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I. ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

Community Medicine Department

Postgraduate Orientation lecture on the topic "Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation" was delivered by Dr.D.S.Charak on 07.09.2009.

Paediatrics Department

Paediatrics department organized following activities during the months of August and September 2009: -

- (a) A CME was organized on the topic "Role of Carbapenams in Pediatrics" on 3rd August 2009. Dr.Prenika, Junior Resident gave a detailed overview of the Carbapenams. The CME was also attended by doctors from department of Microbiology and Dentistry. There was a fruitful discussion on the topic.
- (b) World Breastfeeding Week (August 1st – 7th) was celebrated in the department. Attendants and mothers attending outdoor and indoor wings were told about the benefits of breastfeeding. There was screening of a scientific film on the topic "Breastfed is Best Fed" on 6th August 2009. Doctors from departments of Gynaecology and Obstetrics and PSM also attended this scientific activity and shared their views regarding the benefits of breastfeeding. The staff nurses and Paramedical staff from departments of Pediatrics and Gynaecology and Obstetrics also witnessed the scientific film.
- (c) Intra-collegiate Round of 22nd IAP Quiz for Undergraduates was organized by department of Paediatrics and IAP State Branch Jammu. This event was conducted on 5th September 2009 in the college