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Milestone

2000 Health Checkup Patients



The health checkup department was started in the month of May 2012. By this time, department has crossed 2000 happy and satisfied clientele.

Blood Component License

Blood Component license for blood bank has been received.

From Chief Editor's Desk

Dear Readers.

Welcome to the 10th issue of GCSMC Newsletter! New year brings new hopes, new challenges and new resolutions. I am glad to put here that many of the resolutions of last year have turned into success. Hence, This year also, we have continued our tradition of inviting professional resolutions from our



clinical & non-clinical teams. Variety of resolutions, received showcasing the definite growth of GCSMCH & RC in upcoming year.

We started this year by achieving milestone – 2000 Happy & Satisfied Health Checkup Clientele in short span. Our bright students of Medical College have secured Top 10 ranking in Gujarat University Examinations and made us proud. The "Homeostasis - 2015" - inter college quiz competition on Biochemistry organized at GCS Medical College was another feather in its cap in the field of academics.

Moreover, the first quarter was full of events and we celebrated most of them with our ASSETS called EMPLOYEES. The glimpses of all happenings and events may be seen in detail in next pages. Various awareness campaigns and educational meets took place.

I wish you all enjoy reading this edition as always.

Happy Reading



Neha Lal (General Manager - Hosp. Admin & HR)

Chief Editor

Condolence



GCS Medical College, Hospital & Research Centre express deepest condolence to the family of **Dr. Kirit Shah (Professor – Dentistry)** on his demise due to Cardiac arrest on morning of 10th February 2015. GCS family pray to almighty to give enough strength to his family members to come out of this sorrow.

Gujarat Cancer Society has been exempted under the income Tax Act 35AC(100%) and 80G(50%). (Donation U/S 35(1) (ii) @ 175% income exemption is also available). GCS has also been approved by the Government of India to accept Foreign Contribution under FCRA. Donation can be given in Cash, Demand Draft or Cheque in the name of "The Gujarat Cancer Society", Asarwa, Ahmedabad-380016(INDIA).

Significant Updates

Resolution 2015

Clinical & Non clinical HOD's were requested to give their professional resolutions for the year 2015. Following are the resolutions of committee members.



MRCPCH Examination

GCS Medical College, Hospital & Research Centre is once again selected for MRCPCH Examination centre. MRCP (Membership of Royal Colleges of Physicians - UK) Part 2 examination was conducted on 17-18th Jan, 2015. Renowned doctors and examiners from UK and around the world were present and visited GCS Hospital during the examination. It is again very proud moment for GCS Hospital to be selected as an examination centre for MRCPCH Examination.



Medical College Updates

Homeostasis - 2015

With an aim to showcase the wide range of applications of the subject in clinical medicine, the Department of Biochemistry at GCS Medical College organized an Inter-Medical College Biochemistry Quiz on 27th March 2015. This was the first ever attempt at a quiz of this specialty

among the medical students. 31 teams of students of 2014-15 batch from 17 out of the 19 medical colleges of Gujarat, competed for the winner's trophy. The staff from all over



the state also served as referees, jury members and observers for the various knock-out and final rounds. In the words of the organizers "It was a lively session of quality information in an entertaining manner in a competitive environment". The team from Pramukhswami Medical College, Karamsad emerged as the champions while Gujarat Adani Institute of Medicine, Bhuj were the runnersup. GCS Medical College since its inception, has been conducting various academic activities of different specialties. Though the institute is still at a nascent stage of growth, but with its vision and activities has come to be recognized as an institute of repute. This event was another feather in its cap.

Student Achievements

University Rankers:

★ Dr. Saloni Shah - 1st rank

🛨 **Dr. Rushin Patel** - 5thrank

★ Dr. Shreosi Sarkar - 7th rank



GCS student overall result in Gujarat University.

1stM.B.B.S.- 67 % students passed the examination.
 2ndM.B.B.S.- 85.2% students passed the examination.
 3rdM.B.B.S.- 96% students passed the examination.

Cleft Children International



Officials from Cleft Children International Organisation visited our organisation. They were pleased with the state-of-the-art facilities & services being provided.

2nd Year GNM Nursing School Students Oath Ceremony

The Oath Ceremony of 2nd Year GNM Nursing School student was held on 27th Jan,2015. All new students were also welcomed with encouraging words for such noble profession & career.



HR DESK

New Employees

Nursing

Hetal Mahendrasing Bodat Ajay Naginbhai Panchal Jagruti Nandubhai Parmar Ramila Ramabhai Vankar Anita Jesingbhai Baria Daxa Devabhai Baria Stenny Wales Ellis

Engineering Services

Harshadkumar Bhupatsinh Bihola Kalpeshkumar Baldevbhai Patni Bhaveshbhai Manubhai Patel Hitendrasingh Abhesinh Chavda Jashubhai Ishwarbhai Patni Jashvant Somabhai Jadav Kishan Ambashankar Goswami Jignesh Arvindbhai Parmar Rajan Tulshibhai Parmar

Hirenkumar Somabhai Parmar Mohammed Naimkhan M Pathan Mr.Nikesh Jagadishbhai Soni Jayantibhai Mafatlal Senma Nitinbhai Revabhai Parmar

Pharmacy

Divyang Arunkumar Shah Manisha Nimesh Kalmekh Kirtisinh Vikramsinh Kumpavat

Pathology

Anil Dayabhai Gadhiya Dhruvi Vipulkumar Amin

GCS Vasna

Shailesh Rameshchandra Suthar Bharati Panchal

Stores

Dipal Prasanna Pandya
Security

Lala Namdeo Javare

Achievements

Learning is a never ending process. Many of our employees believe in same. We congratulate following employees for successfully completing their additional studies while working.

Name of Employee	Department	Qualification Achieved
Ms. Ribeca Christian	HR	Certificate Course in Human Resource Management
Mr. Mihir Mistry	IT 🎳	Certificate Course in Cyber Security, Laws and Forensic
Mr. Rahil Panchal	IT	Certificate Course in Cyber Security, Laws and Forensic

HR Events

Holi Celebration

In the festival of colors, HR dept. put "TIKAA" on all doctors & employees . As a tradition, the holi bonfire was lit of Tobacco in the campus.







International Women's Day

Every 8th March International Women's Day (IWD) - celebrates the achievements of women of past and present throughout the world. This year, we celebrated "International Women's Day" in a different way!! A special program was organized ONLY FOR WOMEN EMPLOYEES of GCSMCH &RC. The celebration started with greeting all women

employees of institute at the entrance. All ladies employees were given autonomy to wear any outfit which suits the decorum of organization and best dressed 3 female employees were awarded with $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$, $\mathbf{2}^{\text{nd}}$ and $\mathbf{3}^{\text{rd}}$ prizes. On this day, an open platform was provided to enthusiastic female employees to











showcase their hidden talent.

Female employees participated in dance performance, women's day speech, singing and many more. Various fun filled games were also incorporated in the program for female employees to enjoy their day to the fullest.

HR DESK

HR Updates

eHRMS online across institute

A Human Resource Management System (HRMS) is a type of software program that can be utilized to help employees to improve their productivity and the results of their efforts. We have successful implemented this system across the organization and employees are availing the benefit of the system.

Employee Welfare Activity

Birthday celebration has been a great way for employees to recognize colleagues









and provide social moments during the busy work life. We had quite a number of colleagues who celebrated their birthdays in the month of Nov-Jan 2015. It was a joyous one where staff members came together to congratulating birthday celebrants. This celebration is preferably planned on last day of the month. The celebration started with lots of good wishes from the management & colleagues accompanied by refreshment&spontaneous games for celebrants.

Training & Development

Soft Skills

Most occupations require that those who work in it have certain abilities that allow them to do their jobs. Soft Skills



are important for all the employees. Front desk is the face of the organization and requires more soft skills for dealing with patients. Soft skill training session was organized for front desk executives.

Ergonomics@Workplace

Ergonomics can make job easier and keep employees safer. Regardless of industry or the size of organization,



a p p l i e d ergonomics can help get a good night's sleep. Along with the satisfaction that employees will be safe from hazards and ergonomics risk factors.

organization's profits will stay with the organization instead of being used to pay workers' compensation claims. To serve the purpose and providing safe work practices to employees, training session was organized on "Ergonomics @ Workplace" where in employees were informed do's and don'ts of workplace ergonomics along with few helpful health tips and exercises.

RJ Archana ka Challenge!

A fun filled activity session was held for employees. FM 94.3 fame RJ Archana came for the session and various games were played. Winners were also awarded with the prizes.





First Aid Training

The first aid training session was delivered to critical patient care area employees for deepest understating on the same. Team of Anesthetists were the specialist faculty for the training session.



Academics

Master Class in Surgery for MS Exam going students

Department of Surgery had organized Post Graduate Master Class On 1st March, 2015, Sunday from 10:00 Am to 12:00 Noon jointly with Association of Ahmedabad Surgeon. 60 Post Graduate students of surgery from all the medical colleges of Ahmedabad attended a master class. Presentation of long case and short case were done by exam going post graduate students. It was appreciated by students and faculty very much. Following faculty members were present and guided to students:

- * **Dr. Ajay Munshi**, HOD of Department of Surgery, GCS Medical College, Ahmedabad
- * Dr. R. Surela, Professor of Department of Surgery, GCS Medical College, Ahmedabad
- * Dr. Gunvant Rathod, HOD of Department of Surgery, B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad
- * Dr. Shashank Desai, Associate Professor of Surgery, GCS Medical College, Ahmedabad
- * Dr. Pankaj Modi, Associate Professor of Surgery, B.J. Medical College, Ahmedabad
- * Dr. Mahendra Goswami, Assistant Professor of Surgery, GCS Medical College, Ahmedabad
- * **Dr. Nirav Priyadarshi,** Assistant Professor of Surgery, GCS Medical College, Ahmedabad

Marketing Initiatives

Free of cost Health Check up Camps

We always strive to provide good healthcare services and keep society healthy. With this noble cause, The outreach camp was organized at Godhara & Bagsara (Gujarat District). Around 753 people took benefit of camp held at



Bagsara and 605 at Ghodhra. Another camp was organized on 7thJan, 2015 at Nikol, Ahmedabad. Dr. Kirti Patel (Dean - GCSMCH & RC) and Dr. Ramesh Panchal (Hon. CEO - GCSMCH & RC) visited the camp.

Road Traffic Safety Week

An Ophthalmology camp was specially organized for personnel of traffic department on 'Traffic Safety Week' (11th to 17th Jan, 2015) at our organization. Personnel from traffic department were checked by our expert faculty of Dept. of Ophthalmology.





New Empanelment / Renewal

JSVY(Jyotirgamay Swasthya Vima Yojna)

We have empaneled with Jyotirgamay Swasthya Vima Yojna (JSVY). JSVY is the health insurance company which offers insurance to co-operative bank account holders. All JSVY card holders can avail all health care cashless services from us.

Lubi LLP Kadadara Cashless

New empanelment - Lubi Kadadara has been added up in the list of GCS Health Check up clientele to provide good health and hospitalization facilities to their employees for availing Consultation, OP & IP services.

CME

On 13th Feb, 2015 CME was held on the topic of Acute Kidney Injury Diagnosis & Evaluation by **Dr. Saurin Dala**l (Visiting Nephrologist – GCS Hospital)

Dr. Devang Patwari (Visiting Nephrologist – GCS Hospital) presented CME on Registered Respiratory Therapist (RRT) in critically ill patients. While **Dr. Kamal Gopalani** delivered speech on Approach to Acute Kidney Injury along with case discussion. The session was concluded by **Dr. Pravina Shah** by sharing her expert knowledge and advise on the topics. The session was an interactive and informative one.







Dr. Kamal Gopalani

On 5^{th} Feb, 2015, CME was held on D.Melitus- What is Next? by **Dr. Mayur**

Patel Diabetologist at GCS Hospital.



CME on Acute G.I.Injury was pres

G.I.Injury was presented to faculties of GCS by **Dr. Manoj Ghoda** -Visiting Gastroenterologist on 15th Feb,2015.

Marketing Initiatives

Swine Flu Awareness

Recently, Swine Flu epidemic hit Gujarat. In this panic situation, GCS Hospital took up the responsibility of spreading awareness through free masks distribution and awareness on do's & don'ts for preventing Swine Flu.

A Special session was organised at K.K Shastri Government College by **Dr. Heena Parikh**(Prof. Anasthesia GCS Hospital).

Dr. Vipul Prajapati (Asst. Prof. Medicine- GCS Hospital) conducted an awareness session for GCS staff.

Free Masks distribution was arranged by GCS Hospital in association with Nakoda Medical Trust along with Shri Krishna Seva Rath Trust and Divyabhaskar at various schools in Bapunagar, Maninangar and Kalupur Railway station where approximately **30,000** masks were distributed.















World Cancer Day

"World Cancer Day" is the singular initiative under which the entire world can unite together to fight against the global cancer epidemic. This day is celebrated every year on 4th February.

In concurrent with spreading cancer awareness, GCS Hospital arranged an interactive Cancer awareness health talk at Mahila Vanijya Mahavidhyalaya. Visiting Onco surgeon - Dr. Bhavna Parikh- GCS Hospital explained various aspects of Cancer to 700 girls students.

Ms. Neha Lal - General Manager - Hospital Admin & HR gave motivational speech about women internal strength while, Dr. Bharat Ghodadara, Medical

Superintendent explained about the scope of services available at GCS Hospital. On the same occasion, an interactive health talk on breast cancer & self detection was delivered at Shri K.K. Shastri Government College by visiting Onco surgeon - Dr. Bhavna Parikh to girl students.

World Tuberculosis (TB) Day

World Tuberculosis Day, falling on March 24th every year, is meant to create public awareness about the global epidemic of tuberculosis (TB) and efforts to eliminate the disease. In context with this ,GCS Hospital and Divyabhaskar greeted TB Patients availing treatment at GCS Hospital with a flower of rose and wished for fast recovery of all TB patients of GCS.



'Purple Day' for Epilepsy



Purple Day is observed to raise awareness of Epilepsy on 26th March every year. To spread awareness on Epilepsy on Purple Day among Critical Care Management personnel of institute, a CME session was organized. Dr. Arvind Sharma (Visiting Neuro Physician - GCS Hospital) was the speaker. He explained the symptoms, ailments, do's & don'ts to be followed in case of Epilepsy during his session.

CSR Activities



Ms. Nirmala Vadhavani - Gujarat state MLA visited GCS Hospital on 19th Jan, 2015. She was given a special facility tour of the

hospital and was amazed by the amenities and facilities being provided to the under privileged community at very nominal cost.



94.3 MYFM Team visited GCS Hospital for their social campaign named 'Ek Pyaala Khushi' They visited admitted patients and given them Chai (Tea) also wish them for fast recovery.





In News

Social Media Updates

It is great moment for GCSMCH& RC as we our social page on Facebook has crossed 5000 followers within very short period. We would like to grab the opportunity to thank all our followers who have made this happen. Throughout the year we have noticed and consider all your likes, comments and suggestions for betterment of organization. We would also appreciate your same response in future as well.



કેન્સરના દર્દીઓ સાથે ઉતરાયણની ઉજવણી કરાઈ



અમદાવાદઃ ગુજરાત કેન્સર સોસાયટી અને ગુજરાત કેન્સર રિસર્ચ ઈન્સ્ટિટ્યુટ દ્વારા કેન્સર સોસાયટી દ્વારા વાસણા ખાતે કમ્યુનિટિ ઓન્કોલોજી સેન્ટર ખાતે કેન્સરના દર્દીઓ સાથે

ઉતરાયળ ઉજવાઈ હતી. જેમાં ઉતરાયળના બે દિવસ પહેલા પતંગ ચઢાવાયા અને દર્દીઓના મોઢાં મીઠા કરાવવામાં આવ્યા હતાં.

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સિટીરિપોર્ટર• ૫ ગુજરાત કેન્સર સોસાયટી, લાયન્સ ક્લબ ઓફ અમદાવાદ કર્શાવતી ડિઝાઈયર 'સજદા' કંડ રેઈઝીંગ કાર્યક્રમ યોજવા જઈ રહ્યું છે. ગુજરાત ચેમ્બર ઓફ કોમર્સ એન્ડ ઈન્ડ્રસ્ટ્રી યુથ વિંગના સહયોગથી આ કાર્યક્રમ યોજાવા જઈ રહી છે. 4 એપ્રિલના જી.એમ.ડી.સી ઓડિટોરિયમ ખાતે આ ચેરિટી મનોરજેક કાર્યક્રમ યોજરો અને તેમાં જે ડોનેશન આવશે તે સીધેસીધું ગુજરાત કેન્સર સોસાયટીને જશે. આ કાર્યક્રમનો લક્ષ્યાંક કેન્સર પીડિત 1 હજાર દર્દીઓને મકત સારવાર માટે મદદરૂપ થવાનો છે. એક દર્દી દત્તક લેવાનો ખર્ચ આશરે 20 હજાર જેટલો છે.

'સજદા' મનોરંજક કાર્યક્રમમાં ગુજરાત ગૌરવ એવોર્ડ વિજેતા સૂકી ડાન્સર બિના મહેતા 'સૂક્ષ્યાના' રજૂ કરશે. એનઆઈએક્ટી (નીક્ટ)ના ગેજ્યુએટ કાયલ પારખનો ફેશન શો રજૂ કરવામાં આવશે, જેમાં કાયલ પારખ, નિર્મલા ભંડારી, સરોજ જૈન , નીતા ભંડારી ભાગ લેશે.

કેન્સરના 1000 દર્દીને દત્તક લેવા માટે 'સજદા' ચેરિટી શો

4 એપ્રિલે GNDC ઓડિટોરિસમમાં આચોજન

સુક્રી તૃલ્લ, કેશન છે. સંગીત-ગામાના કાર્યક્રમથી લ્લિનેની હવા પ્રતિનેની કાર્ય-ा मुझे कृत्य, देशन श्रे, 2 585 8851 58B

રહી છે. આ તમારે જવજાવૃતિ પૂર્ જૂરી મનો માટે હોવાથી આ ચીંડો स्वत्यक्षक स्थान अवस्था के स्वत्य अवस्था कर्म के स्वत्य अवस्था अस्था अस्

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GCRI HIGHLIGHTS



Events





GCRI has shown its presence in Vibrant Gujarat Summit **2015** from 7-13 January, 2015 at

Gandhinagar for public awareness of capability and Facilitiesavailable for cancer prevention and care.

Celebration of Kite festival for cancer patients was



organized at Vasna Hospice Complex on 10th January, 2015. Children from Pediatric Oncology participated in kite flying.

Happy Street: Cancer Awareness Programme in association with Times Of India and NavGujarat Samay

was organized on 1st was February, 2015. This public awareness program was held on CG Road to convey the message that Cancer is curable and



preventable. Former Directors, Deputy Directors of GCRI and Superintendent Civil Hospital along with senior staff members of GCRI remained present during the occasion.



World Cancer Day

was celebrated on 4th February, 2015 at GCRI in presence of Dean BJ Medical College and Office bearers of GCRI and GCSMC.

The program included address by dignitaries, skit on tobacco awareness by students from L.J. Institute of Management Studies and Cancer Katha by Suresh Prajapati. A drawing competition for school students was organized at Community Oncology Center, Vasna on cancer awareness theme.









Hospital Week Celebrations was carried out from 16th to 21st February, 2015. In the academic part of the celebrations, Dr T.B. Patel Research Medal for Research wing and Clinical wing as well as poster presentation was organized on 18th February, 2015. Shri Madanmohan Ramanlal GCRI luminary award was presented to Dr. Anilaben S. Kapadia, Former Prof. & Head, Department of Gynec-Oncology, GCRI on 19th February, 2015.

Presentation of two prestigious oration awards to the experts was held on 21st February, 2015 and awards presented

were: Shri Ramniklal J. Kinarivala Cancer Research Award to Dr. Dilip D. Giri, Attending pathologist, Memorial Sloan-Kettering Cancer Center, USA and Dr T. B. Patel Oration Award to Dr.



M. R. Rajagopal, Chairman,

Pallium, India and Director, WHO collaborating Centre for Training and Policy on Access to Pain Relief, Thiruvananthapuram. Various other programmes were organized during the week such as elocution competition for staff members of various departments of GCRI on 16th February, 2015; Assessment of Wards, Laboratories and various Departments were carried out on 17th February, 2015. Cultural programme by staff members of the Institute was on 20th February, 2015. At the end of celebration week, staff members of the Institute were felicitated and award presented for their noteworthy performance during last year.

Department of Cancer Biology celebrated Science Day-28th Feb 2015

The Science Day- 28th February 2015 was celebrated very enthusiastically by the Cancer Biology Department where Dr Geeta Joshi, Dy. Director, GCRI, delivered an inspirational talk. At this occasion, an elocution competition and a Quiz Competition were organized for the M.Sc Cancer Biology students. The topic for elocution competition was "Scope of Cancer Biology" and the theme of quiz competition was mainly the basic biology and methodology in Cancer Biology. Finally the event was concluded by Dr Prabhudas Patel, Head- Cancer Biology Department, through his enlightening and educational speech.

GCRI Student's Farewell

Farewell for final year resident doctors was organized on 20th March, 2015. Dr Saurabh Choksi, Director, J.G. Group of Educational Institutes was Chief Guest of the function.

GCRI HIGHLIGHTS



Academics

Guest Lectures

Dr. Bharat Barai, Medical Oncologist, USA, delivered a lecture related to "Newer systemic treatments for Her2 positive breast cancer" on 9th January, 2015.

- A lecture on "H1N1: precautions and guidelines" by Dr. Kamlesh Upadhyay, Nodal officer for H1N1 infection, Department of Health and Family Welfare, Govt. of Gujarat was held on 28th February, 2015.
- **Dr. Bella Panjawani**, Dentist, Canada, delivered an informative talk on "Dental Management in Onco-Surgery" on 5th March, 2015. Surgical Oncologists and Radiation Oncologists participated in this talk.

Telemedicine CMEs

Telemedicine CMEs are held every month, by ISRO in 80 centers having telemedicine nodes. Topics of general medicines are discussed by eminent specialists. All medical officers and faculty participate in the same.

- "Recent Approach in Management of Type 2 Diabetes" by Dr. Tiven Marwah, Consultant Endocrinologist was held on 9th January, 2015.
- "Recent advances in treatment of active coronary syndromes" by Dr. Amol Agarwal, Consultant Interventional Cardiologist was held on 12th February, 2015.
- "Recent advances in management of hypertension" by Dr. Asha Shah, Prof. Medicine, was held on 12th March, 2015.

Training Programs

 Medical Education Technology Training for faculty was organized from 5th to 7th January, 2015. Thirty one doctors underwent training of Medical Council of India.

• A webcast on the subject of "EGFR inhibition in 2015, Anti



angiogenesis in 2015, Lung cancer pipeline molecules (Alectinib, a PDL1)" was given by **Dr. Caicun Zhou**, Professor of Dept. of Oncology (China) was organized on 11th February, 2015.

- Certificate course in Pain & Palliative Medicine for doctors and nurses was held in Department of Pain & Palliative Medicine. This was for the first time a "Hands on" training of six weeks duration was held from 2nd February to 14th March, 2015. The course was organized in collaboration with Indo-American Cancer Association, USA and Pallium India, Trivendrum. Two doctors and two nurses were trained in this course. Twelve faculty from GCRI and three faculty from out of Gujarat gave lecture through skype call. It was very dynamic course where active participation from faculty and trainees was noted.
- A webcast CME on "Emerging Landscape in MCRC (Metastatic Colorectal Carcinoma)" was arranged on 18th March, 2015. The speaker was Dr. Dirk Arnold, Live from Germany.
- A CME on "Stoma Care Management" was held on 28th
 March, 2015 at the Institute for all faculties, residents
 and fellows of Department of Surgical Oncology, Gynec
 Oncology, Radiation Oncology, Stoma clinic staff, senior
 staff nurses of Surgery, Gynec wards and special rooms
 and Pain & Palliative care department staff.

National Conference on Management of Carcinoma Breast

Biocon - east Oncology, an event of Breast foundation of India is organized every year on 7th and 8th March to coincide with women's day. This year the CME was organized by Gujarat Cancer and Research Institute and Breast Cancer Foundation of India on 7th March, 2015 at GCRI. The event was inaugurated by our Mayor Mrs. Minaxiben Patel. Twenty five national faculties and senior doctors from Breast Foundation of India remained present. There were interesting scientific topics covered in this conference regarding management of carcinoma of breast targeting breast cancer to be non-existent one day. On -the second day, 8th March, as a part of International Women's Day, Gujarat Cancer Society, Gujarat Cancer and Research Institute, Breast Cancer Foundation of India, Sewa and Sanjeevani in collaboration conducted an awareness program early morning in Amphitheatre, Riverfront Park at Subhash Bridge from 6.00 to 8.00 am. On the same day, cancer awareness program was also held at Thakorebhai Desai Hall, Law Garden from 9.30 to 12.30 pm. The chief guest for the occasion was Ms. Ruby Ahluwalia (IRAS), Founder &

Managing trustee Sanjeevani. On this occasion, Dr J.D. Patel, Asso.Prof., Surgical Oncology, GCRI gave lecture on "Breast Cancer Information" and Dr Sonia Parikh, Asso.Prof., Medical Oncology, GCRI gave lecture on "Myths and Facts about Breast Cancer".



Training programs for nurses from January to March2015 on following topics:

- Drug abuse conducted by Indian Nursing Council
- Prevention of Blood Stream Infection (BSI), use of close port system and Care & maintenance of Peripherally Inserted Central Catheter (PICC)
- Software training for general store module
- · Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation
- · Prevention of H1N1
- · Care Of Paramedic Expert (COPE) training
- · Standard precautions training
- Management / Prevention of bed sores and medication error
- · Modern Trends in nursing

Training program for Class IV

- Training program for class IV related to "Blood and urine spillage basic do's & don'ts waste management" and "Blood and urine spillage, basic hand hygiene" was held on 13th and 28th January, 2015.
- Training program for class IV related to "Biomedical waste segregation, use of Personal Precaution Equipment (PPE)" was held on 25th February, 2015.

Training programe for Administrative staff

 A talk on 5S in workplace by Dr. Yashvant Joshi, Director, Unnat Academy of Human Excellence was held on 17th January, 2015. Total 100 Administrative and Nursing Departmental staff participated in this training.

GCRI HIGHLIGHTS



Employee Corner

Department of Laboratory Medicine successfully accomplished with NABL accreditation in the field of medical testing.

Awards presented to the staff as a part of Hospital week celebrations

Rotating trophies (Research wing and Clinical wing)

- Vibha Mehta rotating trophy for highest research papers during March 2014 to February 2015 was awarded this year to Biochemistry Research Division.
- Vimala Agarwal rotating trophy for highest research papers during March 2014 to February 2015 was awarded this year to Anaesthesia Department.

Dr. T.B. Patel young scientist research medals **Clinical wing –**

- Gold medal: Dr. Avinash Talele (Department of Medical Oncology)
- Silver medal: Dr. Mansi Trivedi (Blood Bank/Pathology)
- Bronze medal: Dr. Ruchira Trivedi (Pain and Palliative Medicine)

Research wing -

- Gold medal: Ms. Shanaya Patel (Medicinal chemistry and Pharmacology Division)
- Silver medal: Ms. Nupur Patel (Immunohistochemistry & Flow cytometry Division).
- Bronze medal: Ms. Shruti Patel (Biochemistry Research Division.

Assessment of Wards, Laboratories and various departments

- General Ward prize: Gynec Ward 10
- Special Ward prize: Semi special first and second floor
- OPD prize: Gynec OPD
- Pathology Laboratory prize: Microbiology Department
- Admin wing prize: Accounts Division

Elocution competition

- Pathology: Ms. Shilpa Parmar (Histopathology)
- Nursing staff: Mrs. Indira Macwan (ICN, GCRI)
- House Keeping (Class IV): Mr. Kamlesh (Supervisor)
- Administrative wing: Mr. Hitesh Bihola (Managment)
- Radiotherapy: Ms. Vidhi Patkar
- Radiology: Mr. Pravin Patel Rangoli Competition
- Prize: Ms. Dipti Makwana (HR Department)
 Mahendi Competition
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Ms. Shruti Patel, Junior research fellow, won third prize in poster presentation titled "Association of circulatory 25 (OH) D and matrix metalloproteinases with breast cancer risk" at National Conference on Management of B r e a s t c a n c e r Breast Oncology 2015 held at Gujarat Cancer & Research Institute in March 2015.

Hospital Services

Dr. T. B. Patel Drug Bank

Dr. T. B. Patel Drug bank run by the Gujarat cancer Society was started on April 1st, 2000. The aim of this drug

bank is to give medicines at the cheapest rate to the patients. GCS provides costly chemotherapy drugs and antibiotics at negotiated subsidized rate. Society is not taking any profit/service charges from the patients. Thus, patients get drugs at discounted prize as compared to market cost and they don't have to go out to purchase



medicines as they easily get them within the GCRI premises itself. Around hundred patients are taking medicines from this drug bank every day and the services are available from 9.00 am to 8.00 pm.



Through this activity they try to deliver their best service, which is being very useful to our cancer patients. This noble service of Gujarat Cancer Society is appreciated by beneficiaries and public.



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Clinical Services

- Medicine
- Surgery
- Paediatrics
- Anaesthesia
- Orthopaedics
- Gynaecology & Obstetrics
- · Dermatology & Skin
- Dentistry

- Ophthalmology
- Psychiatry
- TB & Respiratory Disease
- ENT

Super Specialty Services

- G.I. Surgery
- Cardiology
- Vascular Surgery
- Nephrology
- Urology
- Neurology
- Neuro Surgery

- Oncology
- Onco Surgery
- Joint Replacement
- Spine Surgery
- Rheumatology
- Pain Management
- Gastroenterology

- Paediatric Surgery
- Pulmonology
- · Endocrinology & Diabetology
- Plastic & Cosmetic Surgery
- Endoscopy

24 Hours Services

- Radiology
- Pathology

- Casualty & Emergency
- Ambulance
- Pharmacy
- Blood Bank

Support Services

- · Health Check up
- Dialysis
- Diet & Nutrition
- Physiotherapy

Empaneled with

- RSBY (Rashtriya Swasthya Bima Yojna) for BPL Patients Family Welfare Center
- · Chiranjeevi Yojna
- JSVY (Jyotirgamay Swasthya Vima Yojana)
- · Bal Sakha Yojna

GCS Hospital is empaneled with Major Insurance and TPA companies for Cashless services.

SALIENT FEATURES:

Free Consultation for needy patients. Investigations, medicine and surgeries available at reasonable rate.

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