



I.M.A.G.S.B. NEWS BULLETIN

GUJARAT MEDICAL JOURNAL

INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, GUJARAT STATE BRANCH

Estd. On 2-3-1945

Office : A.M.A. House, 2nd Floor, Opp. H. K. College, Ashram Road, Ahmedabad-380 009.

Fax / Phone : (079) 2658 7370

E-mail : imagsb@youtele.com, imagsb@gmail.com

Website : www.imagsb.com

OFFICE BEARERS

PRESIDENT

Dr. Bipin M. Patel
(M) 98250 62381
Ahmedabad

HON. STATE SECRETARY

Dr. Jitendra N. Patel
(M) 98253 25200
Ahmedabad

IMM. PAST PRESIDENT

Dr. Pragnesh C. Joshi
(M) 98241 87892
Surat

HON. JOINT SECRETARY

Dr. Shailendra N. Vora
Ahmedabad

VICE PRESIDENTS

Dr. Vinay A. Patel
Dr. Jayesh M. Vagharia
Dr. Bhupendra M. Shah
Dr. Chetan N. Patel
Dr. Navin D. Patel
Dr. Bhaskar Mahajan
Ahmedabad Zone
West Zone
Central Zone
Vadodara Zone
Surat Zone
South Zone

HON. ZONAL JT. SECRETARIES

Dr. Bharat R. Patel
Dr. M. A. Santwani
Dr. Pradip Bhavsar
Dr. Paresh P. Golwala
Dr. Vinod Noticewala
Dr. Rajiv D. Vyas
Ahmedabad Zone
West Zone
Central Zone
Vadodara Zone
Surat Zone
South Zone

TREASURER

Dr. Devendra R. Patel
Ahmedabad

HON. ASST. SECRETARY

Dr. Bharat I. Patel
Ahmedabad

GUJARAT MEDICAL JOURNAL

Editor
Dr. K. R. Sanghavi
Ahmedabad

SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

Hon. Secretary
Dr. Shailesh S. Shah
Anand

SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEME

Hon. Secretary
Dr. Jitendra B. Patel
Ahmedabad

COLLEGE OF G.P.

Director
Dr. Kirit C. Gadhavi
Ahmedabad

PROFESSIONAL PROTECTION SCHEME

Managing Director
Dr. Dilip C. Vaidya
Ahmedabad

ACADEMY OF MEDICAL SPECIALITY

Chairman
Dr. Vidyut J. Desai
Ahmedabad

HEALTH SCHEME

Chairman
Dr. Navneet K. Patel
Ahmedabad



National President's Desk

MY APPEAL



Season's Greetings

Appeal to all Local Branch Presidents / Hon. Secretaries.

- (1) PROACTIVE EFFORTS FOR MEMBERSHIP DRIVE.
- (2) ACTIVE IMPLEMENTATION OF "AAO GAON CHALEN" PROGRAMME BY ALL BRANCHES.
- (3) BLOOD DONATION CAMP.
- (4) ACTIVE EFFORTS FOR STRENGTHENING OF YOUNG DOCTOR'S WING.
- (5) STRONG BONDING WITH SPECIALITY ORGANISATIONS.
- (6) "WELCOME THE GIRL CHILD..." DRIVE.

KINDLY COMPLY POSITIVELY.

Dr. JITENDRA B. PATEL
NATIONAL PRESIDENT, IMA



**STATE PRESIDENT
AND
HON. STATE SECRETARY'S
MESSAGE**



Dear Colleagues,

Greetings from Gujarat State Branch, IMA.

Jammu & Kashmir has recently experienced massive floods Major Casualties were witnessed and much of the areas got wiped away by flood water. Now the threat of Epidemic looms as carcasses flood the valley. Now is the time for the medical fraternity to come forward and do our best for our own citizens in this natural calamity. One team has already been sent for this purpose and we look forward for your support.

It is the time of the year when we officially invite you, our friends, to attend the **IMA National Conference (IMA-NATCON 2014)** on **27th and 28th December 2014** at Gujarat University Convention Centre, Ahmedabad.

We will be having high quality scientific lectures with speakers of national and international repute. This will definitely also be a momentous meet because **IMA has many key decisions to take in the wake of legislations in the parliament that shall transform drastically the way we practice and our very way of life.**



Of course, as always, we shall be catching up with old colleagues and forging bonds with new ones amidst lots of bonhomie and fun; for which Ahmedabad is the right place, and we shall leave no stones unturned to make this meet most pleurably memorable

We therefore urge all the members of the various local Branches of IMA to put in extra efforts, even beyond the call of duty, to bring in as many members to the conference as is possible because it will have a bearing on our future.

Our strength will be evident by your active participation and attendance of the members across the state in large numbers.

Hoping for your unstinted support,

Thanking you,

Dr. Bipin M. Patel
(President, G.S.B., I.M.A.)

Dr. Jitendra N. Patel
(Hon. State Secy., G.S.B., I.M.A.)

* * * * *

DISCLAIMER

Opinions in the various articles are those of the authors and do not reflect the views of Indian Medical Association, Gujarat State Branch. The appearance of advertisement is not a guarantee or endorsement of the product or the claims made for the product by the manufacturer.



INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

GUJARAT STATE BRANCH

OFFICE : A.M.A. HOUSE, 2nd FLOOR, OPP. H. K. COLLEGE, ASHRAM ROAD, AHMEDABAD-380 009.
Fax / Phone : (079) 2658 73 70 • E-mail : imagsb@youtele.com, imagsb@gmail.com

Dear Member of IMA,

There is a misuse of antibiotics leading to multi-drug resistant strains. Situation has become all the more serious as bugs have become resistant to most of the prevalent antibiotics including carbapenems. IMA has started a multi prong strategy involving health professionals, pharmaceuticals Govt, private and international agencies to eradicate this menace.

As informed to you earlier, we have already started a campaign for the rational use of antimicrobials requesting members to take a pledge for the rational use of antimicrobial by registering themselves on IMA Website "www.ima-india.org". You can take out a print out of the Certificate which you should paste in your clinics in reception area. It will sensitize the patient as well.

Recently a study was conducted in India that chicken are fed antibiotics as growth promoter, to gain weight and grow fast. We have written to Govt. to enact a law preventing the use of antibiotic as growth promoters. There is need to observe strict compliance on use of antibiotic in animal to treat infection and awareness on hygiene in poultry form to prevent infection. Awareness for public was also initiated through press conference and public lectures.

To educate our doctors and medical student, in association with Indian Pediatric Association, we have constituted an Advisory Committee with expert from WHO, USAID, public and Pvt Sector to prepare a module on "Rational Antibiotic Practices". TOT workshops and CMEs are also going to be arranged throughout the country.

During the Advisory Committee Meeting, it was also decided to observe September 28 to October 5 as Antibiotic Awareness Week.

To observe this week, we request you to plan public awareness activities for the same. Friends, go loud and clear on the urgency to rationalize antibiotic use. Let's go on a mission mode and make everyone aware about the menace of Antimicrobial misuse leading to resistance. Plan CME's activity for our members to sensitize them on rational antibiotic practices.

Organize public lectures, take out rallies, press meets, interviews, go on local cable TV for public awareness messages, Display slogans and posters in the waiting areas of your clinic and other activities that you think will serve the purpose.

You are requested to send your report along with photographs and press cuttings etc to IMAHQs.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,

Dr. Jitendra B. Patel
National President

Dr. Narendra Saini
Hony. Secretary General

Dr. Bipin M. Patel
President IMA-GSB

Dr. Jitendra N. Patel
Hony. State Secretary IMA-GSB



INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

GUJARAT STATE BRANCH

OFFICE : A.M.A. HOUSE, 2nd FLOOR, OPP. H. K. COLLEGE, ASHRAM ROAD, AHMEDABAD-380 009.
Fax / Phone : (079) 2658 73 70 • E-mail : imagsb@youtele.com, imagsb@gmail.com

Dear Member of IMA,

You are aware that huge damage has been done in Jammu & Kashmir especially in Kashmir valley due to heavy floods. There has been a loss to human lives and damage to property as well. After any such calamities there is always a fear of epidemic of water born illness.

As a member of medical fraternity, we have to rise to the occasion. Outbreak of epidemics must be prevented and the curative treatment to the needy be provided.

You are requested to kindly contribute liberally to the "IMA Disaster Relief Fund" at the Headquarters through Demand Draft drawn in favour of "INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION, HQ'S" payable at New Delhi.

All your donations will be covered under 80-G Tax exemption.

You can also help by contributing in the form of medicines.

Please make a list of volunteer doctors who are interested to serve the affected area in a short notice and send this list to IMA HQ, Disaster Management Cell. Please see the attached file: Dealing with Disaster: Flood

Thanking you and with kind regards.

Yours Sincerely,

Dr. Jitendra B. Patel
National President

Dr. Narendra Saini
Hony. Secretary General

Dr. Chetan N. Patel
Chairman (IMA HQ DMC)

Dr. Gulam M. Malik
President, J & K Branch

Dr. Bipin M. Patel
President IMA-GSB

Dr. Jitendra N. Patel
Hony. State Secretary IMA-GSB

P.S: A coordinating and monitoring cell has been set up at IMA HQ, New Delhi. You may write to imahqdm@gmail.com OR hsg@ima-india.org



STATE PRESIDENT-HONY. SECY. & OFFICE BEARERS TOURS/VISIT

- 20/07/2014 Dr. Bipin M. Patel; President IMA-GSB attended N.W.G. meeting at New Delhi
- 03/08/2014 Dr. Bipin M. Patel; President IMA-GSB attended Medical Camp organized by Rotary Club of Visnagar and Civil Hospital at Visnagar
- 05/08/2014 Dr. Bipin M. Patel; President IMA-GSB attended C.M.E. on Tuberculosis at Visnagar branch in Collaboration with IMA-RNTCP-GFATM-PPM-RCC-Project UNIT-I at Visnagar
- 03/09/2014 Dr. Bipin M. Patel; President IMA-GSB and Dr. Vidyut J. Desai, President, Ahmedabad Medical Association attended meeting with Shree Saurabh Patel, Hon'ble Finance Minister, Govt. of Gujarat, regarding VAT enforcement procedures on Hospital in Gujarat at Gandhinagar
- 20/09/2014 Dr. Bipin M. Patel, President IMA-GSB, Dr. Jitendra N. Patel, Hon. State Secretary IMA-GSB and Dr. Ashok D. Kanodia, Convener, Family Planning Centre attended Navratri Annual function at Rajkot.

* * * * *

Member's Information

Dear Members,

As you all know that in today's world, we all need quick & easy communication & data transfer from one place to another. And for that we should have precise destination address. We at GSB IMA have full details of very few members with us. So I request you all to fill up your full details on members information form which we have kept on our website www.imagsb.com. Also pass on this information during each of your programme & continuously insist all members until we have information of all members. Expecting your huge support as this is very crucial for our effective communication with all members.

Thankyou.

Dr. Jitendra N. Patel
(Hon. State Secy., G.S.B., I.M.A.)



COLLEGE OF GENERAL PRACTITIONER; G.S.B. I.M.A.

Ahmedabad Medical Association branch of Indian Medical Association and College of G.P. G.S.B. I.M.A. had organized a programme on 6/7/2014 at AMA House.

Dr. Jitendra N. Patel; Hon. State Secretary of I.M.A. G.S.B., Dr. Kirit C. Gadhavi, Director of College of G.P., Dr. Lalit I. Nayak, Hon. Secretary of College of G.P., Dr. Vasant Patel, Hon. Joint Secretary of college of G.P., Dr. Mahendra B. Desai, Technical Consultant of IMA-GFATM-RNTCP-PPM-RCC-Project-Unit-I, Dr. Vidhyut J. Desai, President of A.M.A, Dr. Kamlesh B. Saini, Hon. Secretary of A.M.A. were present in inauguration function. It was well attended by 100 delegates.

There was nice talk on the subjects following.

- Adult immunization
- Statutory requirement for private practitioners
- Recent treatment strategies for management for malaria
- How to develop specialized clinic in family practice.
- Home visit.
- Telephonic consultation
- Use of computer in day to day private practice

Dr. Kirit C. Gadhavi
Director

Dr. Lalit I. Nayak
Hon. Secretary

Dr. Vasant B. Patel
Hon. Joint Secretary

OBITUARY

We send our sympathy & condolence to the bereaved family

| | | |
|---------------------------------|------------|-----------|
| Dr. Motha Abdul Kadarbhai | 14/07/2014 | Ahmedabad |
| Dr. Chhelavada Prafulchandra J. | 09/06/2014 | Porbandar |
| Dr. Waghmare Nivruti K. | 17/05/2014 | Mandvi |
| Dr. Mehta Bharat J. | 25/07/2014 | Ahmedabad |
| Dr. Patel Amratlal G. | 23/08/2014 | Ahmedabad |

We pray almighty God that their soul may rest in eternal peace.



NEW LIFE MEMBERS

I.M.A. GUJARAT STATE BRANCH

We welcome our new members

| L_M_No. | NAME | BRANCH |
|----------|--------------------------------|---------|
| LM/23911 | Dr. Chaudhary Bharat D. | Bardoli |
| LM/23912 | Dr. Patel Bhavesh Ashokkumar | Surat |
| LM/23913 | Dr. Bombaywala Rishi Jayesh | Surat |
| LM/23914 | Dr. Desai Kairavi Yogeshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23915 | Dr. Desai Birva Yogeshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23916 | Dr. Tripathi Vidhu Shekharbhai | Surat |
| LM/23917 | Dr. Patel Bhautik Bhanabhai | Surat |
| LM/23918 | Dr. Postiwala Umeshchandra R. | Surat |
| LM/23919 | Dr. Tandel Bhumika Maheshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23920 | Dr. Presswala Darshan Kalpesh | Surat |
| LM/23921 | Dr. Pavasiya Naresh Keshubhai | Surat |
| LM/23922 | Dr. Modi Mihir Rajeshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23923 | Dr. Patel Sujana Rajendrabhai | Surat |
| LM/23924 | Dr. Shukla Abhdutta Devadatta | Surat |
| LM/23925 | Dr. Champaneria Nisarg N. | Surat |
| LM/23926 | Dr. Patel Neerav Mahadevbhai | Surat |
| LM/23927 | Dr. Moldi Silky Rameshchandra | Surat |
| LM/23928 | Dr. Chaudhari Upendra Ramesh | Surat |
| LM/23929 | Dr. Shah Vaibhav Anilkumar | Surat |
| LM/23930 | Dr. Lavana Yash Dhaneshchandra | Surat |
| LM/23931 | Dr. Patel Broma Bharatbhai | Surat |
| LM/23932 | Dr. Shah Eshita Vipulkumar | Surat |
| LM/23933 | Dr. Deszai Vasav Darshanbhai | Surat |
| LM/23934 | Dr. Desai Neetal Himanshubhai | Surat |
| LM/23935 | Dr. Gandhi Priyanka S. | Surat |
| LM/23936 | Dr. Modh Parth Kamleshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23937 | Dr. Shah Bhakti Pratinbhai | Surat |



| | | |
|----------|---------------------------------|-------|
| LM/23938 | Dr. Kapadia Bharat Ramjibhai | Surat |
| LM/23939 | Dr. Patel Suresh Ganeshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23940 | Dr. Lakdawala Mohammed A. | Surat |
| LM/23941 | Dr. Bhimani Darshan Mansukh | Surat |
| LM/23942 | Dr. Patel Falgun Prakashbhai | Surat |
| LM/23943 | Dr. Jadav Dinesh Ranchhodbhai | Surat |
| LM/23944 | Dr. Bhatt Nainesh Prafulchandra | Surat |
| LM/23945 | Dr. Patel Dhagesh Kirtibhai | Surat |
| LM/23946 | Dr. Chaudhari Nitin Dalubhai | Surat |
| LM/23947 | Dr. Modi Nirav Girishkumar | Surat |
| LM/23948 | Dr. Vaghasiya Mahendra Haribhai | Surat |
| LM/23949 | Dr. Doctor Prashma Pradipbhai | Surat |
| LM/23950 | Dr. Panchani Darshan Balubhai | Surat |
| LM/23951 | Dr. Makadia Neeti Rameshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23952 | Dr. Chavda Daxa Lakhabhai | Surat |
| LM/23953 | Dr. Trivedi Jenish Mukeshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23954 | Dr. Bhadeeyadra Ashok R. | Surat |
| LM/23955 | Dr. Italiya Sonal Laxamnabhai | Surat |
| LM/23956 | Dr. Shah Jenish Vasantkumar | Surat |
| LM/23957 | Dr. Shah Naimesh Navinchandra | Surat |
| LM/23958 | Dr. Poshia Tejas Rameshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23959 | Dr. Patel Purvi Champaklal | Surat |
| LM/23960 | Dr. Kaptan Kumarbhargav R. | Surat |
| LM/23961 | Dr. Chaudhari Anant Arvindbhai | Surat |
| LM/23962 | Dr. Gemawat Preeti Manoharbhai | Surat |
| LM/23963 | Dr. Patel Mitul Chandrakant | Surat |
| LM/23964 | Dr. Parmar Sejal Mahendrakumar | Surat |
| LM/23965 | Dr. Kokadiya Khyati Hiteshbhai | Surat |
| LM/23966 | Dr. Dudhat Reena Balvantbhai | Surat |
| LM/23967 | Dr. Luhar Chinmay Mananbhai | Surat |
| LM/23968 | Dr. Vaghela Pragnesh Natvar | Surat |
| LM/23969 | Dr. Sarvaiya Archana Vrajlal | Surat |



| | | |
|----------|---------------------------------|------------|
| LM/23970 | Dr. Bambharoliya Praful R. | Surat |
| LM/23971 | Dr. Savali Mamta H. | Surat |
| LM/23972 | Dr. Barodia Shyamal R. | Surat |
| LM/23973 | Dr. Goswami Niti C. | Surat |
| LM/23974 | Dr. Sivasane Sharad Kashinath | Surat |
| LM/23975 | Dr. Elgire Dipali Diliprao | Surat |
| LM/23976 | Dr. Patel Jigar Dharamshibhai | Surat |
| LM/23977 | Dr. Patel Pooja Jigarbhai | Surat |
| LM/23978 | Dr. Shah Sanjay Govardhanbhai | Surat |
| LM/23979 | Dr. Mehta Abharani Sanjaybhai | Surat |
| LM/23980 | Dr. Patel Jigna Shaileshbhai | Ankleshwar |
| LM/23981 | Dr. Mehta Mrugen Mayurbhai | Khambhat |
| LM/23982 | Dr. Patel Mishwari Jayantilal | Khambhat |
| LM/23983 | Dr. Jain Nakaiyalal Sattarchan | Vyara |
| LM/23984 | Dr. Vala Ajaykumar Kantibhai | Anand |
| LM/23985 | Dr. Patel Ankur Ishwarbhai | Patan |
| LM/23986 | Dr. Zala Arjun Pratapbhai | Veraval |
| LM/23987 | Dr. Patel Piyush Vallabhbhai | Anand |
| LM/23988 | Dr. Vaishnav Bhalendu S. | Anand |
| LM/23989 | Dr. Ladumor Vijay Maganbhai | Mahuva |
| LM/23990 | Dr. Pandya Kush Bakulbhai | Ahmedabad |
| LM/23991 | Dr. Gauswami Mangargiri B. | Ahmedabad |
| LM/23992 | Dr. Modi Pranjal Ramanlal | Ahmedabad |
| LM/23993 | Dr. Menon Pramod Achuthan | Ahmedabad |
| LM/23994 | Dr. Trivedi Sejal Mukundbhai | Ahmedabad |
| LM/23995 | Dr. Desai Alpesh Rameshbhai | Ahmedabad |
| LM/23996 | Dr. Desai Sonam Nikhileshbhai | Rajkot |
| LM/23997 | Dr. Baxi Vivek Vasantlal | Jetpur |
| LM/23998 | Dr. Gajjar Vaibhav Bhupendra | Himatnagar |
| LM/23999 | Dr. Vaghani Yagnesh Laljibhai | Surat |
| LM/24000 | Dr. Keche Shubhada Pankajbhai | Surat |
| LM/24001 | Dr. Kakadiya Chetan Gordhanbhai | Surat |
| LM/24002 | Dr. Vaghani Krishna Dhanjibhai | Surat |



| | | |
|----------|--------------------------------|---------------|
| LM/24003 | Dr. Bhavsar Samirchandra G. | Anand |
| LM/24004 | Dr. Patel Vikalp Mansukhbhai | Surendranagar |
| LM/24005 | Dr. Shah Hardik Pravinchandra | Vadodara |
| LM/24006 | Dr. Bathija Anil Gokulsingh | Vadodara |
| LM/24007 | Dr. Modi Ravi Vinodkumar | Vadodara |
| LM/24008 | Dr. Bhopoda Pragnesh Yashvant | Vadodara |
| LM/24009 | Dr. Chauhan Tejas Jagdishbhai | Vadodara |
| LM/24010 | Dr. Shah Kunal Harishbhai | Vadodara |
| LM/24011 | Dr. Patil Vaibhav Dattubhai | Anumala |
| LM/24012 | Dr. Chauhan Mehul Shantilal | Rajkot |
| LM/24013 | Dr. Sadikot Avval Kayambhai | Rajkot |
| LM/24014 | Dr. Daraniya Bhavik Nathalal | Rajkot |
| LM/24015 | Dr. Agarwal Veeha Umeshbhai | Ahmedabad |
| LM/24016 | Dr. Delvadiya Miten Rameshbhai | Ahmedabad |
| LM/24017 | Dr. Bhatt Manish Jayantilal | Ahmedabad |
| LM/24018 | Dr. Suthar Tejas Narsinhbhai | Ahmedabad |
| LM/24019 | Dr. Patel Parimal Babubhai | Ahmedabad |
| LM/24020 | Dr. Charpot Rahul Virsingbhai | Ahmedabad |
| LM/24021 | Dr. Chhaya Bimal Mudhukantbhai | Ahmedabad |
| LM/24022 | Dr. Banerjee Sabyasachi Prabir | Ahmedabad |
| LM/24023 | Dr. Banerjee Sabiha Sabyasachi | Ahmedabad |
| LM/24024 | Dr. Solanki Devang Rajnikant | Bhavnagar |
| LM/24025 | Dr. Bose Vaishali Parhta | Surat |
| LM/24026 | Dr. Kazi Mohmmad Salmanbhai | Surat |
| LM/24027 | Dr. Rayajiwala Shrey Viralbhai | Surat |

* * * * *

IMA Disaster Relief Fund (Jammu & Kashmir)

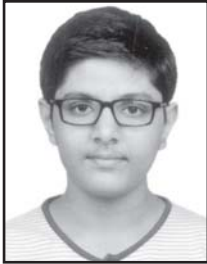
Following members, who have given the donation regarding IMA Disaster Relief Fund (Jammu & Kashmir)

| Name | Amount | Branch |
|----------------------------------|----------|--------|
| Dr. Chimanbhai Narayandas Patel | 20,000/- | Kalol |
| Dr. Bhagvatiben Chimanbhai Patel | | |



CONGRATULATIONS

GUJARAT STATE H.S.C. BOARD



Name : **SHAH PARTH DEVALKUMAR**
 Percentile Rank : 99.99 % (A1)
 Date of Birth : 8-7-1996
 School : NAVRACHNA VIDYANI, VADODARA
 Hobby : CHESS, TABLE TENNIS, BADMINTON
 Line of Interest : I.I.T, MEDICAL
 Father Name : DR. DEVALKUMAR O. SHAH
 Mother Name : SMT. MAMTABEN D. SHAH



Name : **QURESHI SAHIL MILIYAS**
 Percentile Rank : 99.78 % (A1)
 Date of Birth : 9-2-1997
 School : SHETH C.M. HIGH SCHOOL, GANDHINAGAR
 Hobby : CRICKET
 Line of Interest : ENGINEERING
 Father Name : DR. ILIYAS IBRAHIMBHAI QURESHI
 Mother Name : SMT. AFSANA ILIYAS QURESHI

C.B.S.C. 12TH BOARD



Name : **AMIN JUHI VIPULBHAI**
 Percentile Rank : (A1)
 Date of Birth : 10-5-1996
 School : ANANDALAYA, ANAND
 Hobby : KATHAK VISHARAD, READING
 Line of Interest : MEDICAL
 Father Name : DR. VIPUL R. AMIN
 Mother Name : DR. JANKI V. AMIN



Name : **PAREKH ABHISHEK RAJESHBHAI**
 Percentile Rank : 99.9 % (A1)
 Date of Birth : 28/10/1996
 School : UDGAM, AHMEDABAD
 Hobby : MUSIC, TENNIS
 Line of Interest : COMPUTER SCIENCE IN BITS, PILANI
 Father Name : DR. RAJESH PAREKH
 Mother Name : DR. MITA R. PAREKH



COMMUNITY SERVICE

ANAND

- 27/06/2014 Legal Importance of consent taking in Medical Practice in view of the recent Supreme Court Judgement by Dr. Atul shah
- 27/07/2014 Diabetes Conclave original jointly by RSSDI and IMA Anand Branch by Dr. Chintan Vyas
- 15/08/2014 National Flag Hoisting ceremony followed by a Mega Blood Donation camp organized with a local NGO among college students that could fetch us 356 units of whole blood.

JAMNAGAR

- 20/07/2014 Blood Donation Camp. Total 21 bottles were collected with the help of Sir T Hospital Blood Bank, Bhavnagar
- 13/07/2014 Doctors Day Celebration

MORBI

- 01/07/2014 Doctor's Day celebration and welcoming new born baby Girl who was born on 1st. July under Save Girl Child. Patients of this child has been counseled about "Save Girl Child" and one toy was given and neonatal examination was done free of cost. Total 4 Female children were born on that day
- 06/07/2014 Free "Sarvarog Diagnostic Camp" at Pipaliya. Total 400 patients has been examined and free medicine was given to needy patients
- 16/07/2014 Awareness programme about Tobacco Related Disease.
- 25/07/2014 Awareness programme about "Save Girl Child"
- 26/07/2014 Awareness lecture about Life Style Modification by Dr. Sanjay Patel



- 31/07/2014 Anemia Camp HB estimation of 49 workers has been done free of cost. 5 workers appeared to have mild Anaemia
- 01/08/2014 Health Quiz of communicable diseases (TB, Swine flu, HIV, Dengue Hepatitis, Malaria) organized by Gyanpath High School. 3 teams (total 12 students) had participated. Material and questions of quiz prepared by Dr. Bhavin Gami
- 06/08/2014 Awareness lecture about Breast Feeding by Dr. Manish Sanariya.
- 24/08/2014 Blood Sugar check up camp. Total 30 participants had been checked 5 patients were found to have raised blood sugar.
- 26/08/2014 Anemia camp HB estimation of 200 students (girl).

* * * * *

BRANCH ACTIVITY

AMRELI

- 02/08/2014 "Acute flaccid paralysis and measles surveillance short insight on routine immunizations" by Dr. Ranulph Hiremath

ANAND

- 23/08/2014 "Cardiology" by Dr. Milan Chag, Dr. Anish Chandarana and Dr. Dhiren Shah

DHORAJI

- 30/08/2014 "Recent advances in management of Ulcerative Colitis" by Dr. Praful M. Kamani
- 06/09/2014 "Common skin disorders Tips & Tricks and Advances in Cosmetology" by Dr. Piyush Borkhatariya
- 08/09/2014 "Approach to Acute Headache" by Dr. Mehul Patel

JAMNAGAR

- 29/06/2014 "Blood Donation camp"



- 27/06/2014 "Minimally invasive CABG" by Dr. Manish Meshvani
"Cardiac Symptomatology" by Dr. Shrenik Doshi
- 07/07/2014 "3D Healthcare" by Dr. Satish Gupta

JETPUR

- 02/07/2014 "Why half knee replacement?" by Dr. Avinash Maru
- 26/07/2014 "Mx of tropical disease in ICU" by Dr. Jayesh Dobarra
- 30/07/2014 "Coral Anti Coagulant VIT-K" by Dr. Nanavati M.D.

KALOL

- 25/07/2014 "IVF overview for low cost" by Dr. Saumil Patel
"3D-4 D" by Dr. B. I. Patel
- 12/08/2014 "Differential Diagnosis of Chest Pain" by Dr. Urnil Shah
"Cardiac Surgery recent updates" by Dr. Dhaval Naik
- 21/08/2014 "Pyrexia of Unknown Origin" by Dr. Pratibha D. Srinivasan.
"Anaemia" by Dr. Dileep Srinivasan.
- 05/09/2014 "Migraine" by Dr. Jitendra Singh.
"Management of Depression" by Dr. Bhagwatiben C. Patel.

MODASA

- 11/06/2014 "Management of IBS" by Dr. Rahul Bhalgami
- 18/06/2014 "An Approach to anaemia" by Dr. Munjal Pandya
- 25/06/2014 "Advance in ovulation induction" by Dr. Jayesh Amin
"Gynaec Endoscopy 2014" by Dr. Devang Kanuga
- 28/06/2014 "An approach to insulin therapy" by Dr. Hemant Mankad
- 04/07/2014 "Recent advances in GI endoscopy" by Dr. Sanjay Rajpoot
- 09/07/2014 "An approach to Acute Kidney injury" by Dr. Kamal Goplani



- 16/07/2014 "Early diagnosis and management of Sepsis" by Dr. Rajesh Mishra
- 12/08/2014 "An approach to a patients with multiple joints pain" by Dr. Vishnu Sharma
- 21/08/2014 "Acute Pancreatitis" by Dr. Amit Shah
- 24/08/2014 "D/D and management of cough" by Dr. Ajay Jain
"Portal Hypertension" by Dr. Shushil Narang
"Life style Modification" by Dr. Rashmit Pandya
One credit hour was allotted

MORBI

- 08/07/2014 "Bariatric Surgery in Morbid Obesity" by Dr. Amit Acharya
"Minimally invasive CABG" by Dr. Manish Meshwani
- 18/07/2014 "GERD" by Dr. Vimal Saradava
"Laposcopic Surgery" by Dr. Rajan Jagad
- 08/08/2014 "Management of stone disease" by Dr. Jasani Ashish
"Ca Prostate" by Dr. Ganatra Rajesh
- 22/08/2014 "Current situation of Psychiatric disease" by Dr. Dharmesh Maniyar
"New age Psychiatry" by Dr. Vimal Somaiya

PALITANA

- 25/07/2014 "Management of Obstructive Airway Disease – What is New?" by Dr. Amit Patel
- 06/08/2014 "Recurrent loss of pregnancy, etiology and its management" by Dr. D.A. Chavada
- 09/09/2014 "Asthma Management Panel discussion" by Dr. Amit Shah and Dr. Vibhakar Joshi.

RAJKOT

- 03/08/2014 "Tuberculosis, its diagnosis and management" by Dr. Rashid Wasi

**INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION**

GUJARAT STATE BRANCH

A.M.A. House, Opp. H.K. College, Ashram Road, Ahmedabad -380009

PHONE & FAX: (079) 265 87 370 Email: imagsb@gmail.com

Dear Branch Secretary

I hope that this circular finds you in the best of health and spirit. In continuation of my circular A-11/HFC/LM/2014-2015, further tabulated information is given below for the revision of fees effective from 1/7/2014. Herewith I am sending the copy of I.M.A. H/Q fee schedule regarding revised fees.

ORDINARY MEMBERSHIP FEES

| CATEGORY | HFC | GMJ | GSB | ADM.FEE | TOTAL TO BE SENT TO GSB. IMA |
|----------------|--------|-------|-------|---------|------------------------------|
| Annual Single: | 391-00 | 25-00 | 10-00 | 20-00 | 446-00 |
| Annual Couple: | 586-00 | 38-00 | 20-00 | 30-00 | 674-00 |

Local branch share to be collected extra as per individual branch decision/resolution Kindly note that fees at old

Rates will be accepted up to 30/06/2014 only at State Office. Thereafter the new revised rates will be applicable.

LIFE MEMBERSHIP FEES

| CATEGORY | TOTAL FEES | BR.SHAHRE | ADM.FEES INCLUDING GSB. IMA | TO BE SENT TO GSB. IMA |
|----------|------------|-----------|-----------------------------|------------------------|
| Single | 7995-00 | 740-00 | { 20-00 } | Rs. 7255-00 |
| Couple | 11950-00 | 1180-00 | { 30.00 } | Rs. 10770-00 |

Kindly send fees of old annual member, which should reach this office before 30/4/2014. Membership Fees by a D.D. drawn in favour of G.S.B.I.M.A

I.M.A. COLLEGE OF GENERAL PRACTITIONERS

| | |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| College of G.P | Rs. 2000-00 |
| Life Membership | |
| Membership Fees along with Life Subscription of Family Medicine DD <u>in favour of "IMACGPHO"</u> | |
| Payable at Chennai and send to us | |

Kindly send annual membership fees before 30/4/2014 so as to avoid deletion. The above increase of fee Rs. 50.00 in Life Member every year is computed as per the resolution passed in 41st State Council at Nadiad on 12/05/1989.

Yours Sincerely

(Dr. Jitendra N. Patel)
Hon. State Secretary



Family Planning Centre, I.M.A. Gujarat State Branch

Respected Members,

Indian Medical Association, Gujarat State Branch runs 9 Urban Health Centers in the different wards of Ahmedabad City.

These Centres performed various activities during the month of July-August-2014 in addition to their routine work. These are as under :

01-07-2014 to 31-07-2014 : Intra domestic house to house survey by

01-08-2014 to 31-08-2014 the centers of Ahmedabad

Khokhara : 05-08-2014 General Medical Camp : 340 Patients

Khokhara : 14-08-2014 Mini Mega Medical Camp : 229 Patients

Dariyapur : 05-08-2014 General Medical Camp : 348 Patients

13-08-2014 General Medical Camp :310 Patients

25-08-2014 General Medical Camp :158 Patients

Jamalpur : 20-08-2014 Medical Camp : 251 Patients

Nanpura - Surat : Vitamin 'A' Solution - 40 Children, Iron : 3000 tablets

Calcium - 5250 tablets were distributed.

Rander - Surat : Iron : 2000 tablets to Children Calcium -1000 tablets were distributed.

Rajkot : Vitamin-A 458, Chlorine 2000 tablets were distributed

The total number of patients registered in the OPD & Family planning activities of Various Centers is as Follows : **JULY-AUGUST-2014**

| No. | Name of Center | New Case | Old Case | Total Case |
|------|-------------------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| (1) | Ambawadi (Jamalpur Ward) | 1863 | 889 | 2752 |
| (2) | Behrampura (Sardarnagar Ward) | 2936 | 680 | 3616 |
| (3) | Bapunagar (Potalia Ward) | 3834 | 1407 | 5241 |
| (4) | Dariyapur (Isanpur Ward) | 2182 | 378 | 2560 |
| (5) | Gomtipur (Saijpur Ward) | 4093 | 1326 | 5419 |
| (6) | Khokhra (Amraiwadi Ward) | 5621 | 1387 | 7008 |
| (7) | New Mental (Kubernagar Ward) | 3276 | 505 | 3781 |
| (8) | Raikhad (Stadium Ward) | 1236 | 2650 | 3886 |
| (9) | Wadaj (Junawadaj Ward) | 2235 | 444 | 2679 |
| (10) | Khambhat | — | — | — |
| (11) | Junagadh | ---- | ---- | ---- |
| (12) | Rander-Surat | ---- | ---- | ---- |
| (13) | Nanpur-Surat | ---- | ---- | ---- |
| (14) | Rajkot | 1450 | 688 | 2138 |



JULY - AUGUST - 2014

| No. | Name of Center | Female Sterilisation | Male Sterilisation | Copper-T | Condoms | Ocpills |
|------|-------------------------------|----------------------|--------------------|----------|---------|---------|
| (1) | Ambawadi (Jamalpur Ward) | 38 | — | 117 | 13650 | 1435 |
| (2) | Behrampura (Sardarnagar Ward) | 37 | --- | 101 | 18300 | 2660 |
| (3) | Bapunagar (Potalia Ward) | 93 | --- | 104 | 39384 | 542 U |
| (4) | Dariyapur (Isanpur Ward) | 46 | — | 67 | 18500 | 759 P |
| (5) | Gomtipur (Saijpur Ward) | 46 | 02 | 53 | 36225 | 1409 P |
| (6) | Khokhra (Amraiwadi Ward) | 98 | 08 | 160 | 16000 | 262 |
| (7) | New Mental (Kubernagar Ward) | 49 | --- | 77 | 19320 | 607 P |
| (8) | Raikhad (Stadium Ward) | 69 | --- | 106 | 25940 | 2078 P |
| (9) | Wadaj (Junawadaj Ward) | 51 | 01 | 114 | 24500 | 2958 |
| (10) | Khambhat | 02 | — | 33 | 300 | 15 |
| (11) | Junagadh | 26 | — | 81 | --- | 498 U |
| (12) | Rander-Surat | 43 | — | 123 | 1700 N | 78 P |
| (13) | Nanpura-Surat | 56 | — | 154 | 5000 N | 220 P |
| (14) | Rajkot | 19 | 01 | 150 | 400 N | 540 P |



I.M.A. NATIONAL SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEME, DFC No. 19

Following members have not paid their DFC No. 19 amount.

| NSSS No. | NAME | BRANCH |
|----------|-----------------------------------|-----------|
| 2367 | Dr.Parikh Bhavna J. | Ahmedabad |
| 3177 | Dr.Pandya Hasmukhbhai G. | Ahmedabad |
| 3827 | Dr.Soni Rajeshkumar Kanubhai | Ahmedabad |
| 5507 | Dr.Sharma Rakesh Shashikant | Ahmedabad |
| 6084 | Dr.Parikh Vijay Sunderlal | Ahmedabad |
| 9916 | Dr.Talsaniya Bhavesh Mansukhbhai | Ahmedabad |
| 10982 | Dr.Bhavsar Niren Shankerbhai | Ahmedabad |
| 12911 | Dr.Naik Pinky Dhaval | Ahmedabad |
| 12912 | Dr.Naik Dhaval Dinkerrai | Ahmedabad |
| 13320 | Dr.Patel Alpesh Kantilal | Ahmedabad |
| 13321 | Dr.Patel Kinara Alpesh | Ahmedabad |
| 7248 | Dr.Patel Shailesh Maganbhai | Anand |
| 10755 | Dr.Hajariwala Jimmy Bhagvatbhai | Anand |
| 145 | Dr.Trivedi Rameshchandra Amtharam | Baroda |
| 741 | Dr.Parikh Navin Bapulal | Baroda |
| 980 | Dr.Chitale Madhav Balwant | Baroda |
| 3423 | Dr.Patel Arvindbhai Vithalbhai | Baroda |
| 3458 | Dr.Thakkar Taraben Chhaganlal | Baroda |
| 3780 | Dr.Shah Jagdish Vallabhdas | Baroda |
| 4809 | Dr.Ramchandani Minaxi Bhojraj | Baroda |
| 5956 | Dr.Shah Tushar Pravinchandra | Baroda |
| 5957 | Dr.Shah Meena Tushar | Baroda |
| 6286 | Dr.Mori Ajitkumar Bhagwanbhai | Baroda |
| 11308 | Dr.Shah Viren Shantilal | Baroda |
| 353 | Dr.Patel Yusuf Ibramhim | Bharuch |
| 5699 | Dr.Salvi Rajendrakumar Khodabhai | Bharuch |
| 11829 | Dr.Masani Kshitij Harivadan | Bharuch |



| | | |
|-------|--------------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 2302 | Dr.Gohel Bharatkumar Jasavantra | Bhavnagar |
| 13960 | Dr.Chavda Jitesh Hasmukhbhai | Bhavnagar |
| 14211 | Dr.Vala Siddharajsinh Dharmendrasinh | Bhavnagar |
| 14212 | Dr.Jadeja Krupa Ravindrakumar | Bhavnagar |
| 11776 | Dr.Patel Rohitbhai Damubhai | Bhiloda -Dist S.K. |
| 8155 | Dr.Damor Kalsing Ramsingbhai | Dahod |
| 8513 | Dr.Joshi Pankaj Sudhaker | Dahod |
| 9012 | Dr.Joshi Sandhya Pankaj | Dahod |
| 5214 | Dr.Thakkar Chandrakant Harakhchand | Gandhidham (Kutch) |
| 12659 | Dr.Thakore Ravjisingh Amuji | Gandhinagar |
| 13220 | Dr.Rathod Lalitkumar Kuberbhai | Gandhinagar |
| 508 | Dr.Varia Manranjan Mohanlal | Godhra |
| 9169 | Dr.Parmar Jashvantsinh Salamsinh | Godhra |
| 8000 | Dr.Kariya Meghna Manharlal | Himmatnagar |
| 4452 | Dr.Patel Vinubhai Jitubhai | Idar |
| 11045 | Dr. Shankar R.K.G. Vangipuram | Karamsad,Anand |
| 11046 | Dr.Chiramana Haritha | Karamsad-Anand |
| 7134 | Dr.Babaria Arjun Samatbhai | Kutiyana,Dt.Porbandar |
| 5642 | Dr.Ayar Dhiraj Balubhai | Mahuva |
| 2310 | Dr.Patel Kantibhai Dosabhai | Mehsana |
| 2477 | Dr.Bharwad Bapubhai A. | Mehsana |
| 12092 | Dr.Prajapati Dineshbhai Somabhai | Mehsana |
| 12097 | Dr.Patel Hardik Nathalal | Modasa |
| 13963 | Dr.Pandya Sudhakar Girishchandra | Modasa |
| 12519 | Dr.Sutariya Shailesh Ramanlal | Palanpur |
| 4071 | Dr.Shah Pravinchandra Trikamlal | Patan |
| 8950 | Dr.Gupta Kamalprakash Umeshchandra | Patan |
| 5920 | Dr.Dalsaniya Vipul Dayalal | Porbandar |
| 6474 | Dr.Adatia Rupa Pavankumar | Porbandar |
| 7529 | Dr.Chanchiya Devabhai Punjabhai | Porbandar |
| 9583 | Dr.Lal Reena Nitin | Porbandar |
| 9584 | Dr.Lal Nitin Jayantilal | Porbandar |



| | | |
|-------|-----------------------------------|--------------------|
| 3491 | Dr.Kedaria Yesvant Maganlal | Rajkot |
| 12869 | Dr.Vala Vipulkumar Kantilal | Sanjeli-Dist.Dahod |
| 166 | Dr.Shah Chandresh Natvarlal | Surat |
| 2387 | Dr.Patel Mansukh Mohanbhai | Surat |
| 7521 | Dr.Mangukiya Himmat Govindbhai | Surat |
| 7523 | Dr.Mangukiya Hansa Himmat | Surat |
| 8307 | Dr.Bhavsar Dileep Harilal | Surat |
| 11584 | Dr.Vasoya Sanjay Jayantilal | Surat |
| 12575 | Dr.Avaiya Shambhubhai Popatbhai | Surat |
| 13190 | Dr.Rakhe Balkrishna Sharadchandra | Surat |
| 14497 | Dr.Gondalia Viralkumar Harilal | Surat |
| 1539 | Dr.Vadhavana Ratilal Madhavji | Umreth |
| 6089 | Dr.Shah Bharat Krushnalal | V.V.Nagar |
| 9921 | Dr.Patel Vadankumar Mahendrabhai | V.V.Nagar |
| 4309 | Dr.Mahida Bharatkumar Ramsinh | Vadodara |
| 5472 | Dr.Patel Chirag Bhupendrabhai | Vadodara |
| 5822 | Dr.Shah Nutan Sunil | Vadodara |
| 6761 | Dr.Shah Rakesh Bhanuprasad | Vadodara |
| 9467 | Dr.Joshi Prarthana Rameshbhai | Valsad |
| 9468 | Dr.Shah Amitkumar Arvindkumar | Valsad |
| 1834 | Dr.Shah Rajeshkumar Dhanraj | Vapi |
| 6908 | Dr.Fichadia Kumudchandra Amilal | Veraval |
| 1554 | Dr.Patel Dahyabhai Purshottamdas | Vijapur |
| 10356 | Dr.Singh Manoj Kumar | Visnagar (N.G.) |
| 13233 | Dr.Patel Surendrabhai Ramjibhai | Vyara -Dist.Tapi |

If we will not receive the payment on or before 20-10-2014 their membership will be terminated from scheme.

For any query contact office No. 079-2658 5430 between 2-00 p.m. to 6-30 p.m.

Dr. Yogendra S. Modi
Hon. Treasurer

Dr. Kirti M. Patel
Chairman



SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEME, IMA-GSB DFC No. 39

Following members have not paid their DFC No. 39 amount.

| SSS No. | NAME | BRANCH |
|---------|-----------------------------------------|---------------|
| 7108 | Dr. Kapoor Yogesh Gurudarshan | Ahmedabad |
| 7235 | Dr. Vaishnav Ramcharan Santoshdas | Ahmedabad |
| 7475 | Dr. Shah Rangam Chandulal | Himmatnagar |
| 7476 | Dr. Shah Bhavna Rangam | Himmatnagar |
| 8107 | Dr. Shah Paras Prafullbhai | Rajkot |
| 8272 | Dr. Pandya Yogeshkumar Ashwinkumar | Anand |
| 8494 | Dr. Parikh Kamlesh Dayalbhai | Vadodara |
| 8799 | Dr. Patel Bharatkumar Bababhai | Ahmedabad |
| 9188 | Dr. Jat Kapurji Rupaji | Deesa |
| 9191 | Dr. Gupte Atul Prabhakar | Vadodara |
| 9316 | Dr. Rallapalli Rajesh R. S. Narayana | Dist-Jamnagar |
| 9392 | Dr. Joshi Sujai Jaiprakash | Vadodara |
| 9398 | Dr. Joshi Anuradha Sujai | Vadodara |
| 9705 | Dr. Jigna Arhatia | Ahmedabad |
| 9733 | Dr. Khandelwal Pankaj Govindprasad | Vadodara |
| 9944 | Dr. Patel Nikhil Babubhai | Vadodara |
| 10494 | Dr. Chotaliya Romeshkumar Purushottambh | Junagadh |
| 10511 | Dr. Devmurari Hasmukh Premdas | Jamnagar |
| 10749 | Dr. Shah Reshma Shirishbhai | Surat |
| 10840 | Dr. Patel Dinesh Trikambhai | Ahmedabad |
| 10846 | Dr. Arlekar Chandrika Shailesh | Vapi |
| 10847 | Dr. Arlekar Shailesh Ramchandra | Vapi |
| 11019 | Dr. Chudasama Manish Pragji | Anuar - Kutch |
| 11222 | Dr. Patel Pradipkumar Ravjibhai | Surat |
| 11371 | Dr. Koyani Mayur Vastabhai | Surat |
| 11421 | Dr. Soni Reshma Dipak | Surat |
| 11551 | Dr. Lad Manishkumar Ishwarlal | Silvassa |
| 11643 | Dr. Mehta Purvi Paraskumar | Vadodara |
| 11644 | Dr. Mehta Paras Ajitkumar | Vadodara |
| 11657 | Dr. Patel Kanaiya Rushibhai | Sarat |
| 11891 | Dr. Joshi Sandhya Pankaj | Dahod |
| 11926 | Dr. Murawala Hema Ashishkumar | Vadodara |



| | | |
|-------|---------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 11933 | Dr. Prajapati Rajesh Bhikhabhai | Surat |
| 12035 | Dr. Agarwal Manish Anandilal | Ahmedabad |
| 12073 | Dr. Lal Reena Nitin | Porbandar |
| 12074 | Dr. Lal Nitin Jayantilal | Porbandar |
| 12099 | Dr. Patel Rajeshkumar Vallabhdas | Dhoraji |
| 12252 | Dr. Surani Himatlal Govindbhai | Anjar - Kutch |
| 12565 | Dr. Chiramana Haritha Vangipuram R. K., | Karamsad, Di Anand |
| 12566 | Dr. Vangipuram Shankar R.K.G. V.M.K. Murth, | Karamsad, Di Anand |
| 12578 | Dr. Pandya Mahesh Jayendra | Vadodara |
| 12744 | Dr. Shah Hirenkumar Nandlal | Ahmedabad |
| 12763 | Dr. Kalaria Jahnvi Harshal | Rajkot |
| 12764 | Dr. Kalaria Harshal Dahyabhai | Rajkot |
| 12838 | Dr. Purabiya Kamlesh Bhuraji | Ahmedabad |
| 12843 | Dr. Prajapati Dineshbhai Somabhai | Mehsana |
| 12844 | Dr. Patel Anilkumar Jivanlal | Di - Gandhinagar |
| 12977 | Dr. Chaudhary Ketankumar Hemarajbhai | Mehsana |
| 13047 | Dr. Boghane Ketankumar Naranbhai | Botad |
| 13215 | Dr. Rathod Lalitkumar Kuberbhai | Gandhinagar |
| 13234 | Dr. Patel Kinara Alpesh | Ahmedabad |
| 13235 | Dr. Patel Alpesh Kantilal | Ahmedabad |
| 13248 | Dr. Patel Shaileshkumar Maganbhai | Anand |
| 13481 | Dr. Chavda Jitesh Hasmukhbhai | Bhavnagar |

If we will not receive the payment on or before 20-10-2014 their membership will be terminated from scheme.

For any query contact office No. 079-2658 0690 between 2-00 p.m. to 6-30 p.m.

Dr. Jitendra B. Patel
Hon. Secretary

Dr. Yogendra S. Modi
Hon. Treasurer

Dr. Kirit A. Gandhi
Hon. Jt. Secretary

* * * * *

HEALTH SCHEME, IMA-GSB

Be a Member of Health Scheme

The members can get the benefit from the Health Scheme
over & above their MEDICAL INSURANCE



IMA-GFATM-RNTCP-PPM-RCC-Project

Following branches have organized DTPs on Tuberculosis.

| Sr. | Name of Branch | Date |
|-----|----------------|------------|
| 1. | Savarkundla | 29-08-2014 |
| 2. | Veraval | 07-09-2014 |

Following branches have organized CMEs on Tuberculosis.

| Sr. | Name of Branch | Date |
|-----|----------------|------------|
| 1. | Khedbrahma | 23-07-2014 |
| 2. | Ahmedabad | 24-07-2014 |
| 3. | Gandhidham | 25-07-2014 |
| 4. | Bhuj | 26-07-2014 |
| 5. | Visnagar | 05-08-2014 |
| 6. | Ahmedabad | 06-08-2014 |
| 7. | Kadi | 07-08-2014 |
| 8. | Jamnagar | 09-08-2014 |
| 9. | Dhansura | 13-08-2014 |
| 10. | Gandhinagar | 19-08-2014 |
| 11. | Mansa | 20-08-2014 |
| 12. | Ahmedabad | 21-08-2014 |
| 13. | Keshod | 22-08-2014 |
| 14. | Veraval | 23-08-2014 |
| 15. | Kalol | 28-08-2014 |
| 16. | Ahmedabad | 30-08-2014 |
| 17. | Gondal | 30-08-2014 |
| 18. | Modasa | 03-09-2014 |
| 19. | Ahmedabad | 06-09-2014 |
| 20. | Mahuva | 06-09-2014 |
| 21. | Ahmedabad | 10-09-2014 |
| 22. | Himmatnagar | 11-09-2014 |
| 23. | Bilimora | 13-09-2014 |
| 24. | Navsari | 14-09-2014 |



CONGRATULATIONS

Top 10 Tuberculosis Notifiers in Gujarat State (During July-2014)

| Sr. No. | Name of the Doctor/ Clinic/Laboratory Address/Branch/City | Number of Notifica- tions | I.M.A. District Co-ordinators | D.T.O./ City T.B. Officer |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1. | Parinbanu TB Clinic Hirabaug, Surat | 84 | Dr. Vinod C. Shah | Dr K. N. Sheladia |
| 2. | Sundram Surgical Hospital Jhalod, Dahod | 68 | Dr. Alpesh Amin | Dr. P. R. Suthar |
| 3. | Dr. Vipul Malasana Morbi, Rajkot | 40 | Dr. Atul Pandya | Dr. S. G. Lakkad |
| 3.1 | Gayatri Medical Hospital Deesa, Banaskantha | 40 | Dr. Sunil Acharya | Dr. B. B. Solanki |
| 5. | Shah Heart Medical Hospital Palanpur, Bansakantha | 39 | Dr. Sunil Acharya | Dr. B. B. Solanki |
| 6. | Dr. N.N. Parekh Morbi, Rajkot | 34 | Dr. Atul Pandya | Dr. S. G. Lakkad |
| 7. | Milestone Hospital Rajkot | 31 | Dr. Atul Pandya | Dr. S. G. Lakkad |
| 8. | Sparsh Chest Disease Center Ahmedabad | 29 | Dr. Jitendra Shah | Dr.R. M. Leuva |
| 9. | R.B Kothari Poly Diagnostic Centre & Hospital, Rajkot | 27 | Dr. Atul Pandya | Dr. S. G. Lakkad |
| 10. | Patel Hospital Dhansura, Sabarkantha | 26 | Dr. Bhupendra Shah | Dr. A. K. Patel |



CONGRATULATIONS

Top 10 Tuberculosis Notifiers in Gujarat State (During August-2014)

| Sr. No. | Name of the Doctor/ Clinic/Laboratory Address/Branch/City | Number of Notifica- tions | I.M.A. District Co-ordinators | D.T.O./ City T.B. Officer |
|---------|-----------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------------|
| 1 | P.S. Medical College and Hospital, Karamsad, Anand | 178 | Dr. Shailesh Shah | Dr. R. R. Fulmali |
| 2 | Parinbanu TB Clinic Hirabaug, Surat | 150 | Dr. Vinod C. Shah | Dr K. N. Sheladia |
| 3 | Action Research in Community Health, Rajpipla, Narmada | 079 | Dr. Umakant Sheth | Dr. S. A. Arya |
| 4 | Dr. G.L Gondaliya Rajkot | 066 | Dr. Atul Pandya | Dr. S. G. Lakkad |
| 5 | R.B Kothari Poly Diagnostic Centre & Hospital, Rajkot | 046 | Dr. Atul Pandya | Dr. S. G. Lakkad |
| 6 | Dr. N. P. Suthar Mehsana | 042 | Dr. Anil Nayak | Dr. K. K. Patel |
| 7 | Navjeevan Hospital Veraval, Gir-Somnath | 031 | Dr. Jayesh Vaghasia | Dr. Jitendra Bamrotia |
| 8 | Vardan Hospital Khedbrahma, Sabarkantha | 029 | Dr. Bhupendra Shah | Dr. A. K. Patel |
| 8.1 | Respicare Clinic Ahmedabad | 029 | Dr. Jitendra Shah | Dr.R. M. Leuva |
| 10 | Sparsh Chest Disease Center Ahmedabad | 027 | Dr. Jitendra Shah | Dr. R. M. Leuva |



SCIENTIFIC UPDATE

AN EMERGING DISEASE: EBOLA HAEMORRHAGIC FEVER

Today the world stands on the threshold of a new era in which hundreds of millions of people will be safe from some of the most terrible diseases like poliomyelitis, neonatal tetanus, leprosy, measles etc. and very soon these diseases will join smallpox as the diseases of the past. On the other hand, the world also stands on the brink of a global crisis in emerging and re-emerging infectious diseases. The world has witnessed the pandemic of H1N1. Currently, there is an outbreak of Ebola virus disease (EVD) or Ebola haemorrhagic fever in African Subcontinent, (family Filoviridae) posing a serious threat to the whole world.

Ebola first appeared in 1976 in 2 simultaneous outbreaks, in Nzara, Sudan, and in Yambuku, Democratic Republic of Congo. The latter was in a village situated near the Ebola River, from which the disease takes its name. It is a severe, often fatal illness in humans and non-human primates (e.g., monkeys) with case fatality rate upto 90%. The virus is transmitted to people from wild animals and spreads in the human population through human-to-human transmission.

The natural reservoir host of ebolaviruses remains unknown. However, on the basis of available evidence, the virus is zoonotic with bats being the most likely reservoir.

Transmission :

Ebola is introduced into the human population through close contact with the blood, secretions, organs or other bodily fluids of infected animals. In Africa, infection has been documented through the handling of infected chimpanzees, gorillas, fruit bats, monkeys, forest antelope and porcupines found ill or dead

When an infection does occur in humans, the virus can be spread in several ways to others. The virus is spread through direct contact (through broken skin or mucous membranes) with a sick person's blood or body fluids (urine, saliva, feces, vomit, and semen), objects (such as needles) that have been contaminated with infected body fluids and infected animals



Healthcare workers and the family and friends in close contact with Ebola patients are at the highest risk of getting sick because they may come in contact with infected blood or body fluids.

Burial ceremonies in which mourners have direct contact with the body of the deceased person can also play a role in the transmission of Ebola. Men who have recovered from the disease can still transmit the virus through their semen for up to 7 weeks after recovery from illness.

Health-care workers have frequently been infected while treating patients with suspected or confirmed EVD. This has occurred through close contact with patients when infection control precautions are not strictly practiced.

Clinical Features :

EVD is a severe acute viral illness often characterized by the sudden onset of fever, intense weakness, muscle pain, headache and sore throat, followed by vomiting, diarrhoea, rash, impaired kidney and liver function, and in some cases, both internal and external bleeding.

People are infectious as long as their blood and secretions contain the virus. Ebola virus was isolated from semen 61 days after onset of illness in a man who was infected in a laboratory.

The incubation period ranges from 2 to 21 days.

Diagnosis

Ebola virus infections can be diagnosed definitively in a laboratory through following types of tests:

- antibody-capture enzyme-linked immunosorbent assay (ELISA)
- antigen detection tests
- serum neutralization test
- reverse transcriptase polymerase chain reaction (RT-PCR) assay
- electron microscopy
- virus isolation by cell culture.

Low White blood cells count and platelet count and elevate liver enzymes.



Other diseases that should be ruled out before a diagnosis of EVD can be made include: malaria, typhoid fever, shigellosis, cholera, leptospirosis, plague, rickettsiosis, relapsing fever, meningitis, hepatitis and other viral haemorrhagic fevers.

Ebola virus in animals

Although non-human primates have been a source of infection for humans, they are not thought to be the reservoir but rather an accidental host like human beings.

Prevention and Control :

No animal vaccine is available. Routine cleaning and disinfection of pig or monkey farms (with sodium hypochlorite or other detergents) should be effective in inactivating the virus.

If an outbreak is suspected, the premises should be quarantined immediately. Culling of infected animals, with close supervision of burial or incineration of carcasses, may be necessary to reduce the risk of animal-to-human transmission. Restricting or banning the movement of animals from infected farms to other areas can reduce the spread of the disease.

As outbreaks in pigs and monkeys have preceded human infections, the establishment of an active animal health surveillance system to detect new cases is essential in providing early warning for veterinary and human public health authorities.

Reducing the risk of Ebola infection in people

In the absence of effective treatment and a human vaccine, raising awareness of the risk factors for Ebola infection and the protective measures individuals can take is the only way to reduce human infection and death.

It is not always possible to identify patients with EBV early because initial symptoms may be non-specific. For this reason, it is important that health-care workers apply standard precautions consistently with all patients – regardless of their diagnosis – in all work practices at all times. These include basic hand hygiene, respiratory hygiene, the use of personal protective equipment (according to the risk of splashes or other contact with infected materials), safe injection practices and safe burial practices.



Laboratory workers are also at risk. Samples taken from suspected human and animals of Ebola cases for diagnosis should be handled by trained staff and processed in suitably equipped laboratories.

Treatment

Standard treatment for Ebola HF is still limited to supportive therapy. This consists of:

- balancing the patient's fluids and electrolytes
- maintaining their oxygen status and blood pressure
- treating them for any complicating infections

The patient should be isolated and public health professionals notified. Supportive therapy can continue with proper protective clothing until samples from the patient are tested to confirm infection.

Dr. Pradeep R. Pithadia, (Assistant Professor)
M.P.Shah Govt. Medical College, Jamnagar



**Be a Member
of**

- **ACADEMY OF MEDICAL SPECIALITY**
- **C.G.P. I.M.A. G.S.B.**
- **HEALTH SCHEME**
- **SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEME**
- **NATIONAL SOCIAL SECURITY SCHEME**
- **PROFESSIONAL PROTECTION SCHEME**



PROFESSIONAL PROTECTION SCHEME; G.S.B. I.M.A.

"P. P. S. House", Beside Sakar-V Building, Nr. Mithakhali Railway Crossing,
Off Ashram Road, Navrangpura, Ahmedabad-380009.
Tele. No. : 079-2658 89 29

Sub.: Organisation of Educative Zonal Seminar by Local Branch and Financial Assistance by P.P.S. GSB-IMA.

Professional Protection Scheme has arranged successfully Educational Seminars since many years. The last one was held at Navsari Branch.

Looking to the success of these Seminars in educating and awakening our members in prevention and defence of litigations arising as a result of professional negligence or deficiency of service, PPS has decided to have two such Zonal Educative Seminars in each zone of Gujarat State Branch of I.M.A.

The subject of such Educational Programme shall be in relation to

1. Consumer Protection Act
2. Professional Negligence and Deficiency in service
3. Prevention and Defence of such litigation and other related Topics
4. Laws Governing the Medical Practice.

If any branch wishes to have such Zonal Seminar then please, apply to the P.P.S. Office through branch Secretary before 15th November.

Dr. Dilip C. Vaidya
Managing Director



IMA NATCON 2014

89th National Conference of
INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
27th & 28th December, 2014



CALL FOR ABSTRACTS FOR PLATFORM/POSTER PRESENTATION

The Scientific Programme Committee invites abstract submissions. The Committee reserves the right to reject abstracts and edit the language. Presenters can not submit more than two abstracts.

Submission :

1. Abstract must be written in English, Abstract to be submitted by email on (i) drtusharpatel@yahoo.com and (ii) amagsbima@yahoo.co.in
2. Photocopy of Registration Receipt of conference is MANDATORY for the presenting author.
3. Time Allowed for presentation is 8 minutes plus 2 minutes for discussion.
4. Abstract can be submitted latest by 31st October, 2014

Poster Presentation Guidelines :

1. Display in 1 m x 1 m area
2. Captions, title, authors and affiliation on top of the chart should be self explanatory.
3. Each figure, table and graph should have a proper heading on top.
4. Responsibility lies with the presenter to set up & dismantle their posters within the scheduled time and should ensure their presence during the display time.
5. Posters will be judged by judges at the scheduled time and date.

Submission Deadline : 31st October, 2014

Acceptance / Rejection Deadline : 30th November, 2014

Abstract of paper for platform or poster presentation will be printed in the abstract book of the conference and no separate permission will be sought from the authors. The authors will remain responsible for the content of the article.

Dr. Tushar Patel, (Scientific Secretary)

Mobile : +91 9825082672 Email : drtusharpatel@yahoo.com



IMA NATCON 2014

89th National Conference of
INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
27th & 28th December, 2014



It is proud achievement of Ahmedabad & Ahmedabad Medical Association as after the gap of 25 years, Ahmedabad is hosting the 89th National Conference of Indian Medical Association, 'IMA NATCON 2014' on 27th & 28th December, 2014. On 26th December, 2014 there will be preconference workshops at various places. Detail will be published in due course.

Conference Details

| | |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Date | : 27 th & 28 th December, 2014 |
| Venue | : Gujarat University Convention Centre Nr. Helmet Circle, Drive-in Road, Ahmedabad. |
| Pre Conf. Workshop | : 26th December, 2014 |
| Venue | : will be declared in due course |

Salient features of conference are,

1. Eminent National & International faculty as speakers.
 2. Multiple Preconference Workshops on various different topics.
 3. Scientific Papers and Posters are invited from Resident Doctors.
 4. AMA has applied for GMC accreditation.
 5. Entertainment Programme with Gala dinner.
 6. Programmes for spouse & accompanying persons.
 7. Lucky draw & many more.
- Kindly register yourself as earliest and encourage others for registration.
 - You can download registration form from imagsb.com Website or get from AMA Office.



IMA NATCON 2014

89th National Conference of
INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
27th & 28th December, 2014



HOSTED BY : AHMEDABAD MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

REGISTRATION FORM

To :

Conference Secretariat :
Dr. Kamlesh B. Saini / Dr. Jitendra N. Patel / Dr. Dilip Gadhavi
AMA HOUSE, First Floor, Opp. H.K Arts College,
Ashram Road, Ahmedabad - 380009.
Ph.: 079-26588775 (2.00 pm to 6.00pm)
Email : imanatcon2014@gmail.com

For Office Use Only

Reg. No. :

Receipt No. :

Please Fill in BLOCK LETTERS

Name :

Membership Detail LM/AM No. :

Branch State

Mailing Address :

.....City : Pin Code : State :

Telephone, STD Code : (R)..... (O/H).....

Fax : Mobile :

Email :

Member CWC / CCBranch : State :

No. of the accompanying person (s) :

Please attach Photocopy of your Govt. approved Photo ID / Driving Licence.

| Delegate Fees | Up to 31-10-2014 | From 1-11-2014 to 20-12-2014 | Spot Reg. | No. of Person | Total |
|-------------------------------------------------|---------------------|---------------------------------|----------------|------------------|-------|
| R. C. Member | ₹ 5,000/- | ₹ 5,000/- | - | | |
| IMA Member, Spouse & Other Family Member | ₹ 2,000/- each | ₹ 2,500/- each | ₹ 3,000/- each | | |
| Non IMA Member, Spouse & Accompanying Person | ₹ 2,500/- each | ₹ 3,000/- each | ₹ 3,500/- each | | |
| Total | | | | | |

Please find enclosed herewith a Demand Draft / Cheque No.:

dated for INR

drawn on (name of bank) City

in favour of "IMANATCON 2014" payable at Ahmedabad.

Date :

Place :

Signature



IMA NATCON-2014

Gujarat State Branch IMA & Ahmedabad Medical Association are privileged to host IMA National Conference on 27th & 28th December-2014 at Ahmedabad.

We are thankful to the following members for registering as Reception Committee (R.C.) members.

| Sr. No. | Names | Branch / City |
|---------|-------------------------------|---------------|
| 63. | DR. JOSHI DEEPAK S. | AHMEDABAD |
| 64. | DR. LADOLA HARSHAD M | AHMEDABAD |
| 65. | DR. PATEL VISHNUBHAI P. | GANDHINAGAR |
| 66. | DR. DESAI MONA P. | AHMEDABAD |
| 67. | DR. PATEL KANAIYALAL J. | AHMEDABAD |
| 68. | DR. CHAVDA POPATLAL D. | AHMEDABAD |
| 69. | DR. PATEL DINESH L. | AHMEDABAD |
| 70. | DR. BHATT JANARDAN V. | AHMEDABAD |
| 71. | DR. BHAVSAR MAHENDRA S. | AHMEDABAD |
| 72. | DR. GADHAVI ASHVIN KARASANDAS | AHMEDABAD |
| 73. | DR. RATHOD BALKRISHNA N. | AHMEDABAD |
| 74. | DR. SAIHGAL RAJESH M. | AHMEDABAD |
| 75. | DR. KALE SNEHAL B | AHMEDABAD |
| 76. | DR. PANDYA RAJENDRA V. | AHMEDABAD |
| 77. | DR. GANDHI KIRITKUMAR A. | AHMEDABAD |
| 78. | DR. GANDHI CHINTAN KIRITKUMAR | AHMEDABAD |
| 79. | DR. RAVAL NEELAM | AHMEDABAD |
| 80. | DR. SHAH PANKAJ M. | AHMEDABAD |
| 81. | DR. GANDHI ATUL JAYANTILAL | AHMEDABAD |
| 82. | DR. MISTRYAMIT K. | AHMEDABAD |
| 83. | DR. PUJARA JAYANT S. | AHMEDABAD |



| | | |
|------|---------------------------------|-----------|
| 84. | DR. PATEL GIRISH K. | AHMEDABAD |
| 85. | DR. CHHANWAL HEENA S. | AHMEDABAD |
| 86. | DR. PATEL KIRIT D. | AHMEDABAD |
| 87. | DR. PANDYA SHASHANK J. | AHMEDABAD |
| 88. | DR. BAROT KAUSHIK RAMANLAL | AHMEDABAD |
| 89. | DR. PATEL KAMLESH BABULAL | AHMEDABAD |
| 90. | DR. VAIDYA KAUSHIK J. | AHMEDABAD |
| 91. | DR. AMIN VISHVAS KIRITBHAI | AHMEDABAD |
| 92. | DR. CHANDNA SUDHIR BHISHAMKUMAR | AHMEDABAD |
| 93. | DR. VAIDYA DILIP C. | AHMEDABAD |
| 94. | DR. PARIKH HITENDRA MAGHABHAI | AHMEDABAD |
| 95. | DR. PATEL BHAVESH V. | AHMEDABAD |
| 96. | DR. PATEL BHARAT R. | AHMEDABAD |
| 97. | DR. RAJGOR JAGDISH B. | AHMEDABAD |
| 98. | DR. SHAH DILIP J. | AHMEDABAD |
| 99. | DR. RAVAL PRAKASHCHANDRA G. | AHMEDABAD |
| 100. | DR. PATEL M. C. | AHMEDABAD |
| 101. | DR. SHAH HIRENDRA R. | AHMEDABAD |
| 102. | DR. BHATIA VIJAY YASHPAL | AHMEDABAD |
| 103. | DR. AGRAWAL S. S. | JAIPUR |
| 104. | DR. SHAH SANJAY A. | AHMEDABAD |
| 105. | DR. TRIVEDI BHARAT D. | AHMEDABAD |
| 106. | DR. PATEL DIMPLE S. | AHMEDABAD |
| 107. | DR. JADAV DHARITRI B. | AHMEDABAD |
| 108. | DR. PATEL VINOD C. | AHMEDABAD |
| 109. | DR. GANDHI CHIRAG H. | NAVSARI |
| 110. | DR. SHAH JITENDRA H. | AHMEDABAD |
| 111. | DR. TRIPATHI UMANK B. | AHMEDABAD |



| | |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|
| 112. DR. SARAIYA HEMANT | AHMEDABAD |
| 113. DR. MUNSHI AJAY P. | AHMEDABAD |
| 114. DR. DESAI PRAFUL R. | AHMEDABAD |
| 115. DR. GOSWAMI HANSA MOTIGIRI | AHMEDABAD |
| 116. DR. THAKER AMIT V. | AHMEDABAD |
| 117. DR. SHAH RAMESH C. | AHMEDABAD |
| 118. DR. SHETH PANKAJ K. | AHMEDABAD |
| 119. DR. MAKWAN HARSHA | AHMEDABAD |
| 120. DR. SANTWANI MANOHAR A. | JAMNAGAR |
| 121. DR. PATEL GHANSHYAM LAVJIBHAI | BHAVNAGAR |
| 122. DR. PATEL KETAN L. | BHAVNAGAR |
| 123. DR. PARMAR VIJAY T | BHAVNAGAR |
| 124. DR. DAVE KASHYAP C. | BHAVNAGAR |
| 125. DR. VYAS RAJIV | BARDOLI |
| 126. DR. JADEJA M. M. | BHAVNAGAR |
| 127. DR. MAHIDA VANRAJSINH A. | BHARUCH |
| 128. DR. UPADHYAY RASHMI | PADDHARI RAJKOT |
| 129. DR. PATEL BABUBHAI J. | UNJHA |
| 130. DR. PATEL VASANTLAL B. | PATAN |
| 131. DR. NAYAK ANILKUMAR J. | MEHSANA |
| 132. DR. SHAH SHAILESH | ANAND |
| 133. DR. CHAUDHARI MAHENDRA H. | BARDOLI |
| 134. DR. JAIN RAJENDRA H. | MEHSANA |
| 135. DR. PATEL LALBHAI M | MEHSANA |
| 136. DR. AMIN SURESH P. | VADODARA |
| 137. DR. MODI JAYPRAKASH | AHMEDABAD |
| 138. DR. KAJI BHARAT C. | AHMEDABAD |



IMA NATCON 2014
89th National Conference of
INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
27th & 28th December, 2014



Hosted By : **AHMEDABAD MEDICAL ASSOCIATION**

AMA House, First Floor, Opp. H. K. Arts College, Ashram Road, Ahmedabad-380009.

Phone : 079-26588775, Fax : 079-2658 7498

E-mail : imanatcon2014@gmail.com

DR. JITENDRA B. PATEL

National President

DR. NARENDRA SAINI

Hony. Secretary General

* * * * *

President (IMA-GSB)

Conference Chairman

Organising Chairman

Chairman Reception Comm.

DR. BIPIN M. PATEL

DR. VIDYUT J. DESAI

DR. KIRTI M. PATEL

* * * * *

Organising Secretaries

DR. JITENDRA N. PATEL

DR. KAMLESH B. SAINI

(M) 098253 25200

(M) 096019 49252

DR. DILIP B. GADHAVI

(M) 098980 47505

* * * * *

Hon. Finance Secretary

DR. DEVENDRA R. PATEL

* * * * *

Conference Co-Chairmen

DR. MAHENDRA B. DESAI

DR. PRAGNESH C. JOSHI

DR. DHANESH A. PATEL

DR. CHETAN N. PATEL

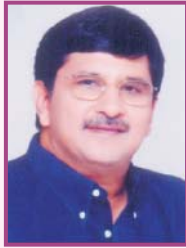
* * * * *

Organising Co-Chairmen

DR. BHARAT V. TRIVEDI

DR. ANIL J. NAYAK

DR. PRAFUL R. DESAI


PATRONS IMA NATCON-2014

DR. PARIMAL DESAI

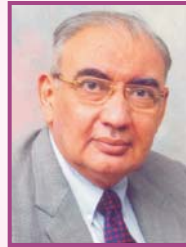
M.S. (Ophthalmologist)
Past President : Ahmedabad Medical Association
Director & Chief Surgeon :
Cure Sight Laser Centre (Ahmedabad)


DR. HEMEN JAJU

M.S., M.Ch., DNB
Craniofacial, Plastic and Aesthetic Surgeon
Jaju Plastic Surgery Centre
(Ahmedabad)


DR. PROF. HARSHAD SHAH

M.D., D.M.R.E., FICR
Prof. HOD, Dept. Radio Diagnostic,
C.U. Shah Medical College, Surendranagar
(Ahmedabad)


DR. ATUL P. MUNSHI

M.D., D.G.O. FICOG
Consulting Obstetrician & Gynecologist
Munshi Hospitals
(Ahmedabad)


DR. SUNIL D. POPAT

M.S., FRCS (Edin), FALS, FIAGES
Senior Consultant Surgeon, Laparoscopic,
Gastro-Intestinal, Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary,
Obesity & Metabolic Surgery & G.I. Endoscopist
Nidhi Hospital (Ahmedabad)


DR. TEJANSHU P. SHAH

M.S., M.Ch. (Urology)
Consultant Urologist, Andrologist,
Infertility Micro Surgeon & Kidney Transplant Surgeon
(Ahmedabad)


PATRONS IMA NATCON-2014

DR. HASMUKH AGRAWAL

(Art Specialist)
Reshambai Fertility Hospital
Center for Human Reproduction ivf-icsi
(Test Tube Baby Center) (Ahmedabad)


DR. ATUL PANDYA

M.D. (Path & Bact)
Ex. Vice President (IMA-GSB)
Shree Satyam Diagnostic Centre
(Rajkot)


DR. RAMAN S. PATEL

(M.D., DGO)
Infertility (IVF) Specialist Endoscopic Surgeon
Director & Head Sunflower Women's Hospital
(Ahmedabad)


DR. D. G. PATEL (M.D., Path. regd.)

Director : Sunflower Women's Hospital
Director : Motherhood Diagnostic
Director : Cure-III Pharma Pvt. Ltd.
(Ahmedabad)


DR. SUDHIR V. SHAH (M.D., D.M.)

Senior Consultant Neurologist
Prof. & Head, Dept. of Neurology, V. S. Hospital
Director of Neuro Sciences, Sterling Hospital
Past President, APA, ANA (Ahmedabad)


DR. GOVIND PUROHIT

M.S. (Orth.) DNB (Orth) LLB, DHA, DISS
Consultant Multi Speciality Orthopedic Surgeon
Ex-Deputy Director ESIS (Govt. of Guj.)
Visting Consultant : SAL, Sterling Hospital (Ahmedabad)


PATRONS IMA NATCON-2014

DR. M. R. KANANI

M.D., D.M. (Toxicology)
Past President (IMA GSB)
Amar Hospital
(Bhavnagar)


DR. BHARAT TRIVEDI

MS, FICS (General Laparoscopy Surgeon)
Past President (IMA GSB)
Rachna Hospital
(Bhavnagar)


DR. ABHIJIT SHETH

M.Ch., FRCS
Cardiothoracic
DMS, Apollo Hospitals International Ltd.
(Ahmedabad)


DR. DIPAK D. PATEL

M.B.B.S., M.S. M.Ch.
(Neurosurgeon)
Pramukh Neurosurgical Hospital
(Ahmedabad)


DR. HITESH PATEL

MD, FIPP (Pain Specialist)
(Fellow of Interventional Pain Practice) USA
LiveWell Pain Clinic
(Ahmedabad)


DR. JITENDRA B. PATEL

M.D. (Internal Medicine)
Physician & Diabetologist
Pruthvi Nursing Home
(Ahmedabad)


PLATINUM PATRONS IMA NATCON-2014

DR. SHRINIVAS S. VAISHYA

M.B.B.S., M.D. (P.S.M.)

Padmashree Award in the Field of Medicine and Health Care (2012)

Vaidic Dental College & Research Centre, Kadaia Dalwada Daman

Abhaya Clinic, Nani Daman, Daman (U.T.) 396210

* * * * *


DR. K. C. MEHTA

- All knee replacement with minimal invasive technique.
- Has successfully operated patient aged up to 94 years.
- Operated more than thousands of knee replacement surgeries with extra-ordinary outcomes.
- Has been invited as faculty and guest speaker to deliver lecture at different International Conferences & Meets, U.K., U.S., Singapore, Japan, China, Thailand, Philippines, Taiwan, Vietnam, Indonesia.



Director & Chief Knee Surgeon
Chandra Knee Clinic
Speciality Clinic for Knee Problems
(Ahmedabad)


PLATINUM PATRON IMA NATCON-2014
Asian Bariatrics

Asia's Largest Super Specialty Hospital for Bariatric Surgery



DR. MAHENDRA NARWARIA
MS, FICS, FIAGES, FALS
Bariatric, GI & Robotic Surgeon



DR. SANJAY PATOLIA
MS, FIAGES
Bariatric, GI Surgeon



DR. MANISH KHAITAN
MS, FIAGES
Bariatric, GI Surgeon

Asian Bariatrics offers modern & Most scientific weight loss procedures like :

- Gastric Balloon
- Sleeve Gastrectomy, Gastric bypass
- Revision Bariatric Surgery
- Scarless Weight Loss Surgery
- Robotic Surgery

* * * * *



IMA NATCON 2014

89th National Conference of INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

27th & 28th December, 2014

Hosted By : AHMEDABAD MEDICAL ASSOCIATION


CONGRATULATIONS !!


Dr. Mansukh R. Kanani
(Bhavnagar)

National Vice President I.M.A. (H.Q.) (2014-15)

* * * * *



Dr. Shailendra N. Vora
(Ahmedabad)

National Vice President I.M.A. (H.Q.) (2015-16)



State Working Committee Meeting Ahmedabad



* * * * *

Anemia Awareness Programme Morbi Branch



CME on TUBERCULOSIS Dhansura



* * * * *

Blood Donation Camp, Surat Branch





**Flag off by Dr. Jitendra B. Patel National President (IMA HQs)
Dr. Bipin M. Patel President (IMA GSB) for Medical Relief Camp at Srinagar**



* * * * *



**Flag off by Dr. Jitendra B. Patel National President (IMA HQs)
Dr. Bipin M. Patel President (IMA GSB) for Medical Relief Camp at Srinagar**



* * * * *

IMA Team Medical Relief Camp at Srinagar





Delhi Medical Association Centenary Celebrations, New Delhi



Anniversary International Medical Congress of the Sri Lanka Medical Association





**International Standards of Tuberculosis Care (ISTC)
Asian Region meeting, Indonesia**





SCIENTIFIC UPDATE

Acute watery diarrhoea

- Definition- More than 3 watery stools/day or single large watery stool is defined as diarrhoea.
- Second most common illness in children next to Acute Respiratory Tract Infections(ARI) especially pneumonias.
- Accounts for 20% of total illness.
- Not only fluid but also electrolytes & minerals are lost in stool which may be life threatening if not treated timely.
- Early treatment with Oral Rehydration Solution(ORS) leads to very good outcome.
- Late problems are anaemia, vitamin A& other micronutrient deficiency and protein energy malnutrition(PEM)

Causes

- Viruses – Rota virus, Enterovirus - 60 to 70% of cases.
- Bacteria - 20% of cases- E. coli, V. cholera, Shigella, Yersinia, Campylobacter, Salmonella.
- Protozoa-15% of total cases - Amoebiasis, Giardiasis, malarial infection.
- Others – Lactose intolerance, mal-absorption syndrome, drug induced diarrhoea.
- Specific causes like Cryptosporidiosis seen in HIV AIDS and
- Irritable bowel syndrome- In adolescence

Clinical presentation

- Frequency of stool -watery with/ without blood, food particles
- Vomiting– present in 50% of cases, sometimes may be severe(more with rotavirus).
- Fever – mild with viral diarrhoea. High grade fever seen in Salmonella, Shigella and E. coli infections.
- Abdominal pain /cramps- more with dysentery.



- Abdominal distension- usually gaseous but may be due to functional paralytic ileus. Intussusception may present as complication.
- Irritability seen very commonly is due to dehydration, abdominal cramps, dyselectrolytemia in form of hyponatremia and sometimes CNS involvement.
- Cough and fever due to ARI(Pneumonia).
- Sometimes increase respiratory rate due to acidosis (bicarbonate loss in stool).
- Decreased urine output – sometimes anuria.

Complications

1. Severe dehydration & shock.
2. Renal failure.
3. Coma.
4. Convulsion due to dyselectrolytemia in form of hyponatremia, hypernatremia, hypocalcemia& rarely encephalitis.
5. Venous sinus thrombosis (in cases of prolonged severe dehydration).

Assessment of dehydration (Most important for Management)

| Types of Dehydration | | | |
|----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-------------------------|
| Observation | NO | SOME | SEVERE |
| Sensorium | Conscious | Irritable | Drowsy/comatose |
| Frequency of stool | <5 times | 5 to 10 times | >10 times |
| Anterior fontanel | Normal or at level | Depressed | Very much depressed |
| Eyeball | Normal | Sunken | Very much sunken |
| Oral mucosa | Wet | Dry | Very much dry |
| Skin turgor test | Goes back quickly | Goes back within <2 sec | Goes back > 2sec |
| Urine output | Adequate | Oliguria | Anuria |
| Pulse | Normal | Tachycardia | Thready/ not palpable |
| B.P. | Normal | Low | Very low/not recordable |
| Respiration | Normal | Fast | Shallow |



Investigations

1. Usually in a child with acute watery diarrhoea with no/ some dehydration- no need for investigation.
2. Severe dehydration if suspected cholera – hanging drop & culture
3. Renal function tests (Blood urea, S. Creatinine & Electrolytes in severe dehydration)
4. Lactose intolerance- stool ph., sugar
5. Even if blood in stool (shigella) - no stool study.
6. High grade fever- complete blood count, PS MP

Treatment

- O- Oral fluids
- R- Ringer lactate
- S- Solutions

Oral rehydration therapy-ORT

- Oral rehydration therapy- gold standard therapy.
- Not only treat but also prevent dehydration.
- Can be given to severe dehydration with RT to save life before reaching to health care facility or referral hospital.
- Easily available, can be prepared at home /on road/ train/ air/submarine/navy craft.

ORS

Low osmolar ORS is the choice of therapy which has following composition (this packet should be dissolved in litre or 5 glasses of water):

| Component-concentration (mmol/l) | |
|----------------------------------|-----|
| Na - | 75 |
| K- | 20 |
| Cl- | 65 |
| Citrate - | 10 |
| Glucose- | 75 |
| Osmolality- | 245 |



- The final fluid prepared out of this sachet will have osmolarity similar to plasma (iso-osmolar).
- Small ORS packet is also Available to be dissolved in 200 ml or 1 glass of water.
- Nothing should be added in solution like sugar, honey, coconut water, soda.
- Boiling of water is not routinely recommended because it causes wastage of time & fuel and delay in therapy. (recommended only in cholera epidemic).

How much (prepared) ORS to be given:

- Below 2 years - 50 ml after each loose stool
- 2 to 5 years - 100 ml after each loose stool
- 5 to 10 years - 100-150 ml after each loose stool
- >10 years - as much as able to drink
- Neonates – double dilution with ORS, frequent breast feeding with plain water in between.
- Other fluids- **homemade ORS** (1 glass water + 1 pinch of salt+few drops of lemon), Butter milk, dal-water, lassi with salt, coconut water, soups, light tea.
- **Always continue breast feeding if child is breast-fed.**
- DO NOT GIVE: Fruit juices, Beverages, Dextrose powders, Soft drinks like cola, Large amount of milk

Diet

- Most important part of therapy to maintain nutrition during illness and prevent development of PEM later on.
- Continue routine diet- preferably – semi solid like rice, dal, khichdi, khir.
- Give banana, curd, lassi

Some dehydration

- The patient should be monitored for 4 hours for improvement.
- 75ml/kg of ORS within 4 hours should be given.
- Reassess the child, if improves then send home with ORT. If does not improve then admit.

Indications of hospitalization/Referral

1. Severe dehydration, shock.



2. Some dehydration- not improving after 4 hours of ORT
3. Persistent vomiting > 3 times with ORT
4. Suspected cholera (classical rice-watery stool).
5. Sensorium disturbance (drowsiness/ coma).
6. Electrolyte imbalance (convulsion).
7. Neonates with blood in stool.
8. Severe Acute Malnutrition (PEM Grade 3 and 4) with or without dehydration

Indications of Antibacterial therapy

1. Suspected cholera- Doxycycline(6 mg /kg single dose) if age >8 years, Erythromycin(50mg/kg/day in 3 divided doses) for <8years.
2. Blood in stool(dysentery)- Co-trimoxazole(5-8 mg/kg of Trimethoprim) for 5 days.
3. With ARI- Co-trimoxazole (dose same as above)
4. Stool lab reports suggesting pus cells >10/hpf and culture showing growth of micro-organisms-according to sensitivity pattern.

Anti-emetics

Vomiting usually occurs due to acidosis(bicarbonate loss)

Give ORS initially, if do not respond or persistent vomiting(>3/hr)- child should be hospitalised.

Routine use of anti-emetics is not recommended.

Anti-motility drugs have no role while anti-secretory drugs are not advocated in acute watery diarrhea.

Probiotics are not routinely recommended as the benefits are strain and dose dependent.

Zinc

- It should be started in all children with acute watery diarrhea regardless of their dehydration status.
- Reduces the amount of stool, number of days and duration of illness.
- Improves epithelial function and integrity of local gut mucosa.
- Stimulates immune system.
- Recommended Dose - <6 month - 10 mg for 14 days.
>6 month - 20mg for 14 days.



If Convulsion

- Inj Diazepam 0.3mg/kg IV slowly stat or Inj Phenytoin Sodium 15 mg/kg IV slowly over 15 minutes, then refer to higher centre.

Vitamins & Iron

- **B Complex, Iron and Tonics should be given after 5-7 days.**
- Local oral ulcer – clotrimazole+ folic acid(0.2 -0.3 mg/day)

Fever

- Mild fever- rehydrate the child.
- Moderate fever- Paracetamol (15mg/kg/dose) & Cold sponging
- High grade fever- investigate and treat accordingly (anti-malarials, antibiotics).

Prevention

1. **Water hygiene**-Properly stored, clean potable water should be used for drinking and routine use. Chlorine tablets should be used for large storage tanks.
2. **Hand hygiene**- most important for prevention in community as well as hospital settings.Mothers should be educated for hand washing after handling excreta or toilet and before cooking or feeding the child.
3. **Basic sanitation** practices like proper waste/excreta disposal.
4. **Vaccines**-
 - Measles & BCG vaccine
 - Rotavirus vaccine as a specific vaccine for those who can afford must be given between 6 weeks and 14 weeks 6 days as first dose and final dose below 8 months of age.
5. **29th July is celebrated as ORS day.** Message to the people should be passed for use of ORS in diarrheal diseases.

Dr .CHARUL PURANI

Assistant Professor

Dr. K.M.MEHARIYA

Professor & Head, Additional M.S.

Department of Paediatrics

B.J.Medical College, Civil Hospital, Ahmedabad.



Low cost IVF- A boon to middle class patients

"IVF creates bundle of joy for infertility patients but with hurdle of bundle of cost"

Infertility cases are constantly rising. Before a decade infertility treatment was not that easy to treat but with invent of IVF and its easy accessibility in every city infertility cases are easily been solved. IVF comes as bundle of joy for infertility patients but at big bundle of cost.

"Reproduction is considered the most basic human desire, Propelled by powerful biological and psychological drives "

IVF is a complex procedure that includes sequence of procedures, clinical skill and instrumental requirements. To give best treatment at very good quality, high working cost might be billed on the sufferers. Most important issue on patient side in IVF is cost. In India cost of infertility treatment are high and it might not be protected in insurance package. If that is the case the individual might suffer great economic pressure and prevent them to undergo treatment.

As the professional IVF centre we are satisfied to provide the best high quality of IVF to the patients. After analyzing the health and wealth background of the sufferer we can provide low cost IVF to needy. We are happy to provide high quality and affordable IVF treatment.

Low cost IVF offers the chances for sufferers to fix the sterility issues within affordable prices.

How can we cut short cost without affecting quality???

"We are happy to provide high quality & affordable IVF treatment, Setup at par with others in India with no compromise in infrastructure"



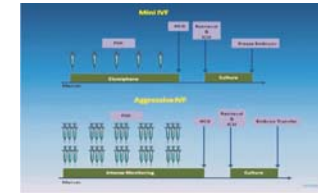
By various ways :

1) Minimal ovarian stimulation: Mini IVF

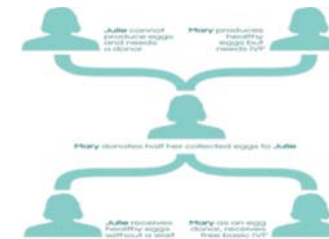
Majority of cost in IVF is gonadotropins. With use of recombinant FSH in high dosages in order to obtain more oocytes IVF become costly. To reduce that we can stimulate with HMG or clomiphene with hMG keeping in mind concept of FSH window, we can get enough good number of oocytes. Even natural cycle IVF can be planned for cases with unexplained or tubal



factor infertility. This protocol gives fewer but Grade A quality Eggs as compared to conventional IVF. Clomiphene + hMG regimen is as effective as hMG protocol for IVF for Ovulation induction, satisfactory pregnancy rate and reducing treatment cost.



2) Egg sharing :



Becoming egg share donor offers some women reducing cost of her cycle and helping other women using donor egg. Essentially, the recipient of sharer's donor eggs pays the greater part of cost of donor's treatment and so the overall cost will be less to sharer.

3) Shared donor egg cycle :

In this procedure, 2 or more women will impart a donor's eggs. They will all contribute in the IVF treatment cost. This process will allow women to take advantage of affordable IVF treatment because they will split the cost of treatment between themselves.

4) Batch IVF

Other major costing in IVF is in laboratory part. By keeping more than 4-5 patients in batch we can pass on benefits of reduction of cost in consumables and media part to patients.\

5) Embryo donation

Which exclude social stigma of adoption





Patients having excess embryos can share their embryos to those cases for embryo donation and such 2 cycles of IVF can be done in single cycle cost, which benefit can be passed on to patients.

“Donor egg cycles give better results in IVF than Fresh self cycles”

6) Reducing cost on unnecessary investigation

Most of the cases that come to seek IVF are loaded with dozens of files and investigations which are unnecessary. Even before starting IVF, Clinicians used to do dozens of investigations. Rather than that apply clinical knowledge and good sonography skill and you can omit those cost of investigations.

7) Monitoring been done by referring doctor only

Monitoring a cycle in IVF is a key important point in treatment. Patients staying away from center have to come every 3rd or 4th day for sonography or need to arrange accommodation facility. Rather patient only come for first consultation on starting of cycle and then her routine scan can be done by referring gynecologist at their place only. They can mail the scan pictures and adjust the dosages with our doctors' advice which reduces a big extra cost to patients.

8) Refund policy :

It is prepayment arrangement in which you would obtain full or partial refund if pregnancy doesn't happen out of IVF treatment. Patient will give flat fees directly for particular number of IVF cycles. You will receive 70 to 100 percent reimbursement if don't get pregnancy. However, there are some restrictions depending on policies of fertility clinic in term of services and age covered.

In summary,

IVF is good to fix the problems of sterility which includes a sequence of complex procedures and actions. In reality the IVF is costly. However we are satisfied to provide affordable IVF which is tailor made for the beneficiaries. It allows fixing the economic pressure from patients but without limiting quality of treatment.

Please organize a routine with our doctors of DEV ART IVF centre and talk about the low cost affordable IVF options for you or your patients.

- Dr Nisha Saumil Patel

Dev ART ivf, Subhash Bridge circle, Ahmedabad.



An Appeal to strengthen Universal Immunization Program to reduce IMR and U5MR in Gujarat

Immunization is one of the most cost-effective interventions that prevent needless suffering through sickness, disability and death. The benefits of immunization are not only restricted to improvement in health and life expectancy by reducing vaccine preventable diseases but also have social and economic impact at both community and national levels thereby greatly contributing towards achieving the Millennium Development Goal 4 that envisages a two-third reduction in child mortality by 2015.

Immunization is a critical component of the Government of Gujarat's child survival strategy. Immunization has come a long way from its EPI (Expanded programme on Immunization) days (1978) to UIP (Universal Immunization Programme) in 1985 with activities phased in to the entire country by 1990. At present UIP is part of National Health Mission (previously known as NRHM). Immunization services are provided through the following:

- Sub centre, Primary health centre, Community health centre
- Sub-district/District/Tertiary hospitals
- Tertiary hospitals
- Urban health centres in Corporations/Nagar Palikas
- Hospitals and dispensaries run by Railways/ESIS hospitals

A well functioning UIP that aims to reach out to every child will contribute to Universal Health Coverage and healthier future generation. To achieve this, UIP needs strong underpinning of good governance and accountability at all levels. Despite improved vaccination coverage, there are rising inequities based on various factors related to individual (gender, birth order), family (area of residence, wealth), community (religion, caste) and society (access to health care, community literacy) etc. As far as Gujarat is concerned, there exists a clear gap between urban and rural areas. Within urban areas, slum populations have a lower coverage. Migrants coming to urban areas have lower coverage than the resident population.

Private health sector also provides an estimated 25-30 percent of immunization services in Gujarat state. Studies have shown that Private sector do play a significant role in increased access to traditional UIP vaccines. They also play a key role in supporting the surveillance system, both for VPDs as well as for adverse events following immunization.

With the introduction of newer vaccines in UIP (Pentavalent vaccines instead of DPT and Hepatitis B vaccines in first year and 2nd dose of measles vaccine between 16-24 months of age), dissemination of the knowledge and adherence to UIP schedule has gained its importance. Hence Government of Gujarat would like to disseminate the revised schedule of Universal Immunization Programme and Frequently asked questions related to Immunization using this very bulletin as a platform for the benefit of Private doctors and ultimately to benefit the citizens of Gujarat.



Reaching the Unreached Universal Immunization Program

National Immunization Program aims to reduce mortality and morbidity by protecting children from the vaccine preventable diseases of Tuberculosis, Polio, Diphtheria, Pertussis, Tetanus, Hepatitis B, Haemophilus Influenza B and Measles.

National Immunization Schedule

| For Pregnant Women | | | | | | | |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------|
| TT Vaccine schedule | Dose, Route and Site | | | Important points to follow | | | |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early in pregnancy (TT-1) • 4 weeks after TT-1 (TT-2) • If received 2 TT doses in a pregnancy within the last 3 yrs, then give only TT- Booster. | 0.5 ml; Intra-muscular in Upper Arm. | | | Give TT-2 or Booster doses before 36 weeks of pregnancy. However, give these even if more than 36 weeks have passed. | | | |
| For Infants and children | | | | | | | |
| Age at which to vaccinate | BCG | HepB | Pentavalent | OPV | Measles | DPT | TT |
| At Birth | ✓ | ✓ | | ✓ | | | |
| 6 weeks | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | |
| 10 weeks | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | |
| 14 weeks | | | ✓ | ✓ | | | |
| 9 months completed – 12 months | | | | | ✓ | | |
| 16-24 months | | | | ✓ (Booster) | ✓ | ✓ (1st Booster) | |
| 5-6 years | | | | | | ✓ (2nd Booster) | |
| 10 years | | | | | | | ✓ |
| 16 years | | | | | | | ✓ |
| Dose of vaccine | 0.1 ml | 0.5 ml | 0.5 ml | 2 drops | 0.5 ml | 0.5 ml | 0.5 ml |
| Route of vaccination | Intra-dermal | Intra-muscular | Intra-muscular | Oral | Sub-cutaneous | Intra-muscular | Intra-muscular |
| Site of vaccination | Left Upper Arm | Antero-lateral mid thigh | Antero-lateral mid thigh | Oral | Right Upper Arm | 1st Booster on Antero-lateral mid thigh 2nd Booster on Upper Arm | Upper Arm |



| Vitamin A supplementation | |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Schedule and Dosage | Important points to follow |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> At 9 completed months with measles 16 months. Then, one dose every 6 months up to the age of 5 years. Dose: 1 ml (1 lakh IU) at 9 mths and 2 ml (2 lakh IU) for 2nd to 9th dose. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Keep minimum gap of 6 months between 2 doses. Use spoon provided with the bottle to give syrup. Keep the vitamin A bottle in shade and use it within 8 wks of opening. Write the date of opening the bottle on the label. |
| <p>Remember : BCG can be given till one year of age. Dose is 0.05ml until 1 month age. There is no need to revaccinate the child if scar is not formed after BCG. HepB birth dose is given only within 24 hours after birth as it helps to prevent peri-natal transmission of Hepatitis B. OPV-0 dose is given within 15 days after birth. OPV can be given till 5 years of age. DPT vaccine can be given up to 7 yrs of age. DPT 2nd booster at 5-6 yrs is given on upper arm. Measles vaccine can be given up to 5 years of age. Pentavalent vaccine is introduced in place of DPT and HepB 1, 2 and 3 in Gujarat</p> | |

Frequently Asked Questions

What is immunization?

It is the process of giving vaccines for the development of body's protective response.

How do vaccines work?

Vaccines work by protecting the body before disease strikes. Vaccines stimulate the body to produce the antibodies to fight off the serious illnesses for which child has been vaccinated.

Why start vaccination early in life?

Children are susceptible to diseases at a young age, and the consequences of these diseases can be life-threatening.

Are immunizations safe?

Yes, very safe. But like any medicine they can occasionally cause reactions. Children are in much more danger from the diseases than from the vaccination.

What are contraindications to immunization?

All infants should be immunized except in 3 rare situations of Anaphylaxis or



a severe allergic reaction, Convulsion or encephalitis with a previous dose of DPT and High fever

Can vaccination be given if a child has mild fever, diarrhoea or cough?

Yes, mild fever, diarrhoea and cough are not contraindications for immunization.

What are the side-effects of vaccines?

Only very few infants and children develop side effects after vaccination. They are mild (redness and swelling at the injection site) and go away within a few days. Serious side effects following vaccination, such as severe allergic reaction, are very rare.

If a child is brought late for a dose, should you restart with first dose of the vaccine?

No, do not restart the schedule again, pick up where the schedule was left off.

If a child who has never been vaccinated is brought at 9 months of age, can all the due vaccines be given to a child on the same day?

Yes, all due vaccines can be given during the same session but at different injection sites using separate AD syringes.

If the mother/caregiver permits administration of only one injection during an infant's first visit at 9 months of age, which vaccine should be given?

At 9 months of age, the priority is to start with measles vaccine with OPV and VitA.

Which vaccines can be given to a child between 1-5 years of age, who has never been vaccinated?

Give DPT1, OPV-1, Measles and 2ml of Vit-A solution. Then follow with 2nd and 3rd doses of DPT and OPV at one month intervals. Give Measles 2nd dose as per the schedule. Give Booster dose of OPV/DPT at a minimum of 6 months gap after administering OPV3/DPT3.

Which vaccines can be given to a child between 5-7 years of age, who has never been vaccinated?

Give first, second and third doses of DPT at one month intervals. Give the



booster dose of DPT at a minimum of 6 months after administering DPT3 up to 7 years of age.

Why should there be a minimum gap of 4 weeks between two doses of DPT?

This is because decreasing the interval between two doses may not obtain optimal antibody production for protection.

Why give the DPT and HepB vaccines in the antero-lateral mid thigh and not the gluteal region (buttocks)?

This prevents damage to the sciatic nerve. Moreover, the vaccine deposited in the fat of gluteal region does not invoke the appropriate immune response.

What should one do if the child is found allergic to DPT or develops encephalopathy after DPT?

Give the DTaP / DT vaccine instead of DPT for the remaining doses, as it is usually the P (whole cell Pertussis) component of the vaccine which causes the allergy/encephalopathy. Purchase with locally available resources. If these are not available, give TT.

Why 2nd dose of Measles vaccine is introduced in the National Immunization Program?

Measles is highly infectious disease causing illness and death due to complications as diarrhoea, pneumonia or brain infection. One dose of measles vaccine at 9 months of age protects 85% of infants. With 2nd dose we aim to protect all the children who remain unprotected after first dose.

For reconstitution of freeze dried vaccines, should the entire amount of diluent be used?

Yes, use the entire amount of diluent from the ampoule to reconstitute the vaccine.

Why the vaccination can not be done during house visits like OPV?

As the vaccines are administered as injections, they need to be given at fixed site where all the facilities to ensure injection safety are available.

For any queries related to Routine Immunization, kindly contact:

Dr Nayan P. Jani, (I/c State Immunization Officer)

Gandhinagar Email: drnpjani@gmail.com



Kindly update your following data on our Website : www.imagsb.com and submit

INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION

GUJARAT STATE BRANCH

2nd Floor, AMA House, Opp. H. K. Collge, Ashram Road,
Ahmedabad-380009. Fax /
Phone : 079-2658 7370 E-mail : imagsb@youtele.com

Photo

BIO-DATA FORM DIRECTORY OF I.M.A. GUJARAT STATE BRANCH MEMBER

LMGUJ :

IMA HQ No.

Name of the Member : _____

Branch : _____

City : _____

Address (Resi.) _____

Telephone No. _____

Address (Clinic/Hospital) _____

Telephone No. _____

Mobile : _____

Email : _____ Fax : _____

Blood Group _____

Signature _____