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Editor's Note

Dear Colleagues,

June has many important days for creating awareness regarding child health and this month we have 2 days where our CANCL group could be most active. The days to remember and have massive activities include - World Milk Day - 1st June (Theme - "Drink Move Be Strong"); International Day of Innocent Children Victims of Aggression - 4th June (Theme - Nil so far); World Environment Day - 5th June (Theme - "Beat Plastic Pollution"); World Blood Donor Day - 14th June (Theme - "Blood Connects us All"); World Sickle Cell Day - 19th June (Theme not finalised as yet); and International Day against Drug Abuse and Illicit Trafficking - 26th June (Theme not finalised as yet).

Dr Santosh Soans our very active IAP President has reported some of the programs that he could manage to grace last month. Dr Digant Shastri IAP President 2019 and HSG Dr Remesh ahve also been actively embracing IAP programs and we are thankful to them for their support and guidance.

The IAP Action Plans 2018 have begun in full swing and I am sure all IAP Branches have their hands full of excellent academic activities. Please submit reports with photographs of these events as and when they happen.

Wishing you all a great IAP month

Jai IAP!

Dr Jeeson C Unni
Editor-in-Chief



President's Message

Dear Iapians,

Greeting from CIAP team.

We have just gone through hot summer and slowly entering monsoon season which make us all busy. Last month has been again hectic one for me travelling across the places. I attended as the chief guest at the Installation of office bearers of Gwalior IAP branch which was attended by large enthusiastic Iapians lead by Past President Dr C P Bansal. Though next week I had to attend Mid Summer pedicon Kerala IAP but Me and President elect were called to attend Risk Communication during Public Health emergencies where Honorable Minister of Health and Family Welfare Shri J P Nadda was the Chief Guest which was organized by the Ministry and WHO. I thank Dr Sujeet Singh from NCDC for all the help rendered to IAP in this regard.



On 19th May we had launch of IDICON at Greater Noida where Honorable union minister of tourism and culture Shri Mahesh Sharma was a chief guest. This program was a great success with more than 100 delegates attending it which was followed by Essential Pediatric Infectious Disease Course TOT.

Constitution review committee, finance committee meeting and website committee meeting was held at Navi Mumbai office where good deliberation took place. Website committee has promised to launch the new website during the 3rd EB meeting in Kochi on July 28th. I thank and congratulate the various committee which are working restlently for the betterment of IAP. I hope these committees will advise the IAP for better tomorrow. It's heartening to see magnificent 5 Vice Presidents working overtime to take IAP action plan 2018-2019 to a great success. I am sure most almost 200 branches were sent the action plan allotment mail which I hope will go to every corner of our beloved country.

I take this opportunity to thank my HSG and all EB members and OB of 2018 for giving me support, affection and wishes to lead this great organization in to a better future.

With regards,

Dr. Santosh T. Soans

Secretary's Message



Dear Friends,

Monsoon Greetings from CIAP Office !!..

The activities of IAP for 2018 have been cruising ahead with unstinted support from members across the country. The action plan workshops have hit almost all the states by this time. We are so privileged to receive enthusiastic responses from the branch Office Bearers.

IAP is being represented in most of the GOI meetings related to Child welfare. Our President Dr Santosh Soans , Prez Elect Dr Diganth Shastri & Joint Sec Liaison Dr Sangeetha Yadav have actively participated in the End TB Summit, Prevention of Child abuse program etc, conducted by MOHFW. At CIAP Office also, we are having good news with the case at the Charity Commissioner nearing to a completion with a favourable judgement. The data updation of members is in full swing and the website revamping is moving at a fast pace. The Constitutional Review Committee and the Finance Committee had their 1st sittings last month to take stock of the present status and devise ways to improvise them.

I am so happy to note that the branch OB are sending the reports of their activities with few select photos which are being consolidated by the Childindia Editorial Team and published accordingly.

Warm regards,

Remesh Kumar R.

Hon. Secretary General 2018 & 2019

IAP President's Engagements May 2018

6 May 2018 - Installation of Gwalior IAP Branch



14 May 2018 - Risk Communication during Public Health emergencies
held at Shimla, Himachal Pradesh



19 May 2018 - EPID / IDICON held at Exposition Mart / Expo center, Greater Noida



Mid-Term Gujarat CME - 3.6.2018



FOGSI International Women's Health Summit, New Delhi 2.6.2018

International women health conference at Gurgaon New Delhi. Amazing beautifully organized. Hon Health Minister, various Association heads and Govt and Pvt administrative luminaries were invited.



IAP ALS BLS at Dhaka, Bangladesh

History of sorts was made when IAP ALS group forayed overseas to conduct a course outside India. An IAP BLS ALS course was conducted at Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujibur Medical University (BSMMU), Dhaka, Bangladesh on 10 - 11 May 2018. The request for conducting this course was received from the Paediatric Cardiology department of BSMMU. Responding to the request, IAP ALS group handed over responsibility to the East Zone group to assemble the instructors. Dr Arun Kumar Manglik, Dr Parthasarathi Bhattacharya, Dr Debjani Gupta, Dr Srabani Chakrabarty (Joint Zonal Coordinator IAP ALS Group East Zone), Dr Amitabha Chattopadhyay (Course coordinator) - all from Kolkata and Dr Santanu Deb from Shillong were the instructors for this course. The venue of the course was Paediatric conference hall at BSMMU.

A total of 35 participants took the course. The participants comprised senior and junior faculty from the department of Pediatric Cardiology as well

as faculty, consultants and residents of pediatrics of BSMMU.

The course was very well received by the participants who were very appreciative of the fact that -

- The course had minimum lectures and more of psychomotor skills training.
- The instructors could all converse in Bengali, their mother tongue and medium of teaching
- Many new concepts and skills were introduced
- The course insisted on systematic approach for approaching paediatric emergencies

There was also a request to conduct more such courses in the future and to explore the possibility of introducing a similar course in Bangladesh under guidance of IAP. The course ended on a poignant note with National anthems of both India and Bangladesh sung by the participants and instructors.



IAP Guwahati



IAP Guwahati branch organised PEDIATRIC NEURO CRITICAL CARE CME in association with Pediatric Intensive Care Chapter, North East On 24 May at Gateway Grandeur.

IAP West Bengal



The 5th PG Teaching Session of WBAP was an update on Pediatric Endocrinology by Dr Subrata Dey. For the first time, the IAP ALS group members from WBAP held an IAP ALS Course on 10th & 11th May at Bangabandhu Sheikh Mujib University, Dhaka, Bangladesh. An Asthma Training Module was held in Kolkata in association with the West Bengal Chapter of Pediatric Pulmonology on 20th May.



President inaugurated IAP- IJPP CME at Chennai.

IAP Amravati



1-5-18 - EDIATRIC CARDIOLOGY CME; 6-5-18 - 1st NATIONAL WORKSHOP OF NRP; 3] 13-5-18 - PEDIATRIC CARDIAC HEALTH CAMP; 4] 27-5-18 - CME on "DECISION MAKING IN PEDIATRICS"

IAP Navi Mumbai



1) To create awareness and implementation of antibiotic stewardship at individual level in office practice and nursing homes our team printed posters on rational use of antibiotics and distributed to all our members.
2) On WHO Day our team joined hands with the government to campaign for swath bharaat abhiyaan amidst our children who are future citizens. We designed innovative board games to educate children about health, personal hygiene, waste disposal, prevention of vector borne diseases through these games.

IAP Beed (Maharashtra)



Workshop for the poor and needy people, for their hearing needs which include hearing aid & cochlear implant. More than 300 patients parent attended this workshop

IAP Kozhikode



Formation of IAP NNF fitness club -Inauguration by President Elect Dr Santhosh M K.
Conducted 51 classes of learning disorder. Class on Pocso act by Advocate Shyam Padman



Learning Disorder classes by Dr Beena Johnson at various BRCS kozhikode

IAP Cochin



Monthly Scientific Meeting @ IMA House, Kochi.
Dr. Mumtaz Khalid Ismail, Dr. C.J. John and Dr. Anjali were conducted sessions



IAP Action Plan - South Zone TOT Neurodevelopmental Disorders (NDD Module) Kochi 27.5.18

Cme on Primary Immunodeficiency & role of Bone Marrow Transplantation

@ IMA House, Cochin

Speakers prof. Fulvio Porta from Italy, Dr Raghuram & Dr Sagar Bhattad.



IAP Thrissur



Disability assessment Training program for pediatricians. Inaugurated by Dr. Harikumar Commissioner. Presided by Prof MA. Andrews Principal, GMC, Thrissur

IAP Jalandhar

ASTHMA AWARENESS PROGRAM



President Jalandhar Academy of Paediatrics Dr Gurdeep Singh delivered lecture on Asthma awareness programme at DIPS School Jalandhar.

“MOTHER AND CHILD WELFARE SEMINAR” AIR FORCE ADAMPUR 28/05/2018



President Jalandhar Academy of Paediatrics Dr Gurdeep Singh presented lecture on mother and child welfare seminar organised by AFFWA (Air Force Family Welfare Association) at Station Medicare center, Air Force station adampur. More than 20 expectant mothers with families attended the seminar. Dr Neerja Puri visiting gynaecologist stressed the need of antenatal care and role of specialist in case of complications. Dr Gurdeep Singh visiting child specialist at airforce station adampur taught mothers regarding immediate delivery care and importance of breastfeeding in early life. The correct hand washing technique was demonstrated to participants. Correct use of household food was advised to tackle the bridging period of weaning. The seminar was attended by Dr Murthy (incharge SMC) and Mrs Rao and Mrs vaidya dignitaries from AFFWA.

Congratulations Dr. Abraham K. Paul

Dear Dr. Abraham k Paul

Allied Academies would like to invite you as Keynote Speaker at 6th International Conference on Otolaryngology-ENT Surgery which is going to be held on September 10-12 in Paris, France.

Basing on your expertise we would like to honor you by giving the position as a Keynote Speaker. We have assembled the speaker program for the workshop and are very happy to offer you a chance to appear on a panel as an invited speaker.

The conference provides a platform for participants to explore their innovative ideas and techniques in ENT field. Different business clusters in the field of ENT, scientists, scholars, representatives, students across the world are invited to take part of this prestigious meeting.

We believe that your contribution to this field is unparalleled and a workshop on the topic will be of great benefit.

We hope that we will see you at the event.

Regards

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PRESIDENT'S PAGE 'Creating a Meaningful Connect' at <https://www.indianpediatrics.net/may2018/373.pdf> where he requests pediatricians to 'open our eyes, ears and minds to train ourselves to educate the ever increasing population of 'information-seeking patients'.

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