

Seva Mandal Education Society's

Dr. Bhanuben Mahendra Nanavati College of Home Science (Autonomous)

NAAC Re-accredited "A+" Grade with CGPA 3.69/4 (3rd Cycle)

UGC Status College with Potential for Excellence (2016-2021)

"BEST COLLEGE AWARD 2016-17" Adjudged by S.N.D.T. Women's University
Selected under "Enhancing Quality and Excellence in select Autonomous College"

by RashtriyaUcchatar Shiksha Abhiyan (RUSA)

## Gender Audit Report for the academic year 2021-23

## Commendations

- Involvement of Departments in enhancing gender inclusion on campus through various sensitization sessions/workshops/guest speakers and activities.
- 2. Appropriate infrastructure as per institutional need.
- 3. Gender Mapping of staff and students.
- 4. The 'Heart Map' is a good measure to help mentoring towards self-realization among students.
- 5. The identification of 'Gender Champions' is a good initiative towards creating role models.
- 6. Celebration of Men's Day is a unique program that provides a platform for their expression.

## **Affirmations**

- 1. Your efforts towards health and nutrition awareness and enhancement of the same.
- 2. Follow-up health program.
- 3. Involvement of MAVA, Memorial Lecture Series
- 4. Multiculturalism, Diversity and Pluralism
- 5. Involvement of parents in your programs.

## Recommendations

- 1. Use of the term 'Gender Cell' which will encompasses WDC, Anti-Ragging, Anti-Sexual Harassment Cell and Internal Committee.
- 2. Set up a POSH Committee (Prevention of Sexual Harassment) Two External Experts, Training programs, etc.
- 3. Toilets for Transgender Persons
- 4. Toilets for Persons With Disability (PWD)
- 5. A Gender Inclusive Policy of the College

- 6. Promote research, especially in relation to gender issues/concerns -Student and Staff Research)
- 7. Promote innovative activities and programs
- 8. Disseminate the information at regular intervals to a larger audience through the website, e-bulletins, etc.
- 9. Immersion activities with students' involvement on various gender and social issues, in collaboration with NGOs and communities (outreach).
- 10.Include Health activities/research in relation to men.
- 11.Demonstrate/showcase your successful programs on wider platforms.
- 12.Gender affirmative Counselling services
- 13.Use of inclusive language
- 14.Invite resource persons from the gender spectrum (Intersex, Transgender, Gender Variant persons, etc.)
- 15.Include case studies for the purpose of evaluation in courses.
- 16.Include Gender-based / Gender related Elective courses across all disciplines (Gender and Law, Reproductive Rights, Human Rights, Sexuality, Personal laws, etc.)

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