

**ACADEMIC MERITS OF FACULTY AND STUDENTS**  
**(Month: Feb. 2024)**

**Department of Paediatrics**

Association of Child Neurology (AOCN) along with CMC Vellore had organized a National Conference- Childneurocon at CMC, Vellore from 8<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> February 2024. Dr. Shiji Chalipat - Professor and Pediatric Neurology was invited as faculty for the workshop on Epilepsy Syndromes in children At National Conference-Childneurocon at CMC, Vellore Association of Child Neurology (AOCN) along with CMC Vellore from 8<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> February 2024.

Following faculties of Pediatrics Neurology, fellow trainees and residents from department also participated actively in the conference. One platform paper and 6 papers based on research and cases in Pediatric Neurology were presented in the conference. All the papers and posters were done under the guidance of Dr. Shailaja Mane, Prof. and HOD and Pediatric Neurology team- Dr. Shiji Chalipat Professor, Dr. Rasika Bharaswadkar, Asso. Professor and Dr. Vishwanath Kulkarni, Asst. Professor.

- a) Dr. Aryan Gupta, Asst. Professor presented a Platform Paper
- b) Dr. Jeevana Bollineni, Asst. Professor presented a E-Poster
- c) Dr. Poornima Lakshmi, Senior Resident presented a E-Poster
- d) Dr. Sneha Mhaske, Fellow in Paediatric Neurology presented a E-Poster
- e) Dr. Saroj Soumya, Postgraduate Resident presented a E-Poster
- f) Dr. Manasseh Kunchepu, Postgraduate Resident presented a E-Poster

Dr. Sudhir Malwade Professor, Department of Paediatrics and Neonatologist attended the 11th International conference on Nutrition and Growth which was held at Lisbon, Portugal on 15<sup>th</sup> February to 17<sup>th</sup> February 2024.

**Department of Surgical Oncology**

1. Department celebrated "Cancer Awareness Week" in Surgical Oncology Department from 5<sup>th</sup> February to 10<sup>th</sup> February 2024 observing the theme of "Close the care gap". The Department conducted the Cancer awareness quiz competition, participated by residents from departments of Radio-diagnosis, General Surgery, Orthopedics, Medicine, ENT, Obstetrics and Gynecology & Pathology.
2. Poster presentation competition was organized, in which students of College of Nursing, College of Pharmacy & College of Physiotherapy took active participation.
3. Department also visited RHTC, Alandi and held a free cancer screening camp along with residents from Dept. of Obstetrics and Gynecology, with primary focus on screening of:
  - Oral Cavity
  - Cervical cytology (PAP smear)
  - Breast examination with Screening Mammography (done in Hi-tech building)

### Department of Ophthalmology

Dr. Radhika Paranjpe (Associate Professor) participated as faculty in the Conference on UVEITIS conducted by National Institute of Ophthalmology Super- Specialty Eye Care and Poona Ophthalmological Society at Hotel Pride, Pune on 18/02/2024.

Dr. Abhay Lune, Professor participated in Tata Ultra Marathon Run 50 km and finished in 5:35 hrs on 25th February 2024.

### Department of Anaesthesiology

- Dr. Sandip Baheti, Professor was invited as Chief Guest for prize distribution (All India and Shrilanka level ABACUS) and to guide parents and students from 1<sup>st</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup> standard by Aristo talent hunt at Novel International School, Chinchwad on 21<sup>st</sup> January 2024.
- Dr. Sandip Baheti, Professor received “Yamunanagar Bhushan Puraskar” for Social and Medical Work and special efforts for Social Harmony and peace on the occasion of Shri Chhatrapati Shivaji Maharaj Jayanti 2024 by Rajmata Ahilyadevi Holkar Pratishthan at Yamunanagar, Nigdi on 19<sup>th</sup> February 2024.
- Dr. Chhaya Suryawanshi, Prof. & HOD attended and participated as Faculty in the 25th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Neuroanaesthesiology and Critical Care ISNACC PUNE 2024 and also participated as Scientific Committee member on 16th to 18th February 2024 at AFMC, Pune.
- Dr. Vipul Sharma, Professor participated as Faculty in the Pre - Conference Workshop. IACTACON 2024 Trans - esophageal echocardiography (TEE) on 8th February 2024 at Nagpur.
- Dr. Vipul Sharma, Professor participated in the 27th Annual Conference IACTACON 2024 on 10th and 11th February 2024 at Hotel Center point, Nagpur.
- Dr. Vipul Sharma, Professor attended and participated in Pre - Conference Advanced hemodynamic monitoring for Neuroanaesthesiologist Workshop as Faculty in the 25th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Neuroanaesthesiology and Critical Care ISNACC PUNE 2024 on 15th February 2024 at AFMC, Pune.
- Dr. Sandip Baheti, Professor was invited as chief guest for prize distribution (All India and Shrilanka level abacus) and to guide parents and students from first to 10th. by Aristo talent hunt Award Ceremony at Novel international school, Chinchwad on 21st Jan 2024.
- Dr. Shweta Singh, attended and presented e-poster on topic “Massive Cystic hygroma of neck in an infant : Anaesthetic Challenges - A case report” in the 15th Annual National Conference of Indian Association of Paediatric Anaesthesiologists, IAPA 2024 on 10th to 11th February 2024 at Hotel Crown Plaza, Mayur Vihar, New Delhi.

- Dr. R. Ke. Yukti Roshni, JR - III has participated and presented a Paper in Junior Residents Category in the 25 Annual Conference of Indian Society of Neuroanaesthesiology and Critical Care ISNACC PUNE 2024 on 16th to 18th February 2024 at AFMC, Pune. Paper Topic:- Comparative study of Neuromuscular blocking effects of atracurium and cisatracurium in pediatric patients undergoing elective surgery under general anaesthesia.
- Dr. Neethi Privanka, JR - III has attended and participated in Pre - Conference Advanced hemodynamic Monitoring for Neuroanaesthesiologist Workshop as Delegate in the 25th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Neuroanaesthesiology and Critical Care ISNACC PUNE 2024 on 15 February 2024 at AFMC, Pune.
- Dr. Runjhun Jain, JR - III has attended and participated in Pre- Conference Advanced hemodynamic Monitoring for Neuroanaesthesiologist Workshop as Delegate in the 25th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Neuroanaesthesiology and Critical Care ISNACC PUNE 2024 on 15th February 2024 at AFMC, Pune.
- Dr. Runjhun Jain, JR - III has attended and participated in as Delegate in the 25th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Neuroanaesthesiology and Critical Care ISNACC PUNE 2024 on 16th to 18th February 2024 at AFMC, Pune.
- Dr. Sreemayee Kulkarni, JR - III has attended and participated in Pre-Conference Advanced hemodynamic Monitoring for Neuroanaesthesiologist Workshop as Delegate in the 25th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Neuroanaesthesiology and Critical Care ISNACC PUNE 2024 on 15th February 2024 at AFMC, Pune.
- Dr. Raavi Swapna, JR III has attended and participated in Pre Conference Advanced hemodynamic Monitoring for Neuroanaesthesiologist Workshop as Delegate in the 25th Annual Conference of Indian Society of Neuroanaesthesiology and Critical Care ISNACC PUNE 2024 on 15th February 2024 at AFMC, Pune.
- Dr. Niveditha Srinivasan, JR - 1 has participated in the conference and presented poster in poster competition in MEDICON 2024 on 17th and 18th February 2024. Poster Topic:- Anaesthesia challenges in operated case of Ca Thyroid posted for Lumbar surgery with hypothyroid profile and bilateral abductor Cord Palsy.
- Dr. Ibrahim Saleem M., JR - I has participated in the conference and presented poster in poster in MEDICON 2024 on 17th and 18th February 2024. competition Poster Topic:- Anaesthesia management of a case of supraclinoid internal carotid Artery stenting.
- Dr. Sethupathy P., JR I has participated in the conference and presented poster in poster competition in MEDICON 2024 on 17th and 18th February 2024. Poster Topic:- Anaesthetic management of a patient O/C/O hemimandibulectomy with ischaemic heart disease, low ejection fraction and difficult airway posted for left maxillectomy with STSG.

### **Department of Medical Gastroenterology**

- Dr. D. Banerjee, Professor & HOD has participated as Faculty in the Pune Society of Gastroenterology for monthly Gut Club Meet Case Presentation - KEM Hospital Pune– 14<sup>th</sup> February 2024 at Hotel Ramee Grand, Shivaji Nagar Pune.
- Dr. Kranthi Dandi, 3<sup>rd</sup> Year Resident, Dr. Prashant Gopal, 2<sup>nd</sup> Year Resident, Dr. Ajay Pranami, 2<sup>nd</sup> Year Resident and Dr. Junaid Ahmed, 1<sup>st</sup> Year Senior Resident DM Medical Gastroenterology (Academic) has participated as Resident in the Pune Society of Gastroenterology for monthly Gut Club Meet Case Presentation - KEM Hospital Pune– 14<sup>th</sup> February 2024 at Hotel Ramee Grand, Shivaji Nagar Pune.
- Dr. Amol S. Dahale, Associate Professor has participated as Delegate in the Double balloon enteroscopy Workshop at HN Reliance Hospital, Mumbai, Pune on 17 February 2024.
- Dr. Kranthi Dandi, 3<sup>rd</sup> Year senior resident DM Medical Gastroenterology (Academic) of Department of Medical Gastroenterology presented a case of "chronic diarrhea" in "Pune GI Case presentation forum" on 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2024.
- Dr. D. Banerjee, Professor & HOD moderated the session "Pune GI Case presentation forum" on 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2024.

### **Department of Community Medicine**

Dr. Hetal Rathod and Dr. Swati Ghonge participated as delegate in the "Health System costing" workshop organized at the ICMR-NIV, Pune on 6<sup>th</sup> & 7<sup>th</sup> February 2023.

### **Department of Orthopaedics**

- Following Faculty and Resident successfully completed "BIS Awareness Workshop" in Association with Medical Equipment & Hospital Planning Department (MHD), Bureau of Indian Standards (BIS) at Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, Hospital & Research Centre, Pimpri, Pune – 18, on 12<sup>th</sup> February 2024.  
Dr. Harsh Kumar (Asst. Prof.)  
Dr. Shubhankar Chopra (JR III)  
Dr. Sagar Gurnani (Senior Resident) Dr. Rajeev Reddy (JR III)  
Dr. Dishant Oswal (Senior Resident) Dr. Rishabh Aggarwal (JR II)  
Dr. Gaurav Aneja (JR I)
- Dr. Vishal Patil (Prof.) has attended the Hand Wrist Cadaver Course 2024 organized by the department of Orthopaedics, Seth G. S. Medical College and KEM Hospital Parel, Mumbai from 16<sup>th</sup> to 18 February 2024.
- Dr. Amit Kale (Prof.) has been invited for Brainstorming Session on Multidisciplinary minor (MIDM) in Biomedical Domain at Pimpri Chinchwad College of Engineering (PCCOE), Nigdi, Pune from 23<sup>rd</sup> February 2024.
- Dr. Rahul Salunkhe, Professor and HOD
  - a) 1st prize in Carrom- Singles in Synapse Maximus Sports Festival.
  - b) 1st prize in Carrom- Doubles in Synapse Maximus Sports Festival with Dr. Rachit Mitra, Junior Resident, Department of Orthopaedics)

### **Department of General Medicine**

Department of Medicine and Indian Medical Association Pimpri Chinchwad Bhosari Branch [IMA PCB] jointly organized a Multidisciplinary 2-day Conference "MEDICON 2024" under the aegis of IMA Maharashtra with 4 MMC points on 17th and 18th February 2024 at Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, Hospital & Research Centre, Pimpri Pune.

### **Department Anatomy**

- Dr. Neelesh Kanaskar, Professor participated in Hands on Workshop on "Feotal Lung Dissection" at State conference MAHACON VI of Regional Chapter of Anatomy Maharashtra held at Dr. D. Y. Patil School of Medicine, Nerul Navi Mumbai from 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> February 2024.
- Dr. Khushi Gupta, Senior Resident participated in Hands on Workshop on "Feotal Lung Dissection" at State conference MAHACON VI of Regional Chapter of Anatomy Maharashtra held at Dr. D. Y. Patil School of Medicine, Nerul Navi Mumbai from 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> February 2024.
- Dr. Preeti Sonje, Prof and HOD participated as delegate in and chaired a lecture on Histology and Histochemistry at State conference MAHACON VI of Regional Chapter of Anatomy Maharashtra held at Dr. D. Y. Patil School of Medicine, Nerul Navi Mumbai from 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> February 2024.
- Dr. Neelesh Kanaskar, Professor participated as delegate and chaired a scientific session of poster presentation in State conference MAHACON VI of Regional Chapter of Anatomy Maharashtra held at Dr. D. Y. Patil School of Medicine, Nerul Navi Mumbai from 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> February 2024.
- Dr. Khushi Gupta, Senior Resident participated as delegate in State conference MAHACON VI of Regional Chapter of Anatomy Maharashtra held at Dr. D. Y. Patil School of Medicine, Nerul Navi Mumbai from 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> February 2024.

### **Department Microbiology**

Dr. Sundip Mukherjee, JR-II has participated in BAPCON 2024, 17th Annual Conference of BAPM as a delegate and presented oral paper on "Rising trend of antifungal drug resistance in candidemia in a tertiary care hospital in Maharashtra" and got 1<sup>st</sup> Position in oral presentation held on 3<sup>rd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> February 2024.

### **Department Medical Head & Neck Surgical Oncology**

Dr. Benod Kumar K. Consultant, has been selected for "Bharat Gaurav Puraskar" by KTK Outstanding Achievers and Education Foundation, New Delhi.