

ACADEMIC MERITS OF FACULTY AND STUDENTS

Month : January 2025

• **Department of Orthopaedics**

- i. Dr. Ashwinkumar Khandge (Asso. Prof.) has participated as a National Faculty during Biportal Spine Endoscopy Cadaveric Training Course with Didactic lecture - in the workshop conducted TNMC & BYL Nair hospital & RASE INDIA held at Nair Hospital Mumbai on 22nd December 2024.
- ii. Dr. Ashwinkumar Khandge (Asso. Prof.) has participated as a National Faculty during 59th Annual Conference of Bombay Orthopaedic Society - WIROC 2024 held at J W Marriott Mumbai from 20th to 22nd December 2024.
- iii. Dr. Ashwinkumar Khandge (Asso. Prof.) has participating as a faculty during 10th Edition of The Pune spine Weekend Conference held at O Hotel Pune from 14th & 15th Dec. 2024
- iv. Dr. Ashwinkumar Khandge (Asso. Prof.) has participating and learning advanced skills about Robotic - Assisted Spine Surgery during Manipal Spine Roboticon 2024 from 30th November to 1st December 2024.
- v. Dr. Amit Kale (Prof.) has been an Organizing Committee Member during Workshop - Recent Advances in Orthobiologics - This memento in recognition for outstanding contribution towards organizing held at Hotel Pride, Shivajinagar, Pune from 15th December 2024.
- vi. The “Tendon suturing workshop” was conducted on 25th January 2025 had organized by Ethicon with Dr. Amit Swamy as the lead instructor, concluded successfully, delivering an enriching and hands-on learning experience for all participants. The event was meticulously planned, ensuring a blend of theoretical knowledge and practical application.

• **Department of Paediatrics**

- i. The Inhibitor testing camp was conducted for hemophilia patients in association with hemophilia society of Pune chapter and Takeda pharmaceuticals on Saturday 21st December 2024.
- ii. Dr Sanjay Chavan, was invited as Chairperson to “Pedia Expert opinion” to chair a session on “Bacterial and Viral Skin infections in Children “ by Dr Sanjay Mankar, on 24th November 2024.

- iii. Faculty Participation in the MAHAENDOCON 2024 conference was organized by Maharashtra Endocrine Society on 30th November & 1st December 2024 at hotel J W Marriott Hotel Pune.
- Dr. Shailaja Mane, Professor & HOD as a chairman for a scientific session
 - Dr. Sajili Mehta, Consultant Paediatric Endocrinologist as a delegate
 - Dr. Anjali Mujumdar, Paediatric Endocrinology fellow
 - Dr. Renuka Patil, Paediatric Endocrinology fellow
 - Dr. Saranya Verma, PG Resident
 - Dr. Vedant Tandon, PG Resident
 - Dr. Anwita Shinde, PG Resident
 - Dr. Mahinoor Khan, PG Resident
- iv. Faculty Participation in 34th MAHAPEDICON 2024 National level conference was held from October 17-20, 2024, organized by Maharashtra state branch of IAP Nagpur at Hotel Le Meridian in Nagpur.
- Dr. Shailaja Mane, Professor & HOD invited as a faculty
 - Dr. Anjali Mujumdar, Paediatric Endocrinology fellow won the 2nd prize for her paper presentation on "Effect of HbA1c on change in BMI in children with Type 1 Diabetes Mellitus". She also presented a poster on "Adipose Tissue as an Endocrine Organ."
 - Dr. Renuka Patil, Paediatric Endocrinology fellow presented a poster on "Refeeding Syndrome as a Rare Sequela Post-Resolution of DKA."
- v. Dr Anjali Mujumdar, Fellow in Pediatric Endocrinology, attended the international Year of camelids 2024 a conference on "Strengthening Camel Milk Value Chain in India" was held on Friday 20th December 2024 at ICAR- NRCC, Bikaner, Rajasthan. It was organized by Department of Animal Husbandry and Dairying (DAHD) Government of India in conjunction with food and agriculture organisation (FAO) of United nations & National Research Centre on Camel, Bikaner.
- vi. Dr. Antara Ramakant Patil, Fellow in Paediatric Cardiology had attended and actively participated in the 24th Annual Conference organised by Paediatric Cardiology Society of India at Kochi from 14th November 2024 to 17th November 2024.
- vii. Christmas celebrations for Children with Diabetes mellitus were done at the Pediatric OPD at D. Y. Patil Hospital, Medical College & Research Center on 30th December 2024 from 11:30pm to 1pm. The event was organized by the Department of Pediatrics and Eris Life

Sciences. Gift distribution was done and Blue Santa Kits were distributed to all Diabetes patients under the Blue Santa Initiative of Eris life sciences. The kits included syringe, needles, information booklets, growth charts and art kits.

viii. Dr Anjali Mujumdar and Dr Renuka Patil, Fellow in Paediatric Endocrinology, conducted educative sessions on carbohydrate counting and fine tuning of Insulin dose on the occasion of Christmas celebrations for Children with Diabetes mellitus on 30th December 2024.

- **Department of Psychiatry**

i. Dr. Shubham Kulkarni, Dr. Nikhil Mohan, Dr. Saumya Agarwal, Dr. Rishi Garg, Dr. Suprakash Chaudhury: 21st Annual National Conference of the Association of Industrial Psychiatry of India co-sponsored by World Psychiatry Association and Regional Symposium of World Psychiatry Association held at Bodhgaya Bihar from 20th to 22nd December 2024.

ii. Shantiniketan Mental Health award won by Dr. Shubham Kulkarni, Dr. Nikhil Mohan, Dr. Saumya Agarwal, Dr. Rishi Garg, Dr. Suprakash Chaudhury for the study "Personality Profiles of inmates of a Central Jail"

iii. Dr. Suprakash Chaudhury, Prof. & HOD : Won Professor Shridhar Sharma award for Excellence in Psychiatric Teaching won by Dr. Suprakash Chaudhury.

iv. Dr. D Saldanha and Dr. S Chaudhury chaired scientific sessions at WPA Regional Seminar at the conference.

- **Department of Medical Gastroenterology**

Dr. D. Banerjee, Professor & HOD, chaired a session titled: "Gastroenterology in India" on 5th December 2024, during the 65th Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Gastroenterology, ISGCON 2024, held in Varanasi.

Following posters were selected for presentation at 65th Annual Conference of the Indian Society of Gastroenterology, ISGCON 2024 from 4th – 7th December 2024 at Varanasi. The abstracts of the selected posters were published in Indian Journal of Gastroenterology 43 (Suppl 1), 1–184 (2024). <https://doi.org/10.1007/s12664-024-01700-4>Published: 07 November 2024

| Sr. No | Abstract title | Author |
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| 1 | Impact of diferent approaches for stent removal in patients with common bile duct clearance- Randomized control trial | Dr. Isha Bansal, SR III |
| 2 | Systemic Lupus Erythematosus -Presenting as Recurrent Intestinal Pseudo-Obstruction | Dr. Kranthi Dandi, SR III |
| 3 | Accidental toothbrush ingestion | Dr. Kranthi Dandi, SR III |
| 4 | Acute Phlegmonous Esophagitis in An Immunocompetent Female. | Dr. Prashant Gopal, SR II |
| 5 | Lipoma Causing Colo-Colic Intussusception – A Case Series | Dr. Prashant Gopal, SR II |
| 6 | Eosinophilic Esophageal Myositis- A Rare Cause of Dysphagia | Dr. Ajay Pranami, SR II |
| 7 | An Uncommon Case of Extrapulmonary Tuberculosis of Liver. | Dr. Abhijeet Ghodke, SR I |
| 8 | Hepatocellular Carcinoma with Cardiac Metastasis | Dr. Abhijeet Ghodke, SR I |
| 9 | Case Of Duodenal Varix Treated with Glue And Thrombin | Dr. Junaid Ahmed, SR I |

- **Department of Interventional Radiology**

- Dr. Pratiksha Yadav, Professor has been awarded '**Fellowship of the Indian College of Radiology**' by the Indian College of Radiology & Imaging. This prestigious recognition was awarded for her significant contributions to the field of radiology and imaging during the **77th Annual Conference of IRIA & AOCR** held on **23rd January 2025** at the Chennai Trade Center, Chennai.
- Dr. Ritesh Kumar Sahu, Senior Resident participated as a delegate in the 6th annual conference of CIDAAP at The Westin Hotel, Gurugram Delhi held from 20th to 21st December 2024.
- Dr. Rohan Thakur, Senior Resident participated as a delegate in the 6th annual conference of CIDAAP at The Westin Hotel, Gurugram Delhi held from 20th to 21st December 2024.

- **Department of Microbiology**

- Dr. Deepali Desai (Assistant Professor) has successfully completed Faculty Development and Training Program at Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, Hospital and Research Centre, Pimpri, Pune, from on 17th & 18th December 2024.
- Dr. Sahjid Mukhida (Assistant Professor) successfully completed and received a passing grade in Ethics and Review of Interventional Clinical Research a course developed by the Multi Regional clinical trials center of Brigham and

Women's Hospital and Harvard offered on OpenWHO.org on 13th November 2024.

- iii. Dr. Sahjid Mukhida (Assistant Professor) successfully completed and received a passing grade in "An introduction to the people-centered approach to addressing antimicrobial resistance in human health" a course offered on Open WHO.org on 13th November 2024.
- iv. Dr. Sahjid Mukhida (Assistant Professor) participated as a delegate in Viatrix conducted CME on Via-M3 Management of MDR infections held at Apollo multispecialty Hospital, Kolketa on 3rd December 2024.
- v. Dr. Tejaswini Olambe (Assistant Professor) and Dr. Sahjid Mukhida (Assistant Professor) has attended webinar on Diabetes as a delegate member organized by Indian Medical Association-Mumbai Branch on 26th December 2024.

- **Department of Anatomy**

Dr. Neelesh Kanaskar, Professor, received a certificate of excellence in Peer-Reviewing Award to "in recognition of an outstanding contribution to the quality of the book" on 22nd January 2025, at West Bengal.

- **Department of Paediatrics**

Following faculty from Department of Paediatrics received the Appreciation Award from the Indian Academy of Paediatrics (IAP), Pune, in recognition of the contributions to the field of Paediatrics.

- Dr. Shailaja Mane
- Dr. Sampada Tambolkar
- Dr. Pramila Menon
- Dr. Sarita Verma
- Dr. Vishwanath Kulkarni
- Dr. Vishnu Birader

Dr. Shailaja Mane (Professor & Head) & Dr. Pramila Menon (Associate Professor) attended and actively participated in the 2nd International Conference of Garbha Sanskar at Manshakti Kendra, Lonavala from 17th to 18th January 2025.

- **Department of Emergency Medicine**

Dr. Varsha Shinde, Professor successfully completed Tata Mumbai Half Marathon 2025 on 19th January 2025 in 2:15 hours. She ranked in top 10 contestants in her age category.
