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**DEPARTMENT OF SKIN AND STD
AND MEDICAL EDUCATIONAL UNIT**

**Cordially invite you to attend the
C.M.E PROGRAMME**

OR

**"EARLY DIAGNOSIS & TREATMENT FOR
ELIMINATION OF LEPROSY "**

**Prof. Dr. Milind V. Bhutkar, M.D., MNAMS.,
Dean, VMKV Medical College & Hospitals, Salem.**

Will preside over the function

In the Presence of

**Prof. Dr. G. Kannan, MD.,
Medical Superintendent
VMKVMCH, Salem.**

**Prof. Dr. K. Ezhilvendhan, MS.,
Director, Hospital Development Committee
VMKVMCH, Salem.**

Guest Speaker

Dr. P.V.S. Prasad, MD., DD., DV., FAAD., FIMSA.,

Former Dean, RMMC

Former Professor & HOD, RMMC, Chidambaram

Shall deliver the lecture

Chair Persons

**Dr. G. Kannan, MD.,
Medical Superintendent & Professor,
Dept. of Skin & STD,
VMKVMCH, Salem.**

**Dr. Prabakaran Muthusamy, MD.,
Consultant Dermatologist,
Govt. Mohan Kumaramangalam
Medical College & Hospital, Salem.**

Date : 26.02.2020 Wednesday Time : 11.00 am to 12.00 noon

Venue : Annapoorana Lecture Hall - II, VMKVMCH, Salem

Programme Schedule

TAMIL THAI VALTHU

Welcome Address : **Dr. G.V. Seethalakshmi, M.D.,**
Associate Professor,
Department of Skin & STD,
VMKVMC&H, Salem

CME Inauguration by Dean

Introduction of the speaker : **Dr. G. Kannan, M.D.,**
Medical Superintendent & Professor,
Department of Skin & STD,
VMKVMC&H, Salem.

Scientific Session : **Dr. P.V.S. Prasad,**
MD., DD., DV., FAAD., FIMSA.,
Former Dean, RMMC,
Former Professor & HOD,
Department of Skin & STD,
RMMC, Chidambaram.

Vote of Thanks : **Dr. Monisha Muthu, M.D.,**
Assistant Professor,
Department of Skin & STD,
VMKVMC&H, Salem.

National Anthem

All are Welcome



Date: 26.02.2020

VINAYAKA MISSION'S KIRUPANANDA VARIYAR
MEDICAL COLLEGE & HOSPITAL
DEPARTEMENT OF SKIN & STD

CME ON "EARLY DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT FOR ELIMINATION OF LEPROSY"

- The CME on '**EARLY DIAGNOSIS AND TREATMENT FOR ELIMINATION OF LEPROSY**' was conducted on 26.02.2020 (Wednesday) from 11.00 am to 12.00 pm by the Department of SKIN & STD in Annapoorana Lecture Hall – II at Vinayaka Missions Kirupananda Variyar Medical College & Hospital, Salem.
- This is the 2nd CME conducted by the Dept of Skin & STD for the year 2020.
- The CME started at 11.00 am with the PRAYER SONG.
- **Dr. G. Kannan, MD.,** (Medical Superintendent & Professor, Department of SKIN & STD, VMKVMCH, Salem) welcomed the gathering and introduced the guest speaker.
- The scientific session started with the guest lecture on "**Early Diagnosis and Treatment for Elimination of Leprosy**" by **Dr. P.V.S Prasad, MD., DD., DV.; FAAD.; FIMSA.;** Former Dean, RMMC; Former Professor & Head, Department of Skin & STD, RMMC, Chidambaram, Tamil Nadu, India.
- The session was chaired by Prof. Dr. G. Kannan, MD., (Medical Superintendent & Professor), & Dr. Prabakaran Muthusamy, MD., (Consultant Dermatologist, Government Mohan Kumaramangalam Medical College and Hospital, Salem)
- The session was very useful for day to day practice. The lecture was interactive and informative to all the departments.
- Faculties, Post Graduates & CRRRI students of all the departments attended the CME Programme.

ABSTRACT OF THE TALK

- He discussed in brief about the following points :
 - LID-1 & NDO-LID recombinant proteins can be used as a rapid test for identification of leprosy.
 - High resolution ultrasound can be used for identification of neuritis.
 - Immunotherapy in the form of IFN- γ , BCG vaccination can be given as a part of treatment of leprosy.
 - Rifampicin 25mg/kg single dose is found to be useful in the chemoprophylaxis of leprosy in children <12yrs.
 - Cyclosporine 5mg/kg and Azathioprine can also be used as a part of treatment for type 1 Lepra reaction.
- Questions on the topic were asked to the audience and the doctors who gave the right answer were awarded by the department & **Dr. P.V.S Prasad, MD., DD., DV.; FAAD.; FIMSA.;** the guest speaker gave the prize.
- A poster competition was conducted on 30.01.2020 for 1st year MBBS students on the theme of 'Leprosy Day' and prizes were given for the first three places. S. Nandhini got the first prize;

Lekhana, Bhumika, Shvasha, Mohana, Shini got the second; and Harini A, Swetha S, S Kirthika, M Madhumitha, D M Kamala got the third.

- A Quiz competition was conducted on 25.02.2020, by the Dept of Skin & STD, VMKVMCH on the topic LEPROSY for all Undergraduates and Postgraduates of VMKVMC and cash prizes were given for the first, second and third place winners. Dr. Kesav and Dr. Nandhivarman bagged the first prize; Dr. Vijay Sharma and Dr. Animesh got the second; and Dr. Karthik Narayanan and Dr. Shananth Saravanan got the third place.
- The vote of thanks was delivered by **Dr. Monisha Muthu, MD.**, (Assistant Professor, Dept of Skin & STD, VMKVMCH, and Salem).
- The session ended with national anthem.

