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## **Event Report Breast Cancer Awareness and Thermal Screening Program (UHTC)**

On 29th October 2025, the Department of Community Medicine, Sri Devaraj Urs Medical College, organized a Breast Cancer Awareness and Thermal Screening Programme at the Urban Health and Training Centre (UHTC), Kolar, from 10:00 AM to 3:00 PM. The event aimed to enhance community awareness on breast cancer prevention, early detection, and self-breast examination. The programme was conducted in collaboration with Dr. Indira (Department of Obstetrics and Gynecology, Cancer Care India), with support from Mr. Sathyanarayana and Mr. Joshi (Med Tech Public Health) and the Ambujamma Health Care Forum. A health education session was held to discuss **risk factors, warning signs, and preventive strategies** for breast cancer. Participants were also introduced to **Thermalytix**, an innovative, AI-based, non-invasive thermal imaging device developed by **NIRAMAI**, used for community-level breast screening and early diagnosis. A total of 50 women participated, and 23 women underwent screening—no abnormal findings were reported. The participants actively interacted during the session and expressed appreciation for the opportunity to gain awareness and access safe screening facilities.

The programme was inaugurated by Dr. Chanditha K. Reddy and coordinated under the guidance of Dr. Seethal Rose, Assistant Professor, and Dr. Sunil B. N., Professor and In-Charge Head, Department of Community Medicine. The initiative successfully promoted early detection, awareness, community participation, and empowerment of women towards better breast health.