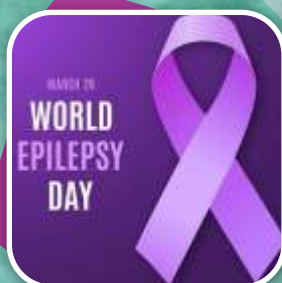




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*Editorial*

Dear esteemed members,

Season's greetings and good wishes

At the outset I would like to thank you for unanimously electing me as the Editor of IMA FOCUS for the year 2019-20, the magazine which has sensitized its members to various issues

related to medical fields in recent past. My predecessor Dr Vani Kori has set a benchmark with high standards and I hope, I will be able to take forward the good work done by the outgoing team and build on their accomplishments with the help of my fellow doctor fraternity.

Come October the state and local IMA leadership will be planning to hand over the reins to the incoming teams. "Planning without action is futile, but action without planning is fatal." Planning improves teamwork and if people understand the direction and expectation they will pull together and perform to the best of their ability.

So here I am penning down a few of my thoughts as your new editor. Let me begin with congratulating all the past editors of our state for making IMA FOCUS a credible and most liked magazine.

The Medicon of Chamrajnagar is an astounding success with feast of academic events. Kudos to the organizing team headed by Dr. Mahesh M&DrShivannawith youth and senior brigade who have toiled hard to make this happen. The meetings conducted at Chamarajnagar also attended by record number of members. The young and dynamic leader Dr.Madhusudhana Kariganur was installed as new President of IMA KSB. I would like to express my heartiest congratulations to him and the members who have newly taken up posts of responsibility this year.

My sincere attempt is to make the organization more robust with good bondage and unity. This is the need of the hour as the profession is facing lot of hardships and challenges. Compartmentalization with super specialisation has improved the patient care but simultaneously expectations have also increased by multi fold. The high expectations sometimes keep the doctors on stress mode. To keep the IMA image high we all need to come together and take up many social sector services which will bridge the gap between the people and the doctors.

As we gear ourselves to take the New Year head-on we must remember our President's vision for us and constantly strive to strengthen ourselves and our pride through service, leadership, creativity, rededication and most importantly courage and conviction.



The strength of the team is each individual member. The strength of each member is the team.

IMA HQ observes the days of medical importance every year. Few of them are in November. Kindly focus your branch activities in these lines to create social awareness.

1. World Diabetes Day on 14th November :

The number of Diabetics in India is increasing at an alarming rate and might reach catastrophic proportions if not dealt with alacrity. According to IDF, India has the most number of diabetics in the world i.e. an esteemed 65.1 million. On this occasion we should join together to promote awareness of DIABETES and firmly focus spotlight on the prevention of the disease by lifestyle modification.

2. National Epilepsy Day on 17th November :

Of the 70 million persons with epilepsy worldwide, nearly 12 million are expected to reside in India; which contributes to nearly one-sixth of the global burden. For many people living with Epilepsy the misconceptions and discrimination can be more difficult to overcome than the seizures themselves. National Epilepsy day seeks to raise awareness and educate the general public on the true facts about epilepsy and the urgent need for improved treatment, better care and greater investment in research.

3. International Women Safety Day on 25th November:

The concept of celebrating Women Safety Day actually has its roots from the year 1960, when sisters from the Dominican Republic were brutally assassinated due to their political activism. Violence against women has shocked, struck and impacted globally for ages now and yet the issue still continues to be one of the major concern of the world. Analytically issues like gender gap, gender discrimination in India has certainly improved over the last few decades, but we cannot deny that when it comes to safety, there is still so much to be done. One in three women experience violence in their lifetime, across all social status, class, race, country or age group. For many of them Me Too moment hasn't come yet. We should fight for laws to protect women from violence; prevention that starts at an early age and the provision of services accessible to all survivors.

4. World AIDS Day on 1st December:

The theme of this year is "Communities make the difference". It is an important opportunity to recognize the essential role that communities have played and continue to play in the AIDS response. It was first observed in 1988 and its aim is to increase HIV awareness and knowledge, speak out against HIV stigma, to show support for people living with AIDS and to commemorate those who have died from an AIDS related illness.

I wish everyone a fruitful year ahead and encourage you to keep giving us your feedback and sharing your opinions with us. We keep our windows and wifi open to your suggestions and write-ups at imafocus@gmail.com to learn more. Your suggestions are our strength.

Before I conclude, let us recall the golden heritage of our state and feel proud to be a part of Karnataka. United we stand, divide we fall.....Stronger we grow, higher we flow.

Happy Rajyothsava Day.

Long live IMA.

- Dr Anita N Rao



President's Desk

Dear esteemed members of the IMA,

May the spirit of Karnataka Stay in the core of your heart. Let's salute our state with pride.

Long Live Karnataka. Happy Kannada Rajyotsava Day.

I feel honored to be here as the President of our august association. Our team took the office at the very well organized business hours of IMA KSB at the MEDICON 2019 held at Chamarajanagara on 18-10-19.

The month began with the installation of the new office bearers of the IMA Bagalakote coordinated by Dr.Nara. Vice President Dr.Vijayakumar Hesarur attended the occasion. A lightning visit was given to the Lingasuru IMA Branch wherein everyone was enthusiastic to work in their local branches.

Attended the systematically organized installation ceremony of the IMA Mangaluru branch on 31-10-2019 wherein our State Honorable Deputy Chief Minister Dr.Ashwathanarayana attended the function as the Chief Guest. Well furnished and renovated office of the IMA trust of Mangaluru was also inaugurated by me on the same occasion . They are setting high standards for other IMA branches to attain. The new office bearers of Sulya branch were inducted on 3-11-19 whose hospitality was unmatched.

The world is changing at a rapid pace, with new kinds of work and new ways of doing that work. That's why, at IMA we want to encourage our members to cultivate a broad, inclusive, inventive spirit. To imagine - then create - the future they want to inhabit.

As said by Elie Wiesel , There may be times when we are powerless to prevent injustice, but there must never be a time when we fail to protest. Our fights may not yield the results desired. Still we should dare to speak in a democratic way. They might sometimes fail to protect the innocent and vulnerable, but we should refuse to stay silent.

I request all the members to actively participate in all the IMA Social activities especially public and school educative programmes through which we can definitely strengthen the deteriorating doctor patient relationships.

Lon Live IMA

- Dr. Madhusudana Kariganur

Secretary's Desk

Dear IMA members

Greetings from IMA -KSB

I wish all my dear IMA members and families happy Deepavali. I should congratulate the outgoing president Dr Annadani M Meti, I cannot forget his patience and calmness and hard work, I felt he is an asset for state IMA, Also I congratulate incoming president young dynamic Dr Madhusudhan Kariganur who is known for his activities, definitely we will have very good activities this year also.

Dear friends I should thank everyone for registering state Medicon conference at Chamarajanagar, one of the backward district and new upcoming government medical college. In spite of so many hurdles they have done wonderfully well, my congratulations and appreciation to the organising team for their zeal and enthusiasm in calling ministers and dignitaries to make the conference a delight. My heart-felt congratulations to Dr Basavarajendra, Dr Mahesh and Dr Swetha and their whole team for their hard work in conducting the conference without problems.

We had state IMA business hour meetings on 18th, we had elections for KPPS and KSSS also, everyone involved actively and voted to elect eminent persons as office bearers of KSSS and KPPS to run effectively. On behalf of IMA KSB we thank all the state and central council or and IMA members who participated in the business hours meeting and involved actively in IMA matters. Requesting our IMA friends again to become members of both the schemes (KPPS & KSSS) and get maximum benefit, I do not think we will have any other schemes on par with these.

I should congratulate Dr Honnegowda who has been elected unanimously as chairman of KPPS, and my close friend Dr.N.Danapal as secretary and Dr.J.Sharanappa most vocal and active personality as treasurer, definitely they do a wonderful job in lifting KPPS to greater heights. I also congratulate our by-law committee chairman Dr.Y.C. Yogananda Reddy for re-elected as chairman of KSSS and Dr.K.T. Prakash Reddy elected as secretary, I think this will be a boon to our IMA, all honest stalwarts who are known for dynamism are in coveted posts now. Our association will prosper well with these people.

It is highly regretful to hear about recurrence of the flood situation specially in the northern part of Karnataka.

We appeal to all the local IMA branches to call an emergency meeting, make a list of volunteer doctors, collect medicine samples, visit the nearby flood affected areas/camps, address the health issues, inform the public about the importance of safe drinking water, hygiene and cautious ness regarding possibility of out break GI infections.

A team of volunteer doctors from IMA Local branches all over north Karnataka were ready to serve with medicines in flood hit areas. As per the IMA KSB observations every one involved very effectively worked day and night by leaving their routine practice, it's very appreciable and IMA KSB solutes all local branch IMA members the gesture they showed towards the humanity.

Dear friends I think it's very unfortunate for medical fraternity to have this draconian act. very difficult to our future generations to survive..

Jai Hind. Jai IMA.

- Dr. S. Srinivasa

ATTENTION

Membership Fee (HFC Details) Life Membership fee of the IMA 1-11-2019 onwards

Particulars	Amount to be Sent to IMA KSB	Extra Amount collected & retained by the local Branch Decided by the local branch
Single Life	11000-00	
Couple Life	16500-00	

Women Vice President Desk

Dear members,

My warm greetings and best wishes to all of you.

Wish you all a very happy Christmas and New Year 2020.

At the outset I thank all the members for giving me the opportunity to serve as women's vice president of IMA Karnataka state branch.

Our 85th state conference MEDICON 2019 which was held at Chamrajanagara organized by IMA Chamrajanagara was well praised conference. Congratulations to the organizers.

“Health is Wealth” so give more importance to your health.

My primary aim is to strengthen women doctors wing (WDW) in all branches of IMA, Karnataka state branch.

Past National President Dr. Wenkhadkar sir and National Chairperson Dr. Mona Desai, National Secretary Dr. Biyani has created the history WIMALS (Women's IMA Ladies Summit). I have attended national conference of women doctors wing at Goa. 24 states, leaders attended the summit, numbering around 300 in all. From our state only 5 women doctors were there including me. This is a platform for academics, exchange their views, coming together, friendly etc.

As you know, our past Women's Vice President Karnataka State Branch, Dr. Aruna K has organized the first ever state Women Doctor's Conclave in Bellary on 21st July 2019 'Adviti' very successfully.

Steering our way courageously amidst all the obstacles that may come along is the only way to reach our destination successfully.

My secondary thought is IMA Food Safety Initiative Program (IFSI). IMA HQ is giving more importance for this. We should give awareness programme to the public, schools, colleges etc. regarding the same.

With all your cooperation I will do my best for this noble organization.

Long live IMA.

- Dr. Sumathi K Bhat



Imm Past President's Desk

My dear IMA family members,

Namaskar and warm greetings of Deepavali and Karnataka Rajyatsava.

At the very outset I congratulate the team IMAKSB headed by the new dynamic president Dr Madhusudhan Kariganur. I wish a great success in all the future endeavours for the betterment of IMA.

On behalf of IMAKSB , I heartily thank all the members and office bearers of IMA Chamarajanagar branch, the faculty members of CIMS Chamarajanagar and the organizing team of MEDICON-2019 for hosting the conference in a befitting manner. Special gratitude to Dr Basavaraj, Dr Swetha Sridhar, Dr Maheshkumar and Dr Rajendra Director of CIMS for their sincere work for the success of the conference.

The team IMAKSB 2018-19 began its journey on 29th October 2018 with some distinct trusts with destiny. Let me ruminate a few of the success stories with distinct foot prints.

Two most innovative programs like the maiden lady doctors' conclave organized by IMA Ballari on 21st July 2019 and the Kannada doctor writers' summit (.....) organized by IMA Mangaluru on 26th May 2019 were memorable. The special efforts and the leading role player by Dr Aruna Rao our lady vice president of IMAKSB and Dr Annayya Kulal in organizing these events respectively are laudable.

The pre Lok Sabha election sensitization program of IMA regarding "health First" and "Health Manifesto" were really good in drawing attention of the election candidates and the public towards the problems of the health sector in the interest of the public at large.

On behalf of IMAKSB on 1st July 2019, we made special appeal to our health minister of Karnataka Sri Shivanand Patil regarding the single window clearance of all the permissions for all hospitals and clinics. Though there was a positive assurance, it seldom became a reality because of the political instability of the government.

14th September was the day of interaction with our union health minister Dr Harshavardhan where in I vehemently forth the views of IMA and submitted the memorandum. Regarding the proposed central bill of prevention of atrocities on doctors I strongly proposed to make it more powerful act reinforced with special clauses for higher degree of punishment. Regarding Ayushman Bharath scheme I suggested for a scientific costing study before fixing the treatment charges and also suggestion was made for periodical review of charges so that it becomes practical and useful to the common man.

The subcommittee for "Prevention of atrocities on doctors" under the chairmanship of Dr Raviranganath acted with utmost diligence in executing their job. The innovative idea of protest with black aprons and mass applications for gun licence are really remarkable even

though we as a team could not draw the attention of media, government and the public at large. Probably the time is not ripe enough to expect the positive outcomes.

As a syndicate member of RGHHS, I attended all the meetings and vehemently put forth the views of IMA whenever needed. Specially emphasised for beginning family Medicine PG courses and skill development training programs for doctors; and also to restart USG training programs (which is being stopped recently) in all the government and medical colleges under RGHHS.

Even though we could not succeed in our fight against NMC, the authoritative government passed it successfully in the parliament; we clarified our stand to the government that the sections 30 & 31 which promote quackery and sections 51 & 52 which promote medical pluralism (mixopathy) are totally unacceptable by IMA.

All our local branches did an excellent medico social activities and participated very well in the flood relief activities. IMA Madikeri branch has done and is doing a laudable work for the rehabilitation of flood victims. Due to repeated visits to New Delhi for NMC protest meetings and prevalent rains and floods across the state, it was not possible to visit all the local IMA branches. But I could visit 85% of the local IMA branches within the available time and infuse IMA energy into the grass roots.

The honourable editor of IMA FOCUS Dr Vani Kori gave a new look to the monthly bulletin and published all the issues of the IMA FOCUS neatly. My regards to the editor Dr Vani Kori and all the vice presidents Dr Suresh Rudrappa, Dr Aruna Rao, Dr Shafi Uddin and Dr Laxmikanth for their wonderful cooperation. I specially thank Dr Srinivasa S the honorary secretary and Dr B Veeranna honorary treasurer who worked with all humility, cooperation and dedication. I also thank Dr Honnegouda, Dr Madhusudhan Kariganur president elect, Dr Yoganandareddi a friend philosopher and guide, all the SWC members and all the members of IMA for their excellent cooperation.

Regards to all the IMA KSB office staff Sri Ashwathanarayana, Sri Ravikiran, Sri Ashok, Sri Damodar, Sri Puttaswami and all others for their cooperation. Most importantly my wife Mrs Rekha, my daughters Dr Keertirani and Dr Priyadarshini, my son in law Dr Keerthihas and my grandson Master Nandikesh who all stood like backbone and supported me in all the works of IMA.

As the president of IMAKSB, I might have stumbled in making some decisions and fumbled in voicing the voice of IMA; but still I enjoyed greatest privilege and honour from our fellow members. I am really grateful to all.

In a democratic set up the office bearers of IMA keep changing periodically; but our great association IMA remains forever. I hope that the new team touches the untouched and half done tasks and takes the IMA flag to the higher heights.

LONG LIVE IMA.

Dr Annadani M Meti
Imm. Past President



Presidential Address

Distinguished colleagues, I feel honored and privileged to stand here today to address you as the new President of this prestigious association. It is a great honor bestowed on me in particular to our team which is indeed humbled. The mandate given by you is a sacred one and I intend to do everything within my capacity to protect its sanctity of our profession.

More importantly I would like to express my gratitude to all the esteemed members for my election and for entrusting me with an enormous responsibility which I want to fulfill with total commitment. I am aware that I shall only be able to discharge this responsibility by working with all members and the talent that exists in our association for all the regions, to ensure a better life for all our members.

I welcome my team office bearers Dr.Venkatachalapathi.M. from Chikkaballapur as State President Elect, Dr.G.K.Bhat from Mangaluru, Dr.Sumathi Bhat from Bengaluru, Dr.Jayanth. from Mysooru, Dr.Vijaykumar Hesruru from Lingasooru as Vice Presidents and Dr.Srinivas. S. as State Secretary, Dr.Karveera Prabhu Kyalakond as Joint Secretary, Dr.B.Veeranna as Treasurer, Dr.B.R.Ramesh as Internal Auditor and Dr.Jaspal Singh from Vijayapura as Public Relation Officer.

Our organization is now almost 90 years old and it was founded on the principles of unity and it will be important to keep that unity and cohesion amongst ourselves. Our founders, heroes held a vision of a united medical profession. The challenge we face is to translate this vision into a reality. I must acknowledge the contributions of all the past presidents of this Association whose far-sightedness and courage has ensured that we stand here today. The strong foundation they have laid has given us the privilege to build on their successes.

I want to note that my years as the Assistant secretary of KSB, Editor of IMA Focus, Secretary of IMA KPPS & Treasurer of IMA KSHS & Member of the building committee of the Association has given me ample opportunity to appraise and fully understand the dynamics and workings of the system. I want to assure you that during my tenure, I intend to build on the achievements of my predecessors in office. I am aware of the fact that the assignment is daunting therefore I call on all my colleagues to join me to reflect on our past, critically assess the present and look forward to the future with greater hope and enthusiasm.

I am fully aware that there is a need for us to come together to save our profession now more than ever. The service space is shrinking and with raise in businesses mindset and It is therefore behooves on us to respond quickly to the changing dynamics of the market space, so that we do not go extinct in the face of the global pressures on our profession. Indeed there is no better time than now to strengthen the Association and reposition it for the task ahead.

Historically doctors used to be generalist practitioners. They deliver a range of acute, chronic and preventive medical care services. In addition to diagnosing and treating illness, they also provide preventive care, including routine checkups, health-risk assessments & they take care of 95% of the health care by utilizing only 5% of the budget. Hence IMA pressurizes the government to introduce and increase PG seats in Family Medicine.

IMA opposes the sections Clause 32, 50 and 51 of NMC act and urges the government to bring in suitable changes in the rules and regulations of the act to curb the ill effects of clauses which will be legitimizing quackery and taking India's health care system back to 1946 era.

According to a study there are about 1 million quacks practicing modern medicine in India who are playing with the lives of the innocent public. The irony is that the qualified doctors have many laws to regulate them and none for these quacks. The existing law is not sufficed to curb their menace. We urge the government to bring in stringent laws to eradicate the menace of quackery.

IMA strongly opposes the heinous acts of Assaults on the doctors and hospitals. It will push them to defensive practice and prevent them from discharging duties in treating serious patients. The proposed draft by the central government has severe punishment only for grievous injury which will account for only 1% of the assaults. Thus 99% of the verbal and minor assaults which morally depresses the doctors have not been given priority in the act. We urge the government that abuse or intimidation of doctors should have imprisonment of 3 years and a special fast track court should be setup to deal such cases.

Under KPME act registration many hospitals are finding it difficult to procure TRADE LICENSE and FIRE SAFETY NOC. We request the government to abolish the need of the trade license or make it a non mandatory requisite for the registration. We also request to bring in practical and feasible guidelines and norms to be followed in the implementation of the fire safety norms. The existing rules are practically

impossible to follow and implement. We request the government to introduce a single window operation system for getting hospital / clinic registration or permissions.

We request the government not to punish the doctors in the clerical and human errors under PCPNDT act. We urge them to take action only against the doctors who indulge in sex determination.

We oppose any idea government to produce 'Hybrid doctors' for the future generations of India through crosspathy. The quality of care available in India today will be lost for generations of Indians if this is allowed.

Our team wants to strengthen the welfare schemes of IMA, KSSS, KPPS, KSHS and also promotes public medical services like “ಐ.ಎಂ.ಎ. ನಡೆ ಶಾಲೆಯ ಕಡೆ” “ಐ.ಎಂ.ಎ.ನಡೆ ಸೈನಿಕರ ಕಡೆ” “ಐ.ಎಂ.ಎ.ನಡೆ ಹಳ್ಳಿಗಳ ಕಡೆ”, “ಐ.ಎಂ.ಎ.ನುಡಿ ಆರೋಗ್ಯ ಸಿರಿ”.

I wish to acknowledge and congratulate immediate past President Dr. Annadani M Meti & his team who successfully completed their term. It's really a pleasure to work with Dr. Honnegouda and Dr. Yogananda reddy. Y.C. who knows how to make a friendly & inspiring work environment. Their dedication, enthusiasm and insight are really inspiring.

IMA opposes the compulsory third party accreditation of the health care establishments of India which definitely does not suits to our resource limited scenario. It will definitely increase the health care costs. Also it will be big blow to the small and medium sized hospitals of India which are providing the 75-80% of primary and secondary health care.

I want to thank our IMA Siruguppa branch and IMA Ballari branch members for their constant encouragement. Words cannot express my gratefulness to Dr. Achuthakumar of my branch who inspired me when I needed words of encouragement

My thanks to all the MEDICON 2019 team of Chamarajanagar IMA, who made it by overcoming all hardships.

We will deal with these matters to the best of our abilities but where we make mistakes may you find a space in your heart to forgive us. To prevent mistakes from occurring we will need your prayers, support and wise counsel always.

Long Live IMA

- Dr. Madhusudana Kariganur

85th Medicon 2019, Setting New Standards

Medicon 2019 was held on 19th and 20th October at Chamrajnagar, a place known for its scenic attractions. The ambience and coordination attracted the delegates. The esteemed guest, Dr Suresh Kumar, Minister of Primary and Secondary education was in appreciation of the IMA. He mentioned that Indian Medical Association is pioneer among NGOs in India with its innumerable innovative ideas and projects aiming at improving the quality of common man. He also said that the role of IMA in making India Polio free is exemplary. He recalled with reverence, the services of Dr. Harshavardhan, the incumbent Union Health Minister and IMA stalwart, in both initiation and successful culmination of Rotary Pulse Polio program, as a result of which India became Polio free. Being the District in-charge minister, Mr. Kumar, in his inaugural address expressed his gratitude to IMA-KSB for choosing Chamaraajanagara branch to Host the MEDICON 2019. Sri V.Srinivasa Prasad, M .P. released the souvenir "ವೈದ್ಯ ಸಂಚನ". Sri K.Niranjana Kumar, MLA, Dr C.Ravi, DHO and Dr.D.Rajendra, Dean, CIMS were on the dais. Dr S.Srinivasa, Secretary read the abridged annual report. After the formal installation of the new team, Mr Suresh Kumar felicitated the eminent members of IMA. Dr Annadani Meti, the outgoing President narrated his experience. Dr Madhusudhana Kariganuru, the new President, in his awe inspiring speech put forth his ideas, projects and vision for the year 2019-20, which raised the expectations of the audience from Madhu as the promising leader.

Various awards to branches and individuals were distributed amidst the applause and flashing lights of cell phones and cameras, exhibiting the real moment of pride and celebration both for the achievers and the viewers.

The first day of the MEDICON was customarily reserved for the business meetings and from 10.00a.m. to 7.30p.m. marathon official meetings of IMA-KSB, its various wings and subcommittees were held smoothly and diligently. The enthusiasm and interest of the members in the deliberations were visibly vibrant and the manner in which the elections

were held for the various posts in a cordial and congenial milieu deserves to be mentioned here. After the official installation of the new office bearers leaders of both the team including the Presidents expressed their gratitude, views and vision along with the reciprocating pleasantries.

Invitation from IMA Siraguppa branch to host the MEDICON 2020 was accepted in the Annual General Body. Invitation from IMA Sindhanur branch to host the State Council meeting in April 2020 was also accepted.

On the final day, events took off with the unfurling of IMA flag in the premises of CIMS by the President Dr Madhusudhana Kariganuru with all organisational gaiety and fervour in the presence of a good number of esteemed members. Concurrent sessions covering wide range of topics were held in two halls while Orations were conducted in the main Auditorium. The lists of the awards, orations and the felicitations are reflected separately in the IMA FOCUS.

Formal valedictory ceremony was held at 4p.m. on 20th October. Dr Mahesh M, the Organising Secretary literally relived the saga of MEDICON 2019 and the audience gave a standing ovation to him and his team. Both the Presidents Dr Annadani M. Meti and Madhusudhana, fully endorsed the views of Dr Mahesh, that it is for the youth and generation next of Doctors that the conferences of this sort are held and it is up to the Doctors in the making to involve themselves in IMA activities. With the affectionate collective honouring of the entire host team of the Chamaraajanagara branch by the State leaders curtains of MEDICON 2019 were drawn.

Long Live IMA

- Dr. K. S. Karanth

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Date: 30th October 2019**NOTICE OF THE SPECIAL GENERAL BODY MEETING**

The 2nd Special General Body Meeting of the Indian Medical Association, Karnataka State Branch will be held on **Sunday the 24th November 2019 at 10.00.A.M at IMA-Hall, IMA House, Bailappanavar Nagar, Hubli-580029.**

All the Members are requested to attend the Meeting.

AGENDA

01. Welcome by the President
02. IMA Prayer
03. Reading of the Meeting Notice
04. Messages of Inability to attend, if any
06. Approval of the Amendments, Rules and Bye-Laws of IMA-KSB - Confirmation
15. Vote of thanks

Thanking you,
Yours sincerely

DR. S. SRINIVASA

Honorary State Secretary

-Sd/-

DR. KARAVEERAPRABHU KYALAKOND

Honorary Joint Secretary

- Ps: (1) Members are requested to bring the IMA Focus August -2019 Vol-9, Issue-10 meeting Notice and proposed amendments with them. No copies will be given at the meeting.
- (2) Copy of the proposed amendments has been published in IMA Focus August -2019, Vol-9, Issue-10 Page No.21 to 70.
- (3) Proposed amendments available in IMA-KSB Website

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NOTICE OF 1st SPECIAL GENERAL BODY MEETING

Dear sir,

The 2nd Special General Body Meeting of IMA's-KSSS called for Amendments will be held on Sunday the 24th November 2019 at 11.00.A.M at IMA-Hall, IMA House, Bailappanavar Nagar, Hubli-580029.

AGENDA

1. Welcome by the Chairman and IMA Prayer
2. Reading of the Meeting Notice by the Secretary
3. Discussion regarding Amendments to Rules and Bye-Laws of IMA-KSSS - Confirmation
4. Vote of thanks

Thanking you,

Yours sincerely

-Sd/-

DR. Y.C.YOGANANDAREDDY

Chairman

-Sd/-

DR. K.T. PRAKASH REDDY

Honorary Secretary

Indian Medical Association, Karnataka State Branch

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Condolence



Dr. Mangala G Kale

Life member of IMA Ron Branch

Date of Death: 08/10/2019



Dr. Balakrishna Naik

Life member

Date of Death: 25/10/2019



Dr. Lakshminarayana Reddy

Life member of Ballari

Date of Death: 26/10/2019

BRANCH ACTIVITIES

Branch: Baglkot
President: Dr.B.K.Bhavi
Secretary: Dr.Sujaya Heranjal

On 5th October, 2019 Bagalkot IMA conducted a protest march against the legislation of GOI “The Healthcare Services Personal & Clinical Establishments Bill 2019” to make the law more stringent on Violence on doctors and damage to property. Bagalkot IMA was supported by Indian Dental Association, Nursing Association, Rotary Club, Lions Club, Innerwheel Club & Paramedical staff and students.

Branch: Bengaluru President: Dr.A.S.Venkatachalapathy Secretary: Dr.G.M.Puttamadaiah & Dr.S.Karunakara

14th September 2019: CME Programme: Indian Medical Association, Bangalore Branch in Association with ICICI Bank Investor. Awareness, at IMA Auditorium, A.V.Road, IMA Circle, Chamarajpet, Bangalore at 6.00 pm conducted CME on 14th September 2019. The programme was Inaugurated by Dr.S.Srinivasa, Prof. & HOD of Paediatric, KIMS, Bangalore & Hon. Secretary, IMA Karnataka State Branch Bangalore. Dr. Raja Selvarajan MBBS, MD spoke on “Achieving Euglycemia with OHA in T2 DM, Dr.B.R.Shiva Kumar, MBBS MD spoke on “Insulin Regime For Initiation in T2, DM. Mr.Dilip, Financial Advisor, ICICI Bank gave a lecture on financial management awareness. Dr.S.M.Sureswaraiah, & Dr. A.S. Venkatachalapathy Chair persons were present on the day, Followed by Dinner. On 4th October 2019: Black Apron Protests Day: IMA, Bangalore Branch observed Doctors wearing the black apron procession at IMA Bangalore Branch KIMS, BMC premises. The Medical students of KIMS & BMC and IMA Bangalore Branch members participated the protests day. On 15th Sept. 2019: IMA Bangalore Branch in Association with CSI & MERT conducted PHGL & CSI Lecture. The function was presided over by Dr. Dhanapala N, President IMA Bangalore Branch. Dr. Yogesh M.K., Asst. Prof., Dept. of Physiology, Raja Rajeswari Medical College & Hospital, Bangalore spoke on “Hrudaya Payana” and Dr. Anil R. Patil, Consultant Orthopedic surgeon, Sparsh Hospital, Bangalore spoke on Kreedeyalli Gayagalu - Nivarane & Treatment. On 2nd October 2019, Gandhi Jayanthi was observed by Garlanding the Photo of the Father of Nation Mahatma Gandhi at IMA Bangalore Branch. Dr.A.S.Venkatachalapathy, President IMA Bangalore Branch, Dr.Anuradha Paramesh Vice President, Executive Members & Medical Student were participated in the function. On 20th October 2019: IMA Bangalore Branch in Association with CSI & MERT conducted Public guest lecturer programme held at IMA Auditorium IMA house, Chamarajpet Bangalore. It was presided over by Dr. A.S.Venkatachalapathy, President, IMA Bangalore Branch. Speaker, Dr. S.Chikka Moga, Former Professor & Head of the Dept. of Medicine Superintendent of Victoria Hospital, Bangalore & Rajyotsava Awardee & Dr.B.C.Roy Award Winner. spoke on “Madhu meha & adara niyantrana. Dr. Rekha Rajendra Kumar, Medical Director of Chandana Hospital & Miracle IVF Hospital, Fertility Specialists & Gynecologist, Bangalore. spoke on “Care Drug of Pregnancy”.

Successful people never worry about what others are doing.

On 11th October 2019: Indian radiological and imaging association Karnataka state chapter under RAKSHA programme in collaboration with Health and family welfare department PCPNDT wing, IMA Bangalore branch and BMC& RI celebrated INTERNATIONAL DAY OF THE GIRL CHILD on 11th October, to create awareness to the public about the importance of GIRL CHILD and to save the girl child. On this occasion Jaatha was arranged from BMC to KR market and back to BMC AT 9AM On 11th october (friday) to promote SAVE THE GIRL CHILD compaign through banners and placards. This will be followed by program in BMC auditorium followed by lunch.

Branch: Chikkaballapur President: Dr.K.S.Prashanth Secretary: Dr.Madhuvan

On the event of World elders day on 1st October and Gandhi Jayanti and Lal Bahaddur Shastri Jayanti on 2nd October we had organized a program at near by Vrudhashrama (Manasa Ashreya Vrudhasharama, Rangasthala). It was our first program as new office bearers and what better way to kick start our campaign than to remember our elders and show our gratitude to them. It was participated by many of our members. We highlighted the various problems our elders be it physical or mental, and what we can do to help them in having a peaceful life. We paid tribute to father of Nation Mahatma Gandhiji for his unconditioned contribution to our country's freedom struggle. We also remembered Lal Bahaddur Shastriji for his service to our nation on that day. We planted saplings to mark the day, being environment friendly. On 12th October we had installation of new office bearers. Chief guest Dr.Yogesh Gowda-DHO, Chickballapur. Installation of office bearers by- Dr.SureshRudrappa-Senior Vice President-IMA KSB Guest Of Honour- Dr.Sreenivasa S, Honaray Secretary, IMA KSB.

Branch: Gadag President: Dr.Radhika Kulkarni Secretary: Dr.Bharathkumar G. Bidinahal

On October 2nd 2019-Gandhi Jayanti: Gandhi Jayanti and Lal Bahadur Jayanti were celebrated. Speeches regarding "Values of Life" about Mahatma Gandhi by Dr S.V Reshme and about Sri Lal Bahadur Shastri by Mrs. Rajini Joshi were made. Favourite Bhajans of Gandhiji were sung by Artists. About 60 members attended the function. On October 3rd 2019 - Dusheera Celebrations: Dusheera celebrations: Dandia was organised by the IMA Ladies wing. Worshipped Goddess Durga and members did Garba dance. Around 70 ladies attended the function. On 4th October 4th 2019-Talk on Health & Hygiene: Talk on health and hygiene in J.T Math Kalyanamantapa for Star health Insurance company. Speakers were Gadag IMA President Dr Radhika Kulkarni and Dr Prakash Sankanur. Free Haemoglobin, blood sugar, and eye check-up were conducted. Nearing 100 people attended the event. On 10th October 2019- World Eye Sight Day: World eye sight day was celebrated in Maruti Netralaya. Dr Vijayakumar Sajjanar spoke about importance of taking care of eyes, and glaucoma. Gadag IMA President Dr Radhika Kulkarni, Treasurer Dr Namrata Sajjanar and Dr Uday Kulkarni were present. Around 50 patients and their relatives attended the event. On 12th October 2019- Installation of New Office Bearers: Installation of New Office Bearers of our Gadag Branch was held on 12th October 2019, in IMA

Hall. President IMA KSB Dr Annadani Meti was the Guest of Honour and President Elect Dr Madusudhana Kariganuru was the Chief Guest and Installing Officer. The program was conducted as per the protocol of IMA. Dr Radhika Kulkarni took oath as president, Dr Bharatkumar Bidinihal as secretary. Treasurer Dr Namrata Sajjanar and 40 other Board Members were installed. Ladies wing President and Secretary were also installed. The function was attended by Senior past presidents of IMA KSB and local members. More than 100 members attended the ceremony. On 15th October 2019-World Mental Health Day: World Mental Health Day was observed in IMA along with the Indian Psychiatric Society Karnataka Chapter. DHO Dr Virupakshreddy Madinur, Dr Somashekar, Dr Deshpande, Dr. Bidinihal talked on the occasion. IMA Gadag Branch Secretary Dr. Bharatkumar Bidinihal conducted the event. People were advised about the importance of mental health. On 16th October 2019 World Food Day & World Anaesthesia Day: World food day and world anaesthesia day was observed in Dr Kulkarni Maternity Hospital under the banner of IMA. IMA Gadag Branch President Dr Radhika Kulkarni gave a talk about balanced diet and Dr Uday Kulkarni talked about Importance of Anaesthesia in modern medicine. 50 people attended the function.

1) IMA Gadag Blood Bank:

For the Month from 21st September 2019 to 17th October 2019:

Total number of camps conducted: 2

Total Number of Bags collected: 761

Total Number of PRBC issued: 354

Total Number of Whole Blood Issued: 109

Branch: Honnavar

President: Dr.Ambrita Bhalkur Secretary: Dr.Vishal.V

A CME was organised by IMA Honavar on 21st September where the following topics were presented by our members. The talk was attended by around 25 doctors. The topics were, a) Anemia mukth bharat by Dr Sunaina Rao, Gynecologist, Suvidha Hospital, Honavar. b) Management of hypertension by Dr Kenneth Crispin, Physician, St Ignatius Hospital, Honavar. Black apron protest called by IMA-KSB was held on 4th October where a memorandum was submitted to the Tahashildar of Honavar to be forwarded to health ministry. An annual meeting of all the members and a formal handover to the next office bearers was done on 19th October. World mental health day was organised by St Ignatius Hospital, Honavar, on 10th October, where Dr Vishal, a life member of IMA spoke on suicide prevention.

Branh: Hubballi

President: Dr.Kranti Kiran

Secretary: Dr.Manjunath Nekar

20th Oct. 2019 : Inaugural Ceremony was held at IMA House, Bailappanavar Nagar, Hubli. The function was inaugurated by the Chief Guest Shri R.Dileep IPS, Commissioner Of Police, Hubballi Dharwad by watering the plant. New Office Bearers for the year 2019-2020 was installed. Dr.Kranthi Kiran as President, Dr. Manjunath Nekar as Secretary, Dr. Mahesh D.K. as Treasurer,

Dr.Bharat Kshatri as Vice President, Dr.Nitesh Jani as Joint Secretary, and Dr.Ravi Nemagouda as Joint Treasurer. 125 members attended the function which was followed by dinner.

Branch: Jamkhandi

President: Dr.H.G.Daddi

Secretary: Dr.V.M.Biradar

On 26-09-2019 General body meeting to discuss about black aprons and proposed protest On 3-10-19 against disparities in NMC. On 11-10-2019 CME on Organ Transplantation. Following doctors from BGS-Glen Eagles Global Hospital Bangalore. Dr. Venugopal – Liver Transplantation. Dr. Sunil Shenvi - Pancreas Transplantation. Dr. Rohit Madhurkar – Radio oncology and interventional Radiology.

Branch : Kalaburagi

President: Dr Amol Patange

Secretary: Dr Sanjana Patil Tallur

On 19 .10.2019 CME programme was conducted in association with Dhanavantri Hospital Kalaburagi. By Dr Rahul Mandaknahalli MD Psychiatry – A general view on Psychiatry, Dr Rohan Shah MCH Neurosurgery – A stitch to save , case presentation, Dr Deepak D MD Anesthesia – Painless labour and Dr Naveen Awati MD Medicine – Case presentation.

Branch: Mangaluru

President: Dr.Sachidananda Rai Secretary: Dr.Sudhindra Rao.M

On 02.10.2019 black apron protest was observed at IMA House Mangaluru to demand stringent Law against violence on health care facilities. On 06.10.2019 Suicide prevention Bicycle Rally & Walkathon was held. On 11.10.2019 Dr.K R Kini memorial oration was held.Dr.Vivekanand Bhat M Family Physician from mangaluru gave he oration. Annual General body Meeting was also held and election results for new year's office bearers was announced.

Branch: Mysore

President: Dr.Suresh Rudrappa Secretary: Dr.Chandrabanusingh

Annual General Body Meeting was conducted on 22..09.2019. The following New office Bearers was elected President Dr.SureshRudrappa, President Elect Dr.B.N.AnandaRavi, Vice Presidents Dr.M.S.Jayanth, Dr.Lakshmi Devi.K.V, Hon. Secretary Dr.Chandrabhansingh.N, Joint Secretary Dr.K.T.Chandrashekar, Treasurer Dr.Parameshwar Naik.

Branch: Nelamangala

President: Dr.M.Jayaprasad

Secretary: Dr.S.Rajendraprasad

On 20.09.2019 Dr. Venkatesulu, Consultant Dermatologist, Nelamangala. Spoke on "Fungal Infections and Steroid Abuse"

Branch: Sirsi

President: Dr Raghavendra Udupa

Secretary : Dr Tanushree Hegde

IMA SIRSI won the prestigious IMA president appreciation award for its activities at the recently held IMA State conference at Chamrajnagar. IMA SIRSI president Dr Raghavendra Udupa received the award from state IMA President Dr Annadani Meti. IMA SIRSI Seva Pratishthana was inaugurated on 13th October by DHO, Dr Ashok Kumar in the honourable presence of IMA State

President Dr Annadani Meti and IMA state president elect Dr Madhusudan Kariganur at Suvarna Soudha. Dr GM Hegde, President IMA SIRSI seva Pratishtana, Dr Raghavendra Udupa, president IMA Sirsi, Dr S.S. Soppimath, Consultant surgeon, Suchirayu Hospital, Dr Narendra Hiregoudar, consultant cardiothoracic surgeon, Suchirayu hospital and Dr Ameet Sattur, Consultant Cardiologist were present on the occasion. IMA Sirsi Seva Pratishtana is a wing of IMA Sirsi formed to conduct various social and health related activities. A free health check up camp with free ECHO, BMD and Thyroid testing was also conducted in association with Suchirayu Hospital on the occasion. IMA office bearers were reelected for the next year 2019-20. Dr Raghavendra Udupa, president, IMA Sirsi, Dr Tanushree Hegde, Secretary, Dr Manjunath B A as treasurer IMA Sirsi. Health awareness activities

- A unique Continued Staff training program was started on 5th October at Suvarna Soudha for all paramedical staff of all hospitals of Sirsi to train them for improving the quality of health services. It is a 6 month training program. Two workshops will be held every month on every second and third Saturday
- Dr Vinayak Bhat Kanni, THO SIRSI and Dr G M Hegde inaugurated the program. Consultant Obstetrician and Gynecologist and President, IMA Seva Pratishtana was the chief guest and gave an inspiring talk on role of paramedics in quality healthcare. First workshop was attended by 146 staff and was well taken.
- 20th Oct- Dr Ravikiran Patwardhan gave a talk at Pradesh Karadhe Samaj Jagannatheswar temple Chiggi
- 19th Oct second session of staff training programme was held with 146 nursing and paramedical staff from all hospitals attending. Dr Shivaram gave a talk on Art of effective communication and professionalism.

Academic activities

- 28th and 29th Sept- A North Canara CME on pediatrics was conducted at Suvarna Soudha in association with IAP. Nearly 100 delegates from all over the state participated.
- 28th Sept- A workshop on infection control was conducted for doctors and nursing staff as a part of North Canara CME in association with IAP
- 7th Oct- Dr Vinayak Subramaniam received the prestigious Dr N D Puroshottam gold medal for best paper on innovation in ENT and head and neck surgery at ENT state conference held at Madikere.
- 13th Oct- A CME was held with expert speakers from Suchirayu Hospital, Hubli. Dr S.S. Soppimath gave talk on Management of biliary stones. Dr Narendra Hiregoudar gave talk on Recent Advances in Cardiac Surgery. Dr Amit Sattur gave talk on MI in Young.

Dr.Mohammad Ataulla gave a talk on Social issues in epilepsy. Dr Manjunath Dindi gave a talk on Advances in Ent surgery and cochlear implants. Dr Vivek Patil gave a talk on Advances in joint replacement and arthroscopic surgery. Dr Alok Patil gave a talk on Pediatric shock syndrome Dr GM Hegde gave a talk on Injectable contraceptives..

- 19th Oct- Dr Dinesh Hegde moderated a panel discussion on Medicolegal issues at state IAP conference at Davangere.

Social service programs

- 25th Sept- Drinking water unit was installed at IMA Suvarna Soudha
- 13th Oct- Health check up camp was conducted in association with Suchirayu Hospital Hubli on the occasion of inauguration of IMA SIRSI Seva Pratishtana. Totally 125 patients benefitted from health check up camp, 37 echo, 80 BMD, 45 thyroid tests were carried out. 10 specialist doctors from Suchirayu hospital participated.
- 4th Oct- blood donation camp was held at Divgi factory and 47 units collected and subjected to components
- Two blood donation camps were held at Haliyal and Joyida on 12th and 13th October. 146 units were collected. Dr Suman Hegde and Dr Mamata Hegde coordinated.
- 9th September- Free eyecheck was held at Ganesh Netralaya for inmates of Balamandir and free spectacles was distributed for the needy.
- NICU, the IMA joint venture with PG Hospital, Sirsi provided free neonatal intensive care to the needy neonates.
- 20th Oct- Juvenile diabetic clinic held. 14 pts got the benefit.
- 2nd Oct- Several IMA Sirsi doctors participated in Swachhata Abhiyan on occasion of Gandhi Jayanti and also conducted awareness against plastic use by distributing free eco friendly handbags to the public.

Extracurricular activities

19th Oct- Our senior member Dr Shanta Bhat was honoured by Inner wheel club in acknowledgement for her service. 20th Oct - Dr Vinayak Subramanian gave a flute performance at a music event. 19th and 20th October State level badminton tournament was organised in memory of late Dr L.H.Pai by Dr Kailash Pai.

Branch: Soraba

President: Dr.M.K.Bhat

Secretary: Dr.Sayed Hasman

Organised mega eye camp in govt hospital Sorab on 24th Sept 2019. 110 patients were tested and 55 cataract patients were selected for cataract operation. We are thankful to health dept and Shankara Eye hospital Shimoga for cooperation. We are also thankful to Lions Club of Sorab for cooperation.

Branch: Sullia**President: Dr.Geeta Doppa****Secretary: Dr.Bharath Shetty**

Dr Nandakumar life member of IMA Sullia Branch gave a talk in Social work forum in Dr K Shivaram Karanth College Bellare about lifestyle, practices, food, habits, health conditions and medical services about Tribal and Rural people on 28 September. On 2 October on account of Gandhi Jayanthi swatchatha jatha was organised . Dr Saigeetha spoke about the importance of deworming and distributed deworming tablets to around 215 people in Baddadka School. On 4 October a black apron protest was done by members of IMA Sullia Branch in order to have strict rules and amendments in existing rules against violence on doctors. A memorandum was submitted to Tahshildar to be given to Central Health Minister and CM of Karnataka. Dr Ravikanth GO Joint treasurer of IMA Sullia Branch was a guest faculty in Father Mullers Medical College in a workshop on Suturing techniques on 4 October. Health camp was organised in Government school in INEKIDHU jointly with KVG Medical College, IMA Sullia and various organisations. Dr Kavitha , Dr Pratibha life members of IMA Sullia actively participated in the camp and treated around 110 patients. Dr Geeta Doppa , Dr Ravikanth G O , Dr Nandakumar and Dr JP Pare attended the 85 th MEDICON Annual Conference of IMA KSB at Chamrajnagar from 18-20 October. IMA Sullia Branch was awarded the Best Branch for Medicosocial and Community activities in Karnataka for the year 2018-19.

Branch: Udupi Karawali**President: Dr.Umesh Prabhu****Secretary: Dr.Prakash Bhat**

On 20.10.2019 Installation ceremony was conducted Informing you the details of new office bearers. Dr.Umesh Prabhu as President, Dr.Prakash Bhat as Secretary and Dr.Ranjitha S Nayak as Treasurer. On 21/09/2019:Inauguration of the donated public address system at the Konkan railway station, Indrali, Udupi by Dr. P.S Gurumoorthy Bhat, President of Indian Medical Association, Udupi Karawali. On 26.09.2019 Indian Medical Association, Udupi Karawali handed over a cheque of Rs.2,50,000 to CHIEF MINISTER'S RELIEF FUND through DC of Udupi, Mr Jagadish, IAS, to help flood victims of people of Karnataka. This is in addition to the contribution of similar amount made to Kalaji foundation, Belthangadi, earlier this month. So, together we have contributed Rs.5 lakhs to this cause, this season. On 27/09/2019:Happy to inform you all that dear Dr. Rajalakshmi, the treasurer of IMA Udupi Karawali, gave a talk on NUTRITION and HEALTH HYGIENE at Milagres High School (Kannada) Kallianpur. She has been conducting health awareness programmes in educational institutions and elsewhere since last 10 years. She has more than 300 such sessions to her credit. This is very much appreciable.

Branch: Yalahanka**President : Dr.Y.M.Venkatesh****Secretary: Dr.K.Shankarnarayan**

On 20/09/2019, a CME meeting was held in association with Manasa Trinity Hospital. Dr B G Muralidhara, Cardiologist spoke about European Society of Cardiology 2019 guidelines for treatment of Cardiac events. The talk was followed by an interactive session. On 29/09/2019, our branch's annual trekking programme was arranged. This was the 3rd successive year of our

annual trekking initiative and has been well received by everyone. This time Shivagange hills was chosen. About 45 people comprising of our members and their families participated in the trek. In the afternoon an offshore CME was held at Ankit Vista resort , Nelamangala. Dr Pruthvi, Orthopaedic surgeon spoke about Future of Medicine. The CME was followed by recreational activity for all the members. On 18/10/2019 , CME programme was held in association with Fortis Hospital. Dr Prabhakar Koregol, a renowned cardiologist spoke about treating MI patients in a non PCI hospital and enlightened the audience about SPOKE AND HUB model of networking hospitals to treat patients with Myocardial Infarction. Dr Ganesh Veerbhadraiah, Neurosurgeon demonstrated various neurosurgical endovascular procedures with individual cases.



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IMA PRAYER

May everybody be happy
May everybody be healthy
May everybody be free from pain
May everybody be free from sorrow
May we be the healing cure
Beyond every greed & lure

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We, the members of Indian Medical Association stand here
to salute our national flag.

Its honour and glory shall be our light and strength
and its course shall be our course.

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A Book "Legal and Ethical Principles in Medical Practice and Negligence, "in Medical written by Dr.D.Somashekharaiiah, Chairman, IMA-KPPS is available for sale at Rs100/-per book. Of bulk order is available inclusive of postage

CODE OF MEDICAL ETHICS

Regulation to the Professional Conduct Etiquette and Ethics (As per IMC Act 1956 revised and gazetted in 2002)

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Don't wait until you or a family member becomes seriously ill to try to purchase health insurance.

The Admission fee details is as follows

Age in Years	Total Amount, At the time of joining (1 st Year)	The Amount to be paid every year (2 nd Year onwards)
Children below 25 yrs	Rs. 4000.00	Rs. 3000.00
Below age of 35 yrs	Rs. 5000.00	Rs. 4000.00
Below age of 45 Yrs but above 35 Yrs	Rs. 7000.00	Rs. 5000.00
Below age of 55 Yrs but above 45 Yrs	Rs. 9000.00	Rs. 6000.00
Below age of 65 Yrs but above 55 Yrs	Rs. 11,000.00	Rs. 7000.00
Below age of 75 Yrs but above 65 Yrs	Rs. 13,000.00	Rs. 8000.00
Below age of 85 Yrs but above 75 Yrs	Rs. 15,000.00	Rs. 9000.00

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- Founder member** :- shall have the benefit of the scheme **six months** after joining the scheme or immediately after launching the scheme whichever is longer.
- All the **ordinary members** and **beneficiary members below the age of 65** on joining shall have the benefit of the scheme after **12 months** of joining the scheme or immediately after launching the scheme whichever is longer.
- All the **ordinary members** and **beneficiary members above the age of 65** on joining shall have the benefit of the scheme after **24 months** of joining the scheme or after launching the scheme whichever is longer.

NO CASHLESS SERVICE (They have to pay their bills themselves & Claim later)

- * **No advance payment will be made to the members**
- * Members will be given reimbursement of 75% of total amount of the bill not exceeding the sum limited to each disease.
- * **If the benefit is not claimed in an academic year the benefit amount in total or any percentage will not be carried over to the subsequent years.**
- * **A member will get a maximum of benefit of Rs.2 Lakhs in one year.**

The scheme is launched on 1st of July 2017 on the Doctors day Celebration at Bengaluru.

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Fee for Existing old Scheme	Rs 11700/-	Rs 12200/-	Rs 12700/-	Rs 20700/-	Rs 23700/-	Rs 28700/-	Rs 36700/-
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