



SRI BALAJI VIDYAPEETH (SBV)

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SUBSTANCE ABUSE AND LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

Awareness on substance abuse and its legal implications is imperative for student community where prevalence of substance abuse is on the rise. Knowledge on the current laws and Indian penal code for persons of substance abuse is the need of the hour for parents, students and the teaching fraternity.



SBV/MGMCRI/MEET-025

3rd July 2018

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This is to inform that there would a talk by Dr. V J Chandran, Dy. Inspector General of Police on Substance Abuse – Life, Society and Legal implications at the Ground Floor Lecture Hall, MGMCRI, SBV Campus on 30th August 2018.

It is requested of all the students, faculty and heads of departments and administrator

Purpose and Abstract

Drug and other substance abuse has been increasingly prevalent amongst the youngsters these days. It is henceforth deemed important that our students and our faculty and administrators to be aware of its ill effects on our life, society and its legal implications.



Sincerely yours,


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10th September 2018

Event Name: Substance Abuse – Life, Society and Legal Implications

Speaker: Dr. V J Chandran, Dy, Inspector General of Police,

Venue: Ground Floor Lecture Hall, MGMCRI College Block SBV Campus

Date: 30th August 2018 , Time: 2:00 to 4:00 pm

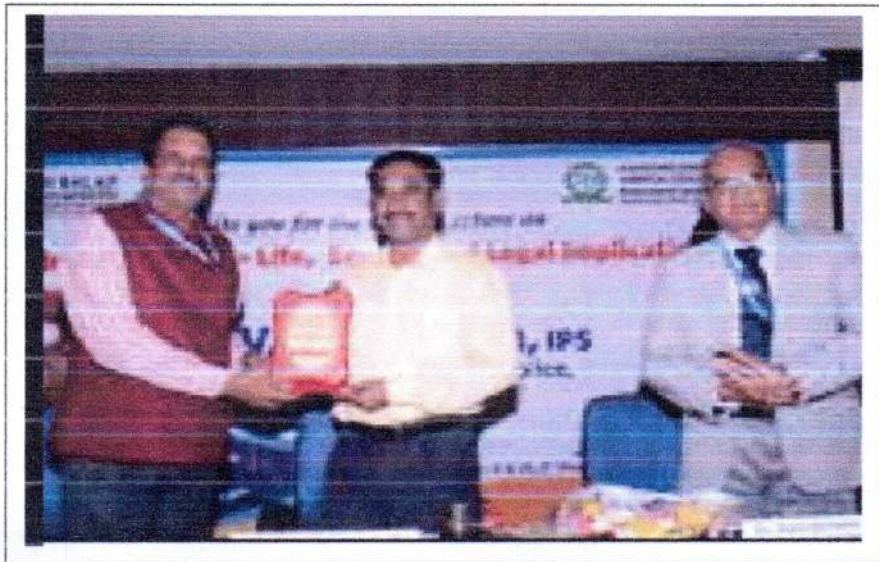
Mahatma Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, a constituent college of Sri Balaji Vidyapeeth, Deemed to be University, Pondicherry had organized an awareness talk on 'Substance abuse – life, Society and Legal implications' on 30th August 2018, between 2.00pm and 4.00 under its auspices for the betterment of the student community drawn from Pondicherry and nearby areas. Dr. V.J. Chandran, IPS, Deputy Inspector General of Police, Government of Puducherry addressed the students on this all important topic especially in the wake of the growing menace of the substance abuse by the students of institutes of higher education. In his speech Dr. Chandran spoke at length on drugs, drug abuse, drug dependence. He explained the students about the common drugs that are being abused by the community at large. He said that the abuse of drugs lead to lots of deteriorations in physical, psychological well-being. He warned that the trying of drugs in the first attempt will tempt the human being to try more and this is how the addicts are trapped. Also drug abuse leads to Non-co-ordination of physic and mind, loss of decision making, sluggish reaction, blurred vision and memory loss. Earlier in the day Dr. S.C. Parija, Vice-Chancellor of Sri Balaji Vidyapeeth, presided over the function and said the SBV Policy on drug abuse will be put in public domain and the suggestions from the stake holders will be invited. The Vice-Chancellor initialed a pledge taking by the students on drug abuse which was read by the DIG of Police. The programme is in this direction, the UGC had directed all the Vice-Chancellors to ensure setting up a mechanism for strict compliance in ensuring a drug free environment in educational institutions across the countries especially with reference to the rules on tobacco, alcohol and drugs in all areas within the realms of the University.



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Dr. V J Chandran, IPS, Dy Inspector General of police being felicitated by Hon'ble Vice Chancellor, SBV and Dean of MGMCRI

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Feedback: The response of the program was found to be good to excellent. More programs are expected by the students and faculty from such crosscutting issues for the welfare of society.