



# CHRIST COLLEGE - PUNE

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## BLOOD STEM CELL DONATION SEMINAR



**DATE: 03<sup>rd</sup> October, 2019**

**DURATION: 2 hours**

**Beneficiary: 100**

**Volunteers' Participation: 50**

Blood and blood cells are a very important part of the human body. The transportation of food and other essential nutrients to every part of the body is carried out by the blood. Therefore it is one of the most essential element of the human body. The act of donating blood has been very important in saving a life as per the health sector is concerned. To throw light on the importance of blood stem cell donation and its need and requirement in recent times, a team from Datri, a non-profit organization conducted a workshop in Christ College. This workshop was conducted for the entire college so that every student and staff member can understand the need and importance of Blood Stem Cell Donation. As of now, only 10 million people across the globe have voluntarily donated their blood stem cells out of which only 5.5 lakh people are from India. The session turned out to be quite helpful as around 85 students registered to donate their blood stem cells and even got a test done for further assessment.

Dr. Priya Wahab  
NSS Programme Officer

Principal/Director



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**NSS Volunteers Attendance List 2019-20**

Activity... Blood stem cell donation workshop ... by Nrvi ... Date: 3/10/19

Sr. No.	Name	Sign	Sr. No.	Name	Sign
1.	DEVESH NAIK		26.	JOSHI CHAITANYA SANJAY	
2.	HARGUDE KUNAL AVINASH	<i>[Signature]</i>	27.	BENDRE RAJENDRA GAJANAND	<i>[Signature]</i>
3.	TANYA SEHGAL	<i>[Signature]</i>	28.	KESSIA ANN HAJAN	<i>[Signature]</i>
4.	ASHISH	<i>[Signature]</i>	29.	ISHANKA BURREWAR	<i>[Signature]</i>
5.	KIRTI VARDHAN	<i>[Signature]</i>	30.	KATHAWADE MANJOT PARVINDER SINGH	<i>[Signature]</i>
6.	SINGH PRAGYA	<i>[Signature]</i>	31.	MANAKKATTU DHANYA S MATHEWS	<i>[Signature]</i>
7.	MUTHA GAURI AJAY	<i>[Signature]</i>	32.	FRANCIS SAJINA	<i>[Signature]</i>
8.	MANMEET SINGH HANSPAL	<i>[Signature]</i>	33.	PATIL SANYUKTA NITIN	<i>[Signature]</i>
9.	GEORGE RIYA THOMAS	<i>[Signature]</i>	34.	AAKASH SHRIVASTAVA	<i>[Signature]</i>
10.	ACHARY VISHWAKARMA SUVITHA SUDHAKARAN	<i>[Signature]</i>	35.	PALASH MAHESHWARI MANISH	<i>[Signature]</i>
11.	LIVIYA VARGHESE	<i>[Signature]</i>	36.	PANDIT TEJAS JAMES	<i>[Signature]</i>
12.	SASNE VINAYAK MANOHAR	<i>[Signature]</i>	37.	PATOLE MAHIMA SUNIL	<i>[Signature]</i>
13.	KHARAT YASH AJAY	<i>[Signature]</i>	38.	SHRIYA DUBEY	<i>[Signature]</i>
14.	DIAS NIGEL CAETANO	<i>[Signature]</i>	39.	CHACKO JOEL ACHANKUNJU	<i>[Signature]</i>
15.	VERMA TITASH SANJEEV	<i>[Signature]</i>	40.	BIBIN K ABRAHAM	<i>[Signature]</i>
16.	DISHALI WAVARE	<i>[Signature]</i>	41.	BHATKAR ROHAN SANJAY	<i>[Signature]</i>
17.	NIKHIL AJAY BHATKAR	<i>[Signature]</i>	42.	KHODIYAR POORVEE NANDLAL	<i>[Signature]</i>
18.	DAPHAL ATHARVA SANJAY	<i>[Signature]</i>	43.	SNEHA KUMARI	<i>[Signature]</i>
19.	MUTHIRAVILA JOSHINA JOHNY	<i>[Signature]</i>	44.	THOMAS LYDIA JOSEPH	<i>[Signature]</i>
20.	PANDHARE SHUBHAM RAMESH	<i>[Signature]</i>	45.	MISAL ROHIT PRAKASH	<i>[Signature]</i>
21.	SINGH GARIMA SANJEEV	<i>[Signature]</i>	46.	ANKITA T GHARGE.	<i>[Signature]</i>
22.	AWASTHI SUMIRAN DEEPAK	<i>[Signature]</i>	47.	UTSAV KUMAR	<i>[Signature]</i>
23.	SALONI SHARMA	<i>[Signature]</i>	48.	TIWARI AF JORW	<i>[Signature]</i>
24.	SANTOSH ROHAN KRISHNA	<i>[Signature]</i>	49.	KHUSHI SRIVASTAVA	<i>[Signature]</i>
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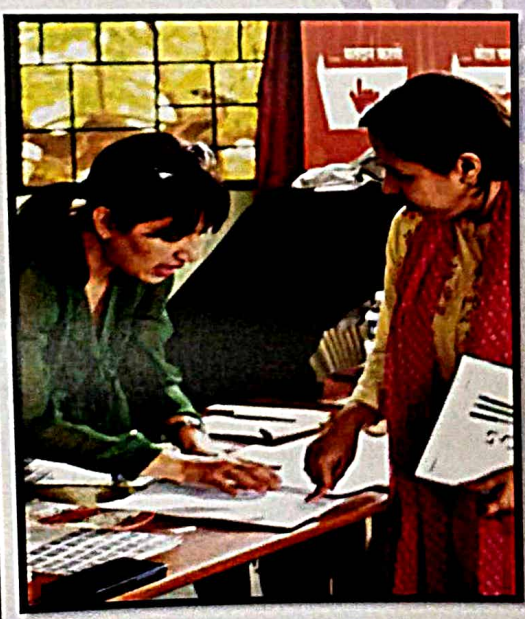
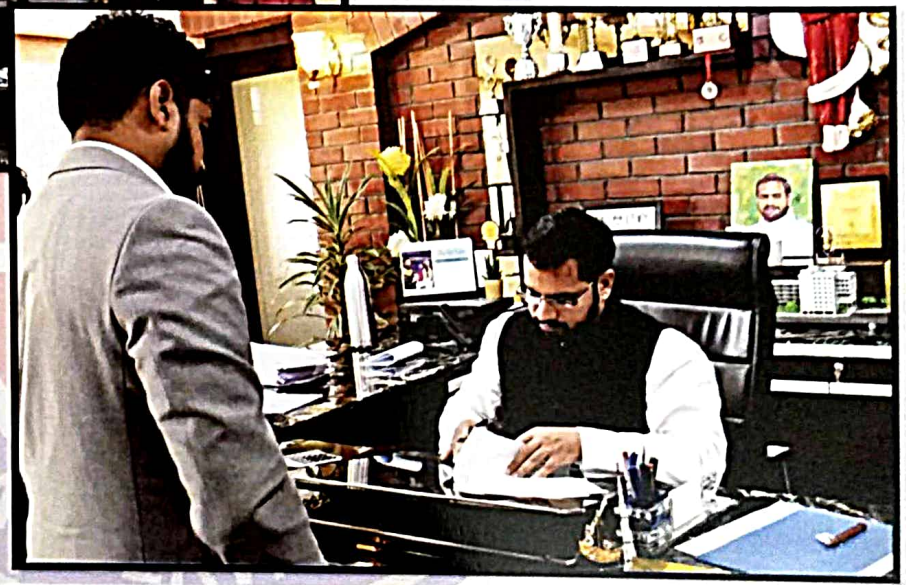




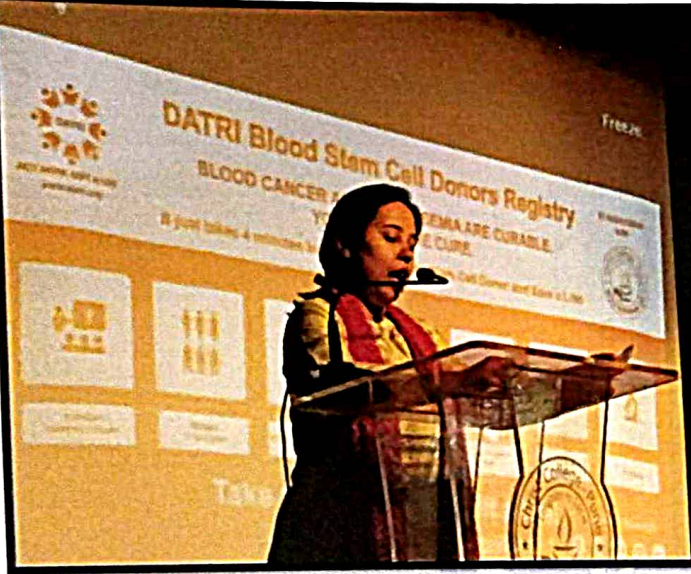
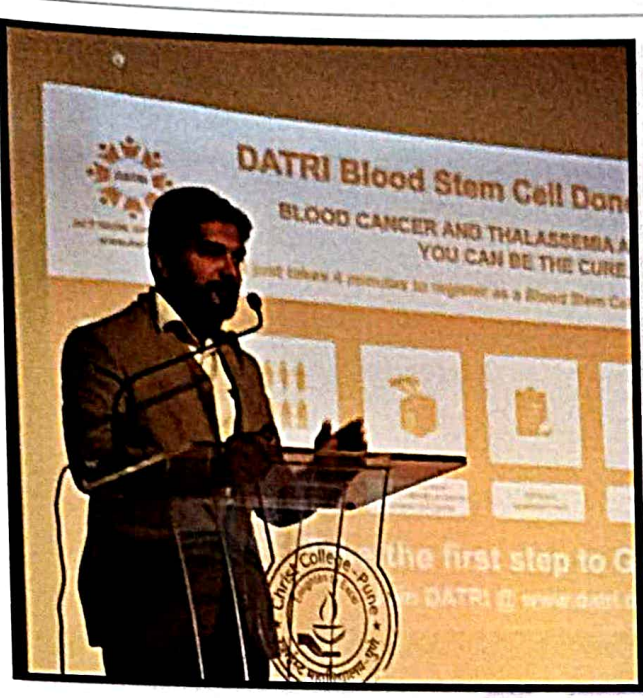
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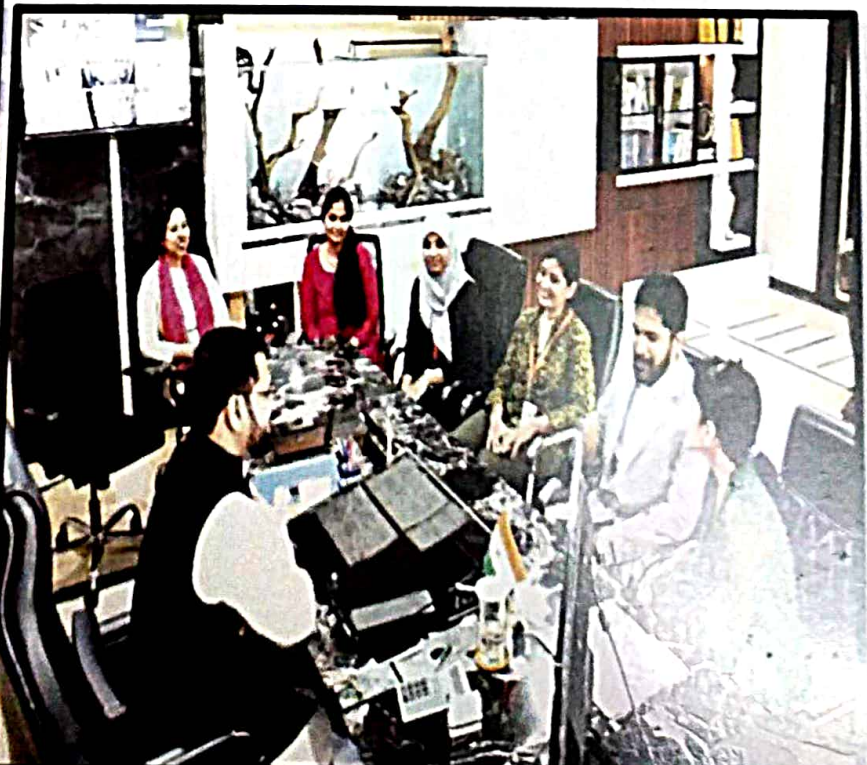


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**GUEST LECTURE BY**

**Mr Aby Sam John**



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f. No. CCP/542/2019

Date: 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2019

To,  
Aby Sam John  
Director, Datri  
Kerala, India

Subject: Letter of Appreciation

Respected Sir,

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Yours sincerely,

  
Director/ Principal

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Principal / Director  
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Received with Thanks  
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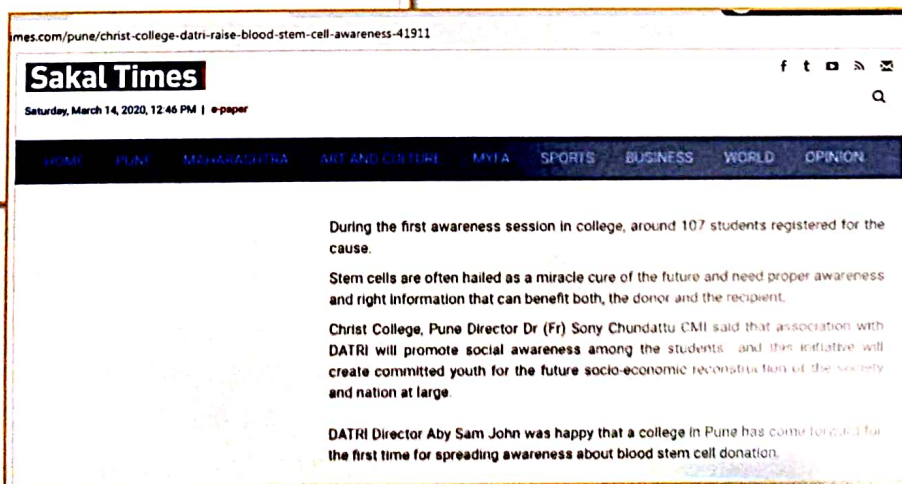
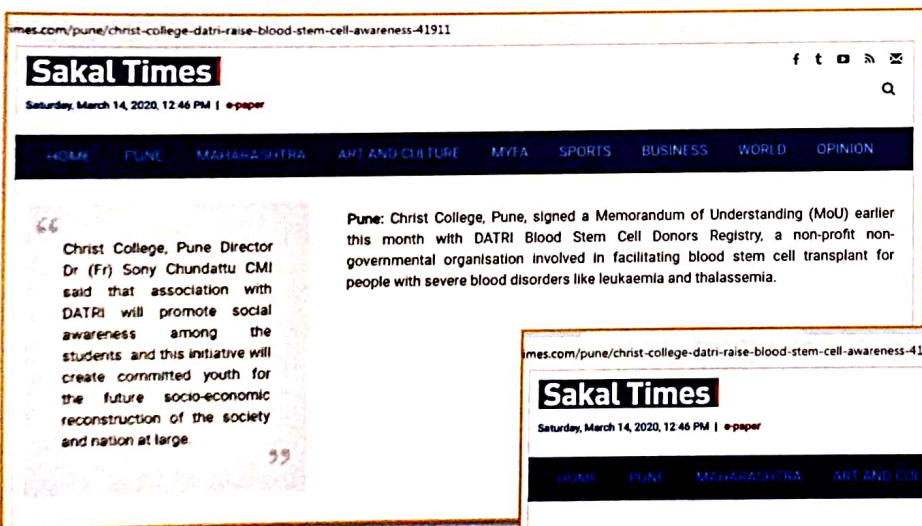
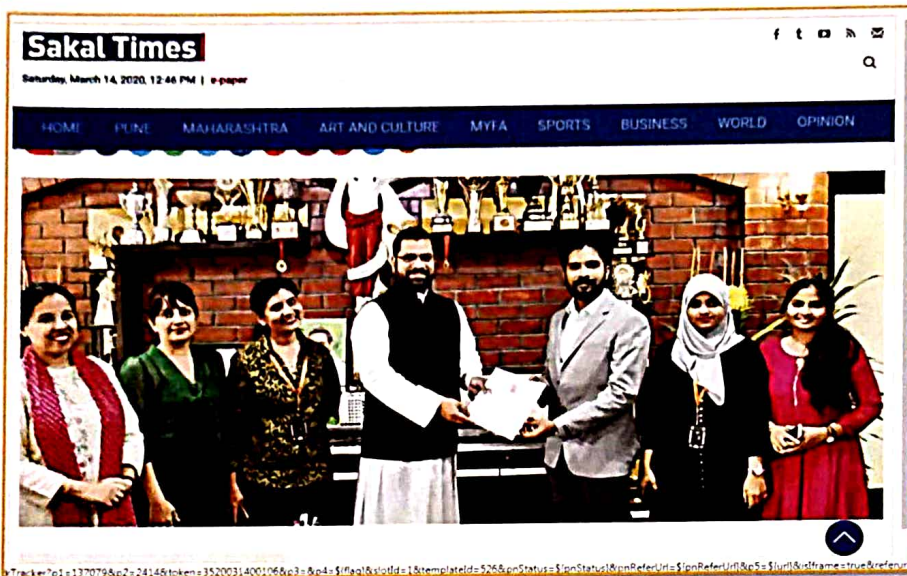


*Recd.  
Dipali*

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Christ College in Pune and online blood stem cell donor database DATRI will collaborate to raise awareness of blood disorders such as blood cancers and thalassemia which require blood stem cell transplants.

"There are large [numbers] of patients suffering from blood cancer and thalassemia major among others for which the last resort is blood stem cell transplant," said Christ College coordinator Priya Wahab. "For patients who could not find a match within their family the only hope is registries like DATRI. We will support DATRI to help spread awareness and save lives of many such patients."

DATRI is the country's largest database of blood stem cell donors unrelated to recipients. Since being founded in 2009, it has registered more than four million donors credited with "gifting" 619 lives.

"DATRI is working towards creating a wide and diverse database of potential blood stem cell donors that can be accessed by any patient, living anywhere in the world, in need of a blood stem cell transplant," the organisation explains on its website. At the time it was founded, "it was almost impossible to find an unrelated donor for patients of Indian origin."

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"We will support the cause by conducting awareness for all students in every department," said Christ College principal Sony Chundattu. "The college will be doing multiple public drives and events like walkathons and marathons on important days to create awareness."

In India, blood disorders carry a huge toll. The country is home to the third largest number of haematological cancer cases in the world, those being cancers which affect the blood, bone marrow and lymph nodes. It also has a sizeable burden of thalassemia, to the extent it is regarded as the world's capital for the disease. More than forty million Indians test positive for thalassemia, of whom more than 100,000 die before the age of twenty. As such, efforts to raise awareness of the importance of blood stem cell transplants are welcome for the millions affected by them and their families.

"It is sad that even after every donor is being made aware, the he or she would be the last hope of cure to a patient if found a match, there are still around forty percent back-outs from volunteer donors," said Wahab. "While for a patient that donor could be the only person in the world who could save his/her life. There is a dire need to spread awareness which will help save lives of thousands of patients."

<https://www.healthissuesindia.com/2019/10/08/datri-and-christ-college-to-raise-awareness-of-blood-diseases-in-pune/>



## Christ College to spread awareness about blood cancer, thalassaemia

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**Pritya Wahab**, coordinator, Christ College said, "There are large number of patients suffering from blood cancer and thalassaemia major among others for which the last resort is blood stem cell transplant. For patients who could not find a match within their family the only hope is registries like Datri. We will support Datri to help spread awareness and save lives of many such patients."

Currently, a total 4,15,000 donors are registered with Datri as potential blood stem cell donors from Pune. These numbers are very less as compared to other cities in the country. "This definitely calls for more awareness in the state, about the importance of saving lives through blood stem cell donation for blood cancer patients," Wahab said.

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Typically, patients would first try to find a match within their family and there are 25% chances to find a match among family members. Else, they have to look out for a perfect match from a registry like Datri. As of today, the probability of finding a matched donor is only 1 in 10,000 to one in over a million, as the total number of volunteer donors registered are very low.

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