

Basic Life Support and Advance Cardiac Life Support, American heart association (AHA) certified courses for Faculty and Senior Residents of AIIMS Rishikesh

Training Programme on Basic Life Support and Advance Cardiac Life Support, American Heart association (AHA) certified courses for Faculty and Senior Residents of AIIMS Rishikesh is being organized by Department of Medical Education from 27 to 29 May 2017. First groups trained were for BLS with 51 Faculty Members and Senior Residents of Institute on 27 – 28 July 2017 between 9.0 AM – 5.00 PM in Medical Education Hall. On 28-29 July 2017 24 Faculty Members and Senior Residents of Institute attended the ACLS training. Thirteen faculty members also underwent an Instructor course in BLS, four of them also completed their ACLS instructor course. The candidates learned about the teaching and administrative skills involved in taking the BLS and ACLS provider training.

Resource faculty for Training programme are from King George's Medical University International training center. Interactive hands on workshop with coordinator Prof Rajni singh (Department of Anaesthesiology & Critical Care, King Georges Medical University, Uttar Pradesh) and her members team Dr Ramnaresh Yadav, Dr. Prem Raj Singh, Dr. Bharat Bhushan Bhardwaj, Dr. Shivani Rastogi, and Dr. Divya Srivastav.

Basic Life Support (BLS) has new 2015 AHA Guidelines for Cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR). It is supposed to be a 100% classroom training having students interaction with an AHA instructor for their entire learning experience. BLS Instructor-led course teaches both single-rescuer and team basic life support skills for application in both pre hospital and in-facility environments, with a focus on High-Quality CPR and team dynamics. This learning course combines the flexibility of online training with in person skills practice and testing. It is through a variety of assets such as dramatizations, animations, self-directed learning, and interactive activities, this course teaches students BLS knowledge and skills.

At the end of session, participants were assessed by Post-test with MCQ evaluation and OSCE.









