## 1. Hospital Training:

• Hospital based clinical training is imparted to B.Pharm. And M.Pharm. (Pharmacy Practice) students at SKIMS and SMHS, Srinagar respectively. Training for B.Pharm. Students lasts for one month whereas the practical training of M.Pharm. (Pharmacy Practice) students lasts for six months. Training to M.Pharm. Students is imparted in the areas of hospital pharmacy, clinical pharmacy and community pharmacy practice. During this training students are deputed to various clinical departments like Departments of Medicine, Surgery, Gastroenterology, Neurology, Nephrology, Dermatology, Cardiology and ENT for collecting case reports and preparing case studies and clinical manuals.

## 2. Hospital Projects and Internship:

• Hospital based research projects and internships are allotted to M.Pharm. (Pharmacy Practice) students for a period of one year under the supervision of their own teacher incharge and co-supervision of a senior physician from the hospital concerned. On the completion of their research work students write and submit a thesis that is evaluated by an external examiner and is followed by the conduct of a viva voce examination on the basis of which degree is awarded to the students. For this purpose an MoU has been signed by the University of Kashmir with SKIMS authorities. Several Ph.D. scholars are also working at SMHS and SKIMS Srinagar on their doctoral research projects under the co-supervision of their faculty members.

## 3. Hospital Placements and recruitment:

• After B.Pharm. and M.Pharm. Students are recruited by govt. and private hospitals and pharmacy outlets through campus recruitment as well as hospital interviews. Over the last five years a total of 150 students have been recruited as Clinical Pharmacists by govt. hospitals like SMHS, SKIMS Srinagar and private hospitals like Paras Hospital and retails Pharmacy chain stores like Amrit Pharma. During COVID pandemic our students have rendered their services in COVID hospitals established to combat the patient inflow during COVID-19.



Hospital Visit to SKIMS- Srinagar