

Report on Workshop on “Pediatric Critical Care Nursing - May 22, 2019

Astate level workshop on “Pediatric Critical Care Nursing”with special focus on Respiratory care, Cardiovascular/ Hemodynamic, Infection Prevention Practices Resuscitation & Neurological carewas organized by Department of Child Health Nursing of Himalayan College of Nursing on 22ndMay 2019.The resource persons of the workshop were from Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, Delhi alongwith Department of Pediatric Medicine, Himalayan Institute of Hospital Sciences, SRHU, Dehradun.

The workshop was conceptualized by Mr. D. Y. Sorte, HOD & team of faculty and Post Graduate students of department of Child Health Nursing andchaired by Dr. Sanchita Pugazhendi, Principal, Himalayan College of Nursing & Dean, Faculty of Nursing, SRHU.

There were total of 98 Participants registered in the workshop from different Colleges & Hospitals of Uttarakhand and surrounding States. Inauguration ceremony of the workshop was graced by Chief Guest Dr. VijendraChauhan, Honorable Pro-Vice Chancellor, SRHU and Guest of Honor, Dr. Anil Sachdev,Co-founder CPCC & Director PICU, Sir Ganga Ram Hospital.

Dr. VijendraChauhan, in his inaugural address congratulated the organizing committee of Department of Child Health Nursing, Himalayan College of Nursing for organizing this type of workshop. He emphasized that nurses are the backbone of the hospital and they need to be groomed with psychomotor skills to deliver quality care. Dr. Anil Sachdev, Guest of Honor emphasized on the critical areas to be handled by the nurses. He expressed that positive learning attitude of nurses is an essential requisite for rendering quality patient care. Further he added that this workshop is very important for the nurses to enhance their skills and hence requested the organizers to conduct such workshops at least twice in a year in order to train and prepare all nurses of Uttarakhand towards focused Pediatric Critical Care Nursing.

The Co-Chairperson of the workshop Mr. Dipti Y Sortedetailed on overview of the workshop. He mentioned seven important points to be noted by the nurse i,e Preparation, Anticipation, Know what to do, In what order to be done, Be able to work quickly in coordination with other team members, Record keeping & documentation and most importantly the Right kind of attitude of nurses’working in critical care unit.

The program started at 8:30am with a session on “General Care of PICU Patient” addressed by Dr. B.P. Kalra, incontinuation to that Dr. SanobarWasimtook a session on “Enteral and Parenteralfeeding in the PICU”. A videoon CPR was projected by Dr. Neeraj Gupta and continued with Identification of Sick Childby Dr. Anil Sachdev.

After inauguration at 11:00am, the scientific session onFluids, Electrolytes and drug dilutionwas led by Dr. Neeraj Gupta, PICU Intensivist followed by Infection control and standard precaution by Ms. Anumol TP, PICU Nurse, SGRH, Delhi. Next session was taken by Dr. B.P Kalra, Professor, Pediatric Medicine, HIMS, SRHU. He emphasized on the topic assisting in Procedures followed by equipment in PICU which was addressed by Dr. Anil Sachdev.The lastpre-lunchsession was covered by Dr. SanobarWasim, Associate Professor, Pediatric Medicine, HIMS, Dehradun on the topic: Care of invasive lines and catheters.

The afternoon session started at 3.00pm with hands on practices demonstrated by team of Sir Ganga Hospital Delhi. There were four stations arranged at the backside of auditorium on Respiratory Care, Cardiovascular/ Hemodynamic, Resuscitation & Neurological Care and Infection Prevention Practices.

Then valedictory session of workshop started by 5:pm. Dr.Sanchita Pugazhendi, Chairperson & Dean, Faculty of Nursing congratulated entire team of Child Health Nursing Department and conveyed thanks to resource persons of Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, Delhi for their cooperation and active participation during the workshop. Felicitation of the speakers as well as the organizers of the workshop was done by Dr. Anil Sachdeva, Guest of Honor.

Mrs. Rajkumari Sylvia Devi, Workshop coordinator, welcomed the Guests. Mrs. SanjenbamEmonChanu, organizing secretary of the workshop proposed the vote of thanks. The Inaugural and Valedictory ceremony were compered by Dr. VandanaChauhan and MrsNamrataPundir respectively. The program ended by 5:30pm.

