Event Name	**Training Program For Panchayath Emergency Response Team**
Event Date	27-05-2025
Event Venue	Panchayat Training Hall
Details of the Event	As part of ongoing Living Lab initiatives and monsoon preparedness efforts, the Kanichar Grama Panchayath has undertaken a restructuring of its Emergency Response Team (ERT) to enhance its efficiency and effectiveness during emergencies and disaster preparedness phases. Following the reorganization, Kanichar GP, in collaboration with the Kerala State Disaster Management Authority (KSDMA) and the District Disaster Management Authority (DDMA), Kannur, conducted a one-day training program on 27th May 2025.The training, held at the Kanichar Panchayath Training Hall, was aimed at Panchayath representatives and ERT members. The sessions covered the following key areas: • **Introduction to Disaster Management**: Fundamental concepts of disaster management were introduced to build a strong foundation for the participants. • **Types and Phases of Disasters**: Participants were briefed on various types and stages of disasters, along with the essentials of preparing an emergency kit. • **First Aid**: Practical guidance was provided on administering first aid in situations such as bleeding, CPR, heart attacks, strokes, poisoning, snake bites, road accidents, fractures, choking, and burns. • **Shelter and Camp Management**: Training included managing shelters, sanitation, solid waste disposal, animal care in camps, dietary requirements, and providing special attention to vulnerable groups. Considerations during pandemics, such as COVID-19, and the importance of multilingual communication were also emphasized. • **Early Warning and Community Preparedness**: The team was trained to monitor official weather updates from government websites, assist the community in preparing emergency kits, prioritize evacuation of the most vulnerable

	populations, and identify the nearest and safest evacuation routes, including alternative paths. • **Search and Rescue Operations**: Emphasis was placed on swimming skills, local area familiarity, maintaining accurate records of missing persons, updating information post-rescue, and learning various rescue techniques such as lifting individuals and using ropes effectively.
Number of Females	24
Number of males	30
Number of transgenders	-
Number of Children's	-
Resource Persons	Nithin – KSDMA, Annieyamma Head Nurse FHC Arallam, Maheesh and Priyeesh – Peravoor Fire Station
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