

ACADEMIC MERITS OF FACULTY AND STUDENTS

Month : July 2024

1) Department of General Medicine

- Dr. Madhulika Mahashabde, Professor has successfully completed the Post Graduate Diploma in Bioethics & Health Law from the Department of Education International chair in Bioethics, University of Porto, Portugal.
- Dr. Pradnya Diggikar, Professor, completed the Post Graduate diploma in Bioethics and Health Law from the department of Education International Chair in Bioethics, University of Porto, Portugal in June 2024.
- Dr. Ahsan Faruqui, JR3, under the guidance of Dr. V. B. Vikhe, Professor, and Dr. S. A. Kanitkar, Professor & HOD, won the 'West Zonal Round' (including Maharashtra, Gujarat, Goa, Madhya Pradesh, and Chhattisgarh) of the Fever Quiz organized by Micro Lab's Fever Foundation.

2) Department of Respiratory Medicine

- Dr. Tushar Sahasrabudhe, Professor has received Inspiring Chest Specialist of India at 'Times now Doctors Day Conclave' on 29th June 2024.
- Dr. Shailesh Meshram, Associate Professor has completed 'Advance Management of Respiratory Diseases' at Harward Medical School on 22nd March to 21st June 2024.
- Dr. Sachinkumar Dole, Professor participated in Income Tax Quiz organized by Income Tax Department, CBDT, Government of India in July 2024.

3) Department of Community Medicine

- Dr. Swati Ghonge, Professor, participated as a Delegate in the 8th International Diabetes experts consortium held at JW Marriott, Pune from 5th to 7th July 2024.
- Dr. Shristi Verma (JR1), was awarded the first prize for the 4th National Summit on "World No Tobacco Day 2024" with the slogan "Guard the next generation: Stop Tobacco deception now" conducted on 28th May, 2024.

- Ms. Anushka Agarwal and Ms. Nishtha Lakra, 3rd MBBS students had successfully cleared elimination round and participated in the final round of IPHA Quiz western Maharashtra Zonal Round-2024 organized at Symbiosis Medical College, Pune on 27th June 2024 under the aegis of the IPHA, Maharashtra State Branch. They secured 3rd position in the quiz. The RHTC (Rural Health Training Centre) under the Department of Community Medicine played a pivotal role in ensuring the health and well-being of devotees during the annual Ashadi Pandharpur Waari. They have screened more than 10,000 patients during that time.

4) Department of Anaesthesiology

- Dr. Chhaya Suryawanshi, Prof. & HOD invited as a Panelist and also Scientific Committee member in Masterstrokes Conference 2024 on 21st July 2024 at Aditya Birla Memorial Hospital, Pune.
Topic:- Laparoscopic Surgery: Perioperative Considerations and Pain Management.
- Dr. Bhavini Shah, Professor invited as a Panelist to Masterstrokes Conference 2024 on 21st July 2024 at Aditya Birla Memorial Hospital, Pune.
Topic:- Refreshing Regional Anaesthesia.
- Dr. Bhavini Shah, Professor invited as Editor in Chief in SAPC Pulse bulletin was released on occasion of Masterstrokes Conference 2024 on 21st July 2024 at Aditya Birla Memorial Hospital, Pune.
- Dr. Sandip Baheti, Professor was Chairperson in Masterstrokes Conference 2024 on 21st July 2024 at Aditya Birla Memorial Hospital, Pune. Topic:- Initial Assessment and Management of Neurotrauma.
- Dr. Sonal Khatavkar, Professor Paediatric Anaesthesia was invited as speaker and chairperson for CME on Paediatric Anaesthesia with Theme: "Pressure to pleasure" on 23rd June 2023 at Kohinoor Hall, Mumbai which was conducted by IAPA and Maharashtra state chapter and B. J. Wadia Hospital for Children Mumbai.
- Dr. Srashti Sikarwar, Senior Resident has participated as a delegate in the CME on Paediatric Anaesthesia with Theme: "Pressure to pleasure" on 23rd June 2023 at Kohinoor Hall, Mumbai which was conducted by IAPA and Maharashtra state chapter and B. J. Wadia Hospital for Children Mumbai.
- Dr. Sneha Vajanthri, Senior Resident has participated as a delegate in the CME Obstetric Anaesthesia organized by Society of Anaesthesiologists Pune on 16th June 2024 at Pune.

- Dr. Anushka Sharma, JR - II has participated as a delegate in the CME on Paediatric Anaesthesia with Theme: “Pressure to pleasure” on 23rd June 2023 at Kohinoor Hall, Mumbai which was conducted by IAPA and Maharashtra state chapter and B. J. Wadia Hospital for Children Mumbai.
- Dr. Brinda Badam, JR - II has participated as a delegate in the CME on Paediatric Anaesthesia with Theme: “Pressure to pleasure” on 23rd June 2023 at Kohinoor Hall, Mumbai which was conducted by IAPA and Maharashtra state chapter and B. J. Wadia Hospital for Children Mumbai.
- Conference Masterstrokes 2024, held by SAPC in association with Aditya Birla Memorial Hospital on 21st July 2024 following Faculty & Residents are attended
 - Dr. Chhaya Suryawanshi , Professor & HOD
 - Dr. Bhavini Shah , Professor
 - Dr. Sonal Khatavkar , Professor
 - Dr. Sandip Baheti, Professor
 - Dr. Shilpa Kore , Associate Professor
 - Dr. Smita Ubhe , Associate Professor
 - Dr. Urmila Budhawant , Assistant Professor
 - Dr. Raj Peadgaonkar, Assistant Professor
 - Dr. Sanya Varma , JR - III
 - Dr. Yukti Roshni, JR- III
 - Dr. Rashmi Kelkar , JR – II
 - Dr. Perni Tharun , JR – II
 - Dr. Avirneni Vaishnavi , JR- II
 - Dr. Jekha Mary Babu, JR- II

Department of Paediatrics

- Dr. Pramila Menon, Associate Professor, completed the Post Graduate diploma in Bioethics and Health Law from the department of Education International Chair in Bioethics, University of Porto, Portugal in June 2024.
- Dr. Pramila Menon, Associate Professor, conducted Facility Based Severe Acute Malnutrition Training of Trainers (F SAM TOT) for Paediatricians at Health and Family Welfare Training Centre Aundh, Pune on 26th June 2024.
- Dr. Aryan Gupta, Neurology Trainee and Assistant Professor, presented a rare case of Surviving the Rabies Encephalitis in a child in Global Grand Rounds in Infectious Diseases organized by Johns Hopkins University on 26th June 2024.
- Dr. ShijiChalipat, Paediatric Neurologist and Professor, participated as a faculty in E- Gurukul Pathshala as online case presentation platform by PG Clinic Programme by IAP on 30th June 2024 and in Epilepsy National Webinar session by Association of Paediatric Neurology on 4th July 2024.

- Health Checkup camp for Hemophilia Patients in association of INTAS Foundation and in collaboration with Hemophilia Society of Maharashtra, Pune Branch in Lecture Hall No. 1 at Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, Hospital and Research Centre Pune on 07th July 2024.
- Dr. Richa and Dr. Siddhi Gawhale, Assistant Professors completed a Certificate Course in Flexible Bronchoscopy organized by Indian Academy of Paediatrics and IAP National Respiratory Chapter. The course took place from July 8th to 14th 2024 at Kanchi Kamakoti Child Trust Hospital in Chennai. This 7-day course provided hands-on practice with flexible bronchoscopy on patients with various pathologies across different age groups, including procedures like Bronchoalveolar lavage. In addition to bronchoscopy, the course covered a range of pathologies related to Pediatric Pulmonology under the guidance of Dr. Vijaysekaran and other experts in the field. Both doctors found it to be a valuable learning experience that will improve the quality of patient care.
- Following Faculties and Residents participated in Paediatric Palliative Care Update CME held at Bharti Vidyapeeth's Medical College Pune on 14th July 2024.
 - a. Dr. Sampada Tambolkar, Professor chaired a session addressing "The way toward in Pediatric Palliative care"
 - b. Dr. Sarita Verma, Consultant Pediatric Hemato Oncologist chaired a session on "Management of Pain in Pediatric Palliative care including Procedural Pain Management".
 - c. The CME was attended by the following postgraduate residents Dr. MD Iliyaz, Dr. Avinash Daru JR-II, Dr. Owais JR-II, Dr. Mahenoor Khan JR-I, Dr. Arushi Narang JR-II, Dr. Anwitha Shinde JR-I.
- Dr. Manjiri Dighe, One of Pioneers from the field of Palliation has agreed to start a Palliative Care Unit in Dr. D.Y. Patil Medical College, Hospital and Research Centre, Pimpri, Pune.

Department of Dermatology

E-posters presented by faculty and Junior Residents at IMCAS Asia 2024 held from 21st to 24th June 2024 at Bangkok.

- a) Dr. Aayush Gupta, Prof. & HOD. presented two E-Posters.
- b) Dr. Rohit Kothari, Asst. Prof., presented an E-poster.
- c) Dr. Divya Asnani, Sr. Resident presented an E-poster.
- d) Dr. Shubham Deokar, JR II, presented an E-poster.
- e) Dr. Akansha Jakhar, JR II, performed an E-poster.
- f) Dr. Rohan Manoj, JR III, presented an E-poster.
- g) Dr. Yash Bucca, JR III, presented an E-poster.

Department of Anatomy

- Dr. Amol Shinde, Professor, received “International Research Award” for the Research and Excellence in Anatomy from ISSN International Research Award and Award Congress 2024 at Tiruchirapalli, Tamil Nadu, India on 23rd June 2024.
- Dr. Pallavi Bajpayee, Asso. Professor, has participated as faculty at the “Certificate Course in Ethics” Organized by Medical Education Unit, Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, and Hospital and Research center, Pimpri, Pune on 10th July 2024.
- Dr. Neelesh Kanaskar, Professor participated as an ‘Organizing Team’ in the National Symposium on Ensuring Quality in Health Sciences Institutions at Kalam Center, KGMU, Lucknow on 27th July 2024.

Department of Microbiology

- The department successfully organized CME on Race to Resistance and Xpert on 18th June 2024 at 2.00 pm onwards at MET Hall, 3rd Floor Medical College building total 36 Delegates actively participate in the CME.
- Dr. Vandana Kumari (JR-I) has received Rs. 30,000/- grant for the Short Term Research Project entitled “Non-Tuberculosis Mycobacteria (NTM) Speciation in Post Transplant Cases and Therapeutic Options” by Tuberculosis Association of India on 1st July 2024.

Department of Urology

Dr. Suraj Bhondave, Asst. Professor have written a book “STB’s Miscellaneous questions in Urology” for DNB and M. Ch. Urology students

Department of General Surgery

The following residents have received a prize at the International Conference – Surgery Recall 2024, held in Chennai from 22nd to 24th July 2024.

- Dr. Saurav Shetty – JR III : 1st prize in poster presentation (Topic: Currarino syndrome- A noteworthy differential to Hirschsprungs disease)
- Dr. Jayant Bajaj – JR III : 2nd prize in paper presentation (Topic: Intestinal Ascariasis in paediatric Intestinal Obstruction: A Case Series)
- Dr. Ritika – JR II : 1st prize in paper presentation (Topic: Correlation Between Development and HBA 1C/ BMI)

Department of Orthopaedics

Faculty Achievements

- Dr. Ashwinkumar Khandge (Asso.Prof) has attended & participated as a delegate during the 5th World Congress on MIS & Endoscopic Spine Surgery held at Holy Spirit Hospital, Mumbai from 6th to 9th June 2024.

- Following faculty has attended & participated as a delegate during 10th Anniversary Edition of International Arthroscopy Academy held at The Westin Mumbai Powai Lake from 27th to 29th June 2024.
Dr. Ashwin Deshmukh (Professor)
Dr. Dattatray Bhakare (Asst. Prof.)

Presidents' achievement

Dr. Somi Reddy (JR) has attended & participated as a delegate during 5th World Congress on MIS & Endoscopic Spine Surgery held at Holy Spirit Hospital, Mumbai from 6th to 9th June 2024.

Department of Biochemistry

Dr. Arti Hajarnavis, Asso. Prof., has delivered a lecture on "Use of various skill assessment method in medical education" in the Workshop on "Different assessment tools in teaching learning" organized on 19th July 2024 at Dr. D. Y. Patil College of Ayurved and Research Centre, Pimpri, Pune.

Department of Medical Gastroenterology

- Dr. Amol S. Dahale, Professor has participated as a Delegate 10th International Conference and Hands-on Workshop on IEE / Endo Luminal Surgery / Third Space Endoscopy from 12th July 14th July, 2024 at JW Marriott, Pune

- Dr. Amol S. Dahale, Professor has Participated as an observer in advanced third space endoscopy procedures from July 15th to July 18th, 2024, at AIG Hospitals, Gachibowli, Hyderabad.

- Dr. Amol S. Dahale, Professor has participated as a Delegate in the Indian Pancreas Club Annual Meeting "PANCREAS 2024." Date of Event 19th -21st July 2024 at AIG Hospitals, Hyderabad.

- Dr. Isha Bansal, 3rd Year senior resident DM Medical Gastroenterology (Academic) has participated as a Delegate in the Indian Pancreas Club Annual Meeting "PANCREAS 2024." Date of Event 19th -21st July 2024 at AIG Hospitals, Hyderabad.

- Dr. Isha Bansal, 3rd Year senior resident DM Medical Gastroenterology (Academic) presented an e-Poster presentation "Impact of different approaches for stent removal in patients with common bile duct stone

clearance - randomised controlled trial" in "ENDO 2024 - 4th World Congress of GI Endoscopy" on 4th July 2024 at, Seoul, Korea.

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- Dr. Isha Bansal, 3rd Year senior resident DM Medical Gastroenterology (Academic) successfully completed "Basic Course in Biomedical Research" as mandated by the National Medical Commission (NMC) with a score of 71 % in Proctored Examination July 2024
- Dr. Kranthi Dandi, 3rd Year senior resident DM Medical Gastroenterology (Academic) has participated as a Delegate in the Indian Pancreas Club Annual Meeting "PANCREAS 2024." Date of Event 19th -21st July 2024 at AIG Hospitals, Hyderabad.

Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology

Dr. Shilpa Kshirsagar, Associate Professor was invited as an 'Expert Speaker' at Pune Akashwani to deliver 4 talks on "Breastfeeding" for Breastfeeding Week. The Audio of the same will be released in the first week of August 2024 under the series "Arogyam Dhanasampada".
