



# KASTURBA MEDICAL COLLEGE

MANGALORE

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## **AWARENESS PROGRAM ON WORLD RABIES DAY- 2022**

**Organized by:** Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College (KMC)  
Mangalore, Manipal Academy of Higher Education

**Date:** 29/09/2022

**Time:** 02:30pm to 04:00 pm

**Venue:** Pompei Pre-University College, Talipady, Aikala, Dakshina Kannada - 574141

### **Speaker:**

1. Dr. Darshan BB, Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore.
2. Dr. Mithun, Assistant Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore.

### **Team Members:**

1. Dr. Madhu Malar P , Postgraduate, Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore
2. Dr. Srinivas, Tutor, Department of Community Medicine, KMC Mangalore
3. Mrs. Kavitha Shetty, Health Educator, Rural Health Training Centre-Kateel, Department of Community Medicine
4. Mr. Rahul, Health Inspector, Rural Health Training Centre-Kateel, Department of Community Medicine
5. Medical Interns, Department of Community Medicine

**Total number of beneficiaries:** 375

**Target audience:** Students of Pompeii Pre-university College

**Brief summary:** RHTC-Kateel, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore organized an awareness session at Pompeii Pre-university College, Talipady, Aikala, Dakshina Kannada on 29/09/2022 on account of the World Rabies Day. The theme of this year being One health, Zero deaths.

The resource persons and the team were welcomed by the Principal, Mr. Desmond D'mello with a bouquet of flowers, following which he briefed the crowd on the significance of the day. A skit was performed by the students of the 2<sup>nd</sup> PUC science branch students on healthy eating habits on account of Poshan Maah- September.

An awareness talk was given Dr Darshan BB, Associate Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore. The students were explained about the burden and fatality of disease, myths and facts related to Rabies.

This was followed by another session by Dr. Mithun, Assistant Professor, Department of Community Medicine, Kasturba Medical College, Mangalore. In this session the students learned about symptoms of the disease in human beings as well as animals, First Aid after animal bite and preventive measures.

The program was wound up with a skit by the interns of KMC Mangalore showing the myths and practices associated with rabies.

### PHOTOGRAPHS





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