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NEWS



“VIDHYA RATHNA”

**Prof. Dr. M. KARUNANITHI B.Pharm., M.S., Ph.D., D.Litt.,
Chairman & Secretary**

Vivekanandha Educational Institutions & Hospitals Tiruchengode & Sankari

The Chairman’s Desk

Prof.Dr.M.Karunanithi is the Chairman and Secretary, Vivekanandha Educational Institutions for Women & Vivekanandha Medical Care Hospital. The untiring work of the philanthropist, and the living legend, has been honored with Vidhya Rattan, Rashtriya Rattan, Hind Rattan, and Kongunattu Sathanaiyalar for his sincere and committed work for the successful enhancement of women and empowerment in different educational genres. Such a benefactor of women hatches vision with mission and fosters their developments in all walks of life. He is a versatile person and a pioneer in the field of women empowerment and a role model to all the young minds. He is a man of wisdom who paves the right path for thousands and thousands of women students.

The Principal's Desk

A warm and hearty welcome to Vivekanandha Pharmacy College for Women, Sankari. It is with immense pride and a deep sense of responsibility that I lead this esteemed institution, a place where future generations of women leaders in pharmacy are nurtured.



Our core commitment is to a triad of excellence: academics, research, and holistic development. We believe that true education transcends the classroom. This belief is brought to life by our experienced and dedicated faculty, who serve as mentors and guides. They are supported by our state-of-the-art facilities and a comprehensive curriculum designed to be both rigorous and relevant. This powerful combination ensures that our students are not just well-educated, but also well-prepared to confidently step into their future careers and make a significant impact.

A - ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE

S - STUDENT- CENTERED

T - TEACHING / TRAINING / TECHNOLOGY

E - EDUCATION / EXTENSION

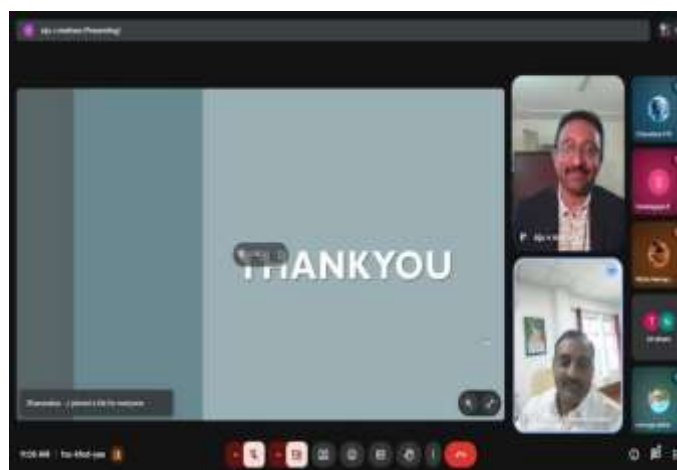
R - RESEARCH / RESPONSIBILITY

A- Academic Excellence

- All the faculties from VPCW actively attended a Guest Lecture on **“Emerging Therapeutic trends and Career Opportunities for Pharmacy Graduates”** at 02.00 PM. Dr. R.Thirumurthy Organizing secretary and the event is coordinated by all faculty member in the department on 23.01.2026 at VPCW Seminar Hall.



- The Department of Pharmaceutics at Vivekanandha Pharmacy College for Women, Salem, successfully organized a webinar titled **“Employment Opportunities for Indian Pharmacists in the Middle East Countries”** on **January 28, 2026**, at 10:30 AM. Dr. T. Sudhamani served as the Organizing Secretary, coordinating the event alongside the dedicated faculty members of the department. The session featured an insightful keynote address by Dr. Mathew Siju Varghese, M.Pharm., Ph.D., Key Accounts Manager – Pharma at Yousif Mahmood Husain Pharmacy, Manama, Kingdom of Bahrain. The webinar provided valuable career guidance for students and faculty regarding the evolving pharmaceutical landscape in the Middle East.



- The Department of Pharmacy Practice at Vivekanandha Pharmacy College for Women achieved a significant milestone with the successful organization of a webinar titled **“Mastering the Manuscript: Writing, Refining and Submitting Compelling Research and Review Articles”** on January 20, 2026. Dr. V. Senthil served as the Convener, providing strategic guidance for the event, while



Dr. K. Krishnaveni led as the Organizing Secretary. The webinar was meticulously coordinated by the Department of Pharmacy Practice faculty, ensuring a seamless experience for all attendees. The session saw enthusiastic participation from Pharm.D students, who gained vital insights into the nuances of academic writing and the publication process, making the event a grand success.



- The Department of Pharmacognosy at Vivekanandha Pharmacy College for Women successfully organized an impactful webinar on January 30, 2026. The session featured Ms. M. Keerthana as the resource person, who delivered an insightful and thought-provoking talk titled “Unlocking Nature’s Pharmacy for Global Health: A Pharmacist’s Journey – Practical Hurdles and Lessons.” The webinar provided a deep dive into the real-world challenges and invaluable lessons learned in the field of natural products and global healthcare. The event was well-attended by the faculty and students, offering them a unique perspective on the transition from academic pharmacognosy to global pharmaceutical practice.
- Mr. J. Dhanasekar guided student from 3rd Semester B.Pharm M. Peratchi Selvi secured the 2nd prize in an e-poster presentation conducted under the seminar theme “Emerging Infectious Diseases and Novel Drug Development,” organized by Swamy Vivekanandha College of Pharmacy from 30 January 2026 to 31 January 2026.



- All the faculties from VPCW actively participated in the “77th Republic Day” on 26.01.2026. Shows respect and honor the constitution and the heroes who made our freedom possible.

- On 13.01.2026, The Tamil Nadu Dr. M.G.R. Medical University released the B.Pharm and Pharm.D Examination results. Our dept staffs have played a key role in ensuring remarkable results in the recent examinations.

NAME OF THE STAFF	SUBJECT	SEM/ YEAR	RESULT
MR.R.MOULEESWARAN	HUMAN ANATOMY AND PHYSIOLOGY-II	II- SEM B. PHARM	97%
MR.M.NAVINKUMAR	PHARMACEUTICAL ORGANIC CHEMISTRY-I	II- SEM B.PHARM	94%
MR.N.PARTHIBAN/ MRS.L.RAMYA	BIOCHEMISTRY	II- SEM B.PHARM	92%
MRS. NEENA ELSA VARGHESE	PATHOPHYSIOLOGY	II- SEM B.PHARM	92%
DR.R.THIRUMURTHY	PHARMACEUTICAL ORGANIC CHEMISTRY-I	IV SEM- B.PHARM	97%
MRS. V.SRIVIDHYA MRS. S.SAKTHI SUNDARAM	PHARMACOLOGY-I	IV SEM- B.PHARM	95%
DR. SUDHAMANI & MS.L.LATHAMANI	PHYSICAL PHARMACEUTICS II	IV SEM B.PHARM	97%
MS.L.LATHAMANI	PHARMACEUTICAL BIOTECHNOLOGY	IV SEM B.PHARM	98%
MR. S. PRITHIVIRAJAN	PHARMACOGNOSY AND PHYTOCHEMISTRY – I	IV SEM B.PHARM	98%
MR. J. DHANASEKAR	BIOPHARMACEUTICS AND PHARMACOKINETICS	VI SEM B.PHARM	100%
DR.R.THIRUMURTHY	MEDICINAL CHEMISTRY-III	VI SEM- B.PHARM	91%
DR. ANVESH RAJ	PHARMACOLOGY-III	VI SEM- B.PHARM	92%
MRS. R.POONGODI	HERBAL DRUG TECHNOLOGY	VI SEM- B.PHARM	100%
DR.K.S.NAGHUL ADHITHYA	QUALITY ASSURANCE	VI SEM- B.PHARM	100%
MR. J. DHANASEKAR	PHARMACEUTICAL MICROBIOLOGY.	II - PHARM. D	100%
DR. K. KRISHNAVENI	PHARMACOTHERAPEUTICS	II - PHARM. D	100%
DR. C. AROKIA RANI	PATHOPHYSIOLOGY	II-PHARM.D	99%
DR. NEENA ELSA VARGHESE	COMMUNITY PHARMACY	II-PHARM.D	100%
DR. K. KRISHNAVENI	PHARMACOTHERAPEUTICS	III – PHARM. D	100%
DR. C. AROKIA RANI	JURISPRUDENCE	III-PHARM.D	100%

S – Student-Centered

- Dr. K. Krishnaveni organized a student educational trip to Tanjavur. Faculty members of the Pharmacy Practice Department Dr. Arvinthkumar, Dr. Dineshkumar, and Pharmaceutics Ms. Lathamani coordinated this educational visit for 2nd and 3rd year Pharm.D students on 29.01.2026. A total of 45 Pharm.D students participated in the trip and visited Kallanai Dam, Thanjavur Periya Kovil, the Museum, and the Palace. The students gained valuable educational exposure and had a memorable experience.



- Dr. G. Muthuboopathi served as the IIC Convenor for World Leprosy Day 2026 on 24.01.2026. As part of the observance, the IIC organized a guest lecture delivered by Dr.N. Raveendran at the Erode Collectorate, in which 28 students actively participated.



- On the occasion of Republic Day, Vivekanandha Pharmacy College for Women hosted a vibrant series of student competitions organized by Mr. S. Nandhakumaran and the Cultural Committee.
- The events featured Speech and Essay Writing in both English and Tamil, as well as Drawing competitions. These activities were designed to



encourage student expression and celebrate India's heritage. Following the competitions, Mr. Nandhakumaran and the committee members evaluated the entries and recognized the winners for their outstanding contributions, making the celebration a memorable and inclusive event for the entire college community.



- Dr. K. Krishnaveni, Dr. R. Arvinthkumar, Dr. P. Dineshkumar actively participated in “3rd International Symposium on Indexed Literature to Inductive and Deductive Reasoning: The Triad of Research Methodology, Statistical Analysis and Ethical Publishing in the AI Era” on 30.01.2026 which was organized by Periyar Maniammai Institute of Science & Technology, Thanjavur. Our 2nd and 3rd Pharm. D around 45.



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T – Teaching /Training / Technology

- Mr.N.Parthiban, Mr. Navinkumar, Mrs. L.Ramya and Mrs. M.Sureka coordinated the II-B Pharmacy students who participated in the National Symposium held on 30.01.2026 & 31.01.2026, organized by Swamy Vivekanandha College of Pharmacy, Tiruchengode.



- Dr. K. Rajendran and Mr. N.Parthiban attended a three-day Faculty Development Program on Outcome Based Education (OBE) and the application of Modern Pedagogy for Effective Teaching. At Vivekanandha Educational Institutions (VEI), RTT Campus, Sankagiri, held from January 22 to January 24, 2026.



E – Education / Extension

- Dr. G. Muthuboopathi served as the Guest Speaker at Vels Pharmacy College, delivering a lecture on “Structure-Based Drug Design: Basics Made Simple” on 22nd January 2026.



- Dr. M. Selvakumar actively attended the Two-Day Skill Development Workshop on “QbD Applications in Pharmaceutical Product Development” held on **January 23–24, 2026**, organized by Department of Pharmaceutics, Vellalar College of Pharmacy, Tindal



.Ms.L.Lathamani had actively participated in 7 Days - International Faculty Development Programme on “Teach Next: Empowering and Advanced Future Skills for Faculty in the Age of AI” organized by Vivekanandha Arts & Science College for Women from **05.01.2026 to 11.01.2026**.

- Ms. L. Lathamani had actively participated in 2 days National Level Skill Development Workshop on topic entitled “QbD Applications in Pharmaceutical Product Development” held on 23.01.2026 and 24.01.2026, Organization by the Department of Pharmaceutics at Vellalar College of Pharmacy accredited by The TN Dr. MGR Medical University, under Category II with 20 Credit points.



R – Research / Responsibility

B. PHARM PROJECT PROPOSALS – PRESENTATION AND SUBMISSION

DEPARTMENT OF PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTRY.

Dr.R.Thirumurthy organized the Research club meeting with all department staffs in the department of Pharmaceutical Chemistry with VIII Sem B.Pharm Students with 7 project proposals on 03.01.2026.

S.NO	STUDENT NAME	GUIDE NAME	TITLE OF THE PROJECT
1	CHANDANA V N LOGANAYAKI V SATHIYA K SOWBAGAYA LAKSHMI R	Dr.R.Thirumurthy	Design, Synthesis and Insilico exploration of new hydantoin Schiff base derivatives
2	BRINDHA S KAMALI S MALATHI K MOHANADHARSHINI S PRAVENTHIKA B	Dr.R.Thirumurthy	Invitro Anti Diabetic Activity and Phytochemical study of <i>Sida Mysorensis</i>
3	PUSHPAVALLI P RANJINI S RUBASRI K SHARMILA R	Dr.G.Muthuboopathi	Microwave assisted synthesis and biological activity of novel substituted pyrazolone analogue by Mannich base.
4	OVIYA S PRADEEPA N SHEVANE M V SURUTHI KARTHIKA P VANISRI V	Mr.N.Parthiban	Green synthesis of silver nano particle using mixed extract of garlic, tamarind and turmeric to enhancing synergistic effect of antimicrobial activity.
5	AGALYA A DEEPA VARSHINI K P SATHIYA S SNEHA T J	Mrs.L.Ramya	Extraction, isolation and characterization of protodioscis from <i>Trigonella foenum – Graecum</i> : An Invitro biological evaluation.
6	ABINAYA H BHUVANESHWARI A MUTHUMARI N THARANI J THENMOZHI A	Mrs.M.Sureka	Forced Degradation of Praziquantel using UV Visible Spectro Photometer
7	LAVANYA M SRINITHI P SUBABALA S SUNDARALEELA K	Mr.M.Navinkumar	Insilico, Invitro evaluation of synthesized N-[Benzylidene Isonicotinohydrazide] derivatives for inhibition of SIRT2 Enzyme against Parkinson's Disease.



• B. Pharm Final year students successfully completed and submitted research project review presentation report in the Department of Pharmacy Practice on 29.01.2026.

S.No	NAME OF THE STUDENTS	NAME OF THE GUIDE	TITLE OF THE STUDY
01	M. CALIX MERCIA G. KIRUTHIKA K.J. PREETHA A.SAHAYA JAINI PRASANNA	Dr. K. Krishnaveni	A Comparative Study on Menstrual Hygiene Practices and Awareness among Rural, Urban and Tribal Women in Salem District of Tamil Nadu
02	S. DHANUSHIYA B.S. HEMA MITHRA G. MALINI R. SARANYA	Dr. C. Arokia Rani	Assessment of Knowledge, Perception and Practices towards Oral Hygiene among Adults
03	M. JANANI SHREE C. RENUGA S. RITHIKA G. SANMATHI	Dr. R. Arvinthkumar	Assessment of Healthcare Professional Awareness and Attitude towards the Future Integration of Artificial Intelligence in Clinical Practice
04	B. NISHA S. SANDHYA V. SASI S. ZEENATH SYED	Dr. P. Dineshkumar	A Study on the Impact of a Pharmacist Led Awareness session on Knowledge, Attitude and Practice regarding Over the Counter Drugs

• T. Sudhamani published a review paper in International Journal of Pharmaceutical research and applications and it was cited as: -Sudhamani T, Jananipriya K, Dhanasekar J, Selvakumar M, Nandhakumaran S, Lathamani L. Exploring recent advancements of nanomedicine in the tumour microenvironmental tissue engineering. Research & Reviews: A Journal of Pharmaceutical Science. 2025 Sep–Dec;16(3). DOI: 10.37591/RRJoPS.





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VISION

- To educate, train, and develop professionally competent pharmacists equipped to meet global healthcare challenges.

MISSION

- To offer need-based programs with dynamic and effective implementation.
- To swiftly adapt to changes in the pharmaceutical industry and align resources accordingly.
- To serve as a centre of academic excellence delivering world-class pharmacy education.
- To engage in impactful research focused on discovering life-saving drugs, contributing to the global goal of "Health for All."

COURSES OFFERED

B.PHARM (4 YEARS)

D.PHARM (2 YEARS)

B.PHARM (LATERAL ENTRY) 3 YEARS

DOCTOR OF PHARMACY (PHARM. D) 6 YEARS

**VIVEKANANDHA PHARMACY COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (VPCW),
SANKARI, HAS RECENTLY BECOME A CO-EDUCATIONAL
INSTITUTION.**

Formerly exclusive to women, the college now welcomes both male and female students for all pharmacy programs. This change aims to promote inclusivity, expand learning opportunities, and uphold the institution's excellence in pharmaceutical education and research.

VIVEKANANDHA EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS



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Prof. Dr. M. KARUNANITHI, B.Pharm., M.S., Ph.D., D.Litt.,
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- ★ VIVEKANANDHA SCHOOL OF ANM
- ★ SWAMY VIVEKANANDHA PHYSIOTHERAPY COLLEGE
- ★ VIVEKANANDHA ALLIED HEALTH SCIENCE COLLEGE (Co-Ed)
- ★ KRISHNA INSTITUTE OF OPTOMETRY AND RESEARCH
- ★ VIVEKANANDHA COLLEGE OF ENGINEERING FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS)
- ★ VIVEKANANDHA COLLEGE OF TECHNOLOGY FOR WOMEN
- ★ VIVEKANANDHA INSTITUTE OF INFORMATION AND MANAGEMENT STUDIES
- ★ VIVEKANANDHA COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS)
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- ★ VIVEKANANDHA VIDHYA BHAVAN MATRIC HIGHER SECONDARY SCHOOL
- ★ VIVEKANANDHA MEDICAL CARE HOSPITAL (VMCH)

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- ★ VIVEKANANDHA PHARMACY COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
- ★ VIVEKANANDHA NURSING COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
- ★ VIVEKANANDHA ANM SCHOOL
- ★ VIVEKANANDHA ARTS AND SCIENCE COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
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