

73rd Republic Day Celebrations (26th Jan, 2022)

- Dr. Hemalatha R, Director unfurled the National Flag and addressed the staff. She felicitated the staff who completed 25 years of service in the Institute. Retired staff who celebrated their 75th birthday were also felicitated.
- The Director gave away certificates to those who have been awarded PhD in the last six months.



Felicitation those who have retired and celebrated their 75th birthday



Felicitation to the staff who completed 25 years of service in the Institute



Mr. Naveen Kumar R, Ms. P. Anitha Chauhan & Ms. Neelima Ayyala Somayajula (in her absence, her supervisor Dr. C. Suresh) received certificates for completion of their PhDs from the institute.



Other Awards:



Winners of essay writing competition on 'National Institute of Nutrition in the Evolution of Nutrition Sciences in India' as part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav. Mr. P. Arun Pandiyan-Winner, Mr. James Thomas-Runner up & Dr. K. Pratap Reddy-Special Prize.

Top walkers award for the event "BURN-Movement for a fit life"



Students of MSc who won the short video film contest on Nutrition & Health as part of National Nutrition Month celebrations were presented with awards & certificates.



Celebrations of the New Year 2022

ICMR-NIN family welcomed the new year with the customary cake cutting and new year message by Director Dr. Hemalatha R.



Dr. YELLAPRAGADA SUBBAROW BIRTH ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATIONS (12th Jan)



Scientists and staff of Extension & Training and NIN-MYAS paid floral tributes to the statue of Dr. Yellapragada Subbarow, the Wizard of Wonder Drugs, on the occasion of his 127th Birth Anniversary on 12th January.

State-wide SARS Cov-2 Sero-prevalence Survey commenced on 5th Jan. Twenty teams consisting 4 coordinators and one lead scientist, along with state officials on the field collected blood samples.



Commencement of Post Graduate Certificate Course in Nutrition (PGCCN) 2022



WEBINARS/ MEETINGS ORGANIZED/ PARTICIPATED

Dr. Hemalatha R, Director

- Attended as an Expert Member at the Meeting of Sub-Group II of Technical Advisory Committee on Finalization of Survey Questionnaire for NFHS-6, organized by Department of Health and Family Welfare, New Delhi. (21st Jan).
- Chaired the Steering Committee for the BLOOM (Co-Benefits of Large scale Organic Farming on Human Health), UKRI-funded research study, organized by Public Health Foundation of India and University of Edinburgh, Scotland, UK (21st Jan).
- Meeting regarding presentation of 'Comprehensive Mapping of Nutrition and Health Biomarkers of Population: A Pan India Study' with the experts, organized by NITI Aayog (24th Jan).
- Meeting regarding presentation of project proposal titled, 'Comprehensive Mapping of Nutrition and Health Biomarkers of Population: A Pan India Study' with the experts, organized by ICMR (27th Jan).

Dr. G.M. SubbaRao

- Participated in the Meeting of the Expert Panel on Review of Indian Standards on Code of Practice for Labelling of Pre-packaged and Food Advertising (FAD15/Panel 4) of the Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) on 4th Jan, and was elected as the Chair of the Panel.
- Virtual Meeting of south India centres with VgyanPrasar on upcoming Science Festival to be organised as part of Azadi Ka Amrit Mahotsav (in the last week of February) on 25th Jan.

Dr. R. Naveen Kumar

- Attended Expert Panel-5 meeting of FAD-15, BIS - Formulation of Indian Standard on Guidelines for the Hygienic design, Construction and layout of food processing factories (5th Jan).
- Attended Expert Panel-2 meeting of FAD-15, BIS – on To review and revise IS 6541:1972 “ code for hygienic conditions for establishment and maintenance of mid day school meal programmes” (17th Jan).

JOURNAL CLUB



Mr. Arnab Chatterjee (PhD Scholar), Molecular Biology Division, presented the progress and findings of his PhD work “Transcriptomic analyses of functionally contrasting tissues involve in zinc homeostasis” (21st Jan).

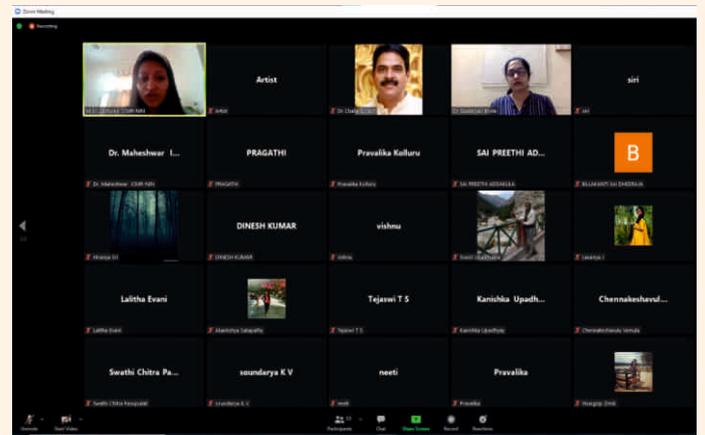
Mr. Sandeep Kumar (PhD Scholar) Molecular Biology Division presented the progress and findings of his PhD work “Role of microRNA in the development of obesity and diabetes” (28th Jan).



Students of M.Sc. second year Applied Nutrition visited “Telangana State Dairy Development Cooperative Federation Limited,” Hyderabad to gain first-hand knowledge and practical exposure to various aspects of processing of milk and milk products.



Viva voice of M.Sc. Dissertation conducted virtually (18-19 Jan)



STAFF NEWS

Congratulations to **Dr. SubbaRao M. Gavaravarapu**, Scientist F & HoD, NICHE Division on receiving **SILVER AUTHOR AWARD 2022** from Journal of Nutrition Education and Behavior (JNEB) in recognition of his exceptional record & high frequency of publication of excellent manuscripts in the last 10 years. JNEB is an Elsevier Journal with an impact factor of 3.045 run by the Society of Nutrition Education and Behavior, USA.

PAPERS PUBLISHED/ ACCEPTED FOR PUBLICATION

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- Raghu Pullakhandam, Santu Ghosh, Bharati Kulkarni, G. Bhanuprakash Reddy, Hemalatha Rajkumar, Umesh Kapil, Sila Deb, Anura V. Kurpad and Harshpal S. Sachdev. Reference cut-offs to define low serum zinc concentrations in healthy 1–19 year old Indian children and adolescents. European Journal of Clinical Nutrition; <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41430-022-01088-4>, Published online 9th February 2022.

A few English words and their Hindi equivalents

Judicial	: न्यायिक	Judiciary	: न्याय पालिका
Judicial power	: न्यायिक शक्ति	Judicial process	: न्यायिक प्रक्रिया
Judicial authority	: न्यायिक प्राधिकार	Judicial activism	: न्यायिक सक्रियता
Judicial custody	: न्यायिक हिरासत	Judicial enquiry	: न्यायिक जांच
Judicial lockup	: न्यायिक हवालात	Judicial Notice	: न्यायिक अवेक्षा
Judicial Service	: न्यायिक सेवा	Judgement	: निर्णय