## **Department of Nutrition**

## Faculty Development Programme on Diabetes Disease and Diet Management

Ms. Muskan Banu, Assistant Professor, Department of Nutrition, attended the CME-FDP on "Diabetes Disease and Diet Management" organized by the Department of Nutrition, Kasturba Gandhi Degree and PG College for Women, in collaboration with IAPEN and Apollo Hospitals, on 25th October 2024.

The main objective of the CME-FDP was to:

- Spread awareness about **Diabesity**
- Gain knowledge of Diabetes Management in ICU
- Develop skills required to diagnose and combat Diabesity

The programme featured eminent speakers including:

- Mrs. Haritha Shyam, Chief Dietitian, Apollo Hospitals, Jubilee Hills
- Dr. Aftab Ahmed, Consultant Physician, Apollo Hospitals
- Dr. Rajshree R, Principal, Kasturba Gandhi College
- Mrs. K. Sowmya, Senior Dietitian, Apollo Hospitals, Secunderabad
- Mr. Amol Chauhan, Head of Institute, Signutra

The CME session began at **3:00 PM** with **lamp lighting** and a **welcome note** by **Ms. Beulah** and **Ms. K. Sowmya**.

**Dr. Rajshree** addressed the gathering, followed by **Dr. Aftab Ahmed's** lecture on "**Diabesity – Paradigm Shift in Management**", where he also discussed:

Nutritional therapy for Diabesity

- Alternative diets
- Pharmacological interventions
- Non-surgical endoscopic procedures

The second session was led by **Mrs. Haritha Shyam**, who provided insights on **Diabetes Management in ICU**. She explained:

- · Glycemic Index and Glycemic Load
- Carbohydrate counting and clinical relevance
- Dysglycemia management
- Responsibilities of clinical nutritionists
- Root causes and practical guidelines for nutrition during transition from ICU to ward

The programme concluded with a **Quiz Competition**, and prizes were awarded to the winners.

