



National Nursing Conference on Patient Safety and Quality 7th & 8th December 2023



A two-day National Level Conference on “Patient Safety and Quality” was held on 07.12.2023 and 08.12.2023 at Dr. APJ Abdul Kalam, Auditorium, JIPMER by the Department of Nursing Services JIPMER. Around 230 delegates from JIPMER and 150 delegates from colleges and hospitals of Puducherry, Tamil Nadu and other parts of the country participated in this conference. We hosted delegates from **PGI Chandigarh, AIIMS New Delhi, P D Hinduja Hospitals Mumbai, AIIMS Patna, and NEIGRIHMS Shillong**. The conference was inaugurated by chief guest Dr. Bhawana A Badhe, Acting Director, of JIPMER. Mrs. Sankareswari. A, Chief Nursing Officer welcomed the gathering. Mrs. Santhi Tamilmani, Nursing Superintendent gave the keynote address of the conference. She stressed the importance of the need for Patient Safety and Quality in public and private sector hospitals. Dr M J Kumari, Acting Principal, CON, JIPMER addressed the gathering by sharing her views on the theme. Dr. L N Dorairajan, Medical Superintendent, JIPMER gave the felicitation speech. Mrs. Santhi Shanmugam, Nursing Superintendent delivered the vote of thanks. Eminent and Expert personalities of the Nursing and Medical field involved in quality and safety shared their views and knowledge through lectures. We invited **Dr. Jothi Clara Michael, Director Nursing, IHH Healthcare, Capt Ajitha, MD Healbiz Health care, Kochi, Dr. Sudha R, Principal, VHS MACCON Chennai, Mrs. Alice Sony, Nursing Superintendent and Dr. Lallu Joseph, Quality Manager CMC Vellore, Mr. Unni Krishnan, Quality Manager Amrith hospitals, Mr. Dineshkumar, Ast Professor, CMC Vellore, Dr. Kripa Angeline, Prof & Nursing Superintendent, MGMC& RI and Mr Vinodkumar, Consultant Engineering, Rajgiri Hospitals, Aluva**. Scientific paper and poster competitions were held in the conference and winners were felicitated in the valedictory function. Delegates shared very positive feedback about the conference. The conference came to an end with the national anthem.

Scientific Paper Presentation –Winners

I Prize : Mrs Arokiya Jaya Deepa, Nursing Superintendent, Kauvery Hospitals, Alwarpet

II Prize: Mrs Premalatha, Nurse Educator, MGMC&RI, Puducherry

III Prize: Mrs Vidya J, Assistant Professor, CON, JIPMER

Poster Presentation Winners:

I Prize : Mrs Ramya P, Nursing Officer, JIPMER

II Prize: Mrs Yokesh, Infection Control Nurse, CMC, Vellore

III Prize: Ms Rathika, Nursing Officer, JIPMER & Ms Aruna C, Nursing Officer, JIPMER

