

Lucknow Christian Degree College
Cancer Awareness Programme
Anandi Maa – Ek Jeevan Bacho Abhiyaan Evam Cancer Mukht Bharat Yatra 2026–27
Date: 13th August, 2026
Venue: Fairfield Hall

Report on Lecture on HPV and Cancer Awareness

On 13th August 2026, a medical lecture on HPV Awareness, Cervical Cancer Prevention and HPV Vaccination was organized at Fairfield Hall, Lucknow Christian Degree College, Lucknow, under the *Anandi Maa – Ek Jeevan Bacho Abhiyaan Evam Cancer Mukht Bharat Yatra 2026–27*.

The programme was conducted by Dr. Rohan Benjamin, Assistant Professor, Department of Commerce. The programme formally commenced with a prayer by Dr. Manisha Prasad, Assistant Professor, Department of Chemistry, followed by the reading of the Bible by Dr. Vivek Joseph, Head, Department of Mathematics.

The Chief Guest and medical expert, Dr. Shashank Chaudhary, Specialist Doctor, Max Hospital, Gomti Nagar, Lucknow, was welcomed and felicitated by the Manager of the College, Dr. R. K. Singh, with a bouquet and memento. The Manager was welcomed by the Officiating Principal, Dr. Esha V. Lal. The Principal was welcomed by Abhishek Singh Yadav, while Prof. Rishi Kumar Mishra, Proctor, was welcomed by Dr. Nomita Gowan, Head, Department of Economics.

On the occasion, Rehana Hooda, Secretary, Reliance Club Waris, was also felicitated by the Principal and the Manager for her work towards environmental conservation.

The Chairperson of the programme highlighted the objectives and significance of the initiative undertaken by Smt. Anandiben Patel, Hon'ble Governor of Uttar Pradesh. The Programme Coordinator, Dr. Alpana Bajpai, Department of History, introduced the Chief Guest.

The ceremonial lamp was lit by the Chief Guest, Manager, Principal, Proctor and faculty members. The lamp-lighting ceremony was coordinated by Ms. Soni Kumari, Assistant Professor, Department of Hindi, and Mr. Satyam Singh, Assistant Professor, Department of Political Science.

Thereafter, Dr. Shashank Chaudhary delivered a medical lecture on HPV infection, cervical cancer, preventive measures and HPV vaccination. He also addressed various misconceptions related to cancer and answered questions raised by the students.

Dr. Chaudhary emphasized that the dream of a “Cancer-Free India” can be achieved only when every section of society becomes aware of cancer risks, preventive measures and the importance of timely screening. He also stressed the need for conducting such awareness programmes regularly in educational institutions.

The lecture aimed to increase awareness among youth and women regarding cancer, early symptoms, HPV, cervical cancer prevention, timely medical consultation and screening. The

session proved valuable in creating awareness among students regarding cancer prevention and HPV-related health concerns.







