Greetings!

The month of January is observed as 'Cervical Cancer Awareness Month' globally, to spread awareness on cervical cancer screening and prevention. Screening of women for Cervical cancer is one of the stated missions and task of PMSSY on the agenda 'Campaign on India @75'. The Dept. of Obstetrics and Gynecology at AHMS Mangalagiri will be organizing the following events in Jan 2021 to promote awareness on cervical cancer.

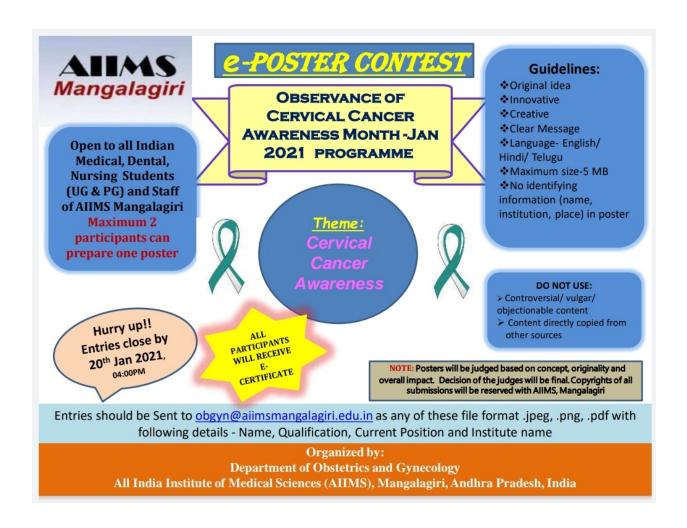
Observance of 'Cervical cancer awareness month' January 2021 Dept. of Obstetrics and Gynecology AHMS, Mangalagiri

PLANNED EVENTS

- E- poster competition on 'Cervical cancer awareness'
- Release of patient information pamphlet on 'Cervical cancer awareness' by The Director, AIIMS, Mangalagiri
- 'PAP TEST' Screening drive for women staff and patients at AIIMS Mangalagiri
- Display of cervical cancer awareness posters, distribution of pamphlets and conduct of awareness sessions for patients in OBG OPD block
- Public outreach programme
 - o 'Cervical cancer screening camp' at Nutakki PHC for women of Nutakki village
 - Health talk on Cervical cancer awareness via virtual platform for 'Mahila Mandali' women social organization members, AP



AIIMS, Mangalagiri invites you to take part and send your entries for the E- poster competition on the theme 'Cervical cancer awareness' as a part of observance of 'Cervical cancer awareness month - January 2021 programme' at AIIMS, Mangalagiri Last Date of submission- 20th Jan 2021



Cervical cancer continues to be a public health problem in India, accounting for about 1 lakh new cases and 60,000 women deaths every year. 'PAP SMEAR' Screening drive is to promote awareness on cervical cancer and to encourage women staff and patients at AIIMS Mangalagiri to schedule their screening test for cervical cancer.

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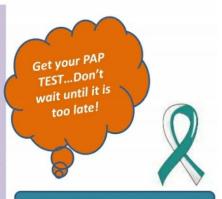
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PAP TEST screening drive for women staff and patients at AIIMS, Mangalagiri



Cervical cancer awareness month January 2021 Prevention and early detection saves lives!

- ☐ Cervical cancer continues to be a public health problem in India, accounting for about 1 lakh new cases and 60,000 women deaths every year...
- ☐ Cervical cancer is a preventable cancer!
- ☐ Effective primary (HPV vaccination) and secondary prevention approaches (screening for, and treating precancerous lesions) will prevent most cervical cancer cases
- ☐ A comprehensive approach to prevent, screen and treat cervical cancer is the need of the hour!
- ☐ A woman's best protection against cervical cancer is to have regular screening with a cervical PAP TEST. The PAP test looks for cell changes in the cervix that may become cancerous if not treated appropriately
- A PAP TEST takes less than 5 minutes....Any abnormal PAP TEST requires confirmation by colposcopy and biopsy..



PAP TEST saves lives!

COVID-19 has changed many things in life ... but the need to have a regular PAP TEST isn't one of them...

If you have not had your PAP TEST in the last 3-5 years, please schedule it now!

Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at AIIMS, Mangalagiri offers PAP tests and colposcopy services and we request all to avail these services As a part of observance of 'Cervical cancer awareness month - January 2021 programme' Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology at AIIMS, Mangalagiri offers Cervical cancer screening camp at Nuttakki PHC on 08.01.2021 for the benefit all women at Nuttaki village, Guntur District, AP



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Cervical cancer awareness month - January 2021 programme

Free cervical cancer screening camp at Nuttaki PHC on 08. 01.2021

- Cervical cancer develops in a woman's cervix (The cervix is the lower, narrow part of the uterus that
 opens into the vagina).
- Cervical cancer is the second most common cancer among Indian women. Approximately 1 lakh women are diagnosed with cervical cancer with 60,000 deaths every year in India. India accounts for 1/4th cervical cancer cases and deaths worldwide.
- Cervical cancer is a preventable cancer! Cervical cancer is preventable with HPV vaccination and regular cervical screening tests
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PHOTO GALLERY OF EVENTS (till date)

1. Release of patient information pamphlet by Director sir and unveiling of events on the occasion of 'Observance of Cancer cervix awareness month Jan 2021' at AIIMS Mangalagiri







2. Sensitization session for medical students on cancer cervix screening and prevention in OBG OPD block









3. Cervical cancer Awareness session for patients and all the housekeeping staff of AIIMS Mangalagiri in OBG OPD block.







