



# Continuing Medical Education

In commemoration of

**RARE DISEASE DAY 2020**  
**29 FEBRUARY**

Organized by

**Department of Dermatology Venereology and Leprosy**  
**Shri B M Patil Medical College Hospital and Research Centre**  
**BLDE (Deemed to be University), Vijayapur**

In Association with

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**Bijapur-Bagalkot Dermatologists' Association**

**Date: 29-02-2020**

**Venue: Department of Medical Education,**  
**Shri B M Patil Medical College Hospital, Vijayapur**

## Rare Disease Day

*The first Rare Disease Day was celebrated in 2008 on 29 February, a 'rare' date that happens only once every four years. Ever since then, Rare Disease Day has taken place on the last day of February, a month known for having a 'rare' number of days. The main objective of Rare Disease Day is to raise awareness amongst the general public and decision-makers about rare diseases and their impact on patients' lives. Building awareness of rare diseases is so important because 1 in 20 people will live with a rare disease at some point in their life. Despite this, there is no cure for the majority of rare diseases and many go undiagnosed. Rare Disease Day improves knowledge amongst the general public of rare diseases while encouraging researchers and decision makers to address the needs of those living with rare diseases.*

## About the faculty

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## Program Schedule

Topic	Speaker	Time
<i>Welcome and Inauguration</i>		<i>10:00 – 10:30 am</i>
<i>Introduction to Rare Diseases and Rare Disease Day</i>	<i>Dr. Ragunatha S</i>	<i>10:30 – 10:45 am</i>
<i>Rare Genetic Disorders</i>	<i>Dr. G S Kadakol</i>	<i>10:45 – 11:00 am</i>
<i>Leveraging on training for developing reagents of translational value</i>	<i>Dr. Gurudatta B V</i>	<i>11:00 – 11:15 am</i>
<i>Epidermolysis bullosa: Care and Registry Program</i>	<i>Dr. Ravi Hiremagalore</i>	<i>11:15 – 11:30 am</i>
<i>Vote of thanks</i>		

## Organizing team

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# Introduction to Rare diseases

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