Medical Education Unit (MEU) Nandha Siddha Medical College and Hospital, Erode-52

Established in 2025, the Medical Education Unit (MEU) at Nandha Siddha Medical College and Hospital aims to enhance the quality of medical education by training faculty members in Medical Education Technology. This is achieved through the efforts of core members who have undergone the attended syllabus framing (CBCD) and Advanced Course in Medical Education (ACME).

Key Objectives of the MEU:

- Provide training for faculty in modern teaching methodologies and educational technologies.
- Ensure continuous improvement in the planning, implementation, and evaluation of the teaching-learning process.
- Align educational practices with the National Medical Council of India's guidelines under the Competency-Based Curriculum Development (CBCD) framework.
- Support the Curriculum Implementation Committee in effectively executing CBCD components.

Major Achievements:

Through faculty capacity building, the college has successfully integrated various CBCD elements into the undergraduate curriculum, including:

- Foundation courses
- Early clinical exposure
- Village adoption programs
- Problem-based and case-based learning
- Bedside teaching
- Electives and integrated (vertical and horizontal) teaching

Department of Education – Core Functions:

The Department of Education plays a central role in overseeing and enhancing educational practices. Its primary responsibilities include:

- Managing all undergraduate educational activities at the institution.
- Driving continuous quality improvement in medical education.
- Planning, implementing, and evaluating curriculum development and faculty development initiatives, in line with the NCISM directives.
- Coordinating curriculum development through the Curriculum Committee.
- Conducting faculty development programs and workshops via the Faculty Development Committee.

- Promoting the integration of Information Technology (IT) into the medical curriculum.
- Developing and maintaining specialized educational labs such as:
 - Skills Lab
- Supporting educational research through projects and publication efforts.
- Keeping the institution updated with current trends in medical education by organizing:
 - Journal clubs
 - Workshops
 - Conferences

MEU Functioning:

- The MEU convenes five times annually.
- Additional meetings are held as needed.
- Each meeting follows a predetermined agenda, circulated in advance to all members.
- Deliberations are documented, and follow-up actions are recorded.

Note:

The MEU is reconstituted every three years to ensure continued relevance and effectiveness.



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3.	Dr.P.Gunasekar	Associate Professor Dept of Siddha Maruthuva Adipadai Thathuvangalum Varalarum Member MEU	9677918397	09-11-2024 to 11-11-2024
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5.	Dr.C.Sasikala	Associate Professor Dept of Kuzhanthai Maruthuvam Member MEU	9787581114	24-10-2024 to 26-10-2024
6.	Dr.B.Kunthavi	Associate Professor Dept of Sattam Sarntha Maruthuvamum Nanju Maruthuvamum Member MEU	9597066802	24-10-2024 to 26-10-2024
7.	Dr.R.Kirubakaran	Associate Professor Dept of Aruvai Maruthuvam Member MEU	9597250752	04-10-2024 to 06-10-2024
8.	Dr.D.Subathra	Associate Professor Dept of Aruvai Maruthuvam Member MEU	8428466943	09-11-2024 to 11-11-2024
9.	Dr.K.Revathi	Assistant Professor Dept of Noi Naadal Member MEU	8939674209	04-10-2024 to 06-10-2024
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> Curriculum Implementation Support Program

Roles & Responsibilities

Conduct faculty development programs (BCME, ACME, etc.).

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Support curriculum planning, including CBME (Competency-Based Medical Education). ERODE - 638052

Promote research in medical education.

Coordinate teaching-learning and assessment innovations.