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## CME REPORT ON "BEST INFECTION CONTROL AND PREVENTION PRACTICES: WHAT ARE WE MISSING"

DATE: 01.12.2022 (8.30 am to 3.30 pm) VENUE: Lecture Hall Complex, KIMS & RC

Total No. of PARTICIPANTS: 43 TOTAL NO. OF RESOURCE PERSONS: 05

**ORGANIZED BY:** Department of Clinical Microbiology, KIMS & RC

The objectives of this CME was to emphasize the importance of infection control practices. The CME highlights the aspects regarding the implementation of various guidelines and infection control activities in CSSD, OT and Surgical ward, Pre and Post op infection control practices. The programme flagged off at 8.30 am, CME registration till 8.45 am and pretest started at 8.45 am -9.00 am.

The first speaker Mr. Visuvasam, Asst. Professor Department of Microbiology, KIMS & RC gave a talk on "Overview of HAI". He discussed in detail about the types of Hospital acquired infections and Diagnostic criteria. The second session was covered by Dr. Balan on CSSD. In this session the design, sections and functioning of CSSD was discussed elaborately. The third speaker was Dr. J. Abirami Lakshmy, Associate Professor, KIMS & RC who spoke on "Theatre Disinfection". The speaker elaborately dealt about the types of disinfectants, classification and Procedure/steps for every day OT disinfection protocol.

In the fourth session Dr. Meera, Asst. Professor elaborated about the techniques of endoscope reprocessing. The final session was delivered by Dr. Dhanapaul .S, Professor & HOD on Infection control practices: Pre and Post-surgical procedures followed by Hands on session /Case based discussion on Biomedical waste management and Hand Hygiene. The last session is followed by scientific discussion by undergraduates & postgraduates posttest, feedback & Vote of thanks.

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Dr Dhanapaul discussing about infection control practices

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