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I extend a very warm welcome to you for visiting the Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology online. Forensic medicine is the branch of science and medicine involving the study and application of scientific and medical knowledge to legal problems, such as inquests, and in the field of law. It is a multi-disciplinary branch which includes the practice of forensic pathology, forensic psychiatry, forensic dentistry, forensic radiology and forensic toxicology. A Forensic expert deal with crime scene investigation, post mortem examination and medico-legal cases like examination of rape victim and rape accused, examination for issue of drunkenness and injury certificates, examination of person and evidence for age estimation etc. In course of work a forensic expert is also involved in expert opinions and court evidences.

The Department currently teaches and trains 240 under graduates each year. Competency based medical education module as per NMC has been implemented since Undergraduate admission batch 2019. Vertical and horizontal integration with other specialities as per the CBME module help students to connect and understand the academic correlation and essential clinical skills. Various Online resources and gross teaching modalities and teaching aids are used to impart the necessary and updated knowledge.

The Department also has 3 Postgraduate seats in MD Forensic Medicine. Our goal is to train a doctor to become a competent medico-legal expert, teacher and researcher in the subject.

The Department of Forensic Medicine and Toxicology is reputed for its knowledgeable, hardworking and caring faculty members as well as enthusiastic, intelligent and disciplined students.

I would like to invite you to browse through the department for clear details. We appreciate your interest and look forward to your involvement with us.

Thank You,

Dr Mukta Rani

Director Professor & Head