

**Name of Department: Ophthalmology Department**

**Location of Department: Surgical Building Ward 15/16**

**Details of Faculties:**

<b>Sr.No</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Designation</b>
1	Dr Archana Vare	Professor & Head
2	Dr Vaishali Une	Professor
3	Dr Kashinath Choudhary	Associate Professor
4	Dr Shubha Ghonsikar	Professor (Academic)
5	Dr Tapan Jakkal	Associate Professor
6	Dr Venukumar Rangu	Associate Professor (Academic)
7	Dr Mahesh Sonpethkar	Assistant Professor
8	Dr Soham Pal	Assistant Professor
9	Dr Anupama Kokate	Assistant Professor
10	Dr Varsha Rathod	Assistant Professor
11	Dr Imran Khan	Assistant Professor

**Temporary Staff/Contractual**

<b>Sr.No</b>	<b>Name</b>	<b>Number</b>
1	Contractual Professor	00
2	Contractual Associate Professor	00
3	Contractual Assistant Professor	03
4	Senior Resident Sanction Post	03
5	Per Year Intake of PG	08

## **Faculty Information**

**Name: Dr. Archana Vare**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

- 1. MBBS:** 1996 July, BJ Medical College Pune
- 2. MD/MS:** 2002 July, Pravara Rural Medical College Loni
- 3. Other Courses in any:** Cataract fellowship at Arvind Eye Hospital, Madurai in 2004.

Phacoemusification fellowship at LVPEI Hyderabad in 2011

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

**Professor & Head**

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar (MS) 431001

### **Publication:**

National: 7

International: 4

### **Resource Person:**

1. MEU
2. BCME
3. CISP

### **Awards:**

1. Best teacher award in 2024 by Lions Club of Aurangabad
2. National hero award by Maharashtra Ophthalmic Society
3. Distinguished Ophthalmology Professor of India by Forum of Ophthalmal Teachers of India

### **Life member of subject associations:**

1. AIOS
2. MOS
3. ISMSICS



## **Faculty Information**

**Name: Dr. Vaishali Une**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

- 1. MBBS:** December 1990, Govt Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar
- 2. MD/MS:** Dec 1996, Govt Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar
- 3. Other Courses in any:** Paediatric Ophthalmology and Strabismus fellowship Aravind Eye Institute, Coimbatore 2004 and RPC, AIIMS Delhi 2015



### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

**Professor and OSD at Super speciality block**

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar (MS) 431001

### **Publication:**

National: 12

International: 3

### **Resource Person:**

1. CISP
2. BCME

### **Awards:**

1. Outstanding Ophthalmology teacher of India award
2. Gold medallist (MS and DO)

### **Life member of subject associations:**

1. MOS
2. AIOS
3. SSI

## **Faculty Information**

**Name: Dr.Kashinath Ganpatrao Choudhary**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

**1. MBBS:** November 1985, Government Medical College  
Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar

**2. MD/MS:** November 1990, Government Medical College Chhatrapati  
Sambhajinagar

**3. Other Courses in any:** DOMS

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

**Associate Professor**

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar (MS) 431001

### **Publication:**

National: 2

International: 13

### **Life member of subject associations:**

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## **Faculty Information**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

- 1. MBBS:** December 1989, Government Medical College, Aurangabad (Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar)
- 2. MD/MS:** December 1994, Government Medical College, Aurangabad (Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar)
- 3. Other Courses in any:** Fellowship in Oculoplasty at Sankara Netralaya, Chennai

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

Professor (Academic)

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar (MS) 431001

### **Publication:**

National: 4

International: 7

### **Resource Person:**

1. Medical Education Unit, GMC Aurangabad.
2. BCME
3. CISP 2022,2023,2024 at GMC Aurangabad.

### **Awards:**

1. Best Paper Award at MOSCON 2022
2. Best Paper Award at SPOCON 2023

### **Life member of subject associations:**

1. MOS
2. AIOS



## **Faculty Information**

**Name: Dr.Tapan Pandharinath Jakkal**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

**1. MBBS:** 2006 December, Government Medical College,  
Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar

**2. MD/MS:** June 2009, Government Medical College, Chhatrapati  
Sambhajinagar

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

Associate Professor

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar (MS) 431001

### **Publication:**

National: 8

International: 4

### **Life member of subject associations:**

1. AIOS

2. MOS



## **Faculty Information**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

- 1. MBBS:** November 1994, SRTR Medical College Ambajogai
- 2. MD/MS:** November 1997, Government Medical College, Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

Associate Professor (Academic)

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar (MS) 431001

### **Publication:**

National: 3

International: 0

### **Life member of subject associations:**

1. Aurangabad Ophthalmological Association



## **Faculty Information**

**Name: Dr. Mahesh Prakashrao Sonpethkar**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

**1. MBBS:** February 2008, SRTR GMC Ambajogai

**2. MD/MS:** June 2013, INHS ASVINI, Mumbai

**3. Other Courses in any:** DNB (NBE Delhi)

FMRF Cornea and Refractive Surgery (Sankara Netralaya Chennai)

LLB (Dr. BAMU Chhatrapati Sambhajnagar)

PGDMLS, Symbiosis Centre for Health Care, Symbiosis University, Pune

PGDHMM, Symbiosis Centre for Health Care, Symbiosis University, Pune

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

Assistant Professor

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajnagar (MS) 431001

### **Publication:**

National: 4

International: 1

### **Life member of subject associations:**

1. AIOS

2. CSI

3. MOS

4. DOS





## **Faculty Information**

**Name: Dr. Pal Soham Subodhchandra**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

**1. MBBS:** 2015 February, Lokmanya Tilak Municipal Medical College, Sion Mumbai.

**2. MD/MS:** 2019 June, Dr. Vaishampayan Memorial Government Medical College, Solapur

**3. Other Courses in any:** Fellowship in Oculoplasty at Sankara Nethralaya Chennai

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

Assistant Professor

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar (MS) 431001

### **Publication:**

National: 9

International: 6

### **Awards:**

1. Runner up in video presentation at OPAI conference at PGI, Chandigarh in 2022

### **Life member of subject associations:**

1. AIOS

2. MOS

3. YOSI

4. OPAI



## **Faculty Information**

**Name: Dr. Anupama Adinath Kokate**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

**1. MBBS:** February 2016, B.J.Medical College,Pune.

**2. MD/MS:** June 2022, L.T.M.M.C. and Sion Hospital,Mumbai.

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

Assistant Professor

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## **Faculty Information**

**Name: Dr. Varsha Rajaram Rathod**

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

**1. MBBS:** February 2013, Government Medical College,  
Chhatrapati Sambhajanagar

**2. MD/MS:** June 2018, SRTRGMC Ambajogai

**3. Other Courses in any:** Lasers in Diabetic Retinopathy, AEH Madurai

Phacoemulsification training, SGVEH Raipur Chhatisgarh

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

Assistant Professor

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajanagar (MS) 431001

### **Life member of subject associations:**

1. MOS



## **Faculty Information**

**Name:** Dr. Imran Khan

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### **QUALIFICATION:**

**1. MBBS:** February 2018, Indian Institute of Medical Science and Research, Jalna

**2. MD/MS:** June 2023, Government Medical College, Akola

### **PRESENT DESIGNATION:**

Assistant Professor

Govt. Medical College Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar (MS) 431001

### **Publication:**

National: 2

International: 0

### **Life member of subject associations:**

1. AIOS



### **Facilities provided by the Departments:**

The Department of Ophthalmology provides tertiary eye care services to patients from Central Maharashtra. Our outpatient department and operation theatre function six days a week, with a total bed strength of 80.

### **Services:**

We offer routine and emergency eye care services 24x7. Our services include:

1. Comprehensive eye check-ups
2. Cataract surgery (Phacoemulsification with premium IOLs), Pediatric cataract surgery
3. Glaucoma surgery
4. Squint correction surgery
5. Corneal Transplant surgery (Keratoplasty)
6. Oculoplasty, Ocular surface and trauma surgery

### **Diagnostic Facilities:**

Our department is equipped with state-of-the-art diagnostic modalities, including:

1. Slitlamp biomicroscope with imaging system
2. Autorefractometer
3. Visual field analyser
4. Optical coherence tomography
5. ND YAG laser
6. A scan and B scan
7. Fundus cameras
8. Synoptophore

### **Eye Bank:**

We have a well-established and functional eye bank registered under THOTA, which plays a pivotal role by ensuring a reliable source of donor corneas for transplant.

### **Academic Activities:**

We have a dedicated lecture hall, seminar hall, and wet lab for teaching students. Our faculty members are experienced professionals in various sub-specialties, including Cornea, Glaucoma, Squint, Oculoplasty and Pediatric Ophthalmology. For undergraduates we conduct lectures, seminars, SGT, LGT, SDL, clinical postings and electives. For postgraduates we conduct seminars, case presentation, journal club, CME, Hands on workshops and wet lab teachings. Our postgraduate students attend and present at various regional, national and international conferences.

### **Paramedical Courses:**

We also offer paramedical courses in Optometry, providing students with comprehensive training and hands-on experience.

### **Achievements of Department:**

<b>Sr.No</b>	<b>Particulars</b>	<b>Remarks</b>
1.	<b>Dr Archana Vare</b>	1. Best teacher award in 2024 by Lions Club of Aurangabad 2. National hero award by Maharashtra Ophthalmic Society 3. Distinguished Ophthalmology Professor of India by Forum of Ophthalmology Teachers of India
2.	<b>Dr Vaishali Une</b>	1. Outstanding Ophthalmology teacher of India award
3.	<b>Dr Shubha Ghonsikar</b>	1. Best Paper Award at MOSCON 2022 2. Best Paper Award at SPOCON 2023
4.	<b>Dr Sonali Bagade</b>	1. Dangaal, Junior OPL, ifocus 2024 at AIG Hospital Hyderabad. <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Best performer award by judges</li><li>• Best performer award by audience</li><li>• Champions of Dangaal junior OPL</li></ul>
6.	<b>Dr Sarosh Syed</b>	1. Appeared in teachers of Tomorrow in CCC Hyderabad international conference
7.	<b>Dr Samruddhi Jain</b>	1. Won 2 prizes in quiz at MOSCON 2024
8.	<b>Dr Akash Chawarewar</b>	1. BOA FOCUS 2024 Brain teaser quiz - Third prize
9.	<b>Dr Vishakha Kashid</b>	1. Got prize at painting contest for Eye donation Awareness held by MOS

### **Future-Plans:**

#### **Expanding Eye Care Services:**

We would like to develop a dedicated eye care center, which will significantly increase our surgical capacity.

#### **Future Plans:**

In the near future, we aim to introduce Vitreo-retinal and refractive surgeries, providing comprehensive care for a wide range of vision challenges with precision and expertise.

#### **Low Vision Aids Clinic:**

Additionally, we plan to establish a state-of-the-art low vision aids clinic, offering rehabilitation services to the visually impaired. This will further enhance our expertise and commitment to delivering exceptional eye care.

**Other information which department would like to highlight:**

1. Routinely conducts hands on training workshop for postgraduate residents.
2. Every year we celebrate Eye Donation Fortnight which includes essay, poster, slogan and rangoli competition.
3. On the occasion of World Diabetes Day, we conduct Diabetic Retinopathy screening camp every year.
4. Various articles are given in print media regarding Eye Health awareness.
5. Cataract screening and School Eye Health camps are conducted on regular basis.
6. We also conduct cataract surgical camps.
7. Our faculty members give radio talks on various issues regarding eye health and eye donation.
8. Tree plantation drive is conducted to promote environmental awareness.
9. We conduct CMEs on regular basis.
10. Our postgraduate students also participate in extracurricular activities.

**Photos of Ophthalmology Department infrastructure**



**Equipment's**



**Seminar Hall**



**Department**



**Operation Theatre**



**OPD**



**Ward 15/16**