



● **PRE-CONFERENCE COURSE** ●

Primary Care Rheumatology for Physicians, GPs & PGs

Date: November 24, 2022 | Timings: 09:05 AM - 04:45 PM (IST)

Venue: Dr. M M Desai Hall, Brilliant Convention Centre

No. of Slots: 250 nos.

Registration Fee : Consultants: INR 1,500/- | Residents: INR 1,200/-
Overseas Participants: Nil

Time	Chairpersons	Topic	Speaker
09:05 AM - 09:10 AM		Opening remarks & Overview	Dr. Chandrashekara S. (President Elect, IRA) Bengaluru
09:15 AM - 09:30 AM	Dr. Zoya Zaidi (Aligarh) & Dr. Sanjay Gujrati (Indore)	Spectrum of rheumatic diseases in the community	Dr. Arvind Chopra (Pune)
09:35 AM - 09:50 AM		Approach to back pain & neck pain	Dr. Molly Thabab (JIPMER, Puducherry)
		Q&A	
09:55 AM - 10:15 AM	Dr. Niharika Gill (Mumbai) & Dr. Chetan Airen (Indore)	Basic minimum assessment of MSK & other systems in a patient with joint pain	Dr. A. N. Malaviya (Delhi)
10:20 AM - 10:35 AM		Relevant laboratory investigations & interpretation in a case with RMD	Dr. Yojana Gokhale (Mumbai)
		Q&A	
10:40 AM - 10:50 AM		TEA BREAK	
10:55 AM - 11:10 AM	Dr. Firdaus Fatima (Hyderabad) & Dr. Parag Agrawal (Indore)	Sensible imaging & interpretation in a case with RMD	Dr. Sarath Chandra Mouli Veeravalli (Hyderabad)
11:15 AM - 11:30 AM		Responsible pain management in vague aches & pains	Dr. Sarbani R Sengupta (Kolkata)
		Q&A	
11:35 AM - 11:50 AM	Dr. Vishal Kaura Aggarwal (Delhi) & Dr. Arun Kedia (Raipur)	Assessing disease in a case of Rheumatoid Arthritis in the community	Dr. Harpreet Singh (PGIMS, Rohtak)
11:55 AM - 12:15 PM		Common medications in Rheumatological diseases - NSAIDs & csDMARDs	Dr. Jyotsna Oak (Mumbai)
		Q&A	
12:20 PM - 12:50 PM		LUNCH BREAK	
12:55 PM - 01:10 PM	Dr. Shailaja Sabnis (Mumbai) & Dr. Praveen Dani (Indore)	Adult Vaccination in a case with RMD	Dr. Narayan Banerjee (Kolkata)
01:15 PM - 01:30 PM		Rational use of corticosteroids in rheumatic diseases	Dr. Madhumita Priyadarshini Das
		Q&A	
01:35 PM - 01:50 PM	Dr. Anupama Swamy (Bengaluru) & Dr. Ajay Parikh (Indore)	Biologicals – DOs & DON'Ts for GPs	Dr. U.R.K. Rao (Hyderabad)
01:55 PM - 02:10 PM		How to pick up & treat osteoporosis in the community	Dr. Aradhana Singh (Jaipur)
		Q&A	
02:15 PM - 02:30 PM	Dr. Lata Bichile (Mumbai) & Dr. Mohit Goyal (Udaipur)	Hyperuricemia-when to treat & when not to treat	Dr. Udas Chandra Ghosh (Kolkata)
02:35 PM - 02:50 PM		Healthy referral system between Primary care doctors & Rheumatologists: DOs & DON'Ts	Dr. Renu Saigal (Jaipur)
		Q&A	



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02:55 PM - 03:15 PM	Dr. Anuradha Venugopal (Pune) & Dr. R.K. Jha (Indore)	Complications & emergencies in RMDs in general practice	Dr. Sukumar Mukherjee (Kolkata)
03:20 PM - 03:35 PM		Rheumatological manifestations of systemic diseases	Dr. Hema Murugesan (Chennai)
		Q&A	
03:40 PM - 03:55 PM	Dr. Dolly Joseph (Indore) & Dr. Ashok Sethia (Indore)	Managing rheumatic diseases with concurrent infections including TB	Dr. N. V. Jayachandran (Calicut)
04:00 PM - 04:15 PM		Managing rheumatic diseases during perioperative period	Dr. Rajesh S (Thiruvananthapuram)
		Q&A	
04:20 PM - 04:40 PM	Lead Panelists: Dr. V Rajamani (Coimbatore) & Dr. Kiran Seth (Noida)	Panel discussion on: Antirheumatic medications in pregnancy & lactation	Core Panelists: Dr. Kavita Nallappa Reddy (Hyderabad), Dr. Ritu Aneja (Delhi), Dr. Swetal Pandey (Delhi), Dr. Raja N (Vellore)
04:40 PM - 04:45 PM		Closing remarks	Dr. Yapi Jerang (Itanagar)

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