

ACTION TAKEN AGAINST RAGGING

1. Every student on admission with the Medical College had submitted a **Conduct Certificate** from the institution where he/ she last studied.
2. Intense and close watch is kept on students who are of doubtful integrity.
3. An annual undertaking is obtained from each student and her/his parents that they are aware of the relevant instructions against ragging and the punishments, if found guilty (proforma to be enclosed)(Annexure I)
4. The undertaking is obtained in English and Vernacular
5. Similar undertaking is obtained at the hostels (both Boys & Girls) (Proforma to be enclosed)
6. The undertaking is enclosed in the Hand book.
7. The relevant records are kept for the perusal & verification by the MCI
8. The Direction of Apex Court and the State Govt/ directions are depicted in the Prospectus.
9. One counselor was posted for the purpose of counseling the '**Freshers**' during their admissions .
10. For the II year MBBS, the classes will start in September where as the I year MBBS student would be admitted by the 2nd week of July.
11. The date of reopening of the college for the senior students, intimated to the parents of senior students
12. The above schedule is incorporated in the University Ordinances/byelaws
13. During the I year MBBS admissions, an orientation programme is arranged for one week where the first MBBS Students participated along with their senior students. The Dean, faculty of various departments, the warden and the Administrators also address the students and stress the importance of maintaining the campus ragging free.
14. An Antiragging Committee is formed and separate Antiragging Squad (with senior students as members) are formed. The cooperative of civil and police authorities are also sought.
15. Mentoring cell is formed with senior students as mentors, Co-operatives of roles and responsibilities are given to the members. The first MBBS Students are distributed to various mentors who will take care of their mentees. They all will be monitored by faculty members.

16. Daily duty (stay in duty) roster for faculty is prepared for a period of 3 months from the day of I MBBS admissions and the faculty will ensure that there is no ragging in the College, Hostel and the Hospital campus and send a daily report to the Dean.
17. The confidentiality of the student who report any incident/ragging will be maintained.
18. The institution will ensure that private commercially managed lodges and hostels outside the campuses be registered with the local police station and if any such hostel is started, their permission must be necessarily recommended by the Head of the Institution. (rules to be addressed to local police authorities).
19. In case the victim is not satisfied with the action taken by the college authorities, an FIR will be filed.
20. Students are encourage to lodge their report either orally or in writing or through some third party .
21. Immediate action will be taken and all corrective measures will be taken to ensure that the entire campus is ragging free.

Further the documentary on Anti ragging which was placed on University Grants Commission website has been linked to our Learning Management System(LMS) and over LMS we are also making it more prominent in the website.

We have erected Hoardings and disseminated the information to curb the menace of Ragging through Notice Boards and Banners in prominent places within the campus. Information to students are displayed explaining what is ragging and the punishments that shall be awarded to them if they commit, participate, abet or propagate ragging.

We have established separate hostels for freshers' both for boys & girls.

We have ensured round the clock monitoring of the campus against ragging by posting faculty members on duty at the campus by turns.

In the student hand book issued every year at the time of admission of the freshers' it has been clearly emphasized that ragging is a criminal offence in any form and, therefore, students are strictly warned to refrain from any kind of ragging activities.

The extract of the Tamilnadu Prohibition of Ragging Act under various Sections have also been appraised to the students before their admission for the I year Course.

Necessary affidavits also obtained from the students every year.

Chettinad Academy of Research and Education and its constituent Colleges, viz. Chettinad Hospital & Research Institute and Chettinad College of Nursing is strictly implementing the recommendations of the Supreme Court on curbing the menace of ragging and is implementing the guidelines of University Grants Commission and Medical Council of India, Indian Nursing Council on curbing the Menace of ragging.