

**Shri Shivaji Education Society Amravati's  
Science College, Congress Nagar, Nagpur**

**Department of Biotechnology**



**Session 2020-2021**

**Organizes**

**Expert talk On COVID-19 & Mucormycosis: Myths & Facts**

**Date-31/05/2021**

**Department of Microbiology & Biotechnology**  
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**EXPERT TALK  
ON  
COVID-19 AND MUCORMYCOSIS: MYTHS & FACTS**

**SPEAKER**  
Dr. Arvind M. Deshmukh  
President,  
Microbiologist Society, India

**Date: Monday, 31<sup>st</sup> May, 2021 Time: 12:30 pm**

**Google Meet Link: <https://meet.google.com/dqd-fscy-pti>**

**Chairman**  
Prof. M. P. Dhore  
Principal  
SSES's Science College, Congress Nagar, Nagpur

**Organizer**  
Prof. G. R. Avachar  
Vice-Principal  
SSES's Science College, Congress Nagar, Nagpur

**Convener**  
Dr. Pranita B. Gulhane  
Department of Microbiology & Biotechnology

Shri Shivaji Education Society's Science College, Congress Nagar, Nagpur, hosted a webinar on “An Expert Talk on Mucormycosis: Myths & Facts” on May 31, 2021. The event was conducted via the Google Meet digital platform and aimed to raise awareness among students and faculty members about Mucormycosis, including its side effects and precautionary measures.

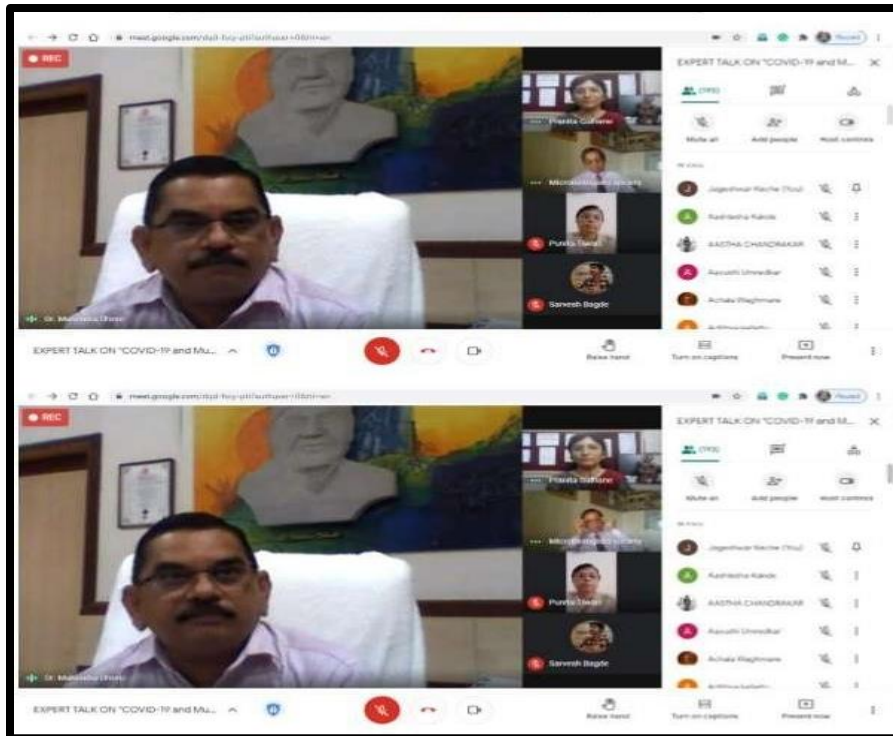
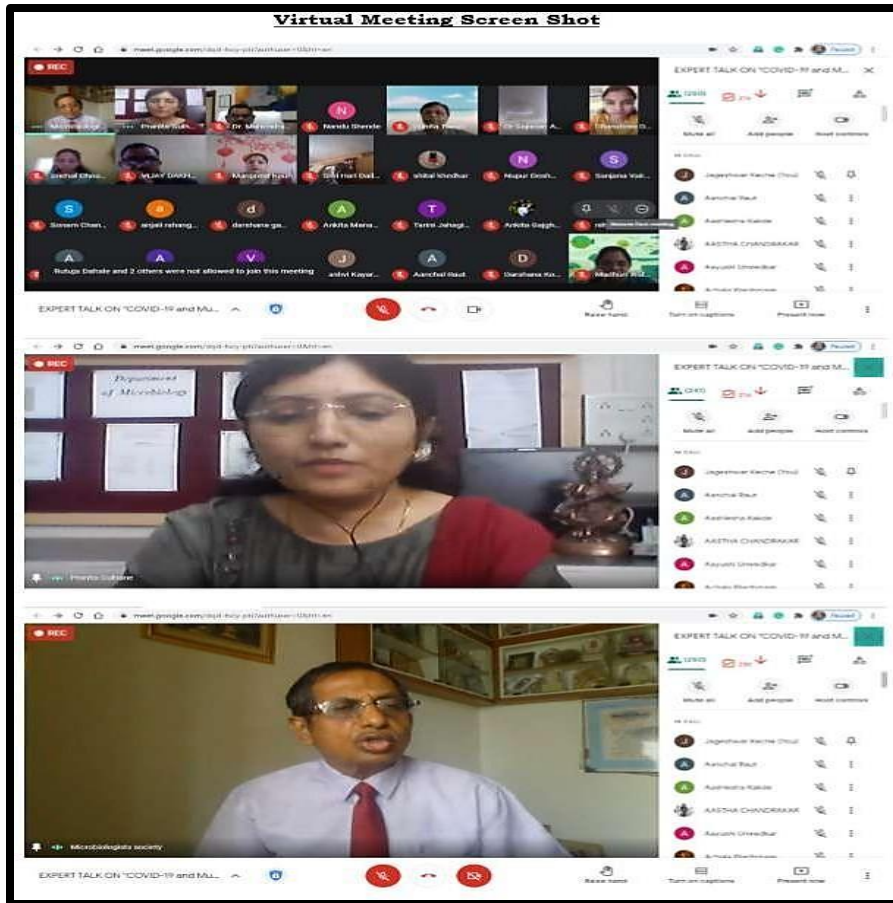
The webinar began with the virtual arrival of dignitaries and a verbal welcome extended to them. Dr. Pranita Gulhane introduced the guest speaker, Dr. Arvind M. Deshmukh, President of the Microbiologists Society of India. Dr. Deshmukh delivered an insightful talk on Mucormycosis, highlighting the importance of understanding the disease, especially in the context of COVID-19. He emphasized the risks associated with steroid treatments during the pandemic and offered valuable advice on preventive measures.

Following the expert talk, a question-and-answer session allowed participants to engage directly with Dr. Deshmukh, seeking clarification and further information on the topic. The session concluded with remarks by Prof. Mahendra P. Dhore, Principal of S.S.E.S.A's Science College, who provided a thoughtful summary of the key points discussed.

The program was anchored by Dr. Pranita Gulhane, and the vote of thanks was delivered by Mrs. Madhuri Walvekar. The webinar saw a robust attendance of 27 students and faculty members, reflecting a strong interest and engagement with the subject matter. The positive response to the interactive session underscored the value of the information shared by the eminent expert in Microbiology and Biotechnology.

**Action Taken:** In this virtual meeting, the guest speaker provided valuable insights on COVID-19 and Mucormycosis. Attended by 27 students and faculty members, the session effectively raised awareness about the disease and its implications. Participants learned about the critical connection between COVID-19 and Mucormycosis, including risk factors, preventive measures, and the importance of early detection. The informative lecture equipped attendees with practical knowledge to better protect themselves and others, making the program both impactful and beneficial.

### Virtual Meeting Screen Shot





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<b>Sr. No</b>	<b>Name of Teaching faculty</b>
1.	Prof. Mahendra Dhore
2.	Prof. P.S. Tiwari
3.	Dr. S.R. Pandey
4.	Dr. M.J. Hedau
<b>Sr. No</b>	<b>Names of Non-teaching faculty</b>
1.	Mr. A.W. Konde
2.	Mr. Vinod Raut
<b>Sr. No</b>	<b>Name of students (M.Sc. Microbiology Final year)</b>
1	Achala Waghmare
2	Anjali Pogade
3	Ankita Manapure
4	Asmita Phosphate
5	Darshana Gawali
6	Komal Dhoble
7	Mithila Jadhav
8	Niharika Kapse
9	Palash Vaidya
10	Poonam Ekunkar
11	Rakhi Khandelwal
12	Sakshi Sonsare
13	Sakshi Chinchulkar
14	Saloni Komawar
15	Shradhha Bhandarkar
16	Shraddha Nikhare
17	Simran Gajbhiye
18	Supriya Nimkar
19	Surabhi Bawankar
20	Shrutika Dhole
21	Vaishnavi Manmode

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**Feedback Form**

Q.1) Rate the Program.

- a) Excellent
- b) Good
- c) Satisfied

Q.2) Overall effectiveness of the lecture.

- a) Excellent
- b) Good
- c) Satisfied

Q.3) What is your opinion about the speaker?

- a) Excellent
- b) Good
- c) Satisfied

Q.4) Did the lecture cover what you were expecting?

- a) Yes
- b) No

Q.5) Would you like to participate in such upcoming activities?

- a) Yes
- b) No

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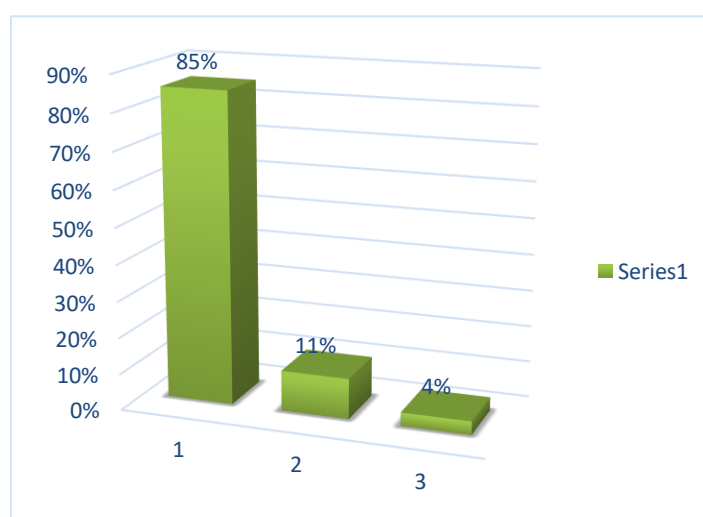
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**Feedback Response**

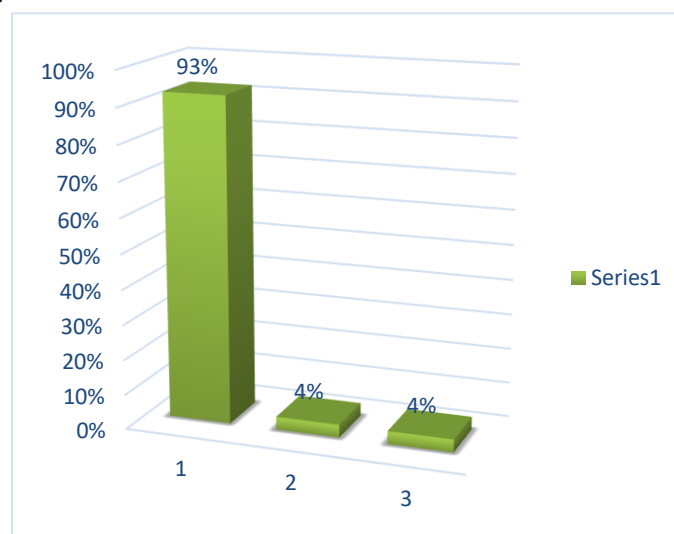
**Q.1) Rate the Program.**

Rating	No. of Students	Percentage
Excellent	23	85%
Good	3	11%
Satisfactory	1	4%
Total	27	100%



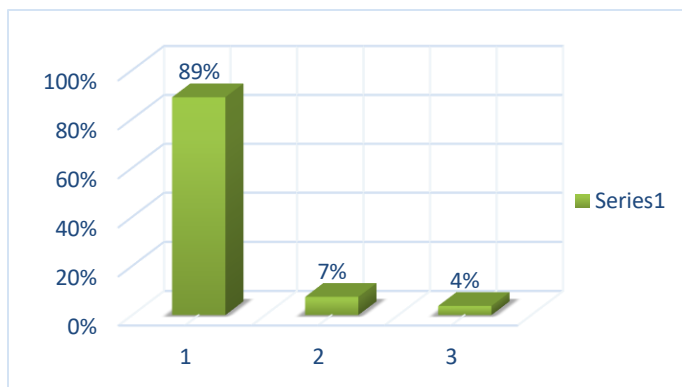
**Q.2) Overall effectiveness of the lecture.**

Rating	No. of Students	Percentage
Excellent	25	93%
Good	1	4%
Satisfactory	1	3%
Total	27	100%



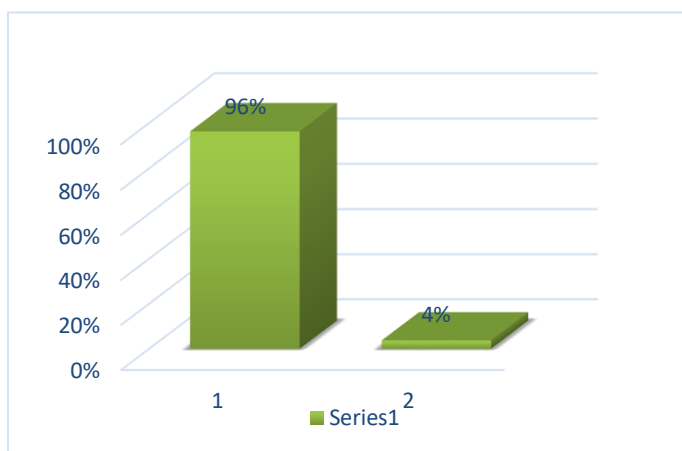
**Q.3) What is your opinion about the speaker?**

Rating	No. of Students	Percentage
Excellent	24	89%
Good	2	7%
Satisfactory	1	4%
Total	27	100%



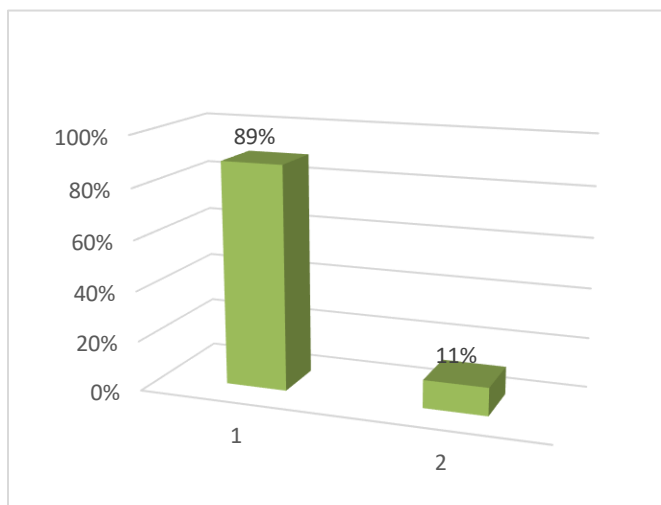
**Q.4) Did the lecture cover what you were expecting?**

Rating	No of Students	Percentage
Yes	26	96%
No	1	4%
Total	27	100%



**Q.5) Would you like to participate in such upcoming activities?**

Rating	No of Students	Percentage
Yes	24	89%
No	3	11%
Total	27	100%



*Pranita Gulhane*

**Dr. Pranita Gulhane**