Departmental research studies completed (2010-12)

1. “A study to assess self-expressed practices and the effectiveness of planned health teaching programme on knowledge regarding antenatal care among mothers in selected rural area of Pune city.”

**Impact:** To create awareness among the antenatal mothers and improve their practices regarding antenatal care..

2. “An exploratory study to assess knowledge and practices regarding antenatal care among midwives working in rural areas of Pune district and to prepare self instructional module”(2012-2013)

**Impact:** To increase the knowledge of the midwives and improve their practices. Module can be referred and will be useful to the midwives to give comprehensive and quality services.

Ongoing Research:

**Departmental Research:**

1. “A study to assess the effectiveness of planned teaching programme on the knowledge of mothers regarding growth and development of under 5 children in selected rural area of Pune”. (2014)

**Impact:** This study will improve the knowledge of the mothers regarding growth and development of under 5 children which will help in national nutrition and Maternal and Child Health programmes.

2. “A study to assess the knowledge regarding physical and psychological changes during premenopausal stage among women (35 to 50 years) in selected area of Pune city and to prepare a module”. (2014)

**Impact:** This study will help to assess knowledge among women regarding premenopausal stage and the module will help in improving their knowledge and practices to maintain women’s reproductive health.