

CANCER AWARENESS AND SCREENING SESSION

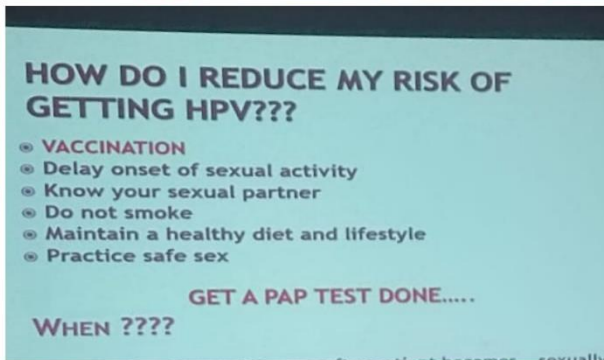
Each year 4th February marks 'World Cancer Day' and every year to mark this day, CanSupport which has been declared 'Public Health Champions by WHO (World Health Organisation) in 2017 holds the event– **Walk for Life- Stride against Cancer** to highlight the awareness of the rising incidence of cancer worldwide.

Towards World Cancer Day and the event, JKPS in collaboration with CanSupport organized a Free Cancer Awareness and Screening Session on 13-12-2023.



Dr. Seema Singh as a resource person was invited to JKPS who is presently working as Consultant Surgical Oncology in the South Delhi Centre of Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute and Research Centre. She enlightened the entire staff with an informative session on the causes and prevention of Cervical Cancer. The resource person discussed other types of cancers in detail as well facilitating them with medical imagery and diagrams.

Ms. Rinki Pal along with her efficient team also joined us for the event from Cansupport and emphasised upon their benevolent mission to work towards a caring and supportive society where people with cancer and their families live with dignity, hope and comfort while receiving appropriate physical, emotional, social and spiritual support. CanSupport's worthwhile endeavour covers five states in North India – Delhi, Haryana, Punjab, Uttar Pradesh and Jharkhand. It's their team's commendable effort that they are concurrently looking after about 3200 patients.



We, at JKPS, recognise the power of solidarity and strongly encouraged our teaching faculty, admin staff and helping staff to get aware about Cancer and get their screening tests done along with distributing the informative flyers and hand booklets to the staff. **More than one third of cancer cases can be prevented. Another third can be cured if detected early and treated properly.** Let's come together and reduce fear, increase understanding and change how we view cancer.