



## GENDER CHAMPION CLUB

The **Gender Champion Club** is aimed at promoting gender equality, awareness, and sensitivity within the institution. The club plays an essential role in addressing gender-related issues, promoting inclusivity, and creating a safe environment for all genders, especially in professional fields like medicine where gender disparities may exist.

### Members of Gender champion club

Dr Rena Rosalind chairperson

Dr Anupama Sekhar coordinator

Dr Sri Andaal coordinator

Nursing staff 3 members

Female students 3 members

Male students 3 members

### Key Objectives of a Gender Champion Club in a Medical College:

1. **Raising Awareness:** Educating students and faculty about gender issues, including discrimination, harassment, and biases that might exist within medical practice and education.
2. **Creating Safe Spaces:** Providing platforms for students to share their experiences regarding gender-based challenges and offering counseling or support to those affected.
3. **Advocating for Equal Opportunities:** Promoting gender equality in terms of admission, career opportunities, faculty positions, and leadership roles within the medical field.
4. **Organizing Events and Workshops:** Hosting talks, panel discussions, and workshops on topics like sexual harassment prevention, gender-based violence, and inclusivity in healthcare.
5. **Collaboration with Other Groups:** Partnering with various student organizations and external NGOs or advocacy groups to promote broader social change.
6. **Mentorship and Role Models:** Providing mentorship to students from all genders, helping them to overcome obstacles they may face in the male-dominated medical profession.

### Potential Activities:

- **Awareness Campaigns:** Events like poster-making, online campaigns, or short films on gender issues.
- **Guest Lectures:** Inviting experts, activists, or professors to speak on gender equality and its importance in healthcare.
- **Workshops:** Conducting training sessions on how to prevent gender bias in medical practice, empathy towards all genders, and understanding intersectionality.

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- **Social Media Engagement:** Promoting discussions on gender issues and supporting students via platforms like Instagram or Facebook.
- **Support Systems:** Offering confidential spaces for students facing gender-based harassment or discrimination.

Such clubs contribute significantly to building a more inclusive, respectful, and supportive academic and clinical environment.

## AWARENESS ACTIVITY- ELIMINATION OF VIOLENCE AGAINST WOMEN

DATE: 26/11/2024

TIME: 12 -1 pm

VENUE: Demo Room, Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology

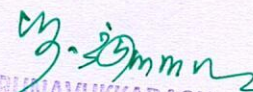
### REPORT OF EVENT:

Globally, an estimated 7.36 crore women (nearly one in three) experience physical and/or sexual violence from a partner or non-partner. Violence against women remains a major barrier to achieving equality, development, and peace, as well as to upholding the human rights of women and girls, so International Day for the Elimination of Violence Against Women is honoured on 25 th November to emphasize that violence against women and girls can be avoided and its negative. As part of this year's theme "Orange the World in 16 Days", the awareness activity was conducted as a part of the worldwide activities by UN country offices and civil society organizations strive to highlight efforts to prevent and end violence against women and girls.

The meeting was headed by Dr Rajakeerthana, Associate Professor of Obstetrics and Gynaecology. It was attended by more than 50 MBBS students including the student representatives of the Gender champion club. Other faculties of the departments, CRRIs, Nursing superintendent also attended the event. Talks on the current problems were given by Dr Anupama Sekhar and students actively participated in the discussions on women safety. The program was concluded at 1 pm.

### List of participants

Dr Rajakeerthana Associate Professor  
Dr Anupama Sekhar Coordinator and member of Gender champion club  
Dr Anjali George Senior Resident  
Dr Monisha postgraduate students  
Dr Ayesha and Dr Alagusubiksha, CRRi  
Mrs Annalakshmi , Nursing superintendent  
55 MBBS students

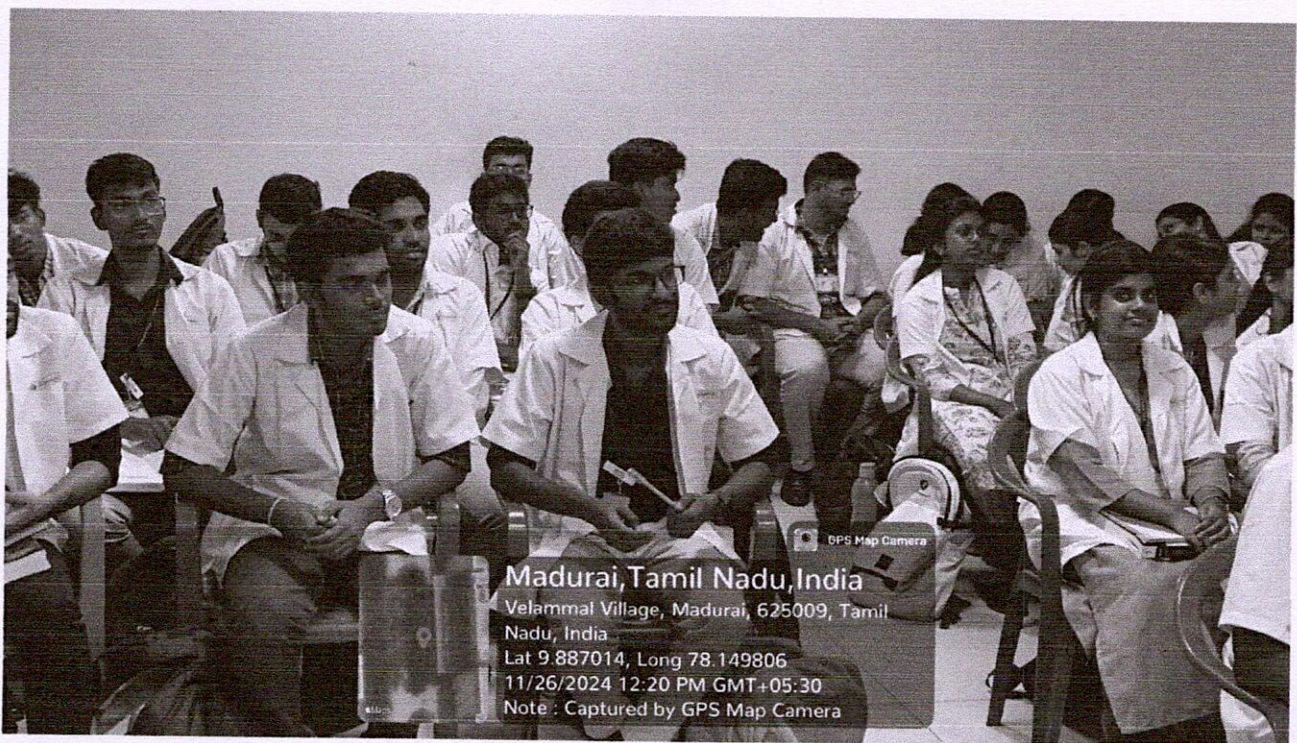
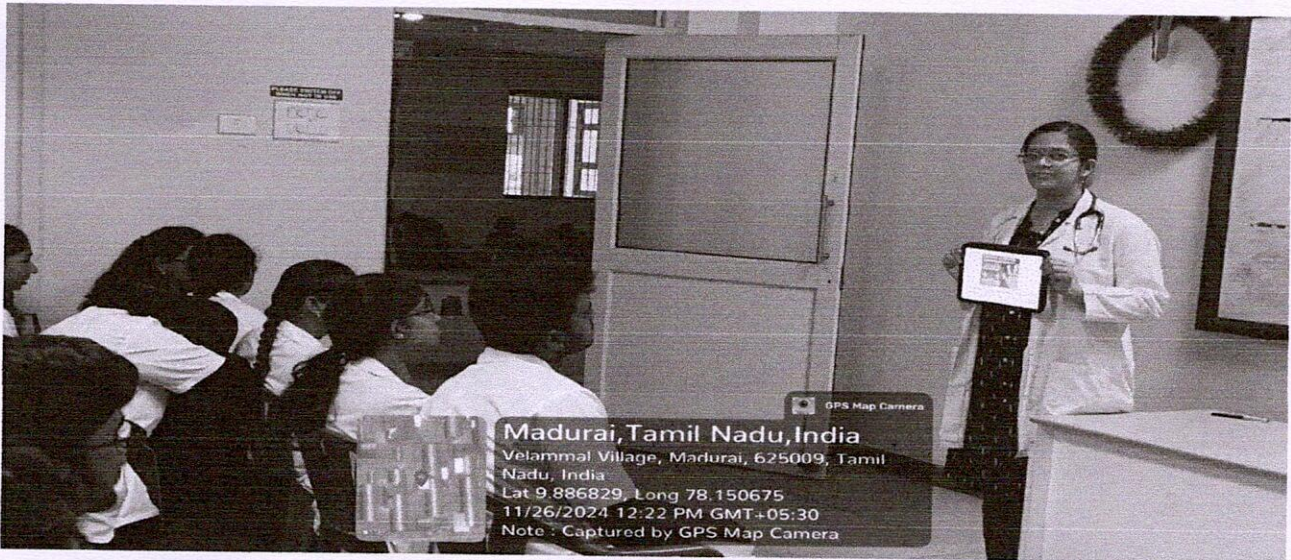
  
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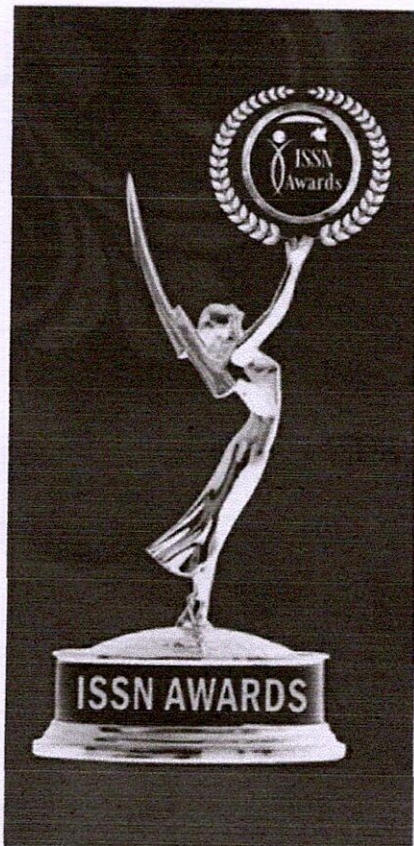
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## Achievements of Women in the Campus

THE DEPARTMENT OF PATHOLOGY IS HONORED AND PROUD IN

Dr.S.Radhika	MD, Pathology	--	JUNE 23, 2024	International Research Awards and Congress (IIRAC 2024)
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CELEBRATING THE WOMEN ACHIEVERS FROM THE  
DEPARTMENT-FACULTY



### CERTIFICATE of APPRECIATION

#### INTERNATIONAL OUTSTANDING RESEARCHER AWARD

Proudly Presented to **Dr. RADHIKA S**

for the Research & Excellence in

Pathology

With all its privileges and obligations provided at the ISSN  
INTERNATIONAL RESEARCH AWARDS AND CONGRESS 2024 (IIRAC  
24) on June 23, 2024 at Hotel Breeze Residency, INDIA.

DR. TERESA MATOSO M. Victor  
ANGOLA

Dr. Francisco Bulnes  
MEXICO

Dr. Aimée Tathiana KOULOUNDA  
SWITZERLAND

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## Velammal Medical College Hospital & Research Institute

### Department of Physiology

### Departmental Activity Report

#### “7.1.2. Achievements of Women in the campus”

The Department of Physiology is so honored and proud in celebrating the women achievers from the department, both in faculty and student category.

S.no	Name	Designation	Achievement
1	Dr.S.Renu Meena	Assistant Professor	First prize in Paper presentation in SanaVitaCon'24
2	Sulochanna	MBBS Student	First Place in Physiology Gold medal Exam
3	Tanushri	MBBS Student	Second prize in Paper presentation in SanaVitaCon'24

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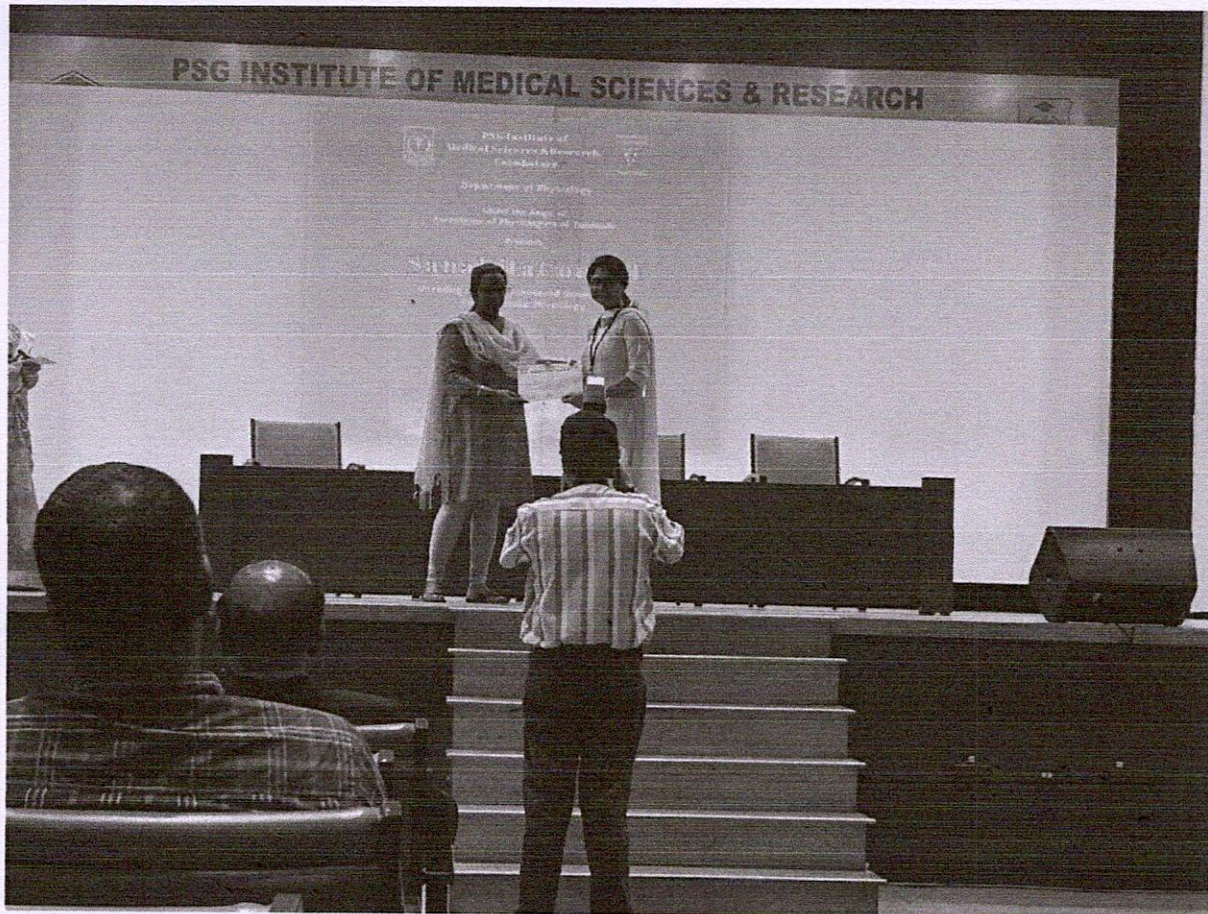




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National Conference of  
Association of Physiologists of Tamilnadu

## SanaVitaCon'24



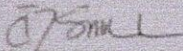
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
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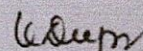
has won 2nd prize for the Poster/ Paper titled

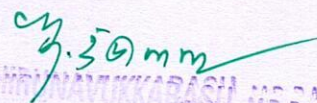
A study of the effect of facial Exercises on facial wrinkles and their correlation with facial fat infiltration in Madhagalluvaran in India.

in the National Conference  
conducted by the Department of Physiology,  
PSG Institute of Medical Sciences and Research, Coimbatore  
on October 4th & 5th, 2024.

  
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List of Awards and achievements by female faculties and students in academic year June 2023 to May 2024

Name of the female staff: Dr.Geerthana Final year Post Graduate in Biochemistry

Award/ recognition received: Poster presentation Prize in MIDCON 2024.

Awarded first/ second / third: First prize.

Date: 06.01.2024

Venue: Meenakshi Mission Hospital and Research Centre, Madurai.

Department: Department of Laboratory Services

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Writeup of the function: Dr. Geerthana Final year Post Graduate from Department of Biochemistry has presented a poster in the MIDCON 2024 conference conducted by Department of Laboratory Services, Meenakshi Mission Hospital and Research Centre, Madurai. *Dr. Geerthana*

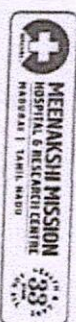
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Certificate of the appreciation:



**MIDCON 2024**  
MADURAI

*Poster / Paper Presentation*

**CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION**

This is to certify that

Dr. **B. GEERTHANA**

has **1** Prize in the POSTER / PAPER PRESENTATION conducted  
in MIDCON 2024 at Madurai on 06<sup>th</sup> and 07<sup>th</sup> January 2024.

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Name of the female staff: Dr.Geerthana Final year Post Graduate in Biochemistry

Award/ recognition received: Journal club presentation in VITA ELECTIO – LIFESTYLE MODIFICATION.

Awarded first/ second / third: Second prize.

Date: 01.04.2024

Venue: Department of Physiology, Velammal Medical College Hospital and Research Institute, Madurai.

Department: Department of Physiology

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Dr. Geerthana, a final-year postgraduate from the Department of Biochemistry, presented in the Journal Club competition conducted by the Department of Physiology at Velammal Medical College Hospital and Research Institute and won second prize at the national conference titled *Vita Electio – Lifestyle Modification*.

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**CERTIFICATE  
OF ACHIEVEMENT**



This Certificate is awarded to

**Dr. GEERITHANA**

from **VELAMMAL MEDICAL COLLEGE**

for participating in the **JOURNAL CLUB** competition

and securing **SECOND** place in the National Conference titled

**"VITA ELECTIO - LIFESTYLE MODIFICATIONS"** held from the 4<sup>th</sup> to 6<sup>th</sup> of April 2024,

organized by the Department of Physiology,

Velammal Medical College Hospital & Research Institute.

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