

Minutes of the presentation of MPH/ PGDPHM Dissertation protocols held on 13-10-14

The presentation of MPH/ PGDPHM Dissertation protocols was held on 13-10-14 at PSM seminar hall at 11:00 am onwards. The meeting was attended by Dr. SC Parija, Dean Research and chairman, PGRMC, Dr. DM Thappa, Member Secretary, PGRMC and members- Dr. S. Soundaraghavan, Prof. and Head, Department of O &G; Dr. Abdoul Hamide, Professor of Medicine; Dr. GK Pal, Professor and Head, Department of Physiology; Dr. D Kadambari, Professor of Surgery; and Dr. Sitanshu Kar, Associate Professor of Community Medicine. **All the protocols were approved. The suggested changes to be made and highlighted in the text and revised protocols to be submitted by 20-10-14.**

Sl.No.	Name of the MPH/PGDPHM students	Title of Dissertation	Supervisor	Co-supervisor	Comments
1	Ganthimathy .K	Clinical profile, customs and trends of scrub typhus cases among children in a tertiary hospital in Puducherry, south India	Dr. Palnivel C, Assistant Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr. Adhisivam B, Associate Professor, Department of Pediatrics	Approved subject to following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Change the title as suggested “...suspected cases...” if not planning to take only confirmed cases. 2. Inclusion of adults may be thought of to increase the number of cases.
2	Helen .S.B	Perception regarding suicidal attempts and its prevention among post attempted persons attending psychiatry services in tertiary care centre	Dr. K. C. Premarajan Professor Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr. Ravi Philip Rajkumar, Associate Professor, Dept. of Psychiatry	Approved subject to following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review of literature to be written properly 2. Questionnaire to be translated in Tamil language and validated. 3. Response of subjects unpredictable as so many questions. 4. Consider altering objective number 3.
3	James T.D	Geographical information system aided noise mapping of urban Puducherry South India.	Dr. T. Mahalakshmy, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Preventive & Social Medicine	Dr. Subitha L, Assistant Professor, Dept. of P&SM Dr. Sabesan S, Vector Control Research Centre, Indira Nagar, Puducherry Dr. K. HariKishan	Approved.

				Raju, Technical Assistant (Research), Vector Control Research Centre, Indira Nagar, Puducherry	
4	Jismary George	Prevalence of domestic violence and its associated factors among married women in rural area of Puducherry, south India	Dr. Gautam Roy, Professor, Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr.Nancy .R. Premkumar, Medical Social Worker, Department of Dermatology	Approver subject to the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Validation of questionnaire in Tamil language needs to be done 2. References to be written in Vancouver style.
5	Manoj Kumar .A	Prevalence of alcohol and its dependence among fisherman Puducherry (Veerampattiam)	Dr. Gautam Roy, Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr. Balaji Bharadwaj, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry	Approved subject to the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. References to be written in Vancouver style. 3. Validation of questionnaire in Tamil language needs to be done
6	Nithin .V	Waiting time of out patients in a tertiary hospital, Puducherry	Dr. T .S. Ravi Kumar Director, JIPMER,	Dr. Swaroop Kumar Sahu, Assistant Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Resubmit with following changes: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Concentrate only on one or two aspects of the study. 2. Waiting time and patient perception to be taken into account. The proposal was resubmitted by afternoon and discussed again and approved .
7	Parthibane	Perception and practices regarding First Aid measures among traffic police personal in Puducherry.	Dr. Swaroop Kumar Sahu, Assistant Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr. Nanda Kishore Maroju, Associate Professor, Department of Surgery	Approved subject to the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Inclusion of questions on severity of injury. 2. Questionnaire to be validated
8	Parvathy Prasad	Estimation of the need for palliative care	Dr. Sonali Sarkar,	Dr. Biswajit Dubasi, Associate Professor,	Approved subject to the following:

		among patients attending at tertiary care hospital	Associate Professor, Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dept. of Medical Oncology Dr. Adinarayanan, Associate Professor, Dept. of Anesthesia	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Instead of seven departments restrict to 1-3 departments- Neurology, Cardiology and Nephrology 2. Questionnaires to be validated 3. Change the title as suggested "... in non-cancer cases"
9	Perumal Murthy .S	Community cross-sectional based study for assessing the prevalence of depression among the adolescents in rural Puducherry	Dr. K.C. Premarajan, Professor, Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr. Shivanand Kattimani, Associate Professor, Dept. of Psychiatry	Approved subject to the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Questionnaire to be translated and validated in Tamil.
10	Prathiba .P	Obstetric referrals presenting to the emergency facility of obstetrics department in tertiary care centre, Puducherry	Dr. Dilip Kumar Maurya, Associate Professor, Department of Obstetrics & Gynecology	Dr. Subitha .L, Assistant Professor, Department of Preventive & Social Medicine	Approved subject to the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Include obstetric cases rather stating them as pregnant women.
11	Rajalatchumi .A	Cross sectional survey of perception of patients safety culture among health care providers at tertiary care hospital, Puducherry	Dr.T.S. Ravikumar, Director	Dr. Muruganandham.K, Co-ordinator, JIPMER Quality Council,(Associate Professor, Department of Urology) Dr. Mahalakshmy T, Assistant Professor, Department of Preventive & Social Medicine.	Approved subject to the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Remove fire safety and disaster from objective i.e. remove objective no. 2. 2. Fire safety and disaster to be removed. 3. Questionnaire to be validated in Tamil language also.
12	Rajarajan .K	Utilization of Janani Suraksha Yojana in rural and urban field practices area of JIPMER, Puducherry.	Dr. Ganesh Kumar. S, Associate Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr. Manikandan. K, Associate Professor, Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology	Approved subject to the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Inclusion of co-supervisor from Obstetrics and Gynecology may be reconsidered.

13	Rajesh .A	Clinical profile and risk of future adverse events among patients diagnosed with COPD attending allergy clinic at tertiary care centre, Puducherry	Dr. Palnivel C, Assistant Professor, PSM	Dr. Manju Rajaram, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Pulmonary Medicine Prof. T. S. Ravikumar, Director	Approved subject to the following: 1. The protocol presentation part many words joining... needs to be improved.
14	Reshma .A	Awareness and barriers for screening of breast and cervical cancers among women above 18 years in urban Puducherry.	Dr. T S Ravikumar, Director	Dr. Sonali Sarkar, Associate Professor, Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine, Dr Kadambari D, Professor, Dept. of Surgery	Approved subject to the following: 1. Need to redefine the questions
15	Rinu.P.K.	Profiling of CKD patients attending nephrology OPD In JIPMER.	Dr.Sitanshu Sekhar Kar, Associative Professor, Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr.Sreejith Parameswaran, Associate Professor, Dept. of Nephrology	Approved
16	Sandhya Karra	Knowledge on practice of healthcare associated infection control among the healthcare personals in intensive care unit in tertiary hospital, Puducherry	Dr. S C Parija, Dean, Research, Professor, Dept. of Microbiology	Dr. Jayalakshmy R, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine	Approved subject to the following: 1. Objective no. 2 to be deleted
17	Saravanan .J	Beneficiary satisfaction regarding old age pension scheme and its utilization pattern in urban Puducherry.	Dr. Jayalakshmy. R, Assistant Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr. Subitha .L, Assistant Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Approved
18	Sreenidhi Sreekumar	Communication patterns and felt need among college going adolescent regarding sexual and reproductive health: A cross sectional study.	Dr. Jayalakshmy. R, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr. Mamatha Gowda, Assistant professor, Dept. of Obstetrics & Gynecology	Approved subject to the following changes: 1. Questions need to be refined and validated. 2. Questions on barriers to be included.
19	Sujith Babu.M.S	Time-use pattern of	Dr. Swaroop	Dr. Narayanan	Approved subject to the

		anganwadi workers for ICDS and Non-ICDS activities in the field practice area of JIPMER, Pondicherry	Kumar Sahu, Assistant Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Parameswaran, Associate Professor Department of Pediatrics	following changes: 1. Reconsider inclusion of co-supervisor from the department of Pediatrics. 2. Review of literature to be written properly.
20	Sumesh S	Cardiovascular disease risk profiling among the attenders of the coronary artery disease patients admitted in cardiology ward of JIPMER.	Dr. Santhosh Satheesh, Additional Professor and Head Department of Cardiology	Dr. Sitanshu Sekhar Kar, Associate Professor, Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine	Approved subject to the following changes: 1. Restrict to first degree relatives.
21	Susanna G	Assessment of internal referral system in Department Of Emergency Medicine And Trauma of JIPMER Puducherry	Dr. T.S. Ravikumar, Director	Dr. Ganesh Kumar S Associate Professor Dept. of Preventive and Social Medicine Dr. Rama Prakasha S, Assistant Professor, Dept. of Emergency Medicine and Trauma	Approved subject to the following changes: 1. Study period to be mentioned in the sampling. 2. Review of literature to be written properly.
22	Dr. Vinothkumar Kalidoss	Patient satisfaction among those availing services from JIPMER as a part of Chief Minister's Comprehensive Health Insurance Scheme (CMCHIS)	Dr. T. S. Ravikumar, Director, JIPMER	Dr. Sitanshu Sekhar Kar, Associate Professor, Dept. of Preventive & Social Medicine	Approved.
23	Nirmala Saravanan (PGDPHM)	Time and motion study of multipurpose health workers in public health care delivery system, Puducherry	Dr. Subitha .L., Assistant Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Dr. Ganesh Kumar S, Associate Professor, Department of Preventive and Social Medicine	Approved.

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