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MANAGEMENT OF
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EPILEPSY DR
.SOORAJ PATIL
BRAIN TUMOURS
AWARENESS &
EARLY DETECTION**

IMA Goa State Level C.M.E

DR .SANJEEV R.T. M

3rd August 2024 Saturday, 7.30 PM Venue : Hotel Taj Vivanta St-Inez Panaji Goa

**STATE LEVEL CME Organized By IMA Goa State in Association with
ARIHANT HOSPITAL, BELGAUM**





Message by IMA President

Dear Colleagues,

Greetings from IMA Goa State!

As the monsoon begins to fade away in Goa and the arrival of Lord Ganesha is just days away, we have already concluded our Annual Executive Committee meeting on 1/09/2024. With this, IMA Goa State has initiated the process of a gradual transition in leadership. Our first Vice President, Dr. Dattaram Dessai, has been elevated to the incoming President, and we extend a very warm welcome to all who will be taking charge of IMA Goa State at the end of the year.

The last three months of our tenure have been marked by the unfortunate Kolkata incident and the subsequent series of events, including a day of national OPD shutdown on 17/09/24, Supreme Court directives, and the formation of a national task force for the safety and security of healthcare professionals. This tragic event has brought to light the numerous challenges faced by healthcare professionals across India.

On the day of National OPD shutdown, we submitted a memorandum to Hon. Chief Minister Dr. Pramod Sawant, who assured us that all concerned issues would be addressed. He convened a joint meeting on 27/08/2024 with the IMA state team, along with the Health Minister, Dean of GMC, DHS Director, MS District Hospital, Chief Secretary, DGP, IGP, SP, DySP, and GARD President. The GARD President vividly presented the unsafe and sensitive areas at GMC, along with a series of demands for workplace safety (Code Violet, CCTV, armed personnel, police outpost, DRO, walkie-talkies, and more).

On behalf of IMA Goa State, Dr. Shailesh Kamat, Chairman of the Medicolegal Cell, delivered a detailed presentation on the Doctor-Police relationship for better healthcare. This included various issues such as violence against doctors, alleged medical negligence leading to such violence, loopholes in the existing Goa Medicare Act, relevant amendments in the Clinical Establishments Act, POCSO, and Quackery.

Some of the key demands put forward included amendments to the existing Goa Medicare Act, ensuring safety and security at the workplace, and an ordinance for extending the date for permanent registration (which has been agreed upon by Ganesh Chaturthi). These demands were agreed upon in principle.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank Dr. Shailesh and Dr. Shekhar on behalf of IMA Goa State for their methodical approach in addressing these issues. A special thanks to Dr. Shekhar, who successfully managed to bring together all the top bureaucrats along with the CM and HM on one platform.

There is an order from the Ministry of Health and Family Welfare to furnish details of the security status of hospitals with more than 100 beds. Some of our members with solo clinics, polyclinics, and small nursing homes have expressed concerns that this should not lead to stringent, mandatory security guidelines that might backfire. We will have to wait and watch what comes our way.

One event that is definitely coming our way is GIMACON 2024 on the 5th and 6th of October. We have just reached triple figures in registration. For those who have still not registered, we urge you to do so. In the future, it appears we may have to rely mainly on delegate fees to organize conferences, as many of the pharma companies we depend on for educational grants are currently hesitant due to stringent NMC guidelines.

Once again, I sincerely request all to register for GIMACON 2024.

See you all on the 5th and 6th of October for our annual IMA academic and cultural feast.

Dr. Sandesh Chodankar.





Incoming President's Message



Dear Members,

This is a proud moment for me as I am standing before you as the incoming president of Goa state branch of Indian Medical Association, the world's largest association of Medical fraternity. Again, I am representing the most vibrant branch- IMA Ponda branch which is known for its community work and bonding among the members. It is only a coincidence that this conference in which I am speaking as incoming president is being organized only 4 km away from my workplace and it is giving me a great feeling especially being a remote area. I appreciate the courage and vision of our Bicholim branch colleagues in organizing it here.

IMA is on the crossroads and unity of medical fraternity has become crucial. The recent happenings in Kolkata has proved this. If Indian Medical Association had not stood firmly for the heinous act of torture and rape of a doctor at her workplace, it could have been hushed up. But the resident doctors from all over the country and the Indian Medical Association stood firm and demanded justice. Acts of violence against doctors are on the rise and we see more and more incidences of impatient and intolerant relatives of the patients attacking the treating doctors. We have witnessed mob attacks on doctors, nurses and paramedical staff during covid pandemic recently. In a way doctors are no less than soldiers on the forefront at such times. Fight with the communicable disease is another challenge for the medical personnel in this situation. But the most hurting part is the violence from the beneficiaries. The Kolkata case has created awareness about the issue of violence against doctors. Goa Government has taken some important decisions to safeguard the interest of Doctors working in different places, government hospitals as well as private hospitals. Let us congratulate and thank our Govt. for this. Proper arrangements for retiring during duty hours for interns, junior and senior residents – especially female doctors should be a matter of prime concern. These doctors are made to work continuously for 36 to 48 hours which is inhuman. Let us wish that all these issues are looked into seriously after the Kolkata incident.

I will be heading the Indian Medical Association Goa Branch in the year 2025. I am representing IMA Ponda branch to take upon this task. My predecessors IMA Bicholim branch are doing a wonderful job. They have raised the bar so high that I am afraid we might not reach that high. But as IMA Ponda has always been on forefront in various community activities and all our members have shown unity in whatever activities we have done so far in last 50 years, I am confident that we will prove ourselves. As IMA Ponda Charitable Trust is already in the field of Palliative care, we wish to make it our theme this year. So our theme this year will be "PALLIATIVE CARE " and the theme sentence will be -CARE WITH COMPASSION THAT'S PALLIATION. Palliative care is an approach that improves the quality of patient's life suffering from life threatening illness and their families through the prevention and relief of suffering by means of early identification and impeccable assessment and treatment of pain and other physical, psychosocial and spiritual problems.





This branch of medicine was started by Dr. Dame Cicily Saunders who started the first Hospice – St. Christopher’s Hospice in London in 1967. Dame Cicily was a thrice qualified professional, having practiced as a nurse, social worker and doctor. The motto of palliative care is “add life to years and not years to life”. As a human being has right to live with dignity, he or she has right to die with dignity. A person with chronic life threatening disease like Cancer, Chronic Kidney Disease, last stages of COPD and various such ailments is shunned by community and sometimes dies a neglected death. Why should the exit from this world should be so painful ? can’t we give him a respectable and peaceful farewell ? IMA Ponda Charitable Trust through its palliative care project “DILASA “ is trying to do this work since 2019.

During our tenure we intend to raise awareness about Palliative care in general public as well as medical community. This will be done with the help of family physicians and volunteers . It needs a team approach to provide palliative care. The team includes Palliative physician, nurse, a medical social worker and sometimes , a clinical psychologist or counsellor. The care provided along with possible cure will make the patient comfortable. This care need not be only at the end of one’s life, but in case of diseases like cancer, it starts right at diagnosis. To reveal the diagnosis to the patient or his relatives needs special communicating skill. Our vision is to make the people aware about how we all can make a chronically ill patient’s life comfortable and happy with our treatment and compassionate behavior. I feel that medicine is incomplete without practicing palliative medicine. In our initial years of general practice we as physicians had to surrender to the illness in its terminal stages but now after learning and practicing palliative medicine we are learning to help the dying patient to take exit peacefully. The sense of fulfilment for us and gratitude in the eyes of the departing soul makes us complete doctor. We request all members of IMA Goa to help us in this humanitarian task. IMA Ponda Charitable Trust is the 2nd IMA branch starting a Palliative care center after the Erode branch.

So we wish that IMA Goa spreads this message throughout the state. It is said that the only certain thing in life is death and let us make it dignified.

Long live IMA.

Thank you.

Dr. Dattaram B Desai

Message by Editor , Newsletter



As we gear for GIMACON 2024, i am thrilled to announce that we have planned a plethora of academic and gala events to celebrate our annual conference, i remind all members to register for GIMACON 2024 and participate to make it a grand success.

Dr. Medha Salkar.



IMPORTANT MEETINGS

Press Conference to brief Media about Protest March of 17 August 2024



In response to the brutal molestation and murder of a postgraduate student from RJ KAR Medical College Kolkata ,IMA Goa State as per the directives of IMA HQ declared a State level shutdown of OPD services from 6a.m. Saturday 17/08/24 to 6a.m .Sunday 18/08/2024. In response to call given by IMA Goa State almost 200 doctors assembled at Azad maidan. State IMA President Dr Sandesh Chodankar while addressing the crowd put forth various demands including the justice to bereaved family with immediate arrest of the culprits, strict stringent law for violence against the Doctors and declaration of the hospitals as the safe zones.

IIMA Bicholim President Dr Shekhar Salkar and Hon MLA Bicholim Dr Chandrakant Shetye also spoke apt to the occasion. Further on all the doctors proceeded to Old GMC complex with a silent march wearing the black armbands. The rally concluded with speeches and expressions from IMA members and other association members. The members from the various associations like Indian Dental Association, Dental private doctors, Nursing, Pharmacy, Ayurveda, Physiotherapy, Chemist and druggist, Medical representatives association , women NGO Bailancho sad, Inner wheel Club also joined and actively participated in the rally






IMA GOA STATE MEETING WITH HON CM DR PRAMOD SAWANT

Shortly after that IMA delegation comprising of IMA Goa State President Dr Sandesh Chodankar, Hon Secretary Dr. Rajashree Marathe, IMA Bicholim President Dr Shekhar Salkar, MLA Bicholim Dr Chandrakant Shetye associate member of Ima Bicholim and Dr. Vishwanath Marathe Member of Ima Bicholim met Hon CM Dr. Pramod Sawant at Sankhali and explained him about the purpose of today's protest and OPD shutdown across Goa. It was also informed to him that we are sympathetic towards patient care and any medical emergency management will not suffer.


Hon CM promised to get back to us on a positive note. IMA Goa State submitted a memorandum to Hon CM demanding amendments in Present Medicare personal Act 2013, fast tracking of cases of violence against doctors, setting up a district task force for an immediate action on violence against doctors, sensitization of law enforcing agency regarding safety of healthcare workers and the most important to review the medical facilities across Goa with respect to safety and security of women at workplace.





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To,
Dr. Pramod Sawant
Chief Minister
Goa
Government of India.

Subject: "Urgent appeal for strict civil and judicial reforms to curb violence and crimes against medical professionals in state of Goa"

Honourable Sir,

In the wake of heinous crime against a fellow member of our medical fraternity in R.G.Kar Medical College and Hospital, Kolkata we the Indian Medical Association Goa State is aghast dismayed at increase of crimes against medical professionals across the country, we hereby bring to your notice the following issues for your cognizance and urgent redressal.

- Review of medical facilities across the state for workplace security and safety of healthcare professionals.
- Rectification and amendments in laws and guidelines governing the safety of medical professionals.
- Sensitization of law enforcement agencies on medical legal jurisprudence and safety of medical professionals.
- Provisions to fast-track cases of violence and crimes against medical professionals.
- Enact a dedicated bill for violence against medical professionals and impart impunity to healthcare workers.
- District level Special task force under the Police department for handling crimes and violence against medical professionals in state of Goa.

We with support of all medical associations of the state of Goa request you to kindly consider our demands and help us serve the medical needs of citizens of the state.

With Regards,

Chodankar

-Dr Sandesh Chodankar, President IMA Goa State

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27TH AUGUST 2024

STATE LEVEL SYMPOSIUM ON WORKPLACE SECURITY FOR HEALTHCARE WORKERS IN GOA



**DOCTOR – POLICE RELATIONSHIP
TOWARDS BETTER HEALTHCARE.**

A meeting was conveyed by Hon CM Dr.PramodSawant on the request of IMA Goa State to discuss the various issues faced by Health care professionals in Goa at Gazetted police officers institute Altinho , Panjim on 27/08/2024.

Hon Health minister, DGP, IGP, Chief Secretary ,IMA Goa State President, Dean GMC, Director DHS,MS both district hospitals.and the GARD President , all SP and DySP were a part of this meeting. IMA Goa State President welcomed the gathering followed by the presentation by GARD President wherein he displayed the mid night real time pictures of places of concern at Goa Medical College.



He further requested higher authorities to give protection by armed personnel in sensitive areas of GMC. Request for starting Code Violet in GMC, provide walkie talkie to security and appointment of a DRO (Doctors response officer) who will inform MS and Dean and Outpost Police Station, CCTV coverage of all the lonely areas of GMC, provide lady security guard to female doctors while attending calls in IPHB.TB/CD, Implementing visitors pass was also demanded.



On behalf of IMA Chairperson IMA medicolegal cell Dr Shailesh Kamat gave a detailed presentation on Doctor police relationship for better healthcare. He addressed the issues in existing Medicare act, quackery, POCSO and CEA. Some of the demands put forward by IMA were to make amendments in existing Goa Medicare act, strict action against quackery, ordinance for extension of date for permanent registration and amendments in CEA. Hon MLA Dr Chandrakant Shetye spoke on Sop for police to handle the violence against the doctors. Meeting was finally addressed by Hon CM and HM and following demands were accepted

- 1) Ordinance for extension of date for registration by Ganesh Chaturthi
- 2) Changes in Clinical establishment act by 15th Sept 2024
- 3) Suitable amendments in Medicare act 2013
- 4) Awareness to police inspector and pink force about Quackery/ POCSO / MTP by Ima goa state
- 5) Code system in GMC about violence. CM has asked police to study GMC infrastructure and keep an armed personnel and ASI/PSI grade police officer in GMC .

IGP Shri Omvir Singh has agreed for the same. CM also assured the doctors in private sectors of protection from Govt by sensitization of police stations in their vicinity All in all meeting ended on a very fruitful note with a very interactive participation by all. Also present on the occasion was Dr Rajashree Marathe Secretary IMA Goa State. Function was compered by Dr Shekhar Salkar President of IMA Bicholim branch



IMPORTANT MEETINGS

Felicitation committee meeting 12 August '24



REMINDER

Click on the registration Icon to fill the digital registration form

REGISTRATION



OCTOBER
2024
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GIMACON

INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION
GOA STATE BRANCH

5th and 6th October 2024

BIG Bee Banquet Halls, Savoi-Verem, Betqui, Goa



CME IN ASSOCIATION WITH MANIPAL HOSPITAL

IMA BARDEZ

Venue – Hotel Green Park, Guirim
Date 10th August 2024

Topic/Speakers
Parkinsons Disease
– Dr. Amrut Suresh

Newer advances in neurosurgery
– Dr Omkar Churi

GERD – Dr Mahadev Pokale



1 CME point granted 70 Members attended the CME

IMA BICHOLIM CONDEMNED THE BRUTAL ACT AGAINST THE 3RD YEAR PG STUDENT FROM RG KAR MEDICAL COLLEGE KOLKATA . AS A MARK OF PROTEST IMA BICHOLIM MEMBERS WORE BLACK ARMBAND.

IMA BICHOLIM



MULTI-SPECIALITY MEDICAL CAMP AT IDEAL HIGH SCHOOL PILGAON ON 18 AUGUST 2024



AWARENESS TALK ON CANCER IN WOMEN AND CERVICAL CANCER VACCINE ON 22 AUGUST 2024



C.M.E. ON ANEMIA IN PREGNANCY & MALE INFERTILITY BY SPEAKER DR. KEDAR PADTE ON 24 AUGUST 2024

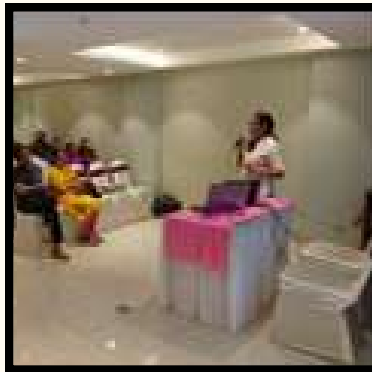


**SENSITIZATION WORKSHOP ON SAFETY
& SECURITY TO HEALTHCARE
PROFESSIONALS WITH
C.M. DR.PRAMOD SAWANT
H.M. VISHWAJEET RANE
C.S. PUNEET GOYAL
D.G.P. ALOK KUMAR ACTIVE
PARTICIPATION BY I.M.A.,G.A.R.D. & SPS**



IMA MORMUGAO

**IMA MORMUGOA HELD CME ON 30TH AUGUST 2024 AT HOTEL FLORA GRAND VASCO. ATTENDED
BY 34 MEMBERS . SPEAKER :DR SHILPA PANDYA(MBBS,DNB PSYCHIATRY)
TOPIC : MENTAL HEALTH :DIAGNOSTIC CHALLENGES.
THIS WAS FOLLOWED BY INTERESTING QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS SESSION**



IMA PONDA

DR. AJAY PEDNEKAR EXAMINED 16 PATIENTS AT REGULAR HEALTH CHECK UP CAMP AT BALKALYAN ASHRAM TALAULI ON SUNDAY.

FREE MEDICINES WERE GIVEN TO THE NEEDY PATIENTS.



A talk was delivered by Dr. Vallabh Dhaimodkar at the function organized by Jyeshtha Nagrik Manch at Nana Nani Park at Porvorim on 13/08/2024 Accompanied by Dr. Vandana Patankar & Dinar Mardolkar from Visava.

The programme was conducted on behalf of IMA PONDA, IMA PONDA CHARITABLE TRUST & NAPCAIM. Dr. Vallabh Dhaimodkar spoke in detail about Palliative Care, Dilasa & Visava. More than 50 participants attended, which included senior citizens, young people & some high school students. On the occasion 90yrs old Mr. Sajane was felicitated on his 90th birthday. Mr. Sajane was so much impressed that on the spot he donated a cheque of Rs. 9000/- in favour of IMA PONDA CHARITABLE TRUST.



Many others expressed their wish for contribution. Also some were interested to register & work as a volunteer for Dilasa. Many expressed their wish to visit Dilasa. Overall it was very fruitful programme giving positive exposure to IMA PONDA, IMA PONDA CHARITABLE TRUST, DILASA & VISAVA



Regular health check up under Aao Gao Chale project of IMA Ponda, Matruchaya Seva 25, IAP Goa, & Adolescent Health Cell of IMA Goa State was held at Matruchaya Dhavli on 14/08/24 Dr. Purnima examined 21 patients of which 3 were newborns, 6 infants, 7 older children, 3 adolescent girls, & 2 were adults. Medicines were sponsored by IMA Ponda & the Charitable Trust

IMA Ponda & IMA Ponda Charitable Trust paid homage to the departed soul of RG Kar Rape murder case by lighting candles. Dr. Dattaram Desai, Chairman of IMA Ponda Charitable Trust & Dr. Purnima Usgaonker Managing Trustee & Coordinator of Dilasa & Visava, addressed the gathering over the unhuman episode in Calcutta & the solidarity with IMA Headquarters & protest against the brutal murder & rape & the safety of doctors as well as all women from such atrocities. The nursing staff prepared placards & displayed them.

Dr. Smita, Dr. Mohandas, Dr. Rajesh & Dr. Amritha Deshmane. Mrs. Urmila better half of Dr. Dattaram also attended. Dr. Pankaj organized the programme. Dayanand, Krishna & Mr. Ashok also cooperated.

Members parted praying for the tortured soul to attain sadgati. Om Shanti.



CME & 8TH MONTHLY MEETING – 24/08/24**IMA PONDA**

CME & 8th monthly meeting of 2024 was conducted on Saturday at IMA house.

TOPIC 1: “ Risk stratification in CV disease in T2 DM and hypertension patients”.

**TOPIC2: “Fracture Healing: When to intervene.”
Speakers –1.Dr. Sujit Lagun , 2. Dr. Vikas Dadhich**

**4TH MONTHLY HEALTH CAMP 25/08/2024**

4TH monthly health camp organized by Shree Nagesh Maharudra Arogya Seva Manch was organized at Mayuresh Hall, Nageshim Bandora ON 25/08/2024 Blood Pressure , Blood Glucose monitoring & general health check up was done. HbA1c was done in indicated cases. 38 citizens were screened. IMA Ponda & IMA Ponda Charitable Trust members Dr. Lalana Bakhale, Dr. Manish Debsikdar & Dr. Vandana Patankar participated in the camp.



MEDICAL CAMP 25/08/2024**IMA TISWADI**

IMA Tiswadi in association with Rotary Club of Panaji, Inner wheel club of Panaji and Sarvajanic Ganeshotsav Samiti Kundaim successfully organised mega medical camp on 25th August 2024 at Sarvajanic Ganeshotsav Samiti Hall, Govt Primary School, Kundaim. Total 250 people benefited from the camp. Doctors from various specialities contributed their valuable time and expertise. 15 blood donors voluntarily contributed to blood donation drive.

**ANEMIA SCREENING CAMP-6TH JULY 2024**

IMA-MSN organized the Anemia Screening Camp for Adolescent Children along with Department of Community Medicine and Medical Staff at RHTC Mandur. MSN along with GMC students conducted this camp where 120 children of Dayanand Arya High School at Dongrim were screened for Anemia. These children were also advised on their dietary habits and how they could improve their hemoglobin levels to combat Anemia. Severely Anemic Children were then referred to RHTC for further follow up.



INTERNATIONAL CANCER SOCIETY WORKSHOP- 20TH JULY

IMA MSN



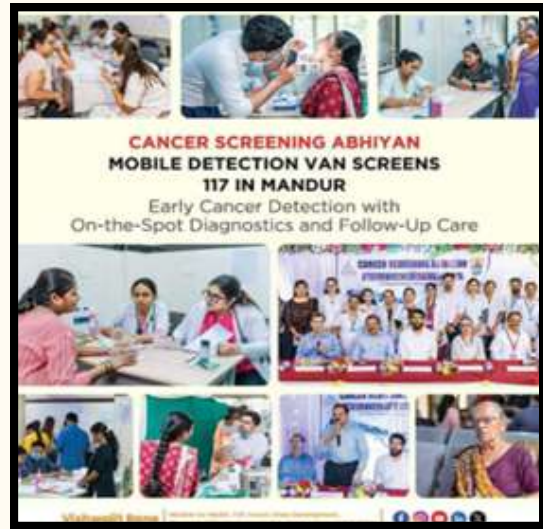
IMA-MSN Participated at the International Cancer Society's Comprehensive Workshop on Cancer Prevention & Management at Old Goa co-organised by Healthway Hospitals, Matruchaya's Rugnashraya & Muskaan. MSN Office bearers & 36 student members along with with MSN Advisor Dr.Jagadish A. Cacodcar were a part of it. Experts from Mumbai & Goa provided insights into detection & prevention of cervical, breast & oral cancers. Everybody present got to witness the expert panel discussion on cancer prevention & screening which included guest speakers Dr.Anita Borges(Oncopathologist),Dr. Sharmila Sardessai, Dr.Anupama Borkar, Dr.Subhash Bhosale, Dr.Ridhima Gaunkar & Dr.Amit Kalangutkar.



**CANCER SCREENING CAMP-
23RD JULY**

IMA MSN

IMA-MSN President and Secretary actively participated in the 1st Cancer Detection Abhiyaan through the Mobile Cancer Screening Bus at RHTC Mandur on 23rd July 2023. MSN Advisor Dr.Jagadish A. Cacodcar was appointed as the Nodal Officer of the Abhiyaan.



CANCER SCREENING CAMP- 23RD JULY



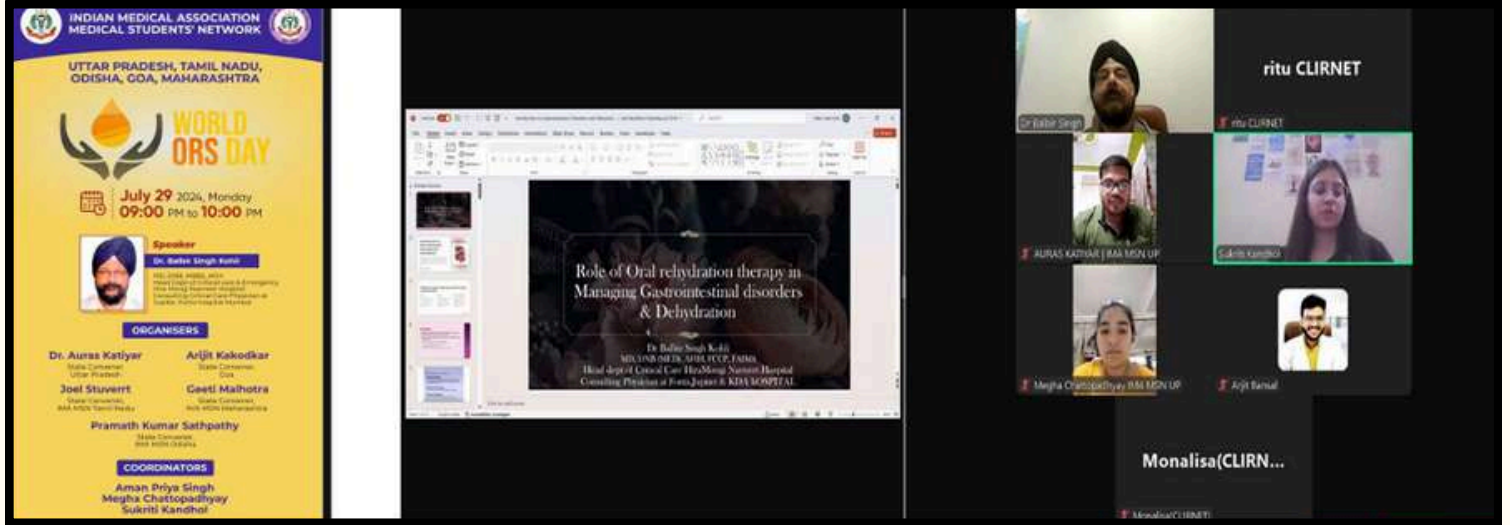
MSN President & Secretary joined the RHTC Mandur Medical staff & Community Medicine Postgraduates in conducting a Primary Screening questionnaire for the Camp attendees. A total of 117(Males-22 & Females-95) were a part of it.



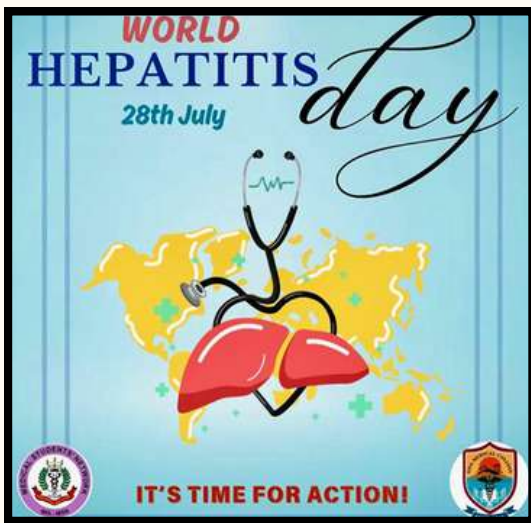
WORLD ORS DAY 29TH JULY 2024

IMA MSN

IMA-MSN Uttar Pradesh, Tamil Nadu, Orissa, Goa & Maharashtra organized an Online Webinar on the topic of ORS on 29th July 2024. MSN Goa Convenor Arijit Kakodkar was one of the organizers for the same.



WORLD HEPATITIS DAY



IMA MSN POSTER & REEL

On the occasion of World Hepatitis Day which is celebrated on the 28th July, IMA-MSN took a proactive step to raise awareness about the importance of hepatitis prevention & treatment. They designed an impactful social media poster & reel that was shared across their Facebook & Instagram Platforms.

CANCER SCREENING AT CHC VALPOI 10/08/2024 IMA MSN

After the first Cancer Screening Camp at RHTC Mandur, IMA-MSN students participated actively in the second Camp using the Mobile Cancer detection Van at Community Health Centre, Valpoi on 10th August 2024. MSN members Chirag Dessai, Dhruv Mundhra, Vedant Majik and Divyanka Naik participated in this & volunteered to help the Medical in active screening of the villagers who came for the camp. MSN Advisor Dr. Jagadish Cacodcar was appointed as the Nodal officer of the Abhiyaan.



THIRD CANCER SCREENING CAMP 24/08/20024

The third Cancer Screening Abhiyaan took place at CHC Curchorem on 24th August 2024. MSN students Zoheb Shaikh & Asmita Prabhudessai participated actively in the camp, engaging with the patient through a structured questionnaire designed to assist in effective cancer screening. Along with the students there was team of Goa dental College & Directorate of Health Services who carried this Abhiyaan by their staggering work for 177 Beneficiaries.



CANCER SCREENING AT CHC VALPOI

Total Number of patients screened were 224(Males:68 & Females:156) Ultrasound of the pelvis performed:2 Digital Mammography done: 4 Sono-Mammography done :9 Pap smears performed were taken to Goa Medical College for Cervical Cancer Screening



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