

**Antiragging Committee  
GDC, Ktm  
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Government Dental College, Kottayam has resolved to make the college a “Zero Ragging Campus”. We have initiated various measures for the prevention of ragging in and outside the campus. All efforts have been made to include the recommendations of all committees, regulatory bodies and the recommendations of the Apex court in spelling out the measures against ragging.

## **Objectives**

### **General Objective**

- To make Government Dental College, Kottayam campus “Zero Tolerance for Ragging” and Ragging free Zone by weeding out ragging in all its forms.

### **Specific Objectives**

- To absolutely prohibit ragging within or outside the college campus.
- To prevent the occurrence of ragging by following anti ragging measures in the institution.
- To provide punishment to those indulging in ragging as per the guidelines of the court of law.
- To sensitize students, staff and parents to adopt measures that will prevent ragging

### **What is Ragging?**

Any act, conduct or practice by which dominant power of senior students, former students or outsiders, is brought to bear on students freshly enrolled or students who are in any way considered junior by other students and includes individual or collective acts or practices which:

- i. Involve physical or psychological assault or threat or use of force or wrongful confinement or restraint; or
- ii. Violate the status, dignity and honor of such students; or
- iii. Expose students to ridicule and contempt and affect their self-esteem; or
- iv. Entail verbal abuse and aggression, indecent gesture and obscene behaviour.

**Ragging punishment** will vary from:

1. Imprisonment
2. Permanent Expulsion from the institution
3. Suspension from the institution

4. Permanent Expulsion from Hostel
5. Suspension from Hostel
6. Fine with a public apology
7. Fine
8. Withholding of any form of financial grant (scholarship etc)
9. Withholding of result of examination
10. Debarring from representation in college events

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