



## **M.O.S.C. COLLEGE OF NURSING, KOLENCHERY**

Affiliated to Kerala University of Health Sciences, Thrissur,  
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### **PHILOSOPHY**

The faculty of this College of Nursing believes that nursing is a profession that is based on a continuously evolving body of knowledge. Nursing is a service to humanity, which works in collaboration with other health professionals in helping individuals, families, and society to maintain and promote health, to care during illness, and to rehabilitate to the maximum possible level. Nursing is a service that has a holistic concept considering the uniqueness of the human being, which is an integration of physical, mental, social, intellectual, and spiritual domains.

We believe that health is a dynamic state as the person adapts to changes in the internal and external environment, to maintain a state of physical, emotional, social, intellectual, and spiritual wellbeing. Illness is a disturbed adaptive response. The essential function of nursing is to assist the individual, family, and community to attain, maintain, and promote adaptive ability.

We believe that the body of knowledge of nursing is drawn from various sciences, including biological, social, physical, behavioural, and medical etc. In view of this broad base of sciences, nursing education should include learning principles from all these branches of science and integrating them into everyday practice.

We believe that a degree program in nursing shall be designed to enable young men and women with essential basic knowledge, skills, and attitude to render professional nursing service at first-level positions in hospitals and the community. The graduates with experience can rapidly move into leadership positions in Nursing Education, Nursing Service, Nursing Administration, and Nursing Research.

The B.Sc., M.Sc., and PhD Nursing programs shall include curricular and non-curricular activities which will ensure all-around personal and professional development of the student who shall become competent to hold responsible positions in the society and profession and to contribute positively to the health and welfare of the nation as a responsible citizen.

We believe that the curriculum of the B.Sc. Degree, and M.Sc. Degree courses should provide opportunities for developing cognitive, psychomotor, and affective domains of students so that they develop as persons of value and will be sensitive to the needs, hopes, sorrows, and burdens of those whom they serve. We also recognize that nursing education should equip the students with adequate knowledge and a responsible manner for the benefit of society.

We believe that the PhD curriculum should advance the science of nursing through rigorous research, critical inquiry, and scholarly practice, thereby preparing nurse researchers, educators, and leaders who contribute to the transformation of health care and society.

We believe that nursing is a profession influenced by advances in science and technology, so staff should be kept up to date in knowledge and skills through in-service education, refresher courses, conferences, Journal clubs, and participation in professional organizations.

We believe that we have a responsibility in helping students develop pride in the profession and guiding them regarding their future in nursing, so that the faculty of the College of Nursing and the nursing staff of the medical college hospital can demonstrate a high standard of professional behavior.

We also believe that the students should get a chance to actively participate in the activities of SNA, NSS, and counselling services may be arranged for the students as a part of the B.Sc. and MSc degree in nursing program.

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