Foundation course for the Undergraduate Medical Education Program 2019 was conducted by MEU and curriculum committee during August 2019. All the components of course as mentioned in MCI document were covered. It included Orientation to MBBS course, hospital and other facilities, Skills Module including communication, BLS, First Aid etc., Field visits to Urban and rural health centres, Professional Development including ethics, Enhancement of language and computer skills and extracurricular activities including poster preparation, sports, quiz on Foundation course etc.

Faculty from different departments like all Preclinical departments, Community Medicine, Microbiology, Forensic Medicine, Pharmacology, Surgical departments, Anesthesiology, Psychiatry and Medicine participated in training.

Overall the students appreciated the importance and conduction of Foundation course mentioning that they learnt many things and also that it eased out their initial fear and apprehension about MBBS course.

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