

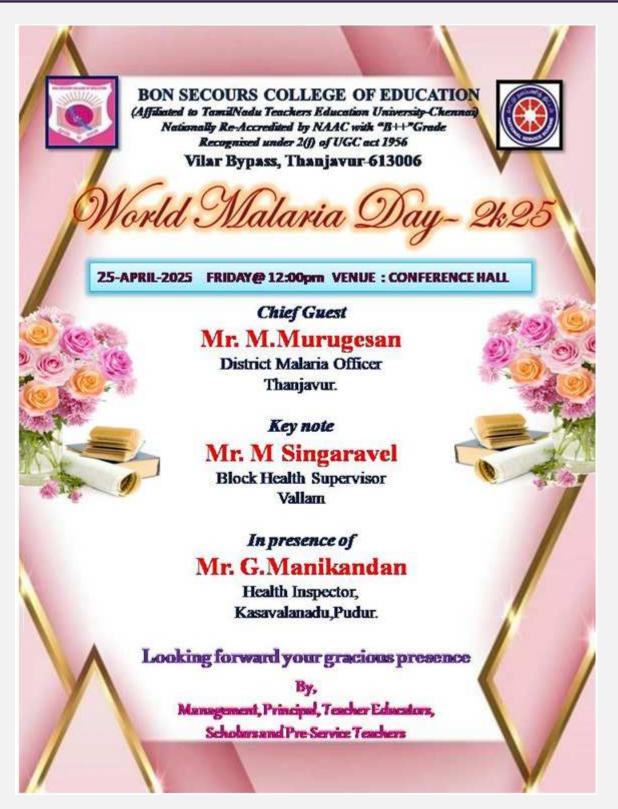
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World Malaria Day - 2025



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DATE : April 25, 2025

Venue: Bon Secours College of Education

Objective

To underscore the significance of World Malaria Day by highlighting the global health threat posed by malaria, raising awareness about its prevention and control, and emphasizing the importance of sustained efforts, innovation, and global cooperation to achieve a malaria-free world aligned with this year's theme, "Zero Malaria Starts with Me," which calls for personal commitment and community action in the fight against malaria.

Program

A Malaria Awareness Program was organized in observance of World Malaria Day, held on April 25, 2025, at Bon Secours College of Education. The event commenced with the rendition of Tamil Thai Vazhthu, which set a dignified and respectful tone, grounding the audience in cultural identity and heritage.

Ms.G.Mohanambal, a second-year B.Ed. pre-service teacher from the Department of Physical Science, delivered the welcome address. She extended a warm welcome to all attendees and emphasized the importance of World Malaria Day. She highlighted the day's global significance in raising awareness about the impact of malaria, the need for continued prevention efforts, and the shared responsibility in working toward a malaria-free world.

Mr.M.Murugesan, District Malaria Officer, delivered an insightful and educational presentation in observance of World Malaria Day. Using a well-structured PowerPoint presentation, he provided a comprehensive overview of malaria, including its causes, modes of transmission, and the mosquito breeding sources responsible for spreading the disease. He explained the life cycle of the malaria parasite, making it easier for participants to understand how the disease develops and spreads.

In addition, Mr.Murugesan elaborated on the stages of malaria infection, outlining the symptoms associated with each phase. He also discussed treatment options, current medical protocols, and the importance of early diagnosis. The presentation highlighted key preventive measures, such as the use of insecticide-treated mosquito nets, elimination of stagnant water, and timely medical intervention. His session greatly enhanced awareness among the participants and equipped them with vital knowledge to help prevent and control malaria at both personal and community levels.

Mr.M.Singaravel, Block Health Supervisor of Vallam, delivered a practical demonstration highlighting key aspects related to World Malaria Day. His session emphasized the critical importance of community participation in malaria prevention, showcased methods for identifying and eliminating mosquito breeding sites, and reinforced the need for consistent health practices to reduce the risk of

transmission. The demonstration served as an effective tool in raising awareness and encouraging proactive public health behavior.

The session concluded with a pledge to prevent malaria, administered by Mr.G.Manikandan, Health Inspector of Kasavalnadu, Pudur. The oath served as a collective commitment to adopting preventive measures and spreading awareness within the community.

Following the oath, a thought-provoking skit was performed by the second-year B.Ed. preservice teachers, creatively depicting the causes, effects, and preventive strategies for malaria. The performance effectively reinforced the day's messages and engaged the audience through visual storytelling.

The event came to an official close with a vote of thanks delivered by Ms.Emmemal Veronica, a second-year B.Ed. pre-service teacher from the Department of Bio Science. She expressed sincere gratitude to all dignitaries, faculty members, organizers, and participants for their active involvement and valuable contributions, which made the awareness, program a meaningful and impactful success.

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