

Awareness Drive for Stem Cell Donation

Kochi: Students and staff of KMEA Engineering College, Edathala, will organise an awareness drive for stem cell donation and a donor registration programme on Tuesday for a two-year-old child of Indian origin living in Boston.

The child, Mira, was diagnosed with acute myeloid leukaemia in May 2015, and was subjected to chemotherapy. In February 2016, her condition worsened, necessitating stem cell transplantation.

DATRI, a Chennai-based blood stem cell donors' registry has been conducting a registration drive across the country to save the child's life.

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