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CIRCULAR

Aedes and *Anopheles* mosquitoes have been found breeding in some desert coolers which are being used by the residents. *Aedes* mosquitoes are carriers of Dengue Fever and Dengue Hemorrhagic Fever while Malaria is transmitted by female *Anopheles* mosquitoes. Participation and co-operation of all residents is requested in the campaign for control of mosquitoes and mosquito-borne diseases on the Campus.

The residents are requested to kindly take note of the following advisory:

1. Desert coolers should be cleaned and dried every week before refilling them with fresh water.
2. Water containers should be kept covered and stored water changed at least once in a week.
3. Defrost water holding trays at the back/bottom of the fridge should be cleaned and dried weekly.
4. Articles like empty tins, pots, bottles, ice cream cups, soft drink glasses, saucers and tyres should not be left in the open.
5. Doors and windows should not be left open particularly at dawn and dusk.
6. Use mosquito nets while sleeping.
7. Mosquito repellants like mats and coils may be used.
8. Wear full sleeved clothes as much as possible.

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All Residents