

FATHER MULLER MEDICAL COLLEGE

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Best Practices of the Institution during 2023-24

Best Practice 1:

Title of the Practice

Infrastructure augmentation

Objectives:

- To improve the quality of medical education.
- To provide state-of-the-art learning resources.
- To update the tech-integrated learning.

Context

Infrastructure augmentation is necessary to enhance/ expand the facilities, resources, and technologies available to support medical education, research, and clinical services. This is essential for improving educational outcomes, patient care, and the overall operational effectiveness of the institution.Constant infrastructure augmentation is essential to provide quality medical education of global standard to the students.

Practice:

Following infrastructure augmentation has been undertaken:

- Upgradation of Classroom: WiFi Internet bandwidth is increased to 2gbps and number of demonstration rooms have been increased.
- Expansion of the Library: Online databases is significantly improved, including subscriptions to major medical journals and textbooks. Hard copies of new reference books and journals have been added.
- Enhancement of Clinical Facilities: The affiliated hospital's clinical departments are upgraded with modern equipment.
- Strengthening of Community Outreach Programs:Regular health camps are organized in rural and underserved areas, providing free check-ups, medications, and health education.

Problems Encountered and Resources Required: No specific problems encountered.

Best Practice 2:

Title of the Practice

Strengthening of Alumni association

Objectives:

• To bring more alumni under the umbrella of Alumni association.

Context:

Strengthening the alumni association is an essential for fostering connections, enhancing the institution's reputation, and supporting current students through mentorship, networking, and fundraising efforts.

Practice:

- In view of strengthening the alumni association, inaugural meet of the Kerala subchapter was conducted on the 26-11-2023 at Greenhill Estate, Vagamon, Idukki, Kerala.
- Guest lecture by eminent alumni were organized.
- 25th reunion and *Guruvandana* by the pioneering MBBS Batch 99, the first batch MBBS was organised.

Problems Encountered and Resources Required:

Encouraging alumni who are busy with their medical practices to participate in alumni association activities.