

Uttarakhand NEOCON 2024
Workshop & CNE on Facility Based Nursing Care
28th & 29th September 2024

The Uttarakhand NEOCON 2024, a two-days workshop and Continuing Nursing Education (CNE) on Facility-Based Nursing Care, was organized by the Department of Child Health Nursing, Himalayan College of Nursing, in collaboration with the Departments of Pediatrics and Neonatology, Himalayan Institute of Medical Sciences, SRHU, on 28th and 29th September 2024. The program was coordinated by Dr. Rajkumari Sylvia Devi, with Dr. Rakesh Kumar serving as Secretary. The event brought together eminent speakers from Sri Guru Ram Rai University, Graphic Era University, and Swami Rama Himalayan University, Dehradun.



Pic 1: Participants and organizers



Pic 2: Session on Hand Hygiene & Infection Control



Pic 3: Sessions on KMC & Breast feeding



Pic 4: Sessions on Resuscitation & NICU Equipment



Pic 5: Sessions on care of a crashing newborn & thermal protection



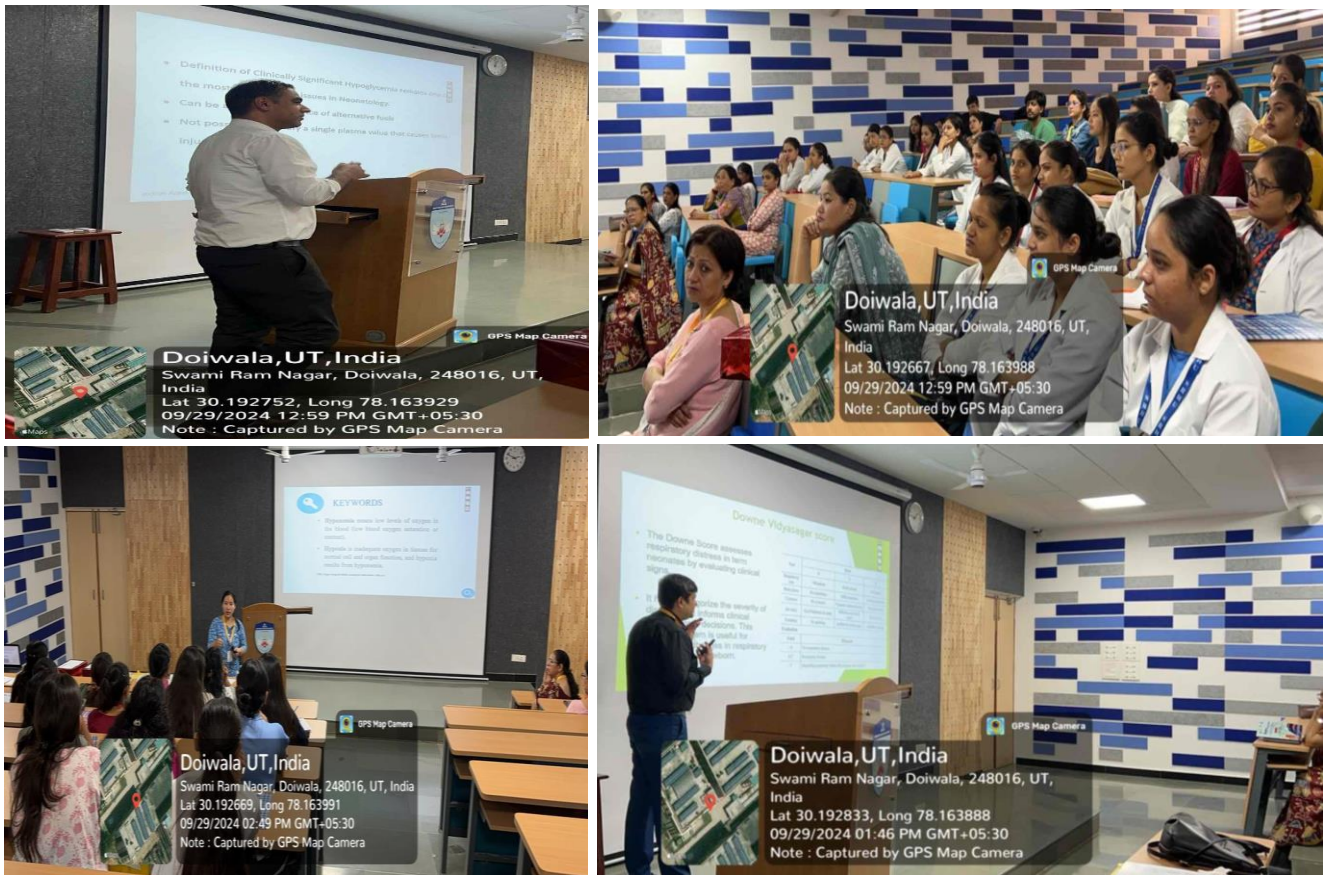
Pic 6: Sessions on Biomedical Waste Management

The workshop was held on 28th September, involved 50 participants and featured hands-on training through eight skill-based workstations. Expert sessions were delivered by a panel of professionals, including Dr. Rakesh Kumar, Dr. Shoham Majumder, Dr. Brajendra Singh, Dr. Sanobar Wasim, Dr. Rajkumari Sylvia Devi, Dr. Ankita Giri, Ms. Tenzin Chime, and Ms. Ambika. The workshop aimed to provide participants with practical neonatal care skills, and the attendees displayed great enthusiasm for learning.

The CNE was conducted on 29th September, focused on crucial aspects of neonatal care, with 40 participants attending. The scientific sessions were led by Dr. Rajkumari Sylvia Devi, Mrs. Sanjenbam Emon Chanu, Dr. Vishal Kaushik, Dr. Shantanu Subham, Lt. Col. Neeta Rawat, and Ms. Tenzin Chime, covering key topics such as care around birth, developmentally supportive care, management of hypoglycemia, oxygen therapy, and the prevention of medication errors.



Pic 7: CNE Sessions in progress



Pic 8: CNE Sessions in progress

These sessions were designed to enhance the clinical competencies of NICU nurses and improve the quality of care in neonatal intensive care settings. Overall, Uttarakhand NEOCON 2024 successfully contributed to the professional development of neonatal nurses, providing them with the necessary knowledge and skills to deliver high-quality, evidence-based care in NICUs. The collaboration between the Himalayan College of Nursing and other institutions demonstrated a strong commitment to advancing neonatal healthcare in the region.

Dr. Rajkumari Sylvia Devi
Coordinator of Workshop & CNE