

WORLD BREASTFEEDING WEEK 2023 CELEBRATION
DEPARTMENT OF NEONATOLOGY
HIMALAYAN INSTITUTE OF MEDICAL SCIENCES, DEHRADUN

The Department of Neonatology at Himalayan Institute of Medical Sciences, Dehradun, Uttarakhand, India celebrated World breastfeeding week 2023 with full of fervour. "Enabling breastfeeding: Making a difference for working parents" was the central point of all the activities.

The various activities conducted were:

Date	Topic	Presenter/Moderator	No of Attendance
01-08-2023	Lecture for parents on importance of breastfeeding	Poorva Sharma (Senior Resident, Paediatrics) and Mrs Madhuri Tripathi (Infection Control Nurse, NICU)	20
02-08-2023	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) "Current gaps in breastfeeding in India & in the state of Uttarakhand." 2) "Creating awareness on various policies and entitlements available for working mother." 3) "How to get accredited for Breastfeeding Friendly Hospital by Breastfeeding Promotion Network of India (BPNI)." 	Dr Saikat Patra, Associate Professor, Department of Neonatology	38
03-08-2023	Seminar on "Common problems in breastfeeding	Dr Sahiba Maadan (Junior Resident, Paediatrics) and moderated by Dr Chinmay Chetan, Assistant Professor, Neonatology	12
04-08-23	A case discussion on extremely low birth weight management with special emphasis on mother's own milk and kangaroo mother care at the launch of Uttarakhand Neonatology Society (NNF Uttarakhand) at AIIMS, Rishikesh.	Dr Brajendra Singh (Senior Resident, Neonatology) under the mentorship of Prof Dr Girish Gupta (Head of Department, Department of Neonatology) and Dr Saikat Patra, Associate Professor, Department of Neonatology	60



05-08-2023	A clinical grand round case discussion of a case of Tracheo-esophageal fistula with emphasis on breastfeeding and the good outcome at 6 months was presented	Dr Pushpang Suman (Senior Resident, Paediatrics) under the mentorship of Dr Chinmay Chetan, Assistant Professor, Neonatology	50
	An online e-poster competition was organized by Department of Pediatrics, AIIMS Mangalagiri, Andhra Pradesh. There were 13 entries from 13 staff nurse of NICU from Himalayan Institute of Medical Sciences.	Dr Saikat Patra, Associate Professor, Department of Neonatology	13
06-08-2023	<p>Staff Nurse Tenzin Chime and Madhuri Tripathi participated in an online reels competition organized by NNF Ernakulam and IAP Cochin, Kerala.</p> <p>There were 20 entries in the competition from various parts of Kerala and the single entry from our unit was the only one from outside Kerala. This was highly appreciated by the organizers.</p>	Staff Nurse Tenzin Chime and Madhuri Tripathi	20
06-08-2023	An online breastfeeding quiz for nurses and doctors were organized by NNF Rajputana.	<p>Staff Nurse Madhuri Tripathi, Tenzin Chime and Irene John participated in the nurse's quiz.</p> <p>Dr Brajendra Singh (Senior Resident, Neonatology), Dr Poorva Sharma (Senior Resident, Paediatrics), Dr Surbhi Chowdhary (Junior Resident, Paediatrics) and Dr Chandni Nangia (Junior Resident, Paediatrics) participated in the doctor's quiz.</p>	7
07-08-2023	<p>An offline poster competition was organized by Department of Neonatology at Himalayan Institute of Medical Sciences, Dehradun, Uttarakhand, India.</p> <p>Judges were Dr Rakesh Kumar (Associate Professor, Pediatrics), Dr Sanober Wasim (Associate Professor, Pediatrics) and Mrs Reena Habil (Nursing superintendent HIMS).</p> <p>1st prize was won by Dr Garima Goyal and Staff Nurse Surbhi, 2nd prize by NICU In charge Sister Irene John and 3rd prize by Staff Nurse Himani Rana. The programme concluded by</p>	Dr Saikat Patra, Associate Professor, Department of Neonatology	20



	remarks from Prof Dr Girish Gupta (Head of Department, Department of Neonatology).		
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Event Photographs

Celebration of World Breastfeeding week 2023 at Department of Neonatology, HIMS on 1st Aug, to 7 Aug- 2023

