

KASTURBA GANDHI NURSING COLLEGE COLLEGE EVENTS

FACULTY TRAINING PROGRAMME

GFATM project(Global Fund To Fight AIDS, Tuberculosis, Malaria) and National AIDS Control Organization(**NACO**) in collaboration with Indian Nursing Council (**INC**) organised Training Of Trainers (TOT) for 1 week (9.12.13 to 14.12.13) in Christian Medical College (**CMC**), **Vellore**. KGNC was nominated by INC to depute two faculty to undergo this training programme which broadly focused on HIV/AIDS. Mr.Vijayaraj.R.,Asst.Prof.& Ms.Ruma Shanthini.K., Asst.Prof.from Dept of Medical Surgical Nursing underwent the training programme and received the certificates. Our faculty are now empowered with knowledge and skill to become Trainers for nurses and students on this project in and around the state.



Scientific and Academic Forum

The Department of Child Health Nursing organized Scientific Academic Forum on 31.1.14 focussing on National Health programs related to children. A quiz program was conducted in this regard and III & IV yr B. Sc (N) students enthusiastically participated and won the prizes. Dr. Jayamohandoss, CMO, Industrial Medical Officer, NLC, Neyveli was the guest speaker of the day. He gave an enlightening talk on “Nutritional programs in India”. He threw light on the importance of providing a nutritional diet to new born and infants. Ms. B. Sahana III year B.Sc(N) student presented a case report on **Nephrotic Syndrome** which sought the attention of the gathering.

Scientific and Academic Forum

The SAF of KGNC in association with the Department of Community Health Nursing organized a quiz programme on the Theme “**Vector Borne Disease**” on 04th March 2014. The BSc. (N)., students participated and won the prizes. Dr. Baskar, Senior Entamologist from Cuddalore has been invited as an resource person and he had given valuable talk on Vector borne disease control and its prevention

CAREER GUIDANCE PROGRAMME

Career guidance programme was organized on 02.12.2013 under the guidance of our respected Principal/ Director of Nursing Dr. S. Kamalam. Mrs. Vijiyalakshmi, Students Counselor gave a talk on “Professional Outlook Through Personality Development”. **Mr. Bernard Ryder, International Educational Consultant from United Kingdom** gave a broad outlook on “**Global career opportunities and placements in Nursing**”. Students actively participated in programme and gained an insight on the choice of career in future.



Out Reach Activities

Creating a World of Compassion for the Mentally Ill

The Department of Mental Health Nursing organised a role play on “Stress Management “ by IIIYear B.Sc(N) on 17th January 2014 in fraternal Life Service Home (FLSH), Ousteri, Puducherry. All aspects of stress management were brought forth in a theatrical performance. Various cultural activities like songs, solo dance, group dance & story telling were also conducted for the mentally ill patients . The patients were entertained and the prizes were awarded for the winners. A symposium on “Prevention Of Suicide” was organised on 24th January 2014 by III Year B.Sc(N) students. They gave expound knowledge about suicidal preventive measures to the mentally challenged patients.

The students provided a holistic care to the patients in Sacred Heart Hospital, Payankulam, Kerala during their clinical posting from 1-2-14 to 28-3-14. Occupational therapy was conducted to the mentally ill and de-addicts. Activities like cover making, flower vase making, file making etc., was taught to them which was very beneficial to the patients

Intensified Pulse polio campaign

As a part of Community Health service, B.Sc(N) II year students of KGNC actively participated in the Pulse polio campaign 1st phase on 19.01.14. Students were divided into small groups & rendered their services in Kirumampakkam PHC. 10 booths were covered by this PHC. They

immunized nearly 2219 underfive children in the area. Students were guided by Ms. Rekha, Asst Lecturer & the PHN Ms. Sumathi.

Women's Day Rally

Department of Family welfare services, Govt of Puducherry conducted rally on 8.3.14 that focused on the theme "Safety of Women" at Gandhi Thidal, Puducherry. 1st year B. Sc (N) students and Ms. Sujatha, Asst.Lecturer took part in the rally, and raised their voices towards the safety of women.

World Tuberculosis Day

Department of Community Health Nursing commemorated **World Tuberculosis Day** in Kirumampakkam Primary Health centre on 25.03.14. In this programme they have done the role play and Health talk on the theme "**Importance of DOTS**". Nearly 30 TB positive cases in that area were benefited by this programme.

NSS Special Camp

NSS volunteers of KGNC unit organized a special camp on the theme "**Maternal and Child Care**" in adopted village Pillayarkuppam from 24.01.14 to 30.01.14. During the camp they were involved in various activities such as survey on basic sanitation facilities, well baby clinic, anti plastic awareness rally, Health Education for antenatal and mothers of under five children, Nutritional exhibition for school children etc.,

IQAC-KGNC UNIT

KGNC has restarted its mission in 2014 to work for the improvement of quality of nursing in all dimensions. The following activities were carried out in this quarter.

1. SYMPOSIUM ON RESEARCH METHODOLOGY

KGNC IQAC unit organized a symposium on research methodology for M.Sc (N) I year & II Year students P.B.B.Sc (N) II Year students B.Sc (N) IV Year Students & all faculty of KGNC on 10/01/14 & 11/01/14 9.00 am to 4.30 pm @ 1st Floor Lecture Hall

The symposium opened up with the college anthem. Prof. Annie Annal. M, KGNC welcomed the gathering followed by the introductory message delivered by Dr. S. Kamalam, Principal, KGNC. The programme proceeded with 4 sessions covering all aspects of research methodology. At the end of the programme post test and feedback was obtained from the students. The students expressed their need to conduct further such programmes in future.

2. INSERVICE TRAINING PROGRAMME on HIV/ AIDS – 2014

KGNC IQAC unit in association with department of Community Health Nursing organized an in-service training programme on HIV/ AIDS on 03/02/2014 to 07/02/2014 wherein **10** Staff Nurses from MGMC & RI and Faculty of KGNC were the beneficiaries. The programme was inaugurated by Dr. S. Kamalam, Principal, KGNC. The 5 days session was handled by Ms. Rumashanthini. K and Mr. Vijayaraj. R, Dept of Medical Surgical Nursing who are certified trainers of GFATM (Global Fund for AIDS Tuberculosis and Malaria) sponsored by Indian Nursing Council and NACO. The participants were very active and enthusiastic in receiving the information and taking part in skill session. After the

end of the session, Dr. S. Kamalam, Principal, KGNC gave the valedictory message and distributed certificates to all participants. A post test was conducted on 07/02/2014 as a feedback of training programme. Most of the candidates have done well. The overall feedback about the in-service training programme was graded as excellent.

3. WORKSHOP ON “SETTING THE QUALITATIVE QUESTION PAPERS IN NURSING”

KGNC in collaboration with SBV, IQAC & Medical Education Unit organized the Workshop on “Setting The Qualitative Question Papers In Nursing” on 01/03/2014 @ 1st Floor Lecture Hall, KGNC, Principal, Vice-principal, all faculty of KGNC (including non-nursing Faculty), HODs of Dept of Pathology, Pharmacology, Psychology, Genetics & English were the beneficiaries. The programme commenced by 9.30 am by lighting of kuthuvillaku by the dignitaries Prof. K. R. Sethuraman, Vice-Chancellor, SBV Prof. K. A. Narayan, Vice-Principal, MGMC & RI Dr. V. N. Mahalakshmi, Controller of Examinations, SBV, Dr. S. Kamalam, Principal, KGNC. The programme began with an Introductory session on need for the workshop set induction by Dr. S. Kamalam. The faculty of KGNC enacted a role play on COE’s Dilemma. Prof. Sumathy. P and Mrs. Kripa Angeline from KGNC gave a talk on “Tips & Tricks for setting effective LAQ’s, SAQ’s, VSAQ’s”. Prof. K.A. Narayan, Vice-Principal, MGMC & RI gave a brief talk on Blueprint of the question paper followed by Dr. V. N. Mahalakshmi, COE, SBV who gave a speech on “Checklist and validation of the question bank introduction of the new pattern question paper”. All the session was very interactive and doubts were clarified on the concept. Vote of thanks was delivered by Mrs. Gerald Roseline.M, Asst. Prof, KGNC.

