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### ● Lamp lighting ceremony held at Atthi Nursing College, Gudiyatham

The lamp lighting ceremony for the 5th batch of BSc Nursing and 4<sup>th</sup> Batch of ANM students was held on 25<sup>th</sup> April 2025 at Atthi Multipurpose Hall. The lamp lighting ceremony has its roots in the work of Florence Nightingale, the founder of modern nursing.

The lamp lighting ceremony continues to be a meaningful tradition that inspires and motivates nurses to uphold the highest standards of care and compassion in their work.

The Procession started at 10.30 am by the fresh batch B.Sc.(N) and ANM students. This special occasion was inaugurated and graced by the Chief Guest Dr. Jeyagowri Subash, Principal, College of Nursing, East Coast Institute of Medical Sciences, Moolakulam, Puducherry.

The chief guest, Dr. Jeyagowri Subash in her address to the gathering applauded the students for choosing the nursing profession. She gave a call to the students to be committed, have a right attitude and be disciplined as a student.

Also it was marked by the presence of following dignitaries: Dr. Kennedy, Chief Medical Officer, Atthi Hospital, Dr. Paulraj Seenidurai, Principal, Atthi Nursing College, Dr. Thangaraj, Principal, Atthi Naturopathy and Yoga Sciences, Mr. Kumaravel, Principal, Gudiyatham Polytechnic College and Mr. Saravanan, Chief Executive Manager, Atthi Hospital.

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## ● International Nurses Day Celebrations 12th May 2025

Every year, the International Council of Nurses (ICN) chooses a theme for International Nurses Day that centers on important problems impacting nurses and healthcare systems around the world. These themes seek to increase awareness, promote improved working conditions, and emphasize the critical role nurses play in providing high-quality healthcare and enhancing patient outcomes. The theme selected by the International Council of Nurses for 2025 is "Our Nurses. Our Future. Caring for nurses strengthens economies."



On 12<sup>th</sup> May 2025, Dr. TAMILISAI Soundararajan, Former Governor of Telangana and Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry (Additional charge) addressed the gathering and emphasized the importance of upskilling and retaining nurses in every country, highlighting the evidence-based statistics on the challenges faced by the nursing workforce globally. She also explained the consequences of not investing in the well-being of nurses and suggested strategies for the economic development of the nursing workforce, like prioritizing universal health coverage, adequate staffing, the right resources, and equipment.

Six distinguished nurses and seven eminent teaching faculties were honoured for their outstanding contributions to patient welfare and community care services, as well as their support for student learning.

The programme was presided over by Dr. Soundararajan, Founder Chairman, Atthi Group of Institutions & Atthi Hospital. In his presidential address, Dr. P. Soundararajan emphasized the qualities of a nurse and various roles and responsibilities a nurse serves in the society, in the community, and the nation as a whole. He also highlighted the importance of this noble profession to the young students.



The ceremony took place in the presence of Dr. Kennedy, Chief Medical Officer, Atthi Hospital, Dr. Thangaraj, Principal, Atthi Naturopathy and Yoga Sciences, Dr. Paulraj Seenidurai, Principal, Atthi Nursing College and Mr. Kumaravel, Principal, Gudiyatham Polytechnic College.





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## ● International Yoga Day Celebrations 21st June 2025

On 21<sup>st</sup> June 2025, Atthi Group of Institutions celebrated International Yoga Day within the campus. A total of 457 students participated in the event.

Tamil actress and BJP leader Ms. Namitha was the Chief Guest for the occasion who highlighted the importance of yoga for mental and physical health, encouraging everyone to incorporate it into their daily routine. She was joined by Dr. Tamilsai Soundararajan, Former Governor of Telengana and Lieutenant Governor of Puducherry (Additional charge) and Dr. P. Soundararajan, Founder Chairman in a session held at Atthi Nursing College.

BNYS and Nursing students alongside BNYS and Nursing faculties participated in yoga asanas, breathing exercises, and meditation on the college ground. The event fostered a sense of peace and unity, reinforcing the college's commitment to holistic well-being. The event was led by the BNYS team and followed the theme: "Yoga for One Earth, One Health."



## ● Free medical camp conducted by Atthi Hospital at Nayakkaneri village near Ambur

Atthi Hospital a unit of Atthi Group of Institutions & Hospital conducted a free medical camp at Nayakkaneri tribal village near Ambur. As many as 54 patients were offered free consultations and treatment under the guidance of Dr. Kennedy, Chief Medical Officer, Atthi Hospital and Mr. Saravanan, Executive Manager, Atthi Hospital and a team of nurses, technicians and volunteers from Atthi Hospital.



## ● Drug Awareness Campaign initiated by the Government of Tamilnadu through mobile unit

Atthi Nursing College organized a drug awareness campaign initiated by the government of Tamilnadu. A total of 149 students participated in the campaign. The initiative aimed to educate college students about the dangers of drug abuse, promote responsible behavior, and foster a sense of social responsibility among the student community.





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## GLIMPSES OF LAMP LIGHTING CEREMONY HELD IN THE NURSING COLLEGE

