







STATE LEVEL WORKSHOP

Registered Nurses

Breaking the chain of HAIs Stewardship, safety and surveillance



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26 June 2025 8 AM - 4 PM



EMD Auditorium, 8th floor, Yenepoya Medical College Hospital

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ORGANIZED BY DEPARTMENT OF NURSING ADMINISTRATION & II YEAR POSTGRADUATES

in collaboration with

INFECTION PREVENTION & CONTROL UNIT. YMCH

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FREE REGISTRATION

KSNC Credit points will be awarded

PROGRAMME DETAILS

8-9 AM: REGISTRATION & PRETEST



9.00 AM - 10.00 AM Dr. Rouchelle C Tellis

Infection Prevention & Control Officer, VMCH

Diagnostic & Antimicrobial Stewardship: The Role of Culture & Sensitivity in Guiding Therapy: **Preparedness for Nurses**

10 - 10.30 AM: TEA BREAK

10.30 - 11 AM: INAUGURATION



11.00 AM - 12.00 PM Mrs. Noothan Lasrado

Deputy Nursing Superintendent, YMCH

Occupational Safety: Protecting Healthcare Workers from Infections

12.00 PM - 1.00 PM

Dr. Pallavi Choudhurv Assistant General Manager, Deepak Fertilizers and Petrochemicals

Environmental hygiene: Disinfection practices in healthcare setting

1-2 PM: LUNCH BREAK



2.00 PM - 3.00 PM Mrs. Reema Dsouza

Infection Prevention Control Nurse, Justice KS Hegde Charitable Hospital, Mangalore Healthcare-Associated Infection (HAI) **Prevention in Clinical Settings: Surveillance Prevention & Control**

POST TEST. CLOSING CEREMONY & CERTIFICATE DISTRIBUTION

TEA

ABOUT THE WORKSHOP

(HAIs) Healthcare-Associated Infections significantly impact modern healthcare by compromising patient safety, prolonging hospital stays, and increasing costs—especially in resourcelimited settings with inconsistent infection control. Nurses, as key frontline careaivers, play a vital role in preventing HAIs through evidence-based care and viailant surveillance.

To strengthen this role, a specialized workshop was developed to enhance nurses' knowledge, skills, and attitudes toward HAI prevention. Based on the principles of Stewardship, Safety, and Surveillance, the program equips nurses to identify risks, implement prevention strategies, support antimicrobial stewardship, and improve HAI monitoring—ultimately enhancing patient care quality.

OBJECTIVES OF THE WORKSHOP

- To strengthen understanding of antimicrobial stewardship, emphasizing the role of culture and sensitivity in guiding appropriate therapy.
- To educate nurses on occupational safety measures to protect healthcare workers from infection risks.
- To evaluate environmental hygiene practices in reducina healthcare-associated infections (HAIs).
- To enhance knowledge of Healthcare-Associated (HAIs) and promote effective surveillance, prevention, and control practices.

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ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY

Yenepoya (Deemed to be University), located at Deralakatte, about 15 kilometres from the port city, Mangaluru Karnataka. Mangaluru is a picturesque portal city, characterized by its pristine beaches, ghats and calm localities. Nature is the closest companion on the campus that houses institutes offering the best in education. The university consists of eleven constituent units under its ambit offering Undergraduate courses up to PhD programmes. The institutions ensure high standards of academic performance and are rendering quality health care services. The University is accredited with NAAC 'A+' and has been ranked 95 among the top 100 universities in the country as per the NIRF (National Institution Ranking Framework) rankings 2024.

ABOUT THE HOST INSTITUTION

Yenepoya Nursing College established in 2002 is a constituent unit of Yenepoya (Deemed to be University). The college has state-of-the-art facilities and an eco-friendly campus with an experienced teaching faculty. The college offers General Nursing and Midwifery (GNM), Basic B.Sc Nursing, Post Basic B.Sc Nursing, M.Sc. Nursing and PhD in Nursing under the Faculty of Nursing. The College provides quality education by incorporating innovative teaching-learning activities that focus on clinical competence and personal attention is provided to students. The college also creates an environment for the generation of new knowledge through research. The college is affiliated to the Yenepoya Medical College Hospital, a Multispeciality Medical College teaching hospital accredited by NABH which offers various modalities of a treatment facility in both broad speciality and super speciality services.

