



Paediatric Asthma Clinic

The paediatric asthma clinic was started in May 2019. It mainly caters to children suffering from asthma and helps in managing other allergies that may be associated with asthma. The clinic runs from 2:00 PM to 4:30 PM every Thursday afternoon.

A file is created for every patient who is registered in the asthma clinic and all patients are given an asthma information booklet that was created by faculty from the paediatric department. A holistic approach is adopted which includes assessing every patient in detail, managing comorbidities and having a written asthma action plan. All patients are regularly followed up in the clinic through an appointment system and there are slots available for new walk in patients as well. Tests including peak flowmetry and spirometry are carried out in liaison with the Department of chest medicine.

The clinic is managed by Dr. Ranjini Srinivasan, Assistant Professor in Paediatrics. Since its inception, more than 200 patients have been registered in the clinic and are on regular follow up as well.