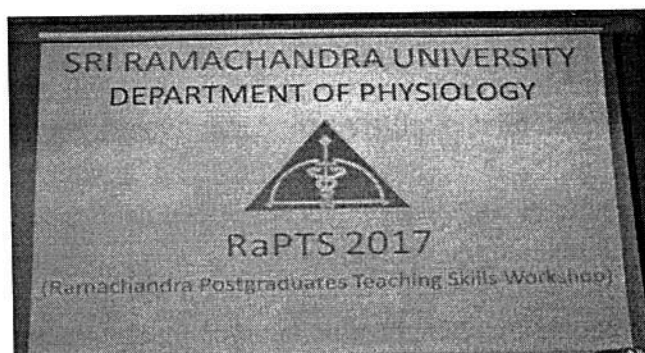
Department of Physiology,
Sri Ramachandra Medical College,
Porur, Chennai, Tamil Nadu, India-600 116



Venue: Lecture Theater 4, II floor , Sri Ramachandra Medical college

INTRODUCTION:

The Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI conducted the annual RaPTS [Ramachandra Postgraduate Teaching Skills Workshop] on 26th, 27th and 28th of July 2017. Post graduate medical curriculum is usually devoted to developing competencies in the specialty concerned, patient care and submitting dissertations. Doctors have the responsibility to teach or develop competencies in the next generation of doctors. This need has gone unrecognized in the postgraduate curriculum. The Department of Physiology, SRMC&RI, conducts the annual RaPTS workshop to create awareness among postgraduates about the various facets of medical teaching.



ORGANISING COMMITTEE

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ORGANIZING CHAIRMAN

Dr.Padmavathi.R,

Associate Dean, Postgraduate studies (Non clinical),

Professor & Head, Dept. of Physiology



DESCRIPTION OF EVENTS

Registration & administration of pretest:

The workshop was attended by 35 participants, from the Departments of Anatomy, Physiology, Biochemistry, Microbiology, Pathology, Immuno-Hematology and Blood transfusion (IHBT) Forensic Medicine and Community Medicine. This workshop had been reviewed and accredited by the Tamil Nadu Medical council with 4 credit hours of category 2 CME and 12 credits by Sri Ramachandra University. The program started with administration of a pretest questionnaire to the delegates.



Inauguration:

The inaugural session was attended by

- Dr.K.V.Somasundaram, Professor of Eminence & Advisor(Academic)
- Dr.A.Ravikumar, Dean Education
- Dr.S.Anandan, Dean, Medical College
- Dr.R.Padmavathi, Associate Dean, PG studies (Non Clinical)& Prof & HOD of Physiology
- Dr.Priscilla Johnson, Professor of Physiology



Dr.R.Padmavathi, Professor and Head, Department of Physiology, SRMC & RI welcomed the gathering. She stressed the need to acquire a holistic training during post graduation. She outlined the overall objectives of the workshop. She said that the sessions have been planned to provide knowledge on every aspect of teaching such as importance of learning objectives, adoption of various learning styles and the judicious use of T/L methods and media.



Dr.K.V.Somasundaram, Professor of Eminence & Advisor (Academic), delivered the inaugural address. He emphasized on the multiple and unique aspects of medical education. He appreciated the efforts of Physiology department in sensitizing postgraduates on teaching skills.



Dr.S.Anandan, Dean Medical College, applauded the contribution of SRMC in the field of medical education at the national level. He also appreciated the organizers for the thoughtful designing of the workshop to get a comprehensive training on teaching skills.



Dr. Priscilla Johnson, Professor, Department of Physiology proposed the vote of thanks. She thanked the Chancellor and the members of the management for the unstinting support towards all academic activities. She also thanked the participants for their enthusiastic participation.

Ramachandra Postgraduate Academic Performance Enhancement Workshop
RaPTS (Ramachandra Postgraduate Teaching Skills)
26th to 28th July 2017-PROGRAMME SCHEDULE

DAY 1 –26th July 2017 (Wednesday)

TIME	TOPIC	FACULTY
8.00 – 8.45 AM	Registration & Pretest – Dr.Bagavad Geetha & Dr.Teena Lal	
8.45 – 9.30 AM	Inauguration	
9.30 – 10.15 AM	Teaching skills during Post Graduate Medical Education	Dr.A.Ravikumar – Dean Education
10.15 - 10.30 AM	Tea break	
10.30 – 11.30 AM	Adult learning principles	Dr.Padma Srikanth
11.30 A.M– 12.30 PM	Overview of Teaching learning methods	Dr.Leena Dennis Joseph
12.30 PM – 1.30 PM	Lunch	
1.30 – 2.15 PM	Small group teaching	Dr.L.Kannan
2.15 –4.00 PM	Facilitating Small Group teaching (Group activity)	Dr.L.Kannan& facilitators

DAY 2 - 27th July 2017 (Thursday)

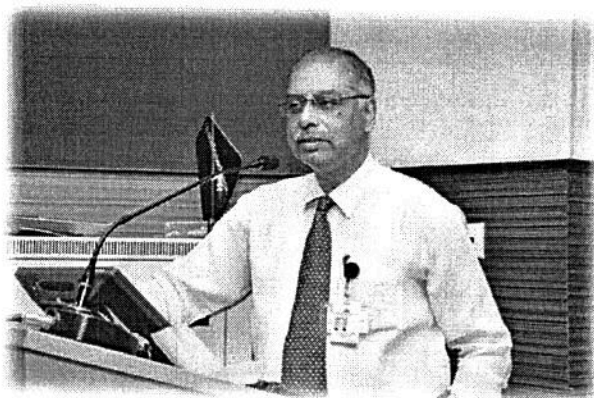
TIME	TOPIC	FACULTY
8.30 – 9.00 AM	Recap session	Dr.K.Dilara
9.00 – 10.00 AM	Effective large group teaching	Dr.Thanka
10.00 – 10.45 AM	Integration in medical education	Dr.Padmavathi.R
10.45 AM – 11.00 AM	TEA BREAK	
11.00 AM – 12 noon	Use of media in T/L methods	Dr.O.Abirami
12 noon – 12.45 PM	Learning styles in education	Dr.Archana P Kumar
12.45 – 1.45 PM	Lunch	
1.45 – 2.30 PM	Overview of microteaching	Dr.Priscilla Johnson
2.30 – 3.15 PM	Learning objectives	Dr.K.Dilara
3.15 – 4.00 PM	Learning objectives (Group activity)	Dr.K.Dilara& Facilitators

DAY 3 – 28th July 2017 (Friday)

TIME	TOPIC	FACULTY
8.30 – 9.00 AM	Recap session	Dr.Priscilla Johnson
9.00 – 9.45 AM	Communication Skills	Dr.S.Rajendiran
9.45 – 10.30 AM	Giving student feedback	Dr.Pankaj.B.Shah
10.30 – 10.45 AM	Tea break	
10.45 – 11.30 AM	Mentoring in medical education	Dr.SanthiSilambanan
11.30 – 12 NOON	E- learning	Dr.T.Vijayasagar
12 NOON – 12.45 PM	Lunch	
12.45 – 2.45 PM	Microteaching practice & feedback	Dr.Priscilla&facilitators
2.45 – 3.00 PM	Feedback , post test	Dr.Ganesan&Dr.Sheela
3.00 – 3.30 PM	Valedictory	

Day:1

Session 1: Teaching skills during post graduate medical education by Dr.A.Ravikumar, Dean Education.



The speaker outlined the lack of standardized teaching skills among doctors in spite of possessing vast knowledge of medicine. He said that such workshops help to nurture their teaching skills and command rapt attention from students. He also highlighted the qualities a teacher should possess and the importance of two noble professions i.e Medical profession and teaching profession.

Session 2: Adult learning principles by Dr.Padma Srikanth, Professor, Dept. of Microbiology



The speaker spoke on the need to employ adult learning principle or androgogy during teaching encounters in medicine. She discussed how adults learn better when they perceive learning as relevant, builds on their prior knowledge and are intrinsically motivated.

Session 3: Overview of teaching learning methods by Dr.Leena Dennis Joseph, Professor, Dept. of Pathology



The session dealt with how teaching learning methods can be large group, small group or individualized based on the intended objectives. The speaker also elaborated on the criteria to be followed for effective teaching. Emphasis was laid on the criteria of various TL methods and the need for innovative & appropriate methods in medical education

Session 4: Facilitating Small group teaching by Dr. L. Kannan, Associate Professor, Dept of Community Medicine



The session dealt with the merits and demerits of small group teaching and the role of facilitator in conducting an effective small group teaching. This was followed by a demonstration on small group teaching. He discussed self evaluation by the students, peer evaluation by the audience and group dynamics at the end of the session.

Day 2

Started with a recap session where participants from each group reflected on the learning outcomes of the previous day session.

Session 5: Effective large group teaching by Dr.Thanka, Professor, Dept. of Pathology



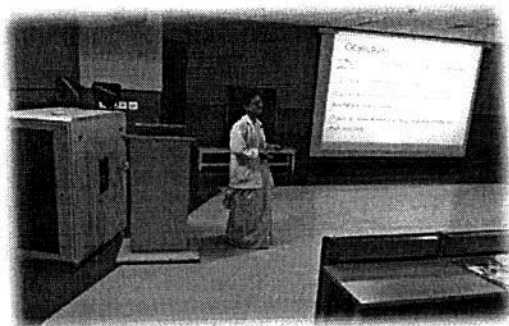
The session emphasized how large group teaching forms a cost effective method to disseminate core concepts to a large audience. The advantages and disadvantages of various large group methods like lectures, symposia and panel discussion was outlined. The strategies to make large group interactive was also demonstrated with the help of role play.

Session 6: Integration in medical education by Dr.Padmavathi.R, Professor & Head, Physiology



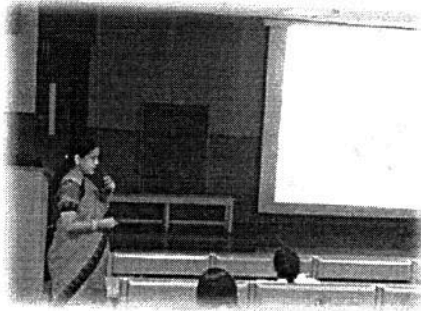
The speaker interacted with the audience on the need for integration, the various methods and processes in an integrated curriculum. She also highlighted the methods followed by SRMC towards integration in the preclinical phase of the MBBS curriculum.

Session 7: Use of media in T/L methods by Dr.V.Abirami, Asst Professor, Physiology



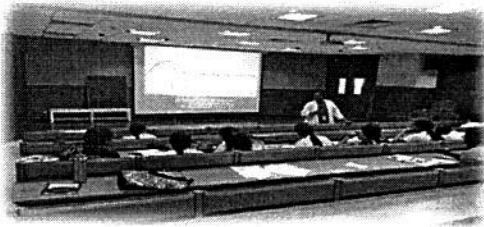
The speaker clearly explained the importance of appropriateness of media for a given TL method & the rules to be followed in making effective power points and OHP slides

Session 8: Learning styles in education by Dr.Archana. P Kumar, Associate Professor, Physiology



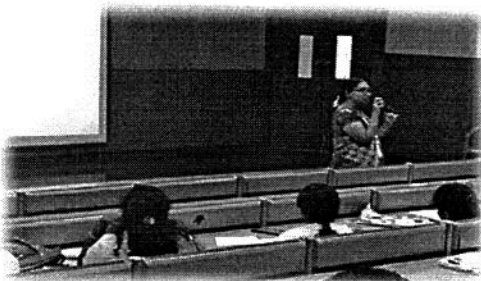
.The session discussed on various learning styles based on different sensory perceptions and multiple ways by which information is processed. The session underscored the need for instructors to modify teaching considering the diverse learning styles of students

Session 9: Overview of microteaching by Dr.Priscilla Johnson, Professor of Physiology



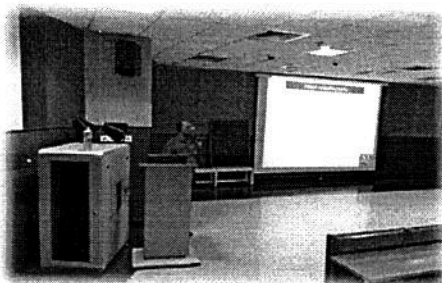
The history of microteaching, recent literature, microteaching cycle and the advantages of microteaching were covered in depth.

Session 10: Learning objectives by Dr.K.Dilara, Professor of Physiology



The criteria for measurable learning objectives and their classification into learning domains were presented comprehensively. This was followed by a group activity where participants were divided into 4 groups and each group had to frame objectives for a given competency. A plenary session to evaluate and reframe the objectives was done at the end of the session.

Session 11: E- learning by Dr.T.Vijayasagar, Professor & HOD, Anatomy

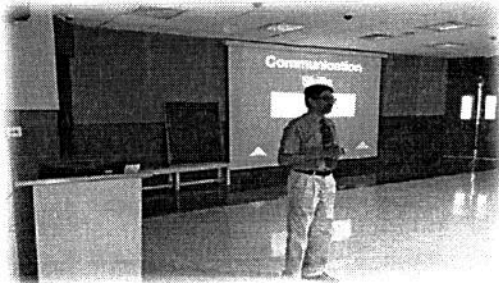


The session dealt on the role of technology in facilitating learning. The speaker spoke on synchronous and non synchronous forms of e-learning and the strategies to incorporate an e-learning culture in the learning environment.

DAY - 3

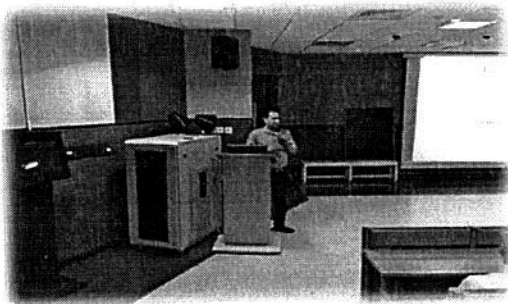
Recap session by Dr. Priscilla Johnson

Session 12: Communication Skills by Dr.S.Rajendiran, Professor, Dept of Pathology



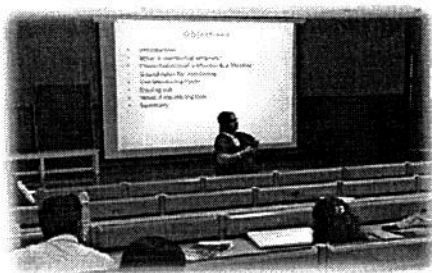
The speaker stressed on the importance of verbal and non-verbal communication during patient encounters. He added that a teacher should communicate in a lively manner with students to arouse interest for learning. He also stressed on modes of communication which can inhibit learning.

Session 13: Giving student feedback by Dr.Pankaj.B.Shah, Professor & Head, Dept of Community Medicine



The session elaborated on the importance of feedback in medicine. The factors which facilitated and inhibited feedback were also outlined. The methods to be employed to make feedback an important learning tool were discussed

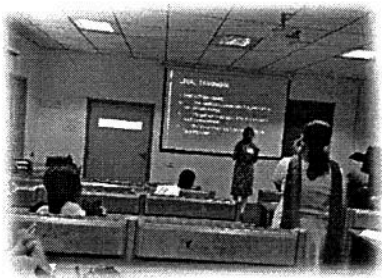
Session 14: Mentoring in medical education Dr.Santhi Silambanan, Professor & HOD, Dept. of Biochemistry



The speaker spoke on how mentoring gave the personalized care which is indispensable for learning in a high stakes profession like medicine. The session discussed on the advantages and disadvantages in mentor mentee relationships. Criteria to be followed for effective mentoring were also presented.

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Session 15: Microteaching practice & feedback by Dr.Priscilla Johnson &facilitators



The participants were divided into groups and each gave a short presentation for 8 minutes which was video recorded. Every PG was guided by facilitators to assess one's own presentation and also receive feedback from peers. The PG's presented very innovative sessions, gave and received feedback professionally.

POSTTEST & FEEDBACK

Pre test	Post test	P value
2.86 ±1.34	5.89±1.56	0.048

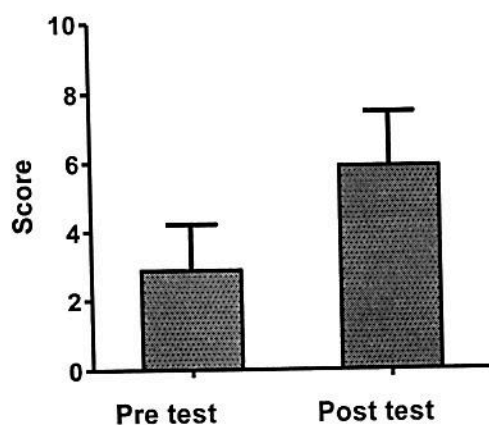


Fig 1: Pre & Post test score among the participants

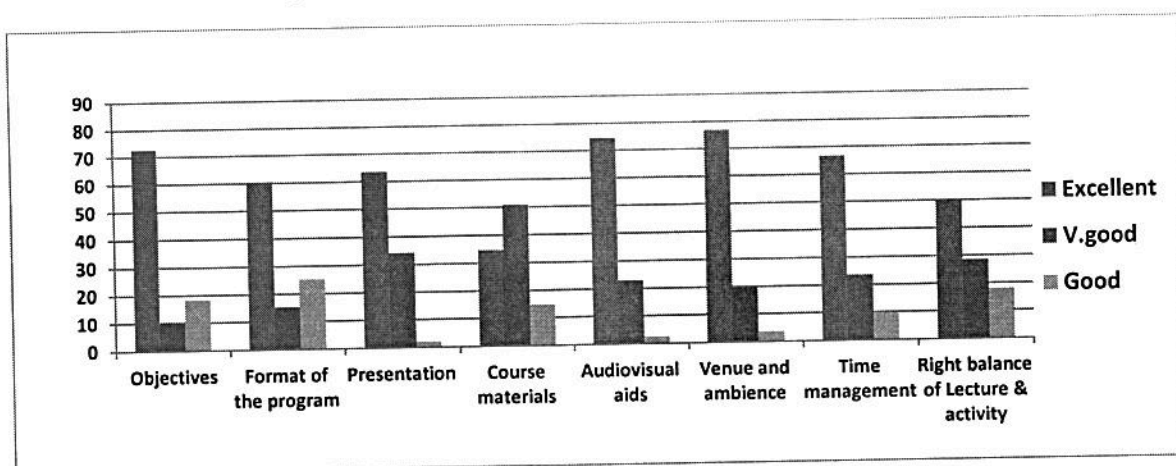


Fig. 2 Feedback about the program

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Post test questionnaire and feedback were collected from the delegates. Analysis of pre test& post test score showed a significant ($P<0.04$) improvement in the learning outcome. The program evaluation showed that 85% of the participants felt that the contents of the program suited their learning. 97 % of the participants opined that the presentations of the sessions were good and 91% were of the perceptions that time management was done well. Participants wanted hands on session on E-Learning and some more hands on sessions for teaching learning methods.

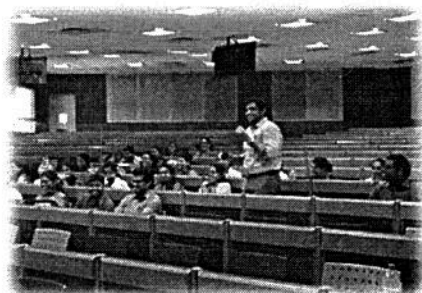
Valedictory Function:

The valedictory session was attended by

- Dr.K.V.Somasundaram, Professor of Eminence & Advisor(Academic)
- Dr.R.Padmavathi, Associate Dean, PG studies (Non Clinical)& Prof & HOD of Physiology
- Dr.K.Dilara, Professor of Physiology



Participants expressed their thoughts about the workshop. They unanimously agreed that it was an enjoyable program and wished to attend many such programs in future. Few queries that were raised by the participants regarding the teaching skills and were clarified by Dr.R.Padmavathi..



Dr.K.V.Somasundaram, Professor of Eminence & Advisor (Academic) appreciated the Department of Physiology for conducting RaPTS workshop and he distributed the certificates for the participants and the resource persons. Dr.K.Dilara proposed the vote of thanks and the program came to an end with National anthem.



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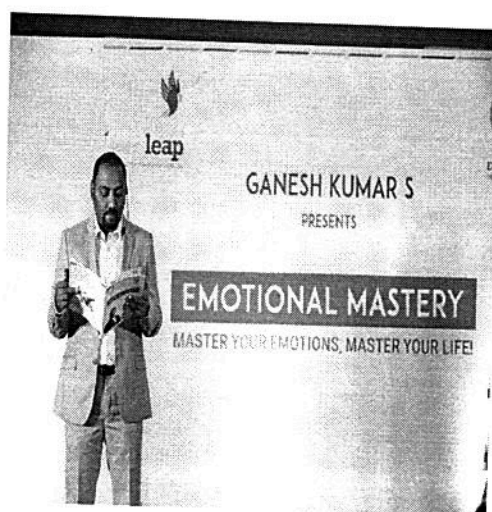


Department	Department of Occupational Therapy, Sri Ramachandra University
Collaborators (internal / external)	
Name of the program	Awareness Program – To mark the 100th Year – “WORLD OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY DAY”
Nature of the program	Importance of Occupational Therapy in Health Care Sector
Theme of the program (if any)	Inform, Inspire, Influence
Date (S)	1st November 2017
Venue	Harvard Auditorium, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	Approximately 66 (Students and faculty members of various Dept)
Chief Guest/s (name, designation & organization)	Dr. P. V. Vijayaraghavan, Vice Chancellor Dr. S. P. Thyagarajan, Professor of Eminence & Dean (Research) Prof. K.V. Somasundaram, Professor of Eminence and Advisor (Academic)
Activities / events	- Lecture – To know about the role of Occupational Therapy from Pediatric to Geriatric aspects - Awareness Rangoli
Other relevant information (if any)	Brochures was distributed to all the participants
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	Yes, One Photograph

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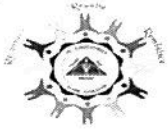
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Faculty of Allied Health Sciences
Department of Clinical Nutrition**



Department	Department of Clinical Nutrition, Sri Ramachandra University
Collaborators (internal / external)	Nil
Name of the program	Importance of EQ in organisation
Nature of the program	Guest lecture on Importance of EQ in organization as a part of 'Academic Vicennial Solemnization'
Theme of the program (if any)	Nil
Date (S)	27th July 2017
Venue	Seminar Hall, College Building, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	Approximately 120 (Students and faculty members of Clinical Nutrition Dept)
Chief Guest/s (name, designation & organization)	Mr.Ganesh Kumar, CEO, EQ Universe.
Activities / events	-
Other relevant information (if any)	Nil
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	Yes, One Photograph

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SRI RAMACHANDRA UNIVERSITY - ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

REPORT ON STRESS MANAGEMENT

Sri Ramachandra Alumni Association organized Stress Management program on 9th October 2017 at the University Auditorium for the final year MBBS and Dental Students. Dr.Kannan Gireesh (Alumnus MBBS 1998-1999, M.D Psychiatry 2005-2006 batch) Founder of Live Life Foundation, Chennai was invited as a special invitee to give a talk on soft skills programme. Around 520 students from Medical and Dental College attended and they had an interactive session with the invitee regarding how to reduce the stress during their examinations.



Dr.Deepa Parvathi, Treasurer delivered the Welcome Address.



Dr.Koushik Muthuraja.M, Secretary delivered the Key note address.



Dr. P.V.Vijayaraghavan, Vice Chancellor honoured the speaker with a memento



Dr.Kannan Gireesh, addressing the Gathering



Interactive session with the students

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DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY MEDICINE

SKILL ENHANCEMENT COURSE _ BASIC LIFE SUPPORT

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Total Duration of the Program – 4 months

Below mentioned are the no. of students enrolled for 2017-2018 batch

S.No.	2017 - 2018	No. of students enrolled
1	B.Sc. Biomedical Sciences	34
2	B.Sc. Clinical Nutrition	12
3	B.Sc. Allied Health Sciences	9
Total – 55 students		



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Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Soft Skills Workshop- 2017

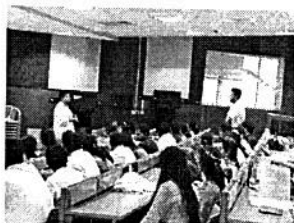
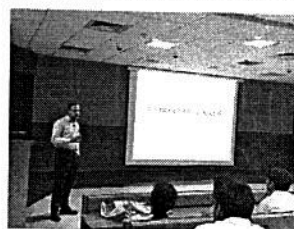
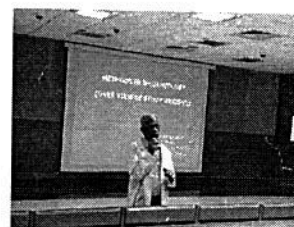
Department	Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Name of the program	Soft Skills Development
Nature of the program	Soft Skill Development
Theme of the program (if any)	<i>This the program which helps in imparting the following skills to the CRRIs :</i> - <i>Interpersonal skills which is an external requirement for Professionalism</i> - <i>Communication taught to be effective, open and clear.</i> - <i>Learning to build harmonious relationship</i> - <i>To get Involved</i> - <i>To be a team player</i> - <i>To be empathic and flexible</i> - <i>To be able to motivate & direct other</i> - <i>To preserve when things do not work out</i> - <i>Helping the juniors & subordinates.</i> - <i>To maintain Integrity all the time & to be trustworthy.</i> - <i>To be active and take control of your life.</i> - <i>To Work smarter not harder</i> - <i>To carry a schedule and assign time do activities</i> - <i>To be specific & criticize in private.</i> - <i>Learn to manage stress & always Carry a smile.</i>
Date (S)	31/07/2017 and 07/08/2017
Venue	4th Floor, MEU, Medical College building, Sri Ramachandra University
No of delegates/patients/participants/etc	Approximately 43 Students
Name, designation & organization	Prof. Usha Vishwanath Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	No


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Sri Ramachandra Medical College & RI

Department of Physiology

Department	Department of Physiology, Sri Ramachandra Medical College & RI
Collaborators (internal / external)	Department of Community Medicine, Sri Ramachandra Medical College & RI - Internal
Name of the program	Research training workshop for 1 yr medical undergraduate students
Nature of the program	Innovative practices in Medical educations technologies
Theme of the program (if any)	Research orientation for 1 yr medical undergraduate students
Date (S)	8.1.18 & 9.1.18
Venue	Sri Ramachandra Medical College & RI
No of delegates/patients/ participants/etc	236
Chief Guest/s (name, designation & organization)	There was no Chief guest. The Resource persons were: <u>From the Dept of Physiology:</u> • Dr.R.Padmavathi • Dr.Priscilla Johnson • Dr.Abirami Om Prakash <u>From the Dept of Community medicine:</u> • Dr.Sathyasekaran BWC • Dr.Pankaj B Shah <u>From the Dept of Endocrinology:</u> • Dr.Sriram Mahadevan
Activities / events	The structured program consisted of lectures on the following topics: • How to select a research topic • Research designs • Data collection methods • Data analysis • Ethics in research • Clinical application of research data
Other relevant information (if any)	-
Photographs attached (Yes / No)	Yes – 6 pics attached



Research Training Workshop for first year medical undergraduate students

Date: 08.01.18 & 09.01.18

Venue: LT4

Organized by: Department of Physiology and Department of Community medicine

Department of Physiology and Department of Community medicine organized the research training workshop for first year medical undergraduate students as a part of Innovative practices in Medical education technologies on 08.01.18 & 09.01.18. The structured program consisted of lectures by experienced researchers to sensitize students to the basic research methodologies and skills required to conduct a research. The topics of the program included, 'How to select a research topic', 'Research designs', 'Data collection methods', 'Data analysis', 'Ethics in research and 'Clinical application of research data'.

There were also small group, hands -on sessions for students, to prepare a research proposal for the chosen research topic and to present it in front of other groups. The students received constructive feedback on their research proposal presentations from research experts from Department of Physiology and Department of Community medicine.

The research training workshop was well received by the first year students. They agreed that the research training workshop was very useful and motivated them to take up research in the near future.

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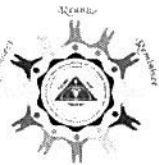
2018 - 2019	No. of students enrolled
B.Sc. Biomedical Sciences	45
B.Sc. Clinical Nutrition	9
B.Sc. Allied Health Sciences	16
B.Sc. Optometry	3
BBA	7
B.Sc. Bio Informatics	2
Total – 82 students	



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DEPARTMENT OF SPEECH LANGUAGE & HEARING SCIENCES

15th Anniversary Celebration of Sri Ramachandra Speech and Hearing Alumni Association- Report

Department of SLHS Organized the 15th anniversary celebration of Sri Ramachandra Speech and Hearing Alumni Association on 15th October 2018 at the SLHS Seminar Hall, 1st Floor, Smt.Kamalam Ramaswamy Block. Prof.Roopa Nagarajan, Academic Officer & Course Chairperson, Department of SLHS of Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education and Research delivered the welcome address.

Ms.Pratiksha Gupta, Founder & CEO, 1 special place, Bengaluru Telepractice in Audiology and Dr.Vidya Ramkumar, Associate Professor, Sri Ramachandra Institute of Higher Education & Research was invited as a guest speaker. Demonstration and hands on training was provided by Kuduwave and Medtronics India Private Limited. Approximately 100 alumni and SLHS students had attended and were benefited during this programme.



Demonstration and Hands on training provided by
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Prof.Roopa Nagarajan & Prof. Prakash Boominathan
addressed the gathering on the occasion of 16th
Alumni Anniversary Celebration

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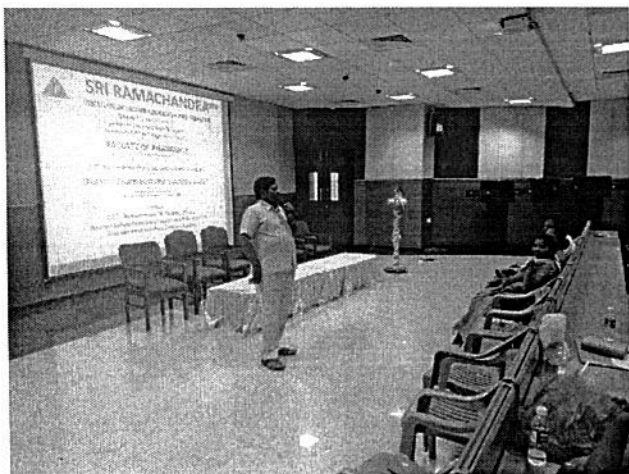
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FACULTY OF PHARMACY

National Pharmacy Week Celebrations

Personality Development Program

Alumni Chapter, Faculty of Pharmacy, Sri Ramachandra Alumni Association, organized a Personality Development Program on 29/11/2018 at the Lecture Hall II, Ground Floor, Medical College Building for the alumni, B.Pharm, Pharm D and M. Pharm students. The Resource Person was Thiru Sakthi P. Kandan, Professional Trainer, Industrialist and he highlighted on the soft skills required for the career and professional development. Around 300 students and 50 alumni participated.



Mr.P.Kandan addressing the gathering



Pharmacy students at the Presentation in the Lecture Hall

Mr. Kandan

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