



Kanachur Institutions celebrate historic graduation day with 361 passouts

KIMS student is Over-all State Topper in Karnataka in RGUHS examinations

MANGALURU: The evening of April 20, 2024, marked a spectacular and historic day for one of Karnataka's premier healthcare institutions run by the Kanachur Islamic Education Trust.

As many as 361 students who graduated in MBBS, Nursing, Physiotherapy and Allied Health Sciences received their scrolls of honor in the presence of their families. The competent faculty cultivated these national assets with clinical excellence and empathy.

The Director of the institutions, Mr. Abdul Rahiman Kanachur, warmly welcomed the audience. Thrilled with the graduates' performances, he remarked, "Sit with winners; the conversation is different," highlighting the tactfulness, dedication and talent of the outgoing batches.

Dr. U.P. Rathnakara, the Dean of Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences, led the oath-taking ceremony for the MBBS graduates while Dr. Shameema, Principal of Kanachur College of Allied Health Sciences, led the ceremony for the Nursing, Physiotherapy, and Allied Health Science graduates.

The chief guest, Dr. H.S. Ballal, the Pro-Chancellor of MAHE University, was impressed with the discipline and high state and subject ranks secured by the graduates in the RGUHS examinations. He was delighted that just the

third batch of MBBS students had graduated and placed Kanachur among the top institutions in Karnataka. He extended his best wishes to Dr. Haji UK Monu and Mr Abdul Rahiman, and thanked them for their hospitality. The guest of honour, Prof. U.T. Ifthikar Fareed, a Syndicate Member at RGUHS and President of the Indian Association of Physiotherapists, Karnataka, conveyed the regards of Shri UT Khader, the Hon'ble Speaker of the Karnataka Legislative Assembly. He was proud that the first RGUHS State Rank in MBBS from KIMS, Mangaluru, and commended the managing trustees for their indomitable spirit, wishing them continued success.

The students proudly marched onto the stage to receive their graduate certificates. Meritorious students who achieved state and subject ranks were also awarded achievement plaques. The highlight of the programme was the Dr. Kanachur Monu Gold Medal Award, presented to Dr. Madhura Bhat KI by Dr. Haji U.K. Monu and the guests, recognising her as the Overall State Topper in Karnataka in the MBBS RGUHS examinations. This institutional award is given to the top academic performer of the outgoing batch.

In his presidential address, institute founder Dr. Haji U.K. Monu emphasised that hard work and focus lead to success and thanked the parents for trusting Kanachur institutions with their children's professional growth. He wished the graduates further success and stressed that the importance of staying humble.

KIET Convocation: A day of pride

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The Kanachur Gazette, an institutional newsletter, was formally released by the dignitaries on the dais.

Dr. Madhura Bhat, Dr. Muhammed Aamir and Aleena George presented their valedictorian speeches with

enthusiasm and intensity.

Dr. U.P. Rathnakara proposed the vote of thanks. The ceremony concluded with the National Anthem.

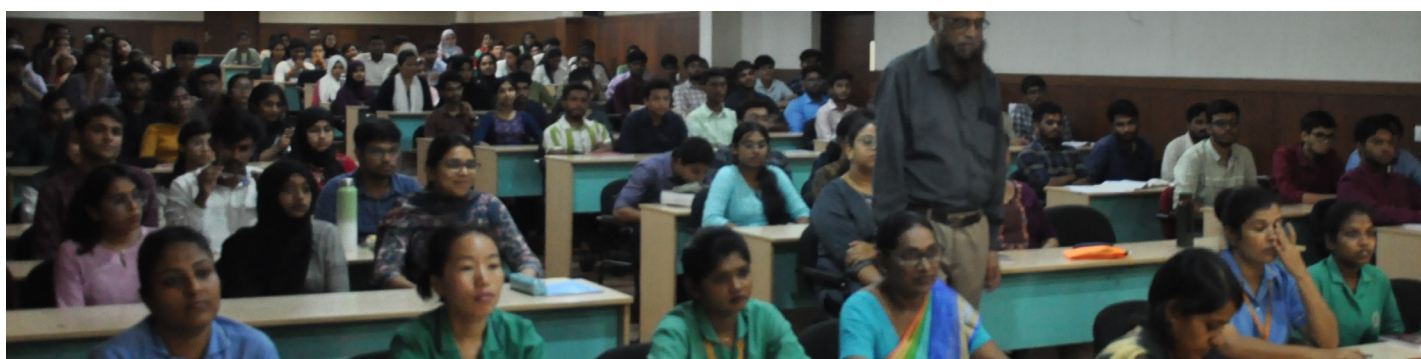
National Dengue Day held

MANGALURU: With the state facing a severe dengue outbreak, the Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences commemorated the National Dengue Day with a special event held on May 16th, 2024 at Lecture Hall 1, Academic A Block. The event was graced by the presence of staff members and MBBS students from the institute.

The event commenced with a welcome speech by Dr. Shahul Hameed, Head of the Department of Community Medicine. He emphasized the importance of understanding and combating dengue.

Dr. Shabanaz, Senior Resident of the Department of Community Medicine, delivered an interactive lecture shedding light on various aspects of dengue, its prevention, and the collective responsibility we hold towards eradicating this disease.

The theme for this year's National Dengue Day is 'Dengue Prevention: Our Responsibility for a Safer Tomorrow'. The event concluded with a vote of thanks by Dr. Chethana K., Professor in the Department of Community Medicine.



Celebrating wellness through Yoga

Kanachur Ayurveda Hospital organized the International Yoga Day celebration on June 21st at Kanachur Public School Auditorium. The event began early in the morning with a welcome address by Dr. Vidyaprabha, Principal of Kanachur Ayurveda Medical College & Hospital, followed by the lamp lighting ceremony by Mrs. Karen Trecilla Dsouza, Principal of Kanachur Public School, and Mrs. Lynette Dsouza, Principal of Kanachur Pre-Primary School. The event was presided over by Dr. Suresh Negaluguli, Medical Advisor of Kanachur Ayurveda Medical College & Hospital. Dr. Karthikeya Prasad Shet, Medical Superintendent of Kanachur Ayurveda Hospital, delivered the vote of thanks.

The yoga session was conducted by Dr. Rajesh Chandran, Assistant Professor in the Department of Swasttavrta at Kanachur Ayurveda Hospital, along with Mrs. Ramya, Yoga Teacher from Kanachur Public School.



Kanachur Group sets course for growth: Advancing Quality Care and Educational Excellence



In a candid conversation with the editor of Kanachur Gazette (KG), Abdul Rahiman K., Director of Kanachur Institute Of Medical Sciences (KIMS), delves into the ambitious plans and steadfast commitment of the Kanachur group of institutions.

KG: How did the Kanachur story begin?

The Kanachur story began with the visionary initiative of Dr. Haji U K Monu, who established Kanachur Islamic Education Trust (KIET) in 2001 in Mangalore, India. The trust's founding mission was to provide exemplary education and healthcare services, focusing particularly on the upliftment of economically disadvantaged communities—a mission that continues to define its ethos and values.

KG: Could you please outline the institutions managed by the trust for the readers?

Under the auspices of Kanachur Islamic Education Trust, several institutions stand as pillars of its commitment to excellence:

- **Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences (KIMS):** Offers MBBS and postgraduate medical courses.
- **Kanachur Hospital and Research Centre:** A 1200-bed tertiary care hospital emphasizing patient care and research.
- **Kanachur Institute of Allied Health Sciences (KIAHS):** Provides diverse allied health science courses.
- **Kanachur College of Physiotherapy (KCOP) and Kanachur College of Nursing Sciences (KCONS):** Offer specialized education in physiotherapy and nursing, respectively.
- **Kanachur Ayurveda Hospital:** Specializes in traditional Ayurvedic healthcare.
- **Kanachur Institute of Management & Science (KIMS):** Offers undergraduate programs in management and sciences.
- **Kanachur PU College and Kanachur Public School:** Provide pre-university and school-level education, respectively.

This comprehensive network reflects KIET's holistic approach to nurturing talent across various disciplines.

KG: As the demand for competent healthcare professionals rises, what is the road map for KIMS?

Ensuring excellence in medical education remains a cornerstone of our mission at KIMS. Our roadmap includes:

- **Accreditation:** Pursuing accreditation from relevant medical councils to uphold national standards.
- **Curriculum Enhancement:** Developing a robust curriculum integrating the latest medical advancements and practical training.
- **Faculty Development:** Investing in faculty training to elevate teaching standards and promote research.
- **Infrastructure Upgradation:** Maintaining state-of-the-art facilities and clinical training environments.
- **Quality Assurance:** Implementing rigorous assessments and feedback mechanisms for continuous improvement.

KG: The digital revolution is upon us, and we must harness its power to revolutionise healthcare delivery. How successful you have been on this front and spell out your plans in this direction?

The advent of the digital revolution in healthcare presents an unprecedented opportunity for transformation, and Kanachur Hospital has embraced this paradigm shift with notable success. The integration of Big Data, AI Analytics leveraging Machine Learning, and other cutting-edge innovations is redefining medical practices and reshaping patient care on a global scale. This evolution has been particularly highlighted during the global response to the COVID-19 pandemic, which underscored the urgency for enhanced digital adoption, addressed global healthcare disparities, and emphasized the critical need for collaborative efforts across stakeholders while navigating ethical considerations.

At Kanachur Hospital, we swiftly adapted to the challenges posed by the pandemic by implementing robust digital health solutions. This included the deployment of teleconsultations, video consultations, and remote telemonitoring. Leveraging our strengths in technology alongside our skilled and compassionate medical team, we ensured timely access to essential resources and guidance, resulting in optimal patient outcomes.

Furthermore, our alignment with the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare (MoHFW), Government of India, through participation in the Ayushman Bharat Digital Mission exemplifies our commitment

Kanachur Group's digital transformation fuels growth

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to integrating digital health infrastructure. By registering our healthcare facility and professionals on this progressive platform, we enhance patient-centric digital health records, setting a new benchmark globally.

Looking ahead, Kanachur Hospitals continues to innovate in digital health delivery. Our patient-centric comprehensive care platform focuses on post-discharge management, ensuring personalized follow-up care, promoting medication compliance, and facilitating seamless follow-up consultations. This proactive approach fosters continuity of care, empowering patients throughout their healthcare journey.

In essence, Kanachur Hospital stands at the forefront of leveraging digital advancements to revolutionize healthcare delivery, ensuring we meet the evolving needs of our diverse patient base with compassion, efficiency, and innovation.

KG: As far as Kanachur hospital is concerned, what will be the focus in the next two years?

Over the next two years, Kanachur Hospital is poised to advance its healthcare capabilities and enhance patient care through several strategic initiatives:

- **Implementation of Advanced Healthcare Technologies:** Introducing state-of-the-art diagnostic technologies to improve accuracy and efficiency in medical diagnostics.
 - **Expansion of Specialized Medical Services:** Increasing specialized services in critical areas such as cardiology, oncology, and neurology to meet the growing demand for specialized healthcare.
 - **Maintenance and Enhancement of Quality Standards:** Continuously improving and maintaining high standards of patient care and clinical outcomes.
 - **Improving Patient Experience:** Enhancing patient experience through personalized care approaches and improved communication between patients and healthcare providers.
 - **Enhancing Health Education Programs:** Expanding health education initiatives and preventive screening programs through community outreach efforts.
 - **Upgrading Hospital Facilities:** Investing in infrastructure upgrades to support the integration of advanced healthcare technologies and improve operational efficiency.
 - **Promotion of Medical Research and Clinical Trials:** Fostering a culture of research and innovation by promoting medical research initiatives and conducting clinical trials.
- These initiatives are designed to reinforce Kanachur Hospital's commitment to excellence in healthcare delivery and to meet the evolving needs of our community effectively.

KG: The demand for qualified professionals in Allied Health Sciences has gone up in view of the growth and expansion of the healthcare industry. Tell us about your courses and the roadmap for expansion.

The increasing demand for qualified professionals in Allied Health Sciences has prompted Kanachur Institute of Allied Health Sciences (KIAHS) to expand its offerings and enhance educational standards.

Our roadmap for expansion includes improving our curriculum, conducting faculty development programs, promoting research, and increasing community awareness programs. This approach ensures our graduates are well-prepared to meet the evolving needs of the healthcare sector.

KG: What is coming up next in a big way for your organisation?

Looking ahead, Kanachur Organization is set to embark on significant expansions and developments in the healthcare education sector. Our upcoming initiatives include:

- **establishment of Ayurveda College and Pharmacy College:** Launching dedicated colleges for Ayurvedic studies and Pharmacy education to diversify our academic offerings.

- **Postgraduate Programs in Allied Health Sciences:** Introducing advanced postgraduate programs to cater to the specialized needs of healthcare professionals.

These strategic initiatives underscore Kanachur Organization's commitment to innovation, academic excellence, and leadership in the healthcare education landscape.

Dr. Shahnavaaz Manipady The New Dean of KIMS

Dr. Shahnavaaz Manipady, Professor of Forensic Medicine & Toxicology, has been appointed Dean of Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences having completed his MBBS from JJM Medical College, Davangere, and MD in Forensic Medicine & Toxicology from KMC Manipal. His contributions extend beyond academia, as he has held significant roles such as treasurer and General Secretary in both the Karnataka Medico Legal Society and the South India Medico Legal Society. These positions reflect his active involvement and leadership



within the medical and legal communities.

Kanachur School commemorates World Environment Day



On June 5th, 2024, Kanachur Public School marked World Environment Day with a special celebration aimed at raising awareness about environmental conservation among students. The highlight of the event was an assembly program organised by the 10th-grade students, focusing on the theme 'Environment'.

During the ceremony, senior students brought saplings which were planted in the school garden by members of the eco club, under the guidance of the Principal and teachers.

KIMS hosts pre-conference workshop of Indocleftcon 2024



INDOCLEFTCON, the annual conference of the Indian Society of Cleft Lip, Palate, and Craniofacial Anomalies, organised at the Indiana Convention Centre in Mangaluru from April 18 to April 20th 2024 brought together cleft lip professionals for discussion and deliberations. The pre-conference workshop of Indocleftcon 2024 on 'Craniofacial Distraction Techniques' was organised at the Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences on the 17th of April 2024. The course director Dr. Pramod Subhash - Clinical Professor, Amrita Institute of Craniofacial Anomalies and a galaxy of faculty members - both national and

international propagated modern concepts at the workshop. It was well attended by fifty plus international and national participants that included Maxillofacial and Plastic Surgeons. The specialist hands-on workshop was inaugurated by Mr. Abdul Rahiman, Director, Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences. Dr. Mustafa Khader, Clinical Director, Kanachur Institute for Craniofacial Anomalies, delivered the welcome address. Dr. Rohan Monis - Chief Administrative Officer, Kanachur Hospital, was present on the occasion.

NSS Workshop Enhances Physiotherapy for Down Syndrome Patients

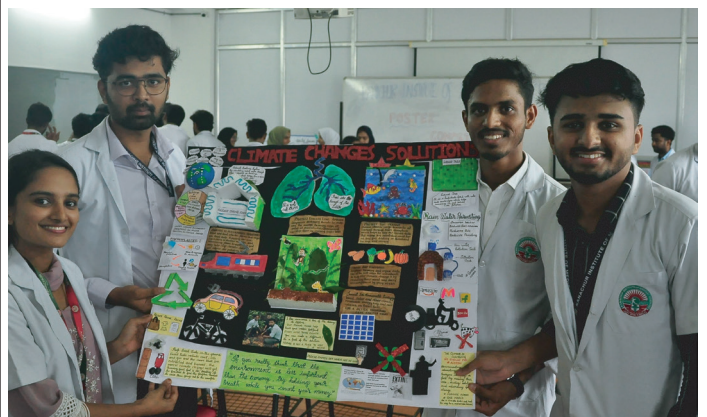


NSS Unit Workshop Empowers Abilities of Down Syndrome Patients Through Comprehensive Physiotherapy Rehabilitation.

In a significant initiative aimed at enhancing care for individuals with Down Syndrome, the NSS Unit at KIMS organized a workshop titled "Empowering Abilities: A Comprehensive Approach to Physiotherapy Rehabilitation for Down Syndrome Patients." The workshop, held on April 29th, 2023, featured Dr. Jitto C Jayan from the Department of Paediatrics Physiotherapy at Dr. M.V. Shetty College of Physiotherapy, Mangaluru, as the resource person.

A total of 75 students participated in the workshop, which focused on advancing the skills and knowledge necessary for effective physiotherapy rehabilitation tailored to the needs of Down Syndrome patients.

Creativity to the fore



The Department of Community Medicine at Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences organised a poster competition on June 8, 2024 centered around the theme of 'Climate Change and Human Health'. 42 vibrant and informative posters, all crafted by the institute's third-year MBBS students, adorned the hall. These posters delved into sub-themes such as practical solutions to climate change, safe water practices to prevent water-borne diseases, the importance of healthy diet and nutrition, environmental cleanliness for vector-borne disease control, and strategies for the prevention of communicable diseases. The event was graced by the presence of Dr. Rohan Monis, the Chief Administrative Medical Officer, Dr. Shyamjith, Professor and HOD of Pharmacology, and Dr. Fouziya, Associate Professor of Forensic Medicine, who had the honour of judging the competition.

CME on Medical Laboratory Technology (MLT) held



On the occasion of World Medical Laboratory Technology Day on April 15th, the Kanachur Institute of Allied Health Sciences (KIAHS) organised an insightful Continuing Medical Education (CME) program dedicated to advancing laboratory techniques. The program was inaugurated by distinguished speakers Dr. Arvind P., Professor, AJ Institute of Medical Sciences and Dr. Zulfikar Ahmed, consultant pathologists from Metropolis Laboratory. The event was further honored by the presence of several prominent figures, including Dr. Ratnakara UP, Dean of KIMS, Dr.

Rohan, Chief Administrative Medical Officer, Dr. Mohammed Suhail, Dean of KIAHS, Dr. Shameema, Principal, and Ms. Prathiksha Shetty, AHS Coordinator.

During the program, the dignitaries underscored the indispensable role of laboratory technologists in the accurate diagnosis of diseases and the overall enhancement of patient care. Their speeches emphasized the critical contributions of these professionals in the medical field, particularly in the context of evolving health-care challenges.

Kanachur Institute of Allied Health Sciences emerge winners at ASTRA '24



WINNING TEAM:

Football team of Kanachur Institute of Allied Health Sciences proudly displaying the trophy

Kanachur Institute of Allied Health Sciences, Mangalore defeated Yenepoya College of Health Sciences, Mangalore (Team B) to emerge winners at the ASTRA 24 - SOUTH INDIA INTERCOLLEGIATE ALLIED SPORTS FEST - Football Tournament.

The Yenepoya School of Allied Health Sciences, in association with the Department of Physical Education at Yenepoya (deemed to be university), hosted the "ASTRA 24"

from May 13-16, 2024 at the Yenepoya soccer ground within the Yenepoya campus in Mangalore.

The tournament featured 12 teams from various institutions of South India. Ahammed Fayas, BSc (MLT), was adjudged as the best scorer of the tournament while Hadi Rahman KV, BSc MLT, clinched the best goal-keeper of the tournament trophy.



Quiz on ‘World Health Day’ held

A quiz on the occasion of World Health Day 2024 was celebrated under the auspices of Indian Association of Preventive and Social Medicine (IAPSM) was conducted in the Department of Community Medicine, Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences. The quiz was participated by 11 teams comprising of 33 participants from third and fourth year MBBS students of Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences. Dr. Shabanaz, senior resident, Department of Community Medicine, KIMS was the quiz coordinator and the quiz competition was successfully conducted by the staff of Department of Community Medicine under the guidance of the Dr. Shahul Hameed, Professor and Head of the Department of Community Medicine, KIMS.

Kanachur College hosts Cupping Workshop

Kanachur College of Physiotherapy, in collaboration with the Sports and Fitness Federation of India, hosted a comprehensive two-day hands-on certificate workshop titled ‘Clinical and Sports Cupping and Dry Needling’ on May 14-15, 2024. The workshop was conducted at the college premises and featured a demonstration by Dr. Vivek Bhanushali (MPT Sports). Approximately 60 students



enthusiastically participated in the event.

International Nurses’ Day celebrated



The Kanachur College of Nursing Sciences on May 11 celebrated International Nurses’ Day, which commemorates the birth anniversary of Florence Nightingale. Prof. Alice Daniel, Principal of Malik Deenar College of Nursing, graced the occasion as chief guest, while Dr. Haji UK Monu, Chairman of Kanachur Islamic Education Trust, chaired the event. Mr. Abdul Rahiman, Director of KIMS, Prof. Mrs. Molly Saldanha, Principal, Kanachur College of Nursing Sciences along with other dignitaries from various departments graced the event with their presence. Prior to this day, a week-long events with a range of activities were held.

World Emergency Medicine Day celebrated



The department of emergency medicine at Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences celebrated World Emergency Medicine Day on May 27 with a series of engaging and educational events. The day commenced with a vibrant street play moderated by Dr. Praveen Kumar, performed by the enthusiastic faculty, postgraduates, interns and nursing staff, which effectively conveyed the importance of CPR to the public. Other activities included poster making competition, quiz, training non-medical personnel, etc. The main event saw the participation of the Dr. Mohammed Ismail H. Chairman Kanachur Health Sciences Advisory Council, Director Mr. Abdul Rahiman, Dean Dr. Shahnavaaz Manipady, Medical Superintendent Dr. Harish Shetty, Administrative Medical officer, Dr. Rohan Monis and other dignitaries. Dr. Monisha Naik, Dr. Anant Prasad the pain Palliative Care specialist, spoke on the global importance of World Emergency Medicine Day while Dr. Vijay Kumar delivered a vote of thanks.

KIMS: Where focus is on excellence

Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences (KIMS), located on University Road, Natekal, Mangaluru, is a unit of the Kanachur Islamic Education Trust (R). Established in the academic year 2016-17 with all necessary approvals, it offers 150 MBBS seats. Affiliated with the Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences, Bengaluru, Karnataka, KIMS is dedicated to excellence in medical education.

With the right blend of a conducive atmosphere, expert faculty and state-of-the-art facilities, KIMS is a prominent name in medical education. In the academic year 2021-22, the institute received permission to start the following postgraduate medical courses:

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| 1. MD - General Medicine | - 05 seats |
| 2. MS - General Surgery | - 05 seats |
| 3. MD - Paediatrics | - 03 seats |
| 4. MD - Respiratory Medicine | - 02 seats |
| 5. MS - OBG | - 03 seats |
| 6. MS - Orthopaedics | - 03 seats |
| 7. MD - Radio-Diagnosis | - 03 seats |
| 8. MD - Anaesthesiology | - 03 seats |

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| 1. MD - Dermatology & Leprosy | - 04 seats |
| 2. MD - Emergency Medicine | - 04 seats |

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| 1. MS - Ophthalmology | - 03 seats |
| 2. MD - Psychiatry | - 03 seats |
| 3. MD - Pathology | - 03 seats |



The institute has appointed dedicated, experienced teaching faculty to impart quality education to students while also providing healthcare to the local community.

The academic blocks feature spacious, well-furnished and air-conditioned gallery-type lecture halls equipped with audio-visual aids for conducting theory classes.

The institute boasts a central library with adequate medical books and journals, as required under the norms stipulated by the National Medical Council (NMC)/Rajiv Gandhi University of Health Sciences (RGUHS), for the benefit of students. The library is well-furnished and air-conditioned, with a vast reading room to accommodate a large number of students.

All the pre-/para-clinical departments have the required laboratories and museums to enrich students in their respective subjects.

The Kanachur Hospital and Research Centre is a multi-super-speciality hospital with all the ultra-modern facilities under one roof. It provides round-the-clock patient care, including casualty services, ICU intensive care unit, a central laboratory, radiology, a blood bank, pharmacy and ambulance services. Hygienic vegetarian and non-vegetarian food is supplied to students as per their choice.

The institution provides hostel facilities for both male and female students. The rooms are well-furnished with a homely atmosphere for the benefit of the students. Round-the-clock security service is provided to the hostels.

World Haemophilia Day observed



The Student Nurses' Association and the Youth Red Cross unit of Kanachur College of Nursing Sciences observed World Haemophilia Day by organising a blood donation camp at Kanachur Hospital and Research Centre on April 17, 2024.

Students from different batches demonstrated their commitment to society by donating blood. Principal Molly Saldanha congratulated the students for their selfless services and humanitarian values.

'World No Tobacco Day' held



The Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences observed 'World No Tobacco Day' on 31st May 2024. On this occasion Dr. Shrivathsa, Professor, Department of Community Medicine, addressed the theme 'Protecting Children from Tobacco Industry Interference' and highlighted the harmful effects of tobacco. This event was followed by a role play which was performed by the medical interns posted in the Department of Community Medicine at the reception area of the Kanachur Hospital and Research Centre.

Kanachur PU College for Women Achieves 100% Pass Rate with stellar academic performance



AYISHATH THABIBA



HUDA IBRAHIM



SEFIYATHUL ANSEERA



SHAZMI FATHIMA

In the academic year 2023-24, Kanachur PU College for Women achieved a remarkable milestone with a 100% pass rate among its students. A total of 218 students appeared for the examinations, achieving outstanding results across various disciplines:

- **Distinction:** 88 students
- **First Class:** 126 students
- **Second Class:** 4 students

Notable achievements include:

- **Science Stream:**

Shazmi Fathima secured 96% (576 marks).

- **Commerce (Computer Science):**

Sefiyathul Anseera secured 95.83% (575 marks).

- **Commerce (History):**

Ayshath Thabeeba secured 90.66% (544 marks).

- **Arts Stream:**

Huda Ibrahim secured 94.83% (569 marks).

These outstanding results reflect the dedication and academic excellence fostered at Kanachur PU College for Women, positioning its students for future success in their chosen fields of study.

Kanachur Hospital extends quality care to Rural Communities



Kanachur Hospital, in collaboration with the National Welfare and Charitable Trust (R), Chikkamagaluru, organized a Free Medical and Circumcision Camp at Gov. Urdu School on I.G. Road, benefiting local residents with essential healthcare services. The event, held on May 26, garnered a substantial turnout, treating 724 patients across various medical disciplines. Dr. Rahul S. Bakale also delivered an impactful address on World No Tobacco Day, emphasizing the dangers of smoking.



KIMS hosts CME on Pelviacetabular Trauma



The Department of Orthopaedics at Kanachur Institute of Medical Science organised a Continuing Medical Education (CME) program on "Pelviacetabular Trauma" on June 29th, 2024 in association with canara orthopedic society. Approved by the Karnataka Medical Council, the program awarded 2 CME Credit points.

The inauguration of the event was graced by Dr. Haji UK Monu, Chairman of the Kanachur Institute of Medical Science, along

with Mr. Abdul Rahiman, Director and Dean, Prof. Dr. Shahnavaz Manipady, Medical Superintendent Dr. Harish Shetty, and Chief Administrative Officer Dr. Rohan Monis. The program was organised by Prof. Dr. K Salauddin Arif, Head of the Department of Orthopaedics, and his team. The CME drew participation from consultants specializing in Orthopaedics and Emergency Medicine, as well as postgraduate students from these disciplines, approximately 230 attendees.

PODIUM presentation at TOX conclave

Dr. Kanchala Maithreyi, a postgraduate student from the Department of Emergency Medicine at KIMS, presented a podium presentation at the TOX SOS conference held at Devraj Urs Medical College, Kolar, on June 21, 2024. Her presentation focused on a rare case in clinical toxicology titled "BLUE HORIZONS - TOXIC REALITIES: COPPER SULPHATE POISONING." This presentation show-



cased her expertise and contribution to the field of emergency medicine and highlighted the complexities involved in managing cases of copper sulphate poisoning.

E-poster contest winner

Ms. Krishnapriya, a second year BSc Nursing student at the Kanachur College of Nursing Sciences, received first prize at the national level e-poster competition organised by BLDE Association's College of Nursing, Jamkhandi on the occasion of International Nurses Day. Congratulations!



Hypertension in Pregnancy

The Department of Obstetrics & Gynaecology at KIMS organized a panel discussion titled "Navigating Hypertension in Pregnancy" on June 11, 2024. Dr. Prema D Cunha moderated the discussion, with panelists including Dr. Sharan J. Pal, Dr. Keerti, Dr. Sadhana, Dr. Noorulla (Paediatrician), and Dr. Preetam (Physician).

Additionally, on June 25, the department hosted a PG Quiz competition focused on "Hypertension and Cardiac Diseases in Pregnancy". Dr. Sharan J Pal and Dr. Keerthi moderated the event.

KIMS Team triumphs at INSIGHT-2024



In a remarkable display of expertise and knowledge, a team from KIMS secured first place at the prestigious 'Dare to Diagnosis' event held as part of INSIGHT-2024 at M.S. Ramiah Medical College. Mr. Abhishek, Ms. Ayesha Salwah, and Mr. Mohammed Arif A. Sheikh represented KIMS in this competition, which encompassed pre-clinical, para-clinical, and clinical subjects. The KIMS team's victory stands as a testament to their dedication, knowledge, and ability to excel under pressure.

Times Now honours Kanachur advisor Dr. Ismail



Dr. Mohammed Ismail Hejamady, an eminent figure in the field of medicine, and chairman, Kanachur Health Sciences Advisory Council, was honoured with the prestigious 'Legends in Medicine' award by Times Now at a ceremony celebrating medical excellence and dedication. The recently held event, themed "Beyond the White Coat: Celebrating the Valor of Bravehearts & Healing Hands," highlighted Dr. Ismail's outstanding service and dedication to advancing medical science and patient care. The plaque, a symbol of excellence and gratitude, was awarded in recognition of Dr. Ismail's exemplary work, which has had a profound impact on both the medical community and society at large. The award was presented by Union Minister Dr. Jitendra Singh.

KIMS faculty attend key Medical Education Workshop in Kozhikode

Faculty members from KIMS, Dr. Mamatha B. V., Professor and Head of the Department of Biochemistry, and Dr. Kanchan Mahale, Associate Professor in the Department of Microbiology, recently participated in a significant faculty development workshop. The workshop, titled BASIC COURSE IN MEDICAL EDUCATION, was conducted at the Regional Centre, Medical Education Unit, Government Medical College, Kozhikode, from May 28, 2024, to May 30, 2024.

This workshop was organized in accordance with the guidelines mandated by the National Medical Commission (NMC) for Medical Education Unit (MEU) and



Curriculum Committee members. A total of thirty faculty members from various streams representing diverse medical colleges participated in this enriching program.

Dr. M Venkatraya Prabhu of Kanachur Institute Appointed to AIIMS Bhopal Academic Committee



Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences (KIMS) celebrated a proud moment as Dr. M. Venkataraya Prabhu, Professor of General Medicine and Advisor to the Kanachur Health Advisory Council, has been nominated in the academic committee of AIIMS Bhopal by the director of the organization.

He was also invited as the chief guest to inaugurate the KMC Neuro Update 2024. The event, held at KMC Mangaluru, honored the legacy of Prof. K.R. Shetty, former Principal of Kasturba Medical College and a pioneering figure in Neurology.

CME on Dermato-Endocrinology held at KIMS



The Department of Dermatology at Kanachur Institute of Medical Sciences organised a Continuing Medical Education (CME) event focused on Dermato-Endocrinology. Attended by 59 delegates, the event was accredited with one credit hour by the Karnataka Medical Council.

The inaugural ceremony was graced by Mr. Abdul Rahiman, Medical Director; Dr. Mohammad Ismail, Chairman of the Advisory Council; and Dr. Shanawaz Manipady, Deputy Medical Superintendent, who also participated in an environmental initiative by watering a sapling.

Dr. Smitha Prabhu, HOD Dermatology at KMC Manipal, delivered a keynote address on "Cutaneous Signs of Hyperandrogenism," while Mrs. Jane Mariya, Senior Dietician at K S Hegde Hospital, spoke on "Anti-inflammatory Diet in Metabolic Syndrome."

Other notable sessions included talks on "Diagnosis and Medical Management of Hirsutism" by Dr. Sudeep from Father Mullers Hospital, "Thyroid and Skin" by Dr. Shrinath Shetty from KMC Mangalore, and "Diagnosis and Management of PCOS" by Dr. Akhila Bhandarkar from K S Hegde Medical College. The event concluded with a panel discussion moderated by Dr. Balasaraswathy, Consultant Dermatologist from Mangalore, with all guest speakers serving as panelists.

Kanachur Ayurveda Hospital organises four health camps



Kanachur Ayurveda Medical College and Hospital conducted four free health camps during May and June 2024 at various locations: Brihath Krishi Mela, Shri Amrutheshwara Public School, Thiruvail, Vamanjoor, Mangalore on May 13; Halasu Habba Balam Bhat Hall,

Car Street Kodialbail, Mangalore on May 18; Belma Kendra Jumma Masjid, Renjady, Natekal, Mangalore on June 2; and Bharath Sevashram, Kanyana, on June 15