

## CHETTINAD ACADEMY OF RESEARCH AND EDUCATION

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Minutes of the Outreach Committee meeting held on 13.11.2018.

Date & Time : 13.11.2018 at 2.00 pm

Venue : Dean's Chamber

### Members Present

1. Dr. Senthil Kumar. K, Professor, General Surgery
2. Dr. Aruna Shanmuganathan, Professor, Respiratory Medicine
3. Dr. Suruliraman, Associate Professor, Community Medicine

Convener welcomed the members and the agenda for the Meeting were discussed.

**Agenda 1** To discuss about the outcome of Focused health camps conducted in coordination with clinical departments.

The various camps conducted by department of Pulmonology, orthopaedics, General surgery and paediatrics were discussed. These focused camps on specific diseases were well received by the public and it was decided to conduct more similar camps in future.

**Agenda 2** To discuss the reach of DBCS ( District Blindness Control society) camps in the nearby villages

The committee decided to organize DBCS eye camps in Kanchipuram district every week and to create awareness about cataract surgery.

**Agenda 3** : To conduct awareness camps among people to sensitize the need for cleanliness/hand washing/clean drinking water usage , in and around their place to prevent diseases during the monsoon period

It was decided to conduct awareness camps with the community medicine department in villages near kelambakkam ,poonjeri to create awareness about diseases during monsoon period and methods to prevent it.

With this, the meeting came to end.

  
Dr. Senthil Kumar. K

Convener, Outreach Committee

CC: The Vice Chancellor

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