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Dr. Jayaprakash Muliyl completed his undergraduate studies in Medicine and Postgraduate studies in Community Medicine from Christian Medical College, Vellore and joined the faculty of Community Health there. CMC has a Community Health and Development (CHAD) programme with a secondary care hospital as the base hospital covering a population of >3,00,000. Dr. Jayaprakash Muliyl was specifically in charge of the Leprosy control programme. In 1985 he went to John Hopkins University at Baltimore from where he completed MPH & Dr PH in Epidemiology. He became a professor of Community Medicine in 1990. The first formal course in Epidemiology in India was started at CMC, Vellore in 1992. From 2002 he served a 5 year term as the Principal of Christian Medical College, Vellore. He is closely working with the Government of India on various health projects and was also a member of the scientific advisory or strategic committee of several national and international institutions. Prof. Muliyl have published over 175 papers in international and national journals.