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**Tele-assessment and Tele-rehabilitation**: Initiated Tele-assessment and Tele-rehabilitation program was initiated at the Institute during the lockdown period to reach to the people who were availing clinical services at AIISH. Seven WhatsApp groups were created and nearly 400 people availed the tele-services.

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| April-2020 | . |
| Tele-mode of rehabilitation | The institute resumed the clinical activities soon after the lockdown period. The rehabilitation was initiated through Tele-mode. The information regarding the availability of clinical services was provided on the website and leading newspapers, so that the public could utilize the service. |
| May-2020 | Initiated Standard Operating Procedure system for clinical activities at AIISH and monitored the clinical activities after the period of lockdown, according to the standard operating procedure. The SOP meetings are conducted regularly to monitor the clinical activities and to take necessary precaution to prevent COVID-19. |
| Facility for staff | Instrumental is setting up of COVID-19 Day Care Centre at AIISH Guest House for COVID-19 positive staffs, to provide emergency support till they get admitted in the hospital. The unit is also equipped with 02 Oxygen cylinders and other necessary support.  The Guest House facility was provided for staffs requested for isolation with free food & accommodation. |
| 03 Aug 2020 | Initiated the Induction training / Orientation training program schedule for Newly joined staff members (Group ‘B’ & Group ‘C’) through virtual mode at Library & Information Centre of AIISH of orientation for staff members of AIISH from 03.08.2020 to 12.08.2020. |
| Social Media | AIISH Social Media was extensively used to provide the orientation to public during lockdown period. More than 20 videos are being uploaded every month. The videos are related to promoting the Institute’s activities, orienting the public on causes and management of communication disorders. The videos are available in Telugu, Malayalam, Kannada, English and Hindi languages. Different media such as print, tele, and radio are extensively used to provide the publicity. Short cartoon clips are uploaded to create the interest among the General Public. The video is reaching from 2000 to 45,000 people. |
| Orientation to Public | Everyday the public are oriented near the out-patient department to follow the COVID-19 guideliness to wear the mask and to maintain social distancing. |
| Student Inmates | Nearly 400 students stayed in the hostel campus for 5 months during the lockdown period. They were provided emotional support during the lockdown period. |
| Online entrance exam | The entrance examination for BASLP and M.Sc (Audiology), M.Sc(Speech Language Pathology) were conducted through on-line mode in all the 09 proposed centres sucessfully. |
| Conducting EC & SFC meeting through virtual mode | After 4 years gap, 57th EC meeting was conducted sucessfully and the Minutes are circulated. And also conducted 51st Standing Finance Committee meeting in the month of December, 2020 and the Minutes are circulated. |
| Conducting Ethical Clearance meeting through virtual | AIISH Ethical Committee meeting for Ethical clearance of AIISH projects and Ph.D. Programs |
| World Hearing Day Celebration | In the Celebration of the “World Hearing Day” Free Hearing-Aid Distribution Programme was organized at the Institute and Shri. Pratap Simha, Hon’ble Member of Parliament, Mysore-Kodagu Constituency was the Chief Guest to the program and distributed the free hearing-aids to the clients on 5th March 2021. |

**Media Presentations**

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| 11.08.2020 | Attended the AIR phone-in-program (interacted with the clients with parents) through virtual mode from 11.30 p.m. to 12.30 p.m. |
| 21.09.2020 | AIR recording at 10.30 a.m. on academic program at AIISH. |
| 08.11.2020 | Attended phone-in-programme organized by Prajavani in connection with activities of the institute. |
| 12.11.2020 | Attended Vijaya Karnataka Press meet at 5.00 p.m.  C:\Users\SLS\Downloads\IMG-20201112-WA0003 (1).jpg  C:\Users\SLS\Downloads\IMG-20201113-WA0001.jpg |
| 28.11.2020 | Telecast of Kannada program about introduction to AIISH and objectives of AIISH, in Chandana DD-I |

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| 09.07.2020  **Meetings held with**  **Ministry of Health & Family Welfare (through virtual mode):** | Interaction regard to the activities of AIISH with Hon’ble Joint Secretary Shri Alok Saxena held at 3.40 to 4.45 p.m. at Board Room through virtual mode  C:\Users\SLS\Downloads\IMG-20200709-WA0005.jpg |
| *22.07.2020* | 57th Meeting of the Executive Council of AIISH, Mysuru held on 22.07.2020 at 02.30 p.m. at Board Room of Administrative Block of AIISH (through Virtual Mode) under the Chairmanship of Dr. Harsh Vardhan, Hon'ble Minister for Health & Family Welfare, Government of India. |
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| 20.08.2020 | A virtual meeting (video-conferencing mode) held on 20.08.2020 between 03.00 – 04.00 p.m. with JS, to have discussion on the following:   1. AIISH Entrance Exam related issues. 2. Discussion on the Revised RRs of Clinical Supervisor and Research Officer.   51st SFC Agenda Items. |
| 24.08.2020 | Attended the meeting to review the status of Capital expenditure under the Chairmanship of Shri Alok Saxena, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India at 11.00 a.m. through virtual mode. |
| 01.09.2020 | Meeting of Building and Works Committee meeting regarding scrutiny of financial bids for appointment of an executing agency for setting up AIISH, Kanpur, UP, held on 1.9.2020 at 11.00 a.m. With Shri Dharminder Singh, Under Secretary, Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, GOI. (virtual mode). |
| 10.09.2020 | Interaction regarding the activities of AIISH with Hon’ble Joint Secretary Shri Alok Saxena, Director Ms. Bindu Tewari & Under Secretary Shri Dharminder Singh, held from 2.30 p.m. to 4.30 p.m. at Board Room through virtual mode. Agenda items for the meeting were as follows:   1. Entrance examination for UG & PG courses for the academic year 2020-21 2. Issues related to Assessment Promotion Scheme for the faculties of AIISH 3. Up-gradation of Diploma program to B.ASLP 4. Status of Centre of Excellence Building |
| 30.09.2020 | Meeting for proposed amendments to the MOA, Rules and Regulations and Bye-laws of AIISH with Hon’ble Joint Secretary Shri Alok Saxena, Director Ms. Bindu Tewari & Under Secretary Shri Dharminder Singh, held from 3.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. at Board Room through virtual mode. |
| 22.10.2020 | Interaction regard to the activities of AIISH with Hon’ble Deputy Secretary to the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India Shri N.B. Mani held at 4.30 p.m. to 5.30 p.m. at Board Room through virtual mode. |
| 26.10.2020 | Virtual Meeting with Joint Secretary-Shri Alok Saxena held at 02.30 p.m. with regard to conducting 51st SFC Meeting of AIISH |
| 04.11.2020 | Discussion with internal committee constituted for 51st SFC regarding agendas related to infrastructure, HR initiatives, enhancement of internal revenue, honorarium and allowances, etc., held at 3.00 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| 05.12.2020 | Interaction regard to the activities of AIISH with Hon’ble Joint Secretary to the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India Shri Vishal Chauhan held at 2.00 p.m. to 4.00 p.m. at Board Room through virtual mode. |
| 14.12.2020 | Conducted 51st Standing Finance Committee meeting of AIISH, held from 12.00 noon to 2.30 p.m. through virtual mode under the Chairmanship of Mrs. Vandana Gurnani, Additional Secretary (Health), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India. New Delhi. All the members of the SFC members were attended the meeting. |
| 16.12.2020 | Interaction with Sri. Vishal Chauhan, Joint Secretary, Sri. Alok Saxena, Joint Secretary (NACO), Ms. Vandana Jain, Joint Secretary (Nominee of AS-FA) and Sri. M.B. Mani, Deputy Secretary, in connection with remaining agendas of 51st SFC (which was held on 14.12.2020) at 3.00 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| 18.03.2021 | Attended the meeting of Expert committee to comprehensively review the National Programme for Prevention and Control of Deafness (NPPCD) and strengthening of outreach programmes of AIISH, Mysuru under the Chairmanship of Shri Vishal Chauhan, Joint Secretary (NCD), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, New Delhi. |
| 22.03.2021 | Attended the meeting to review progress of construction of Speech and Hearing Museum of AIISH, Mysuru under the Chairmanship of Shri Vishal Chauhan, Joint Secretary (NCD), Ministry of Health and Family Welfare, Government of India, New Delhi. |

**Major Meetings (internal / external)**

**conducted / attended (through virtual mode):**

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| 21.05.2020 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for ‘COE’ held at 2.00 p.m. in the Board room of the Administrative block. |
| 01.06.2020 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for ‘Museum’ held at 11.00 a.m. in the Board room of the Administrative block. |
| 12.06.2020 | Chaired meeting of the Building Works Committee in connection with scrutiny of Expression of interest invited for “Appointment of an executing agency for setting up AIISH, Kanpur, UP” at Surar Village, Tehsil – Kanpur, District – Kanpur Nagar, U.P |
| 18.06.2020 | Meeting with Inspection Team regarding extension of RCI Affiliation for DHLS, B.ASLP & M.Sc. (SPL) programs for the year 2020-21. |
| 06.07.2020 | Attended (through virtual mode) Governing Council Meeting of JSS Institute of Speech and Hearing, Mysuru held at 11.00 a.m. |
| 27.07.2020 | Chaired the meeting of the Building & Works Committee in connection with opening of financial bids for design and construction of building at off campus at AIISH, Kanpur, District – Kanpur Nagar, U.P held at 3.00 p.m. |
| 28.07.2020 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for ‘COE’ held at 3.00 p.m. in the Board room of the Administrative block. |
| 29.07.2020 | Attended meeting with Indian Institute of Science & St. Johns Hospital, Bengaluru through virtual mode on collaboration of the project. |
| 06.08.2020 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for ‘Museum’ held at 11.30 a.m. in the Board room of the Administrative block. |
| 17.08.2020 | Attended a webinar meeting on “Newborn Hearing Screening”. Presented about the “Role of AIISH in NBS” through virtual mode”.  C:\Users\SLS\Downloads\IMG-20200817-WA0007.jpg |
| 09.09.2020 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for ‘COE’ held at 12.00 noon in the Board room of the Administrative block through virtual mode. |
| 10.09.2020 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for ‘Museum’ held at 12.00 noon in the Board room of the Administrative block through virtual mode. |
| 15.09.2020 | Attended the Consultation Meet on “The challenges facing by NGOs to implement the programs in schools in perspective of National Education Policy 2020” organized by Samagra Shikshana Karnataka at 11.00 a.m. through virtual mode. |
| 16.09.2020 | Participated in the webinar organized by WHO on “Ear and Hearing Care in WHO South East Asia Region” held at 11.30 a.m. through virtual mode and delivered a lecture on ‘Problems and Solutions in the field of Speech and Hearing’. |
| 24.09.2020 | Meeting with Affiliation team from UOM held at 2.00 a.m. in the Board of the Administrative Block and presented the PPT. |
| 29.09.2020 | Attended the 14th Meeting of Executive Council of ISLRTC under the Chairmanship of Dr. Prabodh Seth, Joint Secretary, (DEPwD) held at 3.00 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| 03.10.2020 | Inaugurated Outreach Service Centre at Kodagu Institute of Medical Sciences, Madikere. |
| 12.10.2020 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for ‘Museum’ held at 12.00 noon in the Board room of the Administrative block through virtual mode. |
| 20.10.2020 | Attended the program of Doordarshana Kendra (Chandana) along with Dr. N. Sreedevi, Professor of Speech Sciences & HOD-POCDand Dr. Sangeetha, Clinical Reader and HOD-Clinical Services in connection with activities of AIISH. Spoke about the introduction about the AIISH and activities of AIISH. |
| 29.10.2020 | Attended and served as resource person and spoke about overview of AIISH Sensitization program for Doctors and Audiologists at the Medical College under National program on Prevention & Control of Deafness held from 10.00 a.m. to 5.15 p.m. through virtual mode. Served as resource person and spoke about overview of AIISH. |
| 03.11.2020 | Delivered a talk on ***“AIISH-Objectives and activities to complement NPPCD program*** on NPPCD Training Programme conducted virtually from11.15 a.m. to 01.00 p.m. |
| 04.11.2020 | Attended Interview with Editor, Prajavani, in connection with prevention of noise pollution during the celebration of Deepavali.  C:\Users\SLS\Downloads\IMG-20201110-WA0001.jpg |
| 05.11.2020 | Delivered a talk on ***“AIISH-Objectives and activities to complement NPPCD program*** on NPPCD Training Programme (Level – 02 (Second Batch) conducted virtually from11.15 a.m. to 01.00 p.m. |
| 09.11.2020 | Attended 36th Governing Council Meeting of Dr. S.R. Chandrashekhar Institute of Speech and Hearing, Bengaluru held at 11.00 a.m. through virtual mode |
| 12.11.2020 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for ‘Museum’ held at 12.00 noon in the Board room of the Administrative block through virtual mode. |
| 18.11.2020 | Meeting with Chief Executive Officer, HSCL, Bangalore, and Dr. Ajish held at 10.00 a.m. at Director’s Chamber and discussed regarding construction of Museum. |
| 24.11.2020 | Met with Vice Chancellor, University of Mysore reg. academic issues at 4.30 p.m. |
| 01.12.2020 | Dr. Nagathihalli Chandrashekar, Kannada Film Director visited the institute. Briefed the visitor about the activities of the institute in PPT presentation. |
| 02.12.2020 | Met with Vice Chancellor, University of Mysore reg. academic issues at 4.30 p.m. |
| 03.012.2020 | Attended International Webinar on Tinnitus and Hyperacusis Assessment and Management at 1.45 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| 08.12.2020 | Attended the program as resource person and delivered the lecture on Ability & Disability Rights of persons with disabilities Act, 2016, at 11.45 a.m. to 1.45 p.m. organized by Administrative Training Institute, Mysore |
| 18.12.2020 | Served as resource person and spoke about activities of the institute in the India International Science Festival (IISF) - 2020 at 11.00 a.m. to 1.00 pm. through virtual mode. |
| 04.01.2021 | AIISH Ethical Committee meeting for Ethical clearance of AIISH projects and Ph.D. Programs held at 10.00 a.m. |
| 05.01.2021 to 07.01.2021 | Inspected the proposed Outreach Centre to be initiated at Bidar Institute of Medical Sciences (BIMS), Bidar from 05.01.2021 (A/N) to 07.01.2021 along with Sri K. Arunraj, Audiologist / Speech-Language Pathologist Gr.II.  C:\Users\SLS\Downloads\IMG-20210106-WA0004.jpg |
| 07.01.2021 | Met Vice Chancellor, University of Mysore in connection with academic issues at 4.45 p.m. |
| 18.01.2021 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for ‘Museum’ held at 2.30 p.m. in the Board room of the Administrative block through virtual mode. |
| 19.01.2021 | Chaired the Building and Works Committee meeting pertaining to the construction of building for Centre of Excellence held at 2.30 p.m. in the Board room of the Administrative block through virtual mode. |
| 21.01.2021 | Inspected the proposed Outreach Centre to be initiated at Govt. District Hospital & Community Centre, Nilambur, Kerala on 21.01.2021 along with Sri K. Arunraj, Audiologist / Speech-Language Pathologist Gr.II. |
| 03.02.2021 to 06.03.2021 | Inspected the proposed Outreach Centre to be initiated at IGMH, Agartala, IGIMS, Patna and AIIMS, Bhubaneshwar from 03.02.2021 to 06.02.2021 along with Sri K. Arunraj, Audiologist / Speech-Language Pathologist Gr.II. |
| 08.02.2021 | Attended the meeting of faculty of science & technology at UoM held at 11.30 a.m. |
| 09.02.2021 | Attended the meeting of faculty of Education at UoM held at 11.00 a.m. |
| 10.02.2021 | Attended Research Technical Committee meeting of Bangalore Speech and Hearing Trust held at 11.00 a.m. |
| 16.02.2021 | Attended NISH meeting at 02.00 p.m. held through virtual mode. |
| 18.02.2021 | Attended the programme organized by Careers Worldwide at Youth Hostel, Gangothri Layout, Mysuru held at 11.00 a.m. serviced as Chief Guest. |
| 22.02.2021 | Met with Shri. Prathap Simha, Member of the Parliament discussed in connection with issues related to institute at 12.30 p.m. |
| 05.03.2021 | Presided over the function on part of celebration of the “World Hearing Day” **Free Hearing-Aid Distribution Programme** was organized at the Institute at 11:30 am. **Shri. Pratap Simha, Hon’ble Member of Parliament, Mysore-Kodagu Constituency** was the Chief Guest to the program and distributed the free hearing-aids to the clients. |
| 29.03.2021 | Met with District Commissioner, Mysuru along with Dean, Infrastructure and Engineers in connection with to provide water supply at Varuna campus. |
| 30.03.2021 | Chaired the building committee meeting in connection with clarification regarding Memorandum of Agreement with NPCC for setting up AIISH, Kanpur, UP, |

**General Meetings of AIISH**

**Held through virtual mode:**

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| **Date** | **Name of the program** |
| 26.05.2020 | Chaired meeting in connection with horticulture and landscaping work |
| 08.07.2020 | Chaired the SOP meeting held on 11.00 a.m. with Committee members of the SOP along with HODs. |
| 14.07.2020 | Chaired the 14th MRM Meeting held through virtual mode at 3.30 p.m. at Board Room. |
| 23.07.2020 | Conducted virtual meeting with Members of Social Media to strengthen the activities of social media. |
| 12.09.2020 | Chaired the AIISH Gymkhana General Body meeting held at 3.30 p.m. through virtual mode. Placed below were the agenda for the meeting.  1.Transfer of part amount from AAWAAZ account to Gymkhana account.  2.Day Care Centre: Income less but expenditure– Increase fees of day care admission.  3.Shifting of the Day Care Centre to the AIISH Campus.  4*.*Loan amount recovery from students.  5.Levelling of Football ground – Yet to be prepared  6.Conversion of Parking area (near Canteen) into a **Multipurpose play area** for staff/ students (inmates of Girls hostel) |
| 03.10.2020 | Attended the meeting with committee on “***Document the Success Story of Individuals was successfully rehabilitated after following Clinical Services at AIISH”*** at 3.00 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| 27.10.2020 | Conducted virtual meeting with Members of Social Media to strengthen the activities of social media at 5.00 p.m. |
| 28.10.2020 | Chaired meeting with members of the Social Media Committee along with external members held at 12.00 noon |
| 08.12.2020 | Conducted virtual meeting with Members of Social Media along with external members to strengthen the activities of social media at 4.30p.m. |
| 23.12.2020 | Attended expert committee meeting: IT Infrastructure Development at AIISH at 10.00 a.m. through virtual mode. |
| 13.01.2021 | Attended the 7th cycle of Departmental Peer Evaluation presentation carried out by Head of the Department of Clinical Psychology through virtual mode between 9.00 a.m. to 10.00 a.m. followed by a presentation by Prof. Ajish Abraham on ICMR-DHR International fellowship. |
| 18.01.2021 | Chaired the Official Language Implementation Committee monthly meeting held at 5.00 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| 22.01.2021 | Chaired the Office Council meeting at 4.30 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| 16.03.2021 | Attended the meeting in connection with initiation of the proposed Outreach Centre at Government Medical College, Miraj at 3.00 p.m. through virtual mode with Sri K. Arunraj, Audiologist / Speech-Language Pathologist Gr.II. |
| 16.03.2021 | Attended webex meeting - Assessors Training session regarding Peer Team Visit guidelines held from 05.00 p.m. to 07.00 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| 17.03.2021 | Meeting of Building and Works Committee meeting regarding setting up AIISH, Kanpur, UP, held on at 4.00 p.m. |
| 25.3.2021 | "The melody and pride of Kannada Film Industry Shri Hamsalekha visited the institute and interacted with children with Autism".  This served as a prelude to World Autism Awareness Month observed every year in the month of April.  Hamsalekha sir opined "These children are special and deserve all the empathy to make them feel they are one amongst us"  C:\Users\SLS\Downloads\AIS_5755.JPG C:\Users\SLS\Downloads\AIS_5753.JPG |

**Participation in Events:**

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| **Date** | **Name of the program** |
| 21.05.2020 | Pledge taking ceremony held in view of observance of Anti-Terrorism day |
| *15.08.2020* | Presided over the 74th Independence Day celebrations. |
| 20.08.2020 | Pledge taking ceremony held in view of observance of Sadbhavana Diwas and administering of the Sadbhavana Pledge on 20th August, 2020 at 11.00 a.m. |
| 08.09.2020 | Inaugurated Hindi Week program held through virtual mode at 4.00 p.m. |
| 27.10.2021 | **Observation of Vigilance Awareness Week 2020 from 27th October to 2nd November 2020 and took integrity pledge on 27.10.2020 at 11.00 a.m. through virtual mode.** |
| 29.10.2020 | Attended Guest lecture related to Administrative Vigilance: dos & don’ts – to promote vigilant India, Prosperous India, **by Sri S.K. Srivastava, Retd. Chief Administrative Officer, DRDO, B’lore at 11.00 a.m. through virtual mode.** |
| 26.11.2020 | Took pledge in view of celebration Constitution Day at 11.00 a.m. |
| 29.11.2020 | Attended interaction program at Doordarshana Kendra (Chandana) in connection with activities of the institute.  C:\Users\SLS\Downloads\IMG-20201120-WA0002.jpg |
| 14.12.2020 | Attended the Radio program along with staff members which was organized by Red FM 93.2 in the institute campus in connection with the precautions to be taken to avoid spread of COVID-19 at 4.00 p.m. |
| 14.12.2020 | Attended interaction program at Doordarshana Kendra (Chandana) in connection with activities of the institute and introduction of speech and hearing disorders. |

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| **Date** | **Title** |
| April-2020  **Academic** meetings conducted | During the Lockdown period, monitored 375 students who were in the hostel during the Lockdown. Conducted online classes . |
| 28.05.2020 | Chaired the meeting of the Doctoral Committee for pre-registration colloquium of Ms. M. Seema and Ms. Ranjini G.C held on 28.05.2020 in the Seminar Hall of the Academic section. |
| June-2020 | Chaired the Review meetings of Ph.D. candidates towards enhancement of fellowship. |
| 12.06.2020 | Chaired the internal open viva voice examination of Ms. Geethi S, Doctoral candidate for Ph.D. degree in Speech-Language Pathology for her thesis entitled “Development of a Metapragmatic tool for adolescents in Malayalam and its validation on children with specific learning disorder” held on 11.06.2020 at 10.30 a.m. |
| 25.06.2020 | Chaired the Review Meeting to assess the progress of research work of DST INSPIRE fellow-Ms. Priyanka Jaisinghani held at 2.30 p.m. in Board Room |
| 23.07.2020 | Attended preregistration colloquium of Ms. Seema M. & Ms. Husna Firdose held at 10.00 a.m. to 01.00 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| Held meeting with the faculty of Special Education in virtual mode to discuss the issue related to preschool activities. |
| 02.09.2020 | Chaired the internal open viva voice examination of Ms. Aparna V.S, Doctoral candidate for Ph.D. degree in Speech-Language Pathology for her thesis entitled “Speech and language outcomes in school going children following early primary cleft palate repair” held on 02.09.2020 at 10.00 a.m. through virtual mode. |
| 04.09.2020 | Chaired the doctoral committee meeting in respect of pre-thesis colloquium of Ms. Mamatha N.M., doctoral candidate for Ph.D. degree in Audiology for her thesis entitled “Effect of Auditory Processing abilities on Academic Performance in Kannada Speaking Primary School Children’” held on 04.09.2020 at 11.00 a.m. through virtual mode |
| 11.09.2020 | Chaired the selection committee meeting for selection of candidates to B.Ed. Spl.Ed.(HI) program held at 10.00 a.m. in the Board room of the Administrative block. |
| 02.10.2020 | Chaired the doctoral committee meeting in respect of pre-thesis colloquium of Ms. Amulya, G. Doctoral candidate for Ph.D. degree in Speech-Language Pathology for her thesis entitled “Bilingual Effect on Written Language Skills in Kannada-English Bilingual-Biliterate Children with Learning Disability” held on 01.10.2020 at 10.00 a.m. through virtual mode. |
| 27.10.2020 | Pre-thesis colloquium of Ms. Divya Seth held at 10:00 AM. through virtual mode |
| 05.11.2020 | Attended presentation of the Research proposal by students held at Knowledge park. |
| 05.11.2020 | Chaired the selection committee meeting for selection of candidates to M.Sc. held at 2.30 pm in the Board room of the Administrative block. |
| 06.11.2020 | Chaired the programme on presentation of the Research proposal by students held at Knowledge park from 9.30 to 5.00 p.m. |
| 23.11.2020 | Orientation to I B.ASLP & I B.Ed.Spl.Ed. held at 09.30 a.m. through virtual mode. |
| 26.11.2020 | BOS Meeting(Sp & Hg) held at 10.00 a.m. and BOS Meeting (Aud) held at 11.30 a.m. through virtual mode. |
| 27.11.2020 | BOS Meeting (SLP) held at 10.00 a.m. and BOS Meeting (Spl. Edn.) held at 11.30 a.m. through VC. |
| 04.12.2020 | Chaired the doctoral committee meeting in respect of pre-thesis colloquium of Reuben Thomas Varghese at 10.00 a.m. through virtual mode. |
| 04.12.2020 | Chaired the Internal Viva-Voce Examination of Smt. Gayathri Krishnan, Doctoral candidate for Ph.D. Degree in Speech-Language Pathology for her thesis titled “Effect of Bolus Characteristics and Head Position on Respiratory Swallow Coordination” held at 2.00 p.m. in the Seminar of the Academic Section. |
| 04.12.2020 | Chaired the Internal Viva-Voce Examination of Ms. Naharika M.K, Doctoral candidate for Ph.D. Degree in Speech-Language Pathology for her thesis titled “Cognitive-linguistic processing in adult native speaker in Kannada” held at 4.00 p.m. in the Seminar of the Academic Section. |
| 23.12.2020 | Chaired the Pre-thesis colloquium of Ms. Shubha Tak  held at 12.00 noon through virtual mode. |
| 30.12.2020 | Chaired the Pre-thesis colloquium of Mr. Anoop B.J. held at 3.00 p.m. through virtual mode. |
| 11.01.2021 | Online Orientation to Diploma students about functioning of the institute held at 09.30 a.m. |
| 11.01.2021 & 12.01.2021 | Chaired the BOE Meeting held at Board room of the Administrative block from 10.30 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. |
| 01.02.2021 | Chaired the pre-thesis colloquium of Mr. Vignesh held at 10.00 a.m.(virtual) & Mr Arunraj K. at 03.00 p.m. |
| 23.03.2021 | Chaired the Doctoral Committee meeting for Pre-thesis submission colloquium of Mr. Rakesh C V held at 11.00 am. |

**Research Presentation**

Topic Area: Craniofacial and Velopharyngeal Disorders

Proposal Number: 11790

Title: Acoustic Analysis of Glottal Stops in Children with Cleft Lip and Palate: A Preliminary Study

Session Format: Poster (90 minute commitment)

Author(s): Sushma Manjunath **(Accepted for ASHA presentation, USA 2020 Proposal**

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**Conference presentation**

Sushma, M and Pushpavathi M. “Impact of articulation therapy on perceptual characteristics of bilabial in children with repaired cleft lip and palate” presented at SHAIWBCON held on 30th and 31st January, 2021 at AYJNISHD(D), Kolkata.

Ranjini V, Rushali T, Prashanth P.P, Abhishek B.P and Pushpavathi M. “Utilization of social media as a tool to create awareness about communication disorders - A content analysis” presented at SHAIWBCON held on 30th and 31st January, 2021 at AYJNISHD(D), Kolkata.

Srushti S, Pushpavathi M and Gopi Sankar R. “Diagnostic accuracy of acoustic voice quality index v.02.03 to discriminate across the auditory perceptual based voice severity” presented at SHAIWBCON held on 30th and 31st January, 2021 at AYJNISHD(D), Kolkata. Received best paper award under speech oral category.

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