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Background:

The SNDT women's University carries out various extension and community activities to meet the changing needs of women and society at large. As part of community activity under the guidance of Hon. Vice Chancellor Prof. Ujwala Chakradeo, **the Crèche – A Day care centre** is started at Pune campus.

Crèches are designed to provide group care to children, usually up to 6 years of age, who need care, guidance and supervision away from their home during the day.

It aims to provide day-care facilities for children (3 years to 6 years) of working mothers in the university including both permanent and temporary.

Crèche provides care to the children, including babies and toddlers, when their parents are at work or when they are absent.

The crèche is most formal childcare setting which is led by trained professional in Early Childhood Care Education. It has basic infrastructure in terms of space such as rooms, washroom and toilet areas. Preschool kit

is made available which consists set of age appropriate toys, games, story books and other play preschool equipment. This set up is creating belongingness with the creche as comfort space. This is a special set up created at workplace which ensures safety and provides environment to play, rest and learn.

Objective/Goals of Crèche:

- Creation of infrastructure and human resources to provide care and education to children between age group 3 years to 6 years.
- A facility for children of working mother as full time or part time in SNTD Women's university.
- A facility for children of students of SNTD University.
- Facilitation of physical, social, cognitive, language and emotional development children by providing interactive preschool kit.
- Providing parenting and care skills to mothers.
- Providing basic nutrition to children.

Services/Activities at Crèche:

- Day care facility including sleeping, play, preschool education facilities.
- Provision of educational materials, toys and other material to stimulate holistic development of children between the age group 6 months to 6 years.
- Guidance related to health, safety and immunizations.
- Service made available from 9.30 am to 5 pm on all working days.

Beneficiaries:

- Children between age 3 years to 6 years
- Mothers having babies between age 3 years to 6 years.
- Children with special needs (who will be guided to seek help from special schools if required)
- Creche Location:
 - Maharshi Karve Vidyavihar SNTD Women's University, Pune Juhu campus
- Minimum number of children in crèche is 5 and maximum 25. The decision regarding the number of beneficiary children is decided by university authorities.

Outcomes:

- Employees of the university will be benefited by crèche facility
- Day care centre children will be benefited by the crèche setup in terms of care safety and education.
- Employment as a supervisor and care taker can be created.

Funding of the staff:

- Crèche administration and management is self-funded.

Future plans:

- Crèche facilities to be provided for remaining three campuses namely:
 - Juhu campus, Santacruz west.
 - Churchgate Campus, Mumbai.
 - Model Collage at shrivardhan.
- Crèche as a day care will extend its services in the area of health, nutrition and recreation.
- Model crèche as day care centre will be developed.



Comfort
home

Self-
involvement



Preschool
kit





Quality assurance



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Honourable
Vice- Chancellor



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है सबल संस्कृति हमारी, हम सभी सबला
ज्योती से जगमग हुआ, अंतर हमारा है।।
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