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Work plays a critical role in the lives of individuals, which has contributed to the phenomenon of stress for both individual employees and the organizations. The highly competitive banking industry has levied varied requirements on employees resulting into stress. When it comes to women employees, the stress on account is even higher especially when she has to play the role of a mother as well as an employee. Women belonging to different classes have started entering into paid occupations like banking industry, as they are well-educated and the need to supplement the family. Working women at present are mostly working beyond normal business hours and are confronted by increasing workload every day. Many of them even carry work and responsibilities to home when they fail to maintain a perfect balance between work and life. The purpose of this paper is to analyze the problems of occupational stress and to access the strategy adopted to manage occupational stress among women employees.

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