

ANNUAL REPORT BY DEAN : 2019-20 & 2020-21
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Introduction

1. Lt Gen VK Mishra, AVSM, GOC Delhi Area and Patron ACMS, Lt Gen AK Jindal, AVSM, YSM, Comdt AH (R&R), Maj Gen Alok Kacker, COS Delhi Area and Chairman ACMS, Maj Gen RK Raina, SM, PhD (Retd), MD AWES, Maj Gen SK Singh Comt Base Hospital & Medical Superintendent, distinguished guests, Senior Officers, proud parents, faculty members of ACMS & Base Hosp and my dear students.

2. It is my proud privilege to deliver the annual report of Army College of Medical Sciences for the academic years 2019-20 & 2020-21. The ACMS was established in 2008 and affiliated to Guru Govind Singh Indraprastha University New Delhi. This is the only private medical college of all five medical colleges affiliated to GGSIP University. ACMS is attached to Base Hospital Delhi Cantt for teaching, training and all clinical activities. Till date, a total number of 08 batches of graduate MBBS doctors have passed out from this esteemed institution and are making a difference in the lives of the people across India and abroad and currently 04 batches of future doctors are being trained in the college.

3. This College has a lush green expansive campus and provides state of the art infrastructure in the form of well equipped labs, including a new Skill Lab to provide a safe and non threatening environment for students to learn, practice and be observed while performing skills in a simulated environment, well stocked Library, smart classrooms & access to hi speed internet connectivity through NKN connection and Wi-Fi facility for students as well as teachers.

4. In this short period, the college has made a niche among the top medical colleges of the country. In 2021, India Today conducted a survey of medical colleges across India and placed ACMS at **5th Rank** among top 10 Pvt Medical colleges. There are about 600 total medical colleges and approx 280 Pvt Medical Colleges in India. It also declared ACMS the **4th Rank** out of the top 10 Emerging Colleges (Highest-scoring Colleges among those set up in or after 2000). The college continue to attract talent during admission. The NEET score cut off this year was 583 and last student in Army category had 27000 NEET ranking and hundreds could not get admission.

Academics

5. ACMS students have a legacy of excellence in academics and have continued to bring laurels to the College by their outstanding performance in the university exams.

6. I am pleased to inform you that in the final prof exam, the 2017 batch got 39 Distinctions and bagged 5 out of the top ten positions in the university. **Dr. Katyayni Kumari** secured 1st position in the University with 83.67% marks and also secured the highest marks in all subjects.

7. The results of 3rd Prof Part I, 2nd Prof & 1st Prof conducted in Mar/Apr 2022 are yet to be declared. However, in the last third Prof Part 1 Exam, the 2017 batch got 30 Distinctions and secured 02 out of top 10 positions in the university. **Ms Katyayni Kumari** secured 3rd Rank in the university with 79.25% marks.

8. In the 2nd prof university exam, the 2018 batch got 72 Distinctions and bagged 02 out of top 10 university positions. **Ms Mamta Pandey** secured **2nd Rank** in the university with 81.64% marks.

9. In the first Prof exam, the 2019 batch got 68 Distinctions and secured 01 out of 10 positions in the university. **Ms. Raafia Khan** secured 2nd Rank in the university with 81.56% marks.

10. The outgoing students have also done their alma mater proud by their performance in the highly competitive NEET-PG Exam. This year, 60 students have got admission in various specialties for post graduation. This is a record of sorts because 60% of the students getting PG is a remarkable feat in itself. Five students have joined the armed forces medical services.

Students' Research

11. We encourage early exposure of students to scientific research as it helps them to become better learners and also equips them with requisite skills to practice evidence based medicine. The faculty members mentor and guide the students for ICMR Projects. A total number of 12 ICMR/departmental projects are being conducted presently.

12. Apart from undertaking research, the students are also encouraged to present and publish their research work at national & international conferences and journals.

13. Twelve (12) students of 2017 batch participated in the 7th Bangalore Medical Congress Conference held at Comd Hosp (AF) Bangalore from 28 Oct to 02 Nov 2021 and made their presence felt.

14. Two (02) students also participated in Indian Academy of Paediatrics Quiz Competition on 24 Sep 21 at Lady Hardings Medical College (LHMC).

15. To give impetus to research in the institute, the college has initiated a journal; the **JOMA**. It is a biannual journal and 2 issues have already been published. The first issue had 15 articles & 2nd issue had 10 articles. The journal is indexed with four indices and Index Copernicus indexing is under progress. Volume 4 Issue 1 was published in Jun 2021.

Extracurricular Activities

16. This college always believed in overall personality development and laid emphasis on sports and cultural activities. Recently the importance of extracurricular activities has also been recognized by NMC in the form of their formal inclusion into the undergraduate curriculum.

17. Students of batch 2018 participated in "AWES Cultural Event 2020" held at AIE Greater Noida from 11-13 Feb 2020. **Varsha Chaudhary** won **Gold** in **Chess** and **Aeshna Tandon & Tanwi Pradeep** won **Gold** in **Spell Bee** event. **Shriya Singh** won **Silver prize** in **Turncoat event**. **03 students** won **Silver Medal** in 100 Mtr, 200 Mtr & 5 km Race.

18. **Folk Dance Group** of our students won trophy **1st Runner Up** in **Anugoonj Fest** held at GGSIPU on 17 Feb 2020. Students of 2019 Batch participated in "Inter Collegiate Competition" held at AIE Greater Noida on 07 Mar 2020 on the occasion of International Women's Day 2020 and secured **1st Posn** in **Seminar** and **2nd Posn** in **Poster Making** competitions.

19. Due to COVID pandemic, extracurricular activities/sports events could not be organized during 2019-20 & 2020-21. However, faculty & students participated in the various sports activities/events organized in the college like Cricket match, Observance of International Yoga Diwas, Inter-Batch Badminton Tournament etc. ACMS students also participated & won **Bronze Medal** in "Inter-University Volley-Varsity-2022" Tournament organized at Jamia Hamdard University on 30th & 31st Mar 2022.

20. "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav" is an initiative of Govt of India to celebrate & commemorate 75 years of Independence and the glorious history of it's people, culture & achievements. ACMS has also charted out a plan to celebrate it with fan & fervor. Cultural events with the theme of "Azadi ka Amrit Mahotsav" are planned every month which will end in Aug 2023. A **Rangoli and Poster Competition** for all batches were organized on 08 & 09 Apr 2022.

Faculty Development & Research

21. Faculty development is an essential facet of any academic institute. **CME to celebrate "World Heart Day"** was organized on 28 Sep 2021 which gave the students and faculty a chance to learn from eminent speakers from different fields. The faculty is also encouraged to publish and present their research work. **Over 200** research Papers were published by faculty incl AFMS during last 1 year.

22. Twenty two (22) faculty members were trained in Curriculum Implementation Support Program Workshop at MAMC to implement the revised undergraduate Competency Based Medical Education (CBME) curriculum under observership of Dr Kirti Singh.

23. RBCW in Medical Education Technologies was conducted on 30 Mar – 01 Apr 22 under observership of Dr Poonam Agrawal nominated from Regional Centre MAMC. 30 members of ACMS & BHDC attended the course.

24. CBME-cum hands on workshop of Small Group Teaching (SGT) was conducted by MEU ACMS on 04 Sep 21. 27 faculty members attended the workshop.

Participation in Govt Health Programmes

25. For appraising the students with national health policies and programmes and give them practical training for the same, it is imperative for the college to have active collaboration with government health agencies. Faculty from the college attends the meetings of these health programmes like National Tuberculosis Elimination Programme and co-ordinates the implementation of the programme in liaison with Base Hospital. COVID 19 vaccination for all students, faculty and non-teaching staff was arranged in the first phase of vaccination drive at the regional district vaccination centre at LHMC. Booster Precaution dose vaccination session was conducted in the college itself during January 2022.

26. The training of interns from the college has also been started at Mata Gujri Hospital in Tilak Nagar in collaboration with South Delhi Municipal Corporation wherein the interns from ACMS are posted for a period of 3 weeks each in Medicine, Obstetrics & Gynaecology and Surgery department of the hospital. This is mandatory as per the new NMC guidelines and substantiates active participation of college in government public health system.

Inspections

27. The Joint Assessment Committee (JAC) inspection has been carried out by the team of GGSIP University on 22 Mar 2022 after space of two years. Though, the formal report is still awaited, the team of JAC inspectors appreciated the infrastructure and the efforts made so far by the institute.

28. Annual Adm & Tech (AAT) Inspection for the year 2019-20 was carried out in the month of Jul 2021. The report has been assessed as '**Good**'.

Conclusion

29. In conclusion, I would like to reiterate that the college continues to train knowledgeable, ethical and well groomed medical professionals. Though we have made considerable progress in the last few years, we cannot rest upon our past laurels. Under the able leadership of Gen Mishra and Gen Kacker and with support from AWES, we the staff and students of ACMS continue to strive for greater height and hope to be counted amongst top 10 in near future.

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