

MEMORANDUM OF UNDERSTANDING (MOU)

BETWEEN

**SRI CHANDRASEKHARENDRA SARASWATHI VISWA MAHAVIDYALAYA,
KANCHIPURAM**

AND

CHETTINAD ACADEMY OF RESEARCH AND EDUCATION, KELAMBAKKAM

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) executed on this 13th day of April, 2024 by and between Chettinad Hospital and Research Institute, a Deemed to be University under Section 3 of UGC Act, 1956, having its registered office at Chettinad Health City, Rajiv Gandhi Salai, Kelambakkam - 603 103, and represented by its Registrar, Mrs. S.Jeyendrasaraswathi, hereinafter referred to as "Hospital" (which expression shall, where the context so admits, mean and include its successors, representatives and permitted assigns) of the One Part; and

Sri Chandrasekharendra Saraswathi Viswa Mahavidyalaya, Kanchipuram, a Deemed to be University under Section 3 of UGC Act, 1956, having its registered office at Sri JayendraSaraswathi Street, Enathur, Kanchipuram - 631561 and represented by its Registrar i/c, Dr.G.Sriram, hereinafter referred to as "University" (which expression shall, where the context so admits, mean and include its successors, representatives and permitted assigns) of the Other Part.

NOW THIS MOU WITNESSETH AS FOLLOWS

WHEREAS the University, formed under the aegis of Sri KanchiKamakotiPeetam Charitable Trust, is a premier educational and research institution, offering academic programmes in Sanskrit and Indian Culture, Engineering, Science, Commerce, Management, Education and Ayurveda.

AND WHEREAS, Hospital, has been contributing significantly to the society as an Institute for higher learning and research in the field of Medicine, Allied Health Sciences and Nursing, offering 74 Academic programs in the Faculty of Medicine, Nursing and Allied Health Sciences (AHS), Pharmacy, Physiotherapy, Architecture, Commerce and Law.

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AND WHEREAS the University, has launched new courses under the Faculty of Allied Health Sciences, for the academic year 2024-25.

AND WHEREAS the Hospital is already a leading institution with rich experience in providing quality education in the field of Allied Health Sciences and are ready to extend their support and share their knowledge with the University on a mutually beneficial basis.

AND WHEREAS both the parties work with the same objective to impart quality education and research to the society at large and are now desirous of establishing a mutually beneficial relationship with special focus on Allied Health Sciences. The parties wish to provide practical training and clinical exposure to the students of the University, by using the facilities if the Hospital.

NOW therefore in consideration of the premises and mutual covenants hereinafter contained, the parties agree as follows

1. TERMS OF COLLABORATION

- i. The Hospital agrees to allow the students of the University to use the facilities in the field of Allied Health Sciences, available at its premises, for clinical training and practical sessions, subject to the availability of resources and mutually convenient schedules.
- ii. The Hospital shall provide necessary infrastructure, equipment and resources including manpower for training the students of the University. It shall provide opportunities for both the faculty members and students of the University to use the expertise and facilities available with it through training of students/staff and through exchange of thoughts by brain storming sessions/seminars/workshops and conferences.
- iii. The University shall ensure that its students/staff strictly adhere to the rules and regulations of the Hospital during their training period.

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- iv. Each party shall appoint a liaison officer from its side and these persons shall coordinate, meet, discuss and finalise terms and conditions of each visit.
- v. Each visit from the University to the Hospital must be agreed upon in writing by both the parties setting out in clear terms with no ambiguity as to the specific terms and conditions of such visit.
- vi. Both parties will adhere to ethical standards and regulatory requirements governing the activities under this collaboration.

2. AREAS OF COLLABORATION

The parties herein agree to work together and collaborate in the following areas of Allied Health Sciences –

- Physiotherapy
- Optometry
- Cardiac Technology
- Radiology and Imaging Technology
- Dialysis Technology

3. DURATION

This MoU shall commence on 13.04.2024 and remain in effect for a period of FOUR year. Upon mutual agreement, it may be extended or revised as necessary.

4. TERMINATION

This MOU may be terminated by either party issuing one month notice to the other party prior to the desired termination date.

5. FINANCIAL COMMITMENT

This Mou being a cooperative and collaborative understanding shall not create any legal and /or financial commitment what so ever on either of the parties hereto

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6. ARBITRATION

Any disputes arising from this collaboration will be resolved through amicable negotiation between the designated representatives of both parties. However, if the dispute remains unresolved, it shall be referred to an Arbitrator to be appointed by mutual consent of both the parties. This MoU shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Kanchipuram.

7. MISCELLANEOUS

- i) This MoU constitutes the entire understanding between the Parties and supersedes any prior agreements or understandings, whether written or oral.
- ii) This MoU may be amended or modified only in writing and signed by both Parties.
- iii) If any provision of this MOU is held by any court or other competent authority to be illegal, void or unenforceable in whole or in part, this MOU shall continue to be valid in respect of the other provisions thereof.
- iv) Nothing in this Mou shall constitute are be construed either party as the partner, agent, employee are representative of our party either of the parties hereto must not act independently of the other party and does not have the right or power to commit the other party on any matter what so ever are incur anyobligation on behalf of other party without the prior return approval of the other party.

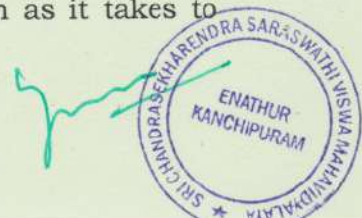
8. FORCE MAJEURE

Any of the parties hereto shall not be released from its obligations for any reason except for force majeure such as war, strike, fire, act of god or other causes beyond the control of the parties.

9. CONFIDENTIALITY

Each Party (i)shall maintain the other Party's Confidential Information strictly confidential, (ii)agrees that it will take the same steps to protect the confidentiality of the other Party's Confidential Information as it takes to

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protect its own Confidential Information, which shall in no event be less than reasonable steps, and (iii) shall not use the other Party's Confidential Information for any purpose other than in accordance with this Agreement and shall not disclose such Confidential Information to any person other than its personnel who have a need to know such Confidential Information for the Purpose of this Agreement.

10. INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

Any intellectual property developed under this MOU shall be jointly owned by the parties unless otherwise agreed in writing.

This MoU is executed in two identical copies in English and each institution shall retain an original copy.

<p><i>S. Jeyendrasaraswathi</i> REGISTRAR CHETTINAD ACADEMY OF RESEARCH AND EDUCATION, KELAMBAKKAM</p>	<p><i>[Signature]</i> REGISTRAR i/c SRI CHANDRASEKHARENDRA SARASWATHI VISWA MAHAVIDYALAYA, KANCHIPURAM REGISTRAR S.C.S.V.M.V. ENATHUR, KANCHIPURAM</p>
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