

**CME on Autism Spectrum Disorders**

**Date:** 17.05.2023

**Venue:** CME HALL, KIMS & RC

**Total No. of Participants:** 250

**Total No. of Resource Persons:** 04

**Organized By:** DEPARTMENT OF PSYCHIATRY, KIMS & RC

**Event Report:**

Autism Spectrum Disorder is a neuro developmental disorder that affects individuals across their lifespan. It is characterized by challenges in social interaction, communication difficulties, repetitive behaviors, and a range of sensory sensitivities. This CME **aims to provide an overview of autism spectrum disorders**, including its characteristics, potential causes, diagnostic criteria, and strategies for supporting individuals on the spectrum.

The program was commenced with *Thamizh Thai Vaazhthu*, followed by the *welcome address* by Dr Siva Ilango T, Prof & HOD, Department of Psychiatry, KIMS & RC.

The Scientific session started with topic- **“Autism-Concept and classification”** by guest speaker Dr Shivaprakash Srinivasan, Consultant, Child Psychiatrist, SCARF, Chennai. This was followed by the **“Aetiology: Nature vs Nurture”** by Dr Sowjan M, Professor, Head, Department of Pediatrics, KIMS & RC.

After short break, Dr Venkateshwaran R. Prof. Head, Department of Radiology, KIMS &RC discussed about **Screening and diagnosis in autism disorders**. Dr Srilakshmi Velandy. Consultatant, Appollo Child hospital delivered comprehensive talk on **Management of Autism disorders**.

Post lunch session commenced with workshop on **“Parent counselling, Social communication, applied behavioral analysis and role of special education”**, which was moderated by Dr. Nithya, Psychologist, Chengalpattu Govt. Medical College Hospital.

The program concluded with vote of thanks by Dr Sumithra Devi S, Associate Prof of Psychiatry, KIMS & RC followed by national anthem.

## Brochure with Program Schedule



**Karpaga Vinayaga Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre**

**Department of Psychiatry**

*Cordially invites*

**CME Programme**

**Theme: Autism Spectrum Disorders**

Date: 17<sup>th</sup> May 2023  
Time: 9.00 AM – 4.00 PM  
Venue: CME Hall, Lecture Theatre Complex, KIMS

**Patrons**

Dr Sufala Sunil Vishwasrao (Principal, KIMS)  
Dr Durai Pandian K (Vice Principal, KIMS)  
Dr Kannaki M (Medical Superintendent, KIMS)  
Dr Sathyanarayanan S (Medical Director, KIMS)

Organizing Chairman: Dr Siva Ilango T  
Organizing Secretary: Dr Sumithra Devi S  
Organizing Treasurer: Dr Usaid S

**Programme Schedule**

Time	Topic	Speaker
09.00 AM – 09.30 AM	Registration	
09.30 AM – 09.45 AM	Felicitations & Welcome Address	Dr Siva Ilango T Prof & HOD, KIMS
09.45 AM – 10.30 AM	AUTISM – Concept and Classification	Dr Shivaprakash Srinivasan Consultant Child Psychiatrist SCARF, Chennai
10.30 AM – 11.15 AM	Aetiology: Nature Vs Nurture	Dr Sowjan M Prof & Head, Department of Pediatrics, KIMS
11.15 AM – 11.30 AM	Tea Break	
11.30 AM – 12.15 PM	Assessment: Screening and Diagnosis	Dr Venkateswaran R Consultant Child Psychiatrist Child Trust Hospital, Chennai
12.15 PM – 01.00 PM	Treatment: Care Vs Cure	Dr Sri Lakshmi Velandy Consultant child Psychiatrist Apollo Children's Hospital, Chennai
01.00 PM – 02.00 PM	Lunch	
02.00 PM – 04.00 PM	Workshop Parent Counselling Social Communication Applied Behavioural Analysis Role of Special Education	Moderators Dr Nithya, Psychologist, GCMCH Dr Siva Ilango T, KIMS Dr Sumithra Devi S, KIMS Dr Usaid S, KIMS

Registration Cost: Rs 400/- (for TNMC credit hours and Lunch)

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CME has been registered with the Tamil Nadu Medical Council  
E-Certificate will be issued to all speakers & delegates

## Lamp Lightening by Guest Speaker, Dr Nithya, Psychiatrist, Chengalpattu Med. College



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**The welcome address delivered by Dr Siva Ilango T**



**Dr Dr Shivaprakash Srinivasan, Consultant, Child Psychiatrist, SCARF, Chennai.**  
***“Autism-Concept and classification”***



**Felicitation of Guest speaker by Dr T Siva Ilango**



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