

# SREE GOKULAM MEDICAL COLLEGE AND RESEARCH FOUNDATION

## Department of Infection Control

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As part of the International Infection Prevention Week (IIPW), which took place from October 17th to 23rd, 2021, the HICC organised and conducted the following activities within the hospital.

### Hand Hygiene Screening Test

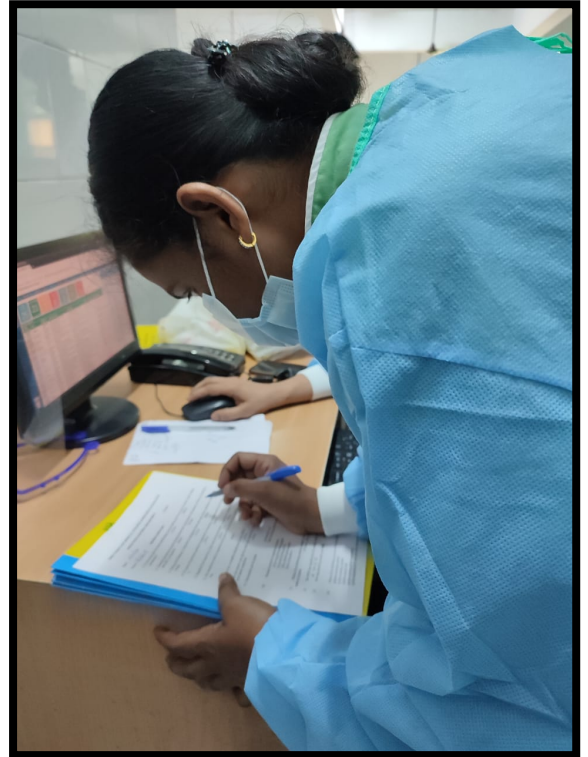
On 21st and 22nd of October, hand hygiene screening was carried out amongst the nurses in different wards.

- 1 nurse each in 5 wards was monitored.
- They were observed for compliance to the steps of hand hygiene in the correct order for the prescribed duration
- Following this, handprint culture was done.
- A brief review of hand hygiene practices and hand hygiene moments was taken post screening.



## Quiz regarding hand hygiene, infection control and bio medical waste management

- Multiple choice quiz was conducted amongst the nurses in 8 wards.
- Areas covered include, hand hygiene steps, moments of hand hygiene, spill management and biomedical waste management.
- Following the completion of the quiz, there was a brief discussion regarding the above mentioned topics.



## PPE Donning and Doffing

- Demonstration classes for PPE donning and doffing were taken for the present batch of house surgeons in 5 batches
- The techniques of donning and doffing as well as the common errors encountered were discussed and demonstrated.
- The house surgeons were guided on the proper disposal of the various equipments according to the BMW regulations

