



Mahatma Gandhi Mission's

# Medical College & Hospital

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## b) Counseling & Training



***Self-defence counselling and training program at Aurangabad***



***Gender sensitization: POCSO Awareness workshop, Aurangabad***

Talks and workshops on Gender sensitization, and Self-defence training programs are conducted. Gender Champion Committee has been constituted. Students are sensitized about the Protection of Children from Sexual Offences (POCSO) Act.



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**Induction : 4 day**

**Date: 5/11/2020**

The fourth day of induction was coordinated by Dr. Priyanka Pareek. The third day was planned to discuss about creativity and gender sensitization. The first lecture was delivered by Ms. Gargi Khandekar and Ms. Vaishnavi Mahurkar, working as a program officer for Youth for Change Program of Akshara Center, Mumbai. They delivered a talk on gender equality and showed short videos related to gender equality. It was very nice and interactive session.

### Ms. Gargi Khandekar Program Officer

- She is working as program officer for youth for program of Akshara center Mumbai
- She has completed her post graduation in women's studies from Tata Institute of Social sciences, Hyderabad
- She also holds a Bachelor degree in English literature
- She has completed 1.5 years with the Akshara center and conducts sessions with college students on various gender-based issues.



## Ms. Vaishnavi Mahurkar Program Officer

- She has masters in Development at Azim Premji university, Bangalore
- Currently she is associated with Akshara as a program officer for the youth for change program.
- Her personal interest includes literature poetry and cinema.
- She likes to ask difficult questions about everyday social and is captivated by conversations on the anthropology of politics, resistance movements arts and society.
- She has published her research with Sahapedia and also has contributed to an intersectional digital program called feminism in India.



NSS volunteers Ms. Suminisha & Mr. Preet of SBSMGM shared their activity done in last year.