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"The Lord is my rock, my fortress and my deliverer; my God is my rock, in whom I take refuge, my shield and the horn of my salvation. ***2 Samuel 22:2***

Workshop on Developing a Protocol for a Cochrane Systematic Review organized by Cochrane South Asia

Cochrane South Asia organized a Workshop on Developing a Protocol for a Cochrane Systematic Review from 11th to 15th June , 2018 at the IRB Meeting Hall, Bagayam Campus.

During the past twenty years, Cochrane has helped to transform the way health decisions are made. So far this year, 90% of the 2016 WHO guidelines contain Cochrane Evidence.

The participants for this workshop included medical professionals from the BP Koirala Institute of Health Sciences, Nepal, Goa Dental College and Hospital, King George's Medical University, Lucknow, Army Hospital Research and Referral, Delhi Cantt, Delhi Technological University, PGIMER, Chandigarh, Bansal Hospital, Bhopal and Katuri Medical College and Hospital, Guntur.

The sessions during the five days were designed to provide an initiation to the concept of evidence-informed healthcare, the wide role of systematic reviews in healthcare provision, and the steps involved in getting started with a Cochrane systematic review.

The training provided on developing a search strategy, using of reference management software, and 'RevMan' software were well appreciated by the participants. The series of lectures were conducted by Retd Professor. Prathap Tharyan, Professor Thambu David, Dr. Akhil Abhijnhan, Richard Kirubakaran and Jabez Paul Barnabas from Cochrane South Asia.

For more details on Cochrane the following link can be visited http://www.cochrane.org/news/use-cochrane-reviews-inform-who-guidelines; and for upcoming workshop schedules, the details are provided in the link given below: http://southasia.cochrane.org/training

Special Prayers* : *July 01 - 07, 2018

***Dietary* :**
Mr. Ebinezer Sundarraj and Staff
Ms. Manimegalai B. and Staff

***Dermatology* :**
Dr. Susanne A. Pulimood and Staff
Dr. Renu E. George and Staff
Mrs. Ilavarasi Jesudoss and Staff

Assemblies of God in North India

Hospital: Mission of Mercy Hospital and Research Centre, Kolkota

Sunday Services* : *July 08, 2018

6.00 pm : **Scudder Auditorium**
Dr.Barney Isaac

6.30 pm : **Hospital Chapel**
Dr.Rabi Raja Singh

5.00 pm : **Friendship Chapel, KPTR Campus**
Dr.Rabin Chacko

Memorandum

Dr. Vinay Timothy Oommen, is appointed as Vice Principal(UG) with effect from 3rd July, 2018 for a four year term.

***Welcome* :**

Dr. Suresh Roland Devasahayam, Professor, Department of Bio-engineering, on his return from sabbatical leave.

Workshop on 'Motivational Interviewing'

The CME Department in association with Psychiatry Unit-II conducted a half day Workshop on "Motivational Interviewing: A Clinician's guide to changing health Behaviour" on Saturday, 16th of June, 2018. The four hour scientific programme was conducted with the aim to help participants define the strategies, inculcate the techniques and demonstrate the skills required in performing Motivational Interviewing in routine clinical practice.

The workshop was attended by hundred participants across various clinical, paramedical and nursing specialties. The Workshop emphasized on transforming shared knowledge of motivational interviewing techniques into actual clinical practice by showing recorded video interactions between consenting patients and their therapists. The workshop ended with an interactive role play session in which the participants volunteered to practice the skills demonstrated in the workshop on hypothetical case scenarios. The workshop was well received by the participating students and faculty alike.

Congratulations!

• **Dr. Meena Supriya S.,** Postgraduate Fellow, Medical Genetics has won the first place in the quiz programme conducted for "Lysosomal Storage Disorders" at the CME by Fetal Care Research Foundation and Voluntary Health Services Hospital, Chennai.

Retirements

Mr. C. Erusappan, Sr. Gr.II Driver, RUHSA retired on 5th June, 2018 after 38 years of dedicated service to the institution. He has two sons and a daughter. His elder son, Mr. Premnath is a Hospital Attendant in SICU, his daughter Ms. Ria Pramila is a Multipurpose Health Worker in Paediatrics Department and youngest son, Mr. Praveen Backiaraj is a Hospital Attendant in O4 Ward.

Mrs. D. Jessiekumari, Sr. Hospital Attendant, O Block retired on 5th June, 2018 after 37 years of dedicated service to the institution. She has two sons and a daughter. Her elder son, Mr. L. Manoj Kumar is an X-Ray Technician in JIPMER Hospital, Pondicherry, second son, Mr. L. Vinoth Kumar is a Technician in the Department of General Pathology and daughter, Mrs. Reena is a Lab Technician in Clinical Pathology.

Mrs. Savithri Vedamuthu, Charge Nurse Gr.II retired on 8th June, 2018 after 25 years of dedicated service to the institution. She completed her General Nursing in Midwifery at the MLL Hospital, Madanapalli and joined CMC in 1988 as a Staff Nurse. In the year 2001, she completed her PBB.Sc. and was promoted as a Charge Nurse in 2002. She was working in S Extension as Charge Nurse till her superannuation. She is known for her constant hard work and keen interest in patient care . Her husband Mr. Vedamuthu is a retired TNTC staff. they have a son and two daughters, Mr. Isaac Samuel, Mrs.Glory Emima and Miss. Grace Esther .

CMC community is thankful for their years of dedication and commitment to the institution and wishes them God's blessings on their retired life.

Obituary

Mr. J.H.V.Thomas, retired staff, Sr.Sel.Gr.Medical Record Technician, husband of late Mrs.Hepzhibha, Secretary, Directorate on 22nd June 2018. Let us uphold his son Mr.T.Jebakumar, grand daughter Mrs.Annie Evangeline, Staff Nurse in CHAD and all the bereaved members of the family in our prayers.

Upcoming Event : Centenary of Medical Education

Third Luminary Lecture: Mr. Palagummi Sainath, 2007 Ramon Magsaysay Recipient, and Founder-Editor, People's Archive of Rural India **Date** : Wednesday, July 4, 2018 **Time** : 6.00 pm.
Venue : Scudder Auditorium, CMC Bagayam Campus
Please Note : Buses will leave Kagittapatarai Campus at 4.45 pm via ASHA Building. Please be seated by 5.30 pm. Refreshments will be served at 5.30 pm.

Situations Vacant

1(a) Assistant Professor with **M.S. (E.N.T)** for the **Department of E.N.T. Unit V**
Experience : Should have at least one year teaching experience as (Asst. Professor) in any MCI recognized teaching institution. Salary : As per institutional rules. Accommodation provided (subject to availability).
1(b) Senior Resident with **M.S. (E.N.T)** for the **Department of E.N.T. Unit V**
Salary : As per institutional rules. Accommodation provided (Partly furnished, depending on availability).
Desirable : Preference will be given for those who have 2 years work experience in Laryngology.

2. Senior Demonstrator (Non Medical) for the **Department of Transfusion Medicine & Immunohaematology:-**

Area of work : Immunogenetics lab of Christian Medical College, Vellore. This lab provides HLA and Immunogenetics services to the CMC Hospital. **Qualification :** M.Sc., in Biochemistry, Molecular Biology, Medical Microbiology and Genetics. Preference will be given to candidates with demonstrable hands-on experience with molecular and HLA techniques.

Salary : As per institutional rules **Accommodation :** Not provided

Apply with bio-data, certificates and testimonial copies with contact phone number, e-mail ID and address to the Principal, Christian Medical College, Bagayam, Vellore – 632 002, email: **princi@cmcvellore.ac.in** on or before **July 07, 2018** for Items 1(a) and 1(b) and **July 11, 2018** for Item 2.

3. Research Officer (NM) for the **Department of Clinical Microbiology** ***Job Code : 1253***
Qualification : M.Sc. Biotechnology with experience in Bioinformatics.
Mode of appointment : Project mode. Age : Below 35 years.
Salary : As per institutional rules. Accommodation not provided.

4. Research Fellow(Two Posts) for the **Department of Wellcome Research** ***Job Code : 1254***
Qualification : M.Sc. Medical Microbiology /Medical Biochemistry/Medical Lab Technology/Microbiology/ Applied Microbiology
Mode of appointment : Project mode. Salary : As per institutional rules. Accommodation not provided.

Download application from this link: **http://www.cmch-vellore.edu/**→General →Vacancies →Application Form for Project Staff. The print out of the application with certificates and testimonial copies should be sent to the Principal, Christian Medical College, Bagayam, Vellore - 632 002 on or before **July 05, 2018** for Item 3 and **July 13, 2018** for Item 4. ***Note : Please mention the Job Code in the application form. The application without Job Code will not be accepted.***

5(a). Staff II Medical Lab.Technician for the **Department of Clinical Virology.**
Qualifications : - B.Sc., with CMAI Diploma in Medical Lab.Technician Course (2 Years) or B.Sc., MLT

5(b).Staff III Virology Technicain for the **Department of Clinical Virology**
Qualifications : B.Sc., with One year Diploma in Virology Technician Course.
Salary Scale: - As per rules Age Limit 35 years Job Description: To work in EQAS Project.

6. Staff III Pharmacist for the D**epartment of Pharmacy Services.**

Qualifications : D.Pharm / B.Pharm. Candidates with Typing and Computer skills will be preferred.

Appointment will be given only for pharmacists who have registered in the Tamil Nadu State Pharmacy Council and who are doing or completed 1 year of traineeship in the Department of Pharmacy.

Those who applied in the last one year need not apply. Salary Scale: - As per institutional rules.

Age Limit : 35 years. Job Description: Dispensing of Drugs, Charging the prescription and receiving cash.

Applications to be done only through online application system. Please log on to **http://www.cmch-vellore.edu** Link: "Vacancies". Note : Only online applications will be accepted; Hard copies will not be accepted.
Applications will close on **July 09, 2018** for Items 5(a) and 5(b) and Item 6.

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7(a). Staff III Dietitian (Project) for the **Department of Paediatrics Unit III**
Qualifications : - B.Sc., with PG Diploma in Dietitics
Salary Scale: - As per rules Age Limit : 35 years Job Description: To work in Project.

7(b). Staff II Respiratory Therapist (Project) for the **Department of Paediatrics Unit III.**
Qualifications : - B.Sc., with PG Diploma in Respiratory Therapy Course or B.Sc., Repiratory Therapy Course.
Salary Scale: - As per rules Age Limit: 35 years Job Description: To work in Project.

Applications to be done only through online application system. Please log on to **http://www.cmch-vellore.edu** Link: "Vacancies". Note : Only online applications will be accepted; Hard copies will not be accepted. Applications will close on **July 08, 2018** for Items 7(a) and 7(b).

8(a). Staff III Graduate Technician for the **Department of General Pathology**

Qualifications **:-** B.Sc., MLT / B.Sc., with Medical Laboratory Technology (CMAI)

8(b).Staff III Histopathology Technician for the **Department of General Pathology**

Qualifications **:-** Graduate in Life Science with PG Diploma in Histopathology

Age Limit: 35 years Salary scale: As per rules

Nature of Job : Histopathology – Tissue processing, Section cutting and staining.

9. Graduate Technician Trainee (Project) for the **Centre for Stem Cell Research**

Qualification: B.Sc., in Life Sciences with minimum 55% marks
Age Limit : 30 years Stipend : - As per rules
Job Description: To work in a gene therapy and iPSC technology.

Applications to be done only through online application system. Please log on to **http://www.cmch-vellore.edu** Link: "Vacancies". Note : Only online applications will be accepted; Hard copies will not be accepted. Applications will close on **July 16, 2018** for Items 8(a) , 8(b) and item 9.

10. Administrative Assistant Gr.V(Project Mode) for the **Department of Paediatrics Unit III**
Qualification: Graduate +1 year PGDHA Salary : As per institutional rules

11. Field Worker (Project Mode) for the **Department of Community Health**
Qualification: +2 Pass Age limit: 30 years and below
Salary : As per institutional rules
*Previous experience in Research project as Data Collector will be given preference

Applications to be done only through online application system. Please log on to **http://www.cmch-vellore.edu** Link: "Vacancies". Note : Only online applications will be accepted; Hard copies will not be accepted. Applications will close on **July 08, 2018** for Item 10 and **July 07, 2018** Item 11.

12. Staff Nurse B.Sc(Project) for the **Department of Paediatrics Unit III**
Qualification : B.Sc Nursing
Apply to the Dean, College of Nursing with Biodata, Photograph, Certificates, Testimonial/s and references on or before **July 08, 2018** for Item 12.

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