

# **ACTIVITIES OF STATE CHAPTERS 2019**

## **1. ANDHRA PRADESH STATE CHAPTER**

- 19 February 2019 @ Kakinada CME on Basics and Advanced in Plastic surgery.
- 24 March 2019 @ Kakinada CME live workshop on H&N Oncology
- 7 April 2019 @ Visakhapatnam CME on Thyroid Disorders
- 5 May 2019 @ Visakhapatnam on Breast Cancer awareness and Women and adolescent Girl Health awareness
- 17 July 2019 — @ Kakinada CME live workshop on Basic Laparoscopy and Hernia repair.
- 11 August 2019 @ Vizianagaram on Hernia Workshop
- 23-25 August 2019 @ Vijayawada on 42<sup>nd</sup> Annual Conference of ASI-AP Chapter APASICON-2019
- 1 September 2019 @ Kakinada CME
- 11 September 2019 @ Tirupathi CME on Vascular Reconstruction and Management of Diabetic foot
- 13 September 2019 Tirupathi CME on Thyroid Cancers Surgery
- 14 September 2019 @ Visakhapatnam on Personality Development for Faculty & PG Students
- 28 September 2019 @ Rajahmundry CME on Live Comprehensive Hernia
- 29 September 2019 @ Visakhapatnam on Scope of Laparoscopic Surgery

### **UPCOMING EVENTS**

- 20 October @ Kurnool-Newer Horizons in Anorectal Surgery.
- 1—3 November @ Anathapur – XIII General and Digestive Surgery Workshop and PGCME.
- 12 November 2019 @ Kakinada CME - Live workshop on Lasers in Proctology
- 13-14 December 2019 @ Rajahmundry –SIMULCON India -2019

## **2. ASSAM STATE CHAPTER**

Having taken charge on the 6<sup>th</sup> of January, 2019 at Guwahati, our executive body this year came up with a very active academic and social activities calendar, and I must say, we have been able to live to our expectations.

### **Surgical Workshops and training programmes**

We have been able to organize **4 surgical workshops**.

1. A CME cum **Live Laparoscopic Surgery Workshop** was held on 24<sup>th</sup> of February, 2019 organised by Tinsukia branch of ASA. Dr. Akhil Saxena from Delhi performed successful live advanced laparoscopic surgeries on 5 patients.
2. Dibrugarh Branch of ASA conducted a **Hands on Skill course and workshop on Knotting and Suturing** on 16<sup>th</sup> March, with Dr. Suddhasattwa Sen from A.M.R.I hospitals, Kolkata

3. A workshop on **research methodology** was conducted in the department of Surgery by the Dibrugarh Branch on 18<sup>th</sup>, 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> of March, 2019,
4. The Guwahati branch of Assam State chapter of ASI in association with A.B.S.I and B.Borooah Cancer Institute, Guwahati organised a Day long **live operative workshop on Breast Cancer** on 26<sup>th</sup> of April 2019. DR. S.V.S Deo, Prof. and HOD, Dept of Surgical Oncology, AIIMS Delhi and Dr. Gaurav Agarwal, Professor of Endocrine Surgery, SGPGI Lucknow along with few local faculty were the resource persons.

#### **Flood relief and Rural Health Camps:**

**2 rural health camps** were organized till October. 1 more is planned.

1. The Jorhat Branch conducted a Rural Health Camp in the Flood affected areas of Jhanji Mukh, Teok, Jorhat, Assam on 28/ 07/ 2019. All together, more than 300 patients were registered and we distributed free medicine and bleaching powder to the patients.
2. Dibrugarh Branch conducted a very successful one day rural health camp on 1st September 2019 at Moina Miri Gaon of Lezai bolch (Kalakhowa) , Dibrugarh. Free medical check up including free laboratory investigation were conducted and patients were provided with some basic medications free of cost.All total, 228 patients were registered in the camp.

#### **Academic Activities:**

In total, we had **11 C.M.E s** conducted by different branches.

1. 1<sup>st</sup> C.M.E was at Guwahati on 6<sup>th</sup> Jan, 2019 along with the charge handover ceremony .It was on pain management.
2. The Barak Valley branch organised a C.M.E on 16<sup>th</sup> of Feb, 2019 at S.M.C.H
3. Tinsukia Branch of ASA conducted a C.M.E on 24<sup>th</sup> of February at St. Luke's Hospital.
4. The Dibrugarh branch conducted a C.M.E on 16. 03.2019 with Dr. Suddhasattwa Sen from A.M.R.I hospitals.
5. The Guwahati branch in association with A.B.S.I and B.B.C.I Guwahati organised a C.M.E on various ABSI modules on Breast cancer at Guwahati on 26<sup>th</sup> April,2019, with a good attendance of 50 delegates
6. A C.M.E was organised by the Dibrugarh on 28.04.2019 at Hotel Little Palace, Dibrugarh.
7. **Mid Term C.M.E**

The Nagaon branch of Assam State Chapter of ASI conducted a very successful **MID TERM C.M.E** of the association at HAMM Hospital, HOJAI with an attendance of more than 150 delegates on **4<sup>th</sup> of May, 2019**.

This time, the MID TERM CME on 4<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 was based on a single theme "INGUINAL HERNIA", **Dr. Parveen Bhatia**, Chairman, Institute of Minimal Access, Metabolic & Bariatric Surgery (iMAS) ,Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, New Delhi along with many other Renowned Faculties from the state of Assam participated in the C.M.E.

8. The Guwahati branch organised a C.M.E on "Current Trends in General surgery" on 18<sup>th</sup> of May, 2019 at G.N.R.C hosp.
9. Guwahati branch conducted a C.M.E on "ANORECTAL UPDATE" on 15<sup>th</sup> of June, 2019 at Hotel Lily. Dr. Kushal Mittal, eminent surgeon from Mumbai delivered a detailed update on the "Recent trends in Proctology.
10. Dibrugarh Branch conducted a C.M.E on 22.06.2019 at Hotel Rajawas, Dibrugarh

11. A C.M.E on Breast cancer was organised by the Guwahati Branch in association with AONEI on 12<sup>th</sup> of Oct, 2019 at Taj Vivanta, Guwahati, where many eminent National speakers participated. We had a panel discussion on locally advanced Breast carcinoma and a P.G Masterclass as well.

### **Regional Refresher Course**

The Guwahati branch conducted a very successful Regional Refresher Course of ASI at Guwahati Medical College & Hospital on 29<sup>th</sup> and 30<sup>th</sup> of June, 2019. All together more than 250 postgraduates and faculty from all across North East participated in the event under the able leadership and moderation of Prof. Santosh John Abraham.

### **Post Graduate Master Class**

All total, we conducted **3 P.G masterclasses**.

1. The Barrak Valley Branch conducted a *P. G Masterclass on 16<sup>th</sup> of February, 2019 at Silchar Medical College and Hospital.* Dr SR Ghosal Prof & HOD, JIMSH Medical College, West Bengal was among the other faculties at the Surgery
2. Another P.G masterclass was held on 1<sup>2<sup>th</sup></sup> Oct, 2019 on Breast cancer at Guwahati.
3. P.G master class on Inguinal hernia and Soft Tissue Sarcoma was held on 20<sup>th</sup> of October at ASACON 2019 at Tezpur.

### **Skill Courses**

Skill courses for post graduates were held in the month of July, 2019 at Guwahati and Dibrugarh, as well as during the Annual conference ASACON 2019 at Tezpur in Oct, 2019.

### **Awareness Programmes**

Dibrugarh Branch of Assam Chapter of ASI conducted 2 awareness programmes on 27<sup>th</sup> February at the OIL auditorium in front of their Nursing students at Duliajan, Dibrugarh. Topics were :

1. Prevention and early detection of Breast Carcinoma by Dr. Rocket Brahma and
2. Congenital Birth Defects by Dr. Hemonta Dutta. The meetings were well attended by nearly 120 nursing students and Teachers, including a few other staff.
3. Dibrugarh Branch with the help of A.M.C.H Students Union successfully organised a Road Safety Awareness programme for the general public on 29<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 at AMCH premises, Dibrugarh, Assam.

### **Plantation Drive:**

Dibrugarh Branch of Assam State Chapter of ASI recently conducted a plantation drive in Assam Medical College campus in Dibrugarh with the help of staff and students of AMCH on 16<sup>th</sup> of June 2019. All total 100 different plant sapplings were planted in the "Go Green Initiative" and more are planned further.

### **Newsletters**

Two newsletters have been published till this month.

Volume 6 No. 1 Surgery Papyrus, Jan – April 2019  
Volume 6 No. 2 Surgery Papyrus, May – August 2019

### **Publications**

Two volumes of Journal of Association of Surgeons of Assam have been released.

JASA Volume 26, No.1 January 2019 - April 2019

JASA Volume 26, No. 2 May 2019 - September 2019

### **Annual Conference ASACON 2019:**

The 30<sup>th</sup> Annual conference of Assam Chapter of ASI was held in Tezpur from 18<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> of Oct, 2019. It was attended by more than 300 delegates including ASI President.

### **Flood Relief Contribution**

The Assam State Chapter of ASI has donated a sum of Rs. 1,50,000 (one lakh fifty thousand only) to the chief ministers relief fund towards the welfare of flood affected victims of the state of Assam.

The matter was acknowledged and appreciated by the Chief Minister of Assam

## **3. BIHAR STATE CHAPTER**

Bihar Chapter of ASI Organised many academic activities prominent among them were:-

Sl.No.	Event	Date	Venue
1	Prostate Cancer Detecting Camp	19.01.2019	Anupama Hospital Pvt. Ltd, Patna
2	Cancer Awareness Society	20.01.2019	Begusarai
3	Case reports in GI Surgery	24.01.2019	A.I.I.M.S., Patna
4	World Cancer Day	04.02.2019	Begusarai
5	CME on Liver Transplan	09.02.2019	I.G.I.M.S., Patna
6	Surgical Resident Training Programme	11.05.2019	N.M.C.H., Patna
7	Laser Proctology	12.05.2019	A.I.I.M.S., Patna
8	CME on Recent Advances in Proctology	20.06.2019	Hotel Chanakya, Patna
9	Safe Lap Cholecystectomy	17.07.2019	Anupama Hospital Pvt. Ltd, Patna
10	Single Theme CME on Laparoscopic Cholecyctomy	20.07.2019	I.G.I.M.S., Patna
11	CME on Peptic Ulcer Diseae	01.08.2019	Anupama Hospital Pvt. Ltd, Patna
12	CME & Workshop – VAAFT & LIFT PROCEDURES	24.08.2019	I.G.I.M.S., Patna

#### **4. DELHI STATE CHAPTER**

1. Monthly Meetings and PG Master Class- With 12 institutions as the circulatory hosts every month which is very well attended by the both Postgraduate students and the Surgical fraternity- The Family of ASI Delhi State Chapter.
2. Hands-on Workshop in different Surgical Principles every month-Abdominal Wall Closure- AllMS, Laparoscopic Basic Skill Course-MAMC, Lasers in Proctology-Sehgal Neo Hospital, Basic Surgical Skill Course- Northern Railway Hospital.
3. Scientific Paper writing Workshop-a one-day Scientific Writing Workshop on 16th June, 2019 at Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, with a focus on Postgraduates and younger surgeons while also getting the senior colleagues to share both the information and ignorance based on their experience
4. Surgical Clinical Oriented Practical Examination Course (SCOPE) - Organised twice in 2019 in February and September, A three days of Exclusive Surgical training classes by eminent teachers from allover India and attended by the approx. 350 PG students across India made this one of the best attended Surgical training event.
5. Public Awareness Programs and Camps-Rural Camp at Aggarwal Dhramshala, by Sir Ganga Ram Hospital attended by approx. 250 patients, free medications were also distributed for the needful; Public awareness Lecture on Common Colo-rectal diseases organised by Digestive Disease Clinic-Dr. Neeraj Dhamija.
6. Endorsed meetings, CME and Symposiums- Robo-Oncocon (Max Hospital), Endolap MAMC, Asian Lapcon, Recent Trends I Proctology-Guest Speaker Dr. Kushal Mittal, Role of Energy Sources in Surgical Practice- Action Balaji Hospital, Breast Cancer Prevention: Challenges and New possibilities-Delhi Breast Oncology Group with Guest Speaker Dr. Frank Hoffmann from Germany,
7. Dr. KC Mahajan Annual CME and PG Master Class- Organised at Northern Railway hospital, Theme- Hepatico-Pancreatico-Biliary Surgery, Dr. KC Mahajan Oration delivered by the legend Dr. Tehmton E Udhwadia.
8. Medico-legal Cell of Deli-ASI Annual Meeting- Medicolegal Aspects in Surgical Practice, Organised by Sir Ganga Ram Hospital, The Guest Speaker was Advocate Mahendra Kumar Bajpai (Author: 'Law of Criminal Liability & Medical Negligence') and Guest of Honour was Dr. Girish Tyagi (President DMA, Registrar DMC).
9. Travelling Fellowship- Awarded in the field of Laparoscopic Oncological surgery and Bariatric surgery to the eligible selected candidate by the selection committee of the ASI-Delhi.

10. Annual Meeting of SELSICON (Society of Endoscopic and Laparoscopic Surgeons of India) 2019-Close to 1000 delegates and 100 exhibitors participated in the conference which was organized over 5 days. Approx. 50 live surgeries were conducted as a part of live operative workshop in the decline of Laparoscopic Surgery, Thoracic Surgery and Gynaecology surgery.
11. Annual Conference of ASI- Delhi SURGICON 2019- will be organised by Deen Dayal Hospital from 22nd to 24th November at Manekshaw Convention Centre, Delhi. In this we organize competitive paper, free paper, poster presentation, oration, lectures and quiz.
12. President's Medal for ASI Delhi- Will be awarded to the Postgraduate with maximum number of publications in the year 2019, this activity has boosted the scientific writing in the Surgical trainees.

## **6. GOA STATE CHAPTER**

- On 2/3/19 cme.lecture and presentation by Dr Aparna Bhanushali on molecular Diagnostics and molecular profiling in oncology.
- On 10/3/19cme by Dr Roy Patankar, Mumbai topic-tips and tricks in managemnet of Gerd.
- On 21/7/19 live laproscopic opeative workshop by dr Roy patankar.Following operations were carried out 1)cholecystectomy2) umbilical hernia3)achalasia cardia 4)gerd gastroplication
- On 31/8/19 cme by dr Pravin gore,mumbai-basics to newer advances in management of haemorrhoids
- On 19/10/19--cme-role of radiodiagnosis in surgery by spectralbs pune--dr solav

## **7. GUJARAT STATE CHAPTER**

### **1 - LAPCON 2019 - Dates- 24th & 25th February**

At Grand Mercure- Surya Palace "Baroda"

Organized by Baroda Surgeons Association

Org. Chairman – Dr Ashwin Shah; Org. Secretary – Dr Divyesh Shah

Faculties – Dr. P Pathania, Dr. Sendil Kumar, Dr. Rajesh Shrivastava, Dr. Kalpesh Jani, Dr. Bhikubhai Patel, Dr. Ram Raksha Pal

Delegates and 50 Post Graduate Students attend.

### **2 - LAPAROCON 2019 - Dates- 16<sup>th</sup> & 17<sup>th</sup> March**

At Atithi Devo Bhavah – Rajkot

Organized by – Association of Sureons of Rajkot

Org. Secretary – Dr Amit Acharya, Org. Chairman – Amit Sitapara

National Faculties-

Dr Shailesh Puntambaker; Dr Roy Patankar; Dr Rajesh Shrivastava

Dr Prashant Rao; Dr. Kalpesh Jani; Dr. Deborshi Sharma; Dr Kamlesh Patel

185 Delegates attended

### **3 - LAP-URO FIT 2019 - Date- 7<sup>th</sup> April**

At Unity Hospital – Modasa

Organized by Sabarkantha – Aravalli Surgeons Association

Org. Chairman- Dr Minesh Gandhi, Org. Secretary – Dr Nishit Patel

One Day Live Surgical Workshop of Laparoscopic & Urological Cases

195 Delegates attended

### **4-EXCELLENCE IN LAP HERNIA - Dates- 24<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> May**

A Hands-On Training Course in LAP HERNIA SURGERY

At Meril Academy – Vapi & Vedanta Medical College - Dhanu

Organized by Vapi Surgeons Association

Organizing Chairman – Dr Rajesh Shrivastava

FACULTIES –

Dr B Ramana; Dr Jignesh Gandhi; Dr Rahul Mahadar; Dr Ramesh Punjani

Dr Pramod Shinde; Dr Rajesh Mahida

A Total 130 Delegates attended the Conference & 24 Delegates were registered for Hands-on Training Course.

### **5 -TRAUMASICON JBS CSE 2019 - Dates- 6<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> September**

At JB Auditorium AMA- Ahmedabad

Org. Secretary – Dr Sanjay Shah, President- IATCC

It was 9<sup>th</sup> National Conference in Trauma Care

210 Delegates attended

### **GUJASICON 2019**

Dates – 11<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> October

Report already send & Received by Headquarters

## 8. JAMMU & KASHMIR STATE CHAPTER

A CSEP was conducted on 2<sup>nd</sup> August 2019 at “Hotel Four Point Sherraton” Sonwar Srinagar on theme of “COLORECTAL DISEASE”. Dr. Zaffar Khanday, Hony Treasurer of JAKASI was the Organizing Secretary under the overall supervision of Prof. Fazl Q Parry, the Chairman of JAKASI. The programme was started with a Video Presentation on SSI by Dr. Adarsh Chaudhary from Medanta, followed by Guest Lecturers by Prof. Ajaz Rather from SKIMS-MC (Staplers in Colorectal Surgery, Dr. Zaffar Khanay from GMC Srinagar (Children with Anorectal Malformations). Dr. Akhter Ganai delivered a video presentation on MIPH, Dr. Zahoor Naik spoke on the topic, “Advances in Rectal Surgery”, whereas; Dr. Asif Mehraj spoke on “Managing Rectal Prolapse”. Vote of thanks was extended by Dr. Zaffar Khanday.

Mid Term Conference of JAKASI was organized by Dr. Tashi Motup, Senior Surgeon Leh in collaboration with ELSA-OP, SNM Hospital & Health Department at Leh, under the theme of “Advanced Laparoscopic” on 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> September, 2019. Prof. Nisar Chowdri, Prof. Fazl Q parry, Dr. K.C. Sharma along with others represented JK Chapter, whereas delegates and Guest Speakers from Singapore, Nepal, Delhi, Chandigarh and local surgeons from Leh & Kargil attended the conference. International faculty who delivered invited guest lectures were; Prof. David Lamanto (Singapore), Prof. Shailesh Adhikari (Nepal), Dr. Anil Sharam (Delhi), Prof. Muneer Khan (Srinagar). A cultural event and Galla dinner was also organized.

On 4<sup>th</sup> October, 2019, Postgraduate Department of Surgery under the aegis of JK Chapter of Association of Surgeons of India (JAKASI) organized Laparoscopic Inguinal Hernia Repair Workshop in GMC Jammu in Main Surgical Operation Theater. The workshop was inaugurated by Principal Medical College Jammu, Dr. Sunanda Raina and Prof. N.C.Digra. Visiting Faculty from AIIMS, New Delhi Prof. (Dr) Rajinder Prasad operated upon three cases of Inguinal Hernia with two techniques of TAPP/TEP. Senior Surgeons from Directorate of Health Services Jammu, Faculty, Registrars and Postgraduates from ASCOMS & GMC Jammu, GMC Kathua and GMC Rajouri attended one day workshop and got enriched in surgical skill of this advanced laparoscopic technique that shall ultimately benefit the patients. Prof. Parsad was assisted by GMC Jammu Surgical Faculty comprising Dr. Sanjay Sharma, Dr. Javeed Iqbal and Dr. Rajni Bhardawaj in the OT along with Kuljeet Sing and Davinder Rathore as Senior Laparoscopy Assistants. The anesthesia team was led by Prof. Mukta Jatinder and Assisted by Prof. Anju Singh, Dr. Aarti Gupta, Dr. Neha Mahajan, Dr. Renu Wakloo and Registrars/Residents. Senior faculty who attended this workshop included Prof. R.K. Chrungoo, Prof. K.S. Mehta, Prof. S.L. Kachroo, Prof. Suresh Saraf, Dr. Raj Rishi Sharma, Dr. Ajay Mishri, Dr. Harbinder Singh, Dr. Gurpreet Singh, Dr. Ravinder Kumar, Dr. Vijay Kumar and many others. After Laparoscopic workshop a Guest Lecture on “Laparoscopic Hernia Repair: TAAPP/TEP” was delivered by Prof. Rajinder Parsad. Master of the ceremony was Dr. Ratnakar Sharma and the Workshop/CME was organized by Dr. Sanjay Kumar Bhasin, Honorary Secretary JAKASI & Head of Surgery Unit-II, GMC Jammu under the overall supervision of Dr. N.C. Digra Prof & Head of Surgery Department and Governing Council Member of Association of Surgeons of India (ASI).



## **9. JHARKHAND STATE CHAPTER**

This is to inform you that a state level CME was organized by our chapter in association with giridih city branch of ASI. Details are given below,

1. Topic-- Renal transplant-- Bird's eye view,

Speaker—Dr (Prof) Rana AK Singh, HOD, Dept of surgery and renal transplant, New Delhi

2. Topic-- Bile duct injury, prevention and management

Speaker--- Dr Ajay Kumar mandal, hepatobiliary surgeon, Kolkata

CME was attended by more than 40 surgeons from all over jharkhand.

CME was followed by executive committee meeting.

## **10. KARNATAKA STATE CHAPTER**

Being one of the vibrant branches of ASI the aim has always been to achieve academic excellence and provide service. Consisting of 19 branches KSC ASI is always involved in conduct of activities which aim at updating members with recent advances in the field of surgery.

The year started with 37<sup>th</sup> Annual state conference organized jointly by Ballari city branch and Vijayanagara branch and hosted by Dept. of General surgery, VIMS, Ballari from 15 to 17<sup>th</sup> February 2019. It was attended by more than 750 delegates. National president Dr. Aravind Kumar graced the occasion and presented ASI vision statement much to the appreciation of the members.

The second MIDCON conference was held at Mangalore organized by South Canara branch and hosted by Department of General Surgery, K.S. Hegde Medical Academy, Mangaluru from 19 to 20<sup>th</sup> October 2019. The focus was on PG teaching and was attended by 250 delegates.

We had held three EC meetings which took major decisions in conduct of state chapter activities and in revamping the city branch organization and functioning.

KSCASI is in the forefront of enrolling new members in to the fold of ASI. In the ASI Social Security Scheme it hopes to achieve better enrolment. Keeping in line with the ASI mission statement KSCASI state chapter and many of its branches went to the remote village Government primary schools in their area and identified and honored selected teachers for their selfless service.

When the floods created havoc in a north Karnataka Hubli Dharwad branch, Baglkot branch and Bijapur branch along with other Medical and Non medical organisations were at the forefront of providing succor to the flood affected both medically and in rehabilitation.

Bagalkot branch innovatively arranged a programme which focused on the health of its members and aptly called it "walk for health".

## 11. KERALA STATE CHAPTER

- 1) **Peripheral Conference** in February 2019 at Azeezia Medical College, Kollam. Two days event was attended by 200 Surgeons. Lectures & symposium were of high standard.
- 2) **KASICON** in April 2019 at MES Medical College at Perinthalmanna. One day Live Surgical Workshop & CME for 2 days was attended by 300 Surgeons. Dr Raghavachari Oration, Dr Mohan Das Memorial Oration, short papers, video sessions and symposium were well received by Delegates. New set of office bearers were elected unanimously. Dr R Padmakumar (Chairman), Dr Jimmy C John (Hon. Secretary), Dr Vinod Kumar (Treasurer), Dr E.V Gopi (Chairman Elect). Various awards were presented during the General body meeting.
- 3) **Annual CME** in October 2019 at P K Das Institute Palakkad was also a grand success with 200 surgeons participating in the academic feast. Various case discussions and clinical classes were of real benefit to the post graduates. Dr M L Dathan Memorial Endowment lecture and video sessions were also there.
- 4) **Thirteen city branches** are very active with monthly meetings and academic sessions which has contributed to the academic improvement of Surgeons and Post graduates.
- 5) Conducted clinical case discussions named **KASI CLINICS** and skill development sessions by **hands-on training**.
- 6) **Sports and Cultural** events are conducted on yearly basis.
- 7) **Kerala Surgical Journal** with very good articles are published twice a year to encourage Surgeons and PGs; to write and publish their clinical and research activities.
- 8) The **News Letter** (twice a year) was printed and published to spread information on various activities of the chapter.
- 9) **Awards** - We have Sushrutha award for Best Teacher, Chairman's trophy for the Best Surgical Department, Best Thesis award and another 10 sets of awards to enhance the academic activities of our fellow Surgeons.
- 10) The participation by office bearers, faculty and delegates in National Conference is commendable.

## 12. MADHYA PRADESH STATE CHAPTER

MP chapter of ASI is a vibrant chapter of ASI with close to 900 members. At present INDORE, BHOPAL, JABALPUR, GWALIOR, REWA, UJJAIN city chapter are conducting their activities. Upcoming activities in new cities with surgical club creation in Khandwa, and Ratlam, Vidisha are in line because of creation of new medical colleges.

MP ASICON 2019 – REPORT the 36th annual conference of MP ASI was held on 23rd and 24th February 2019 at Hotel Anjushree Inn, Ujjain, under the auspices of ASI Ujjain City Branch.

The organising committee composed of Dr. Ajay Gupta as chairman and Dr. S.K. Dhakaita as secretary. Dr. Uday Jejurikar (Past President –MP ASI) was the chief advisor.

Scientific programme was formulated in consultation with State Executive Body, Chairman Dr. Sumit Shukla and Secretary Dr. Ankur Maheshwari, Executive council of State and Past Presidents of MPASI. A total of 24 hours of scientific activity was executed in these 2 days covering all aspects of general and speciality surgery comprising of 43 presentations, 2 panel discussions on Intestinal fistula (moderator Dr. Ajit Sevkani, Bhopal) and Polytrauma (moderator Dr. Rachna Gupta, Rewa), 7 video presentations. ASI-SSS was discussed by Dr. Satish Shukla. Other important speakers include Dr. V.D.Upadhyay (Lucknow), Dr. G. Siddhesh (Mysore) Dr. Mandar Nadkarni (Mumbai) Dr. Ashok Laddha (Indore) Dr. Sandeep Sabnis (Coimbatore) Dr. Nitin Patel (Vadodara) to name a few. Orations were awarded as: 1. Dr. Jamnalal Parekh Memorial Award to Dr. Abhay Dalvi (Mumbai) 2. M.L. Sharma Memorial Award to Dr. Santosh John Abraham (Kochi) 3. Dr. B. B. Ohri Memorial Award to Dr. Sumit Shukla (Indore)

Mission 2019-2020 was discussed in detail by National ASI President Dr. Arvind Kumar (Delhi) and was well appreciated by the delegates. president honoured Dr. P.Shrimal for his contribution in scientific session in last 3 MPASICON held at Ujjain

A total of 316 delegates were registered for the conference which has been allotted 3 (three) credit points by MCI.

Regular features of MPASICON viz. Surgical Quiz (by Quizmaster Dr. Dilip Acharya), Poster presentations, free paper session and competitive paper sessions in various categories, as L.S.Acharya District Award, Sushil Jhawar Young Surgeon Award, V.K. Agrawal best thesis paper award and S.P. Agrawal best PG paper Award were also carried out. Participation certificates mentioning the credit hours were given to all delegates and scientific presentation certificates were presented to the presentors.

Scientific session was inaugurated by Dr. Santosh J. Abraham, Dr. Abhay Dalvi and Dr. S.N. Tiwari (Gwalior) in morning hours of day 1, well in time.

Inaugural Function was carried out on Day 1 evening, with Prof. Dr. Satish Shukla (Past president ASI and National Advisor ASI-SSS) as chief guest, Hon'ble secretary ASI Dr. Sanjay Jain & director Academic council ASI Dr. Santosh John Abraham as the guest of honour, EC members from MP Dr. Achal Gupta and Dr. Amitabh Goel were special guests of the

occasion.

DR. S.M.Hastak (Jabalpur) and Dr. G.N. Sharma (Ujjain) were honoured with lifetime achievement awards along with another state award which was conducted by Secretary MPASI Dr. Ankur Maheshwari.

Delegates also enjoyed the trade exhibitions and Gala Banquet dinner in the evening of inaugural ceremony.

Organising team was also felicitated and outgoing chairman Dr. Sumit Shukla handed on the Presidential collar to Dr. Ajay Gupta (Ujjain) MPASI President for the year 2019-2020.

MPASICON 2020 was awarded to Bhopal city branch with Dr S K Nigam as org.Chairman and Dr Rajeev Sharda and Dr Atul Agrawal as organizing Secretary.

The annual conference of the Indian Association of Endocrine surgeons of India IAES was held on 27th -28th September 2019 at Indore by MPASI, and IAES. The conference was two day affair which focused on various Endocrine problems all of us encounter in our day to day practice. The Theme was 'promoting safe Endocrine Surgery'.It was attended by 200 delegates from all over country.

MPASI in association with ASI Bhopal city organized Three training workshop on Colorectal surgery under the proctorship of Dr S K Nigam and Dr Rajeev Sharda.

Similar programme was also held in Indore under proctorship of Dr Ashok Laddha and Dr Amitabh Goel.

Dr Achal Gupta Organized One day training programs for PGs in Gwalior For advanced Endosurgery on Enditrainers.

Gwalior also organised Midterm conference of DFSI in April 2019 with Dr Achal Gupta as chairman and Manisha singh as secretary and Midterm conference of HSI in march 2019 also myself as chairman and Dr Anurag Chauhan as secretary.

8 faculty from MPASI have been trained for TOT programme for surgical education as resource persons in this year.

MPASI in association with ASI Indore city chapter arranged for a MID -term CME coinciding with Executive meeting in Indore in NOVEMBER 2019.It was attended by all EC members of MPASI.

Audited accounts and Conference reports were sent well in time to the headquarters.

Hon. secretary represented MPASI in national body meeting at chennai in March and also at RRC organized by ASI in Mumbai in September 2019

In the GENERAL COUNCIL /EXECUTIVE COUNCIL at the headquarters Dr Sanjay Jain,Bhopal Dr Achal Gupta, Gwalior and Dr Amitabh Goel,Indore are representative as GC Members from state of MP.

It is matter of great pride for MPASI that our GC member, past chairman MPASI Treasurer

ASI has been elected as Hon Secretary ASI. Heartiest congratulations Sir.  
We hope under you ASI will reach new heights.  
Jai Hind.Long Live ASI.

### **13. MAHARASHTRA STATE CHAPTER**

The Annual Conference of Maharashtra State Chapter of Association of Surgeons of India MASICON 2019 was conducted in MGM Campus, Aurangabad on 2nd and 3<sup>rd</sup> February 2019. Over 1800 delegates attended the conference. A day long CME was conducted on 31<sup>st</sup> January 2019 preceding MASICON 2019. A pre-conference workshop was conducted on 1st February 2019. Three awards each were granted for three best papers (awarded to Ketan Kshirsagar Vijay Kumar Mundhe and Ishan Sehgal), three best videos (awarded to Jaini Gala, Shivang Shukla and Abhijit Shah) and several certificates were distributed for best posters. Travelling fellowships 2019-20 in the names of Dr. V.R.Chitale and Dr. K.C.Gharpure were awarded to Dr. Aditya Oak and Dr. Sudatta Waghmare respectively.

The Annual General Body Meeting was held on 2nd February 2019. Dr. Roysuneel Patankar took over as president from Dr. Umesh Bhalerao.

In all 7 city surgical societies reported 73 academic activities consisting of conferences, CMEs, workshops, symposia, panel discussions, guest lecturers etc. and 12 social activities consisting of diagnostic camps, free surgical camps and awareness programmes etc. in eight months from February to September , 2019

The annual Maharashtra State Postgraduate surgical Quiz was conducted at Seth GS Medical College on September 20, 2019 by Dr Jaisingh Shinde, Dr. Sameer Rege and Dr Aparna Deshpande. Team of Dr Abdeali Saif A Kadri and Dr Dhaval Vasa from Seth GS Medical College won the state quiz.

Three issues of the quarterly e News-letter of Maharashtra State Chapter of ASI "Samvad" have been published by Dr Naresh Row from Mumbai.

Audited accounts for the financial year 2018-19 were ratified by the executive council on April 28, 2019 and submitted to the head office on May 6, 2019.

### **14. MANIPUR STATE CHAPTER**

1. General Body meeting of ASI Manipur state chapter and election of new office bearers was held on the 18th February 2019 at IMA Hall Lamphelpat. Prof. S. Rajendra Singh was the returning officer.

2. Prof. Ch. Arunkumar Singh, Chairman ASI Manipur State Chapter, Dr. S. Jugindra Singh, Vice President, AMASI and Dr. Chetan Maibam, Honorary Secretary, ASI Manipur State Chapter

attended the Annual Executive Council Meeting of ASI held at the Office Headquarter, Chennai on 3rd March 2019.

3. Symposium on "Hernia Repair" was organized on the 6th March 2019 in Collaboration with Association of minimal access surgery of India, AMASI. Resource persons were Dr. Dilip Gode, Dr. Kalpesh Jani and Dr. Manas Ranjan Sahoo. Prof. G.S. Moirangthem, Prof. N. Jitendra and Dr. S. Jugindra chaired the session. Seventy Seven doctors attend the CME.

4. Handling over and taking over of charges of the office bearers was held on 17th March 2019 at IMA Hall, Lamphelpat.

5. On 7th April 2019, ASI Manipur state chapter joined the out reached Health Camp organized by Regional Institute of Medical Sciences, Imphal in commemoration with World Health Day at Kameng, Imphal West .

6. ASI Manipur state Chapter and department of surgery, RIMS Imphal jointly organized free Laparoscopic cholecystectomy at RIMS Operation Theater on 10th and 11th August 2019.

7. Continuing Medical Education of ASI Manipur State Chapter was held on 31st August 2019 at Nirmala Hotel, MG Avenue. Dr. Suddhasattawa sen, AMRI Hospital, Kolkata spoke on the topic "Update on anorectal disorder and Dr. S. Opendro delivered his topic on "Incidental Carcinoma Galiblader". Prof. M. Birkumar Sharma and Prof. N. Jitendra were the chairperson. Eighty doctors attended the CME.

8. Another Outreached Health Camp was attended by a good number of ASI Manipur State Chapter Member, organized by RIMS, Imphal on 8th October 2019 at Noney District.

9. Dr. S. Rajendra Singh Surgiquiz 2019 was conducted on the 9th October 2019 at RIMS, Imphal. Dr. Ch. Gyan Singh was the Quiz Master. Dr. M. Ashwin and Dr. Haritha Therese Joseph were the winners of the Quiz.

10. ASI Membership Drive: 30 Post Graduate Trainees from RIMS, JNIMS and SHRI have applied for ASI Membership.

11. ASIMANICON 2019, the 24th annual conference of ASI Manipur State Chapter was organized on 19th and 20th October 2019 under the theme "Surgeon and Technology" at RIMS, Imphal. Prof. Arvinkumar, President ASI delivered presidential talk on "excellence in surgery" and Prof. Sanjay Kumar Jain, Honorary Secretary, ASI grace the inaugural ceremony as guest of honour. Ten resource persons from outside the state and 300 state delegate

attended the 2 days event. Prof. S. Ranita Devi and Dr. Sunilkumar Singh Salam were he organizing chairman and organizing secretary respectively.

## **15. NORTHERN CHAPTER**

1. 35<sup>th</sup> Annual conference of Northern Chapter of Association of Surgeons of India is being held at PGI, Chandigarh on 16<sup>th</sup> and 17<sup>th</sup> November 2019.
2. CME –cum – Live workshop on AWR ( Abdominal wall Reconstruction ), Bariatric and Robotic Surgery is being held on 30<sup>th</sup> November and 1<sup>st</sup> December, 2019 at I.G. Medical College, Shimla in

## **16. NORTH EAST CHAPTER**

The North East Chapter of ASI (NECASI) was conceived on the 30<sup>th</sup> June, 2018 at Landmark Hotel, Guwahati, Assam, in the presence of Dr. Dilip Gode (President, ASI) and Dr Ebenesh Bensam (Honorary Secretary, ASI) and recognized as a full-fledged chapter of the combined five states of Arunachal Pradesh, Meghalaya, Mizoram, Nagaland and Sikkim at the EC meeting held on the 1<sup>st</sup> September at Hotel Classic Grande, Imphal Manipur.

**Chapter activities** (State unit wise / Date wise):

1. 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> Sep, 2018 - The first Annual conference of the North East Chapter of ASI (NECASICON) at City Convention Centre, Shillong, Meghalaya. Chief guest - Shri A L Hek (Honorable Minister of HFW, Govt. of Meghalaya, Guest of honor - Dr Dilip Gode, President ASI.
2. 9<sup>th</sup> Sep, 2018 - CME cum Operative workshop on endosonology and RIRS at Nazareth Hospital. Convenor - Dr Jayanta Das, Resource persons - Dr Nitin Gupta (Rajiv Gandhi Cancer Institute, New Delhi) and Dr Bibhas Kundu (AMRI, Kolkatta). Delegates attended = 67 Surgeons.
3. 5<sup>th</sup> & 6<sup>th</sup> of Dec, 2018 - ASI free surgical camp at Norman Tunnel Hospital, Jowai, Meghalaya. Faculties included Dr Dilip Gode, Prof Bindey Kumar, Dr Ajeet Kumar, Prof Manoj Kumar Choudhury, Dr Ramen Baishya Dr Werlok Kharsiing, Dr Jayanta Das, Dr Toijam Soni Lyngdoh. Dr Siddarth Sangma and his team. Altogether, 21 major cases were operated.

### ***Meghalaya state unit activities***

4. 8<sup>th</sup> Dec, 2018 – CME on Neoadjuvant CTRT in Ca Esophagus. Speaker -.Dr. Vikash Jagtap (Asst Prof. Oncology, NEIGRIHMS, Shillong).
5. 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb, 2019 – CME on Management of aortic aneurysm. Speaker - Dr Manoj Saikia (Prof & HOD, Dept of CTVS, NEIGRIHMS, Shillong).

6. 27<sup>th</sup> April, 2019 - The 16<sup>th</sup> Annual conference of the North East Chapter of Indian Association of Pediatric Surgeons at the Shillong Club. 103 delegates participated.
7. 17<sup>th</sup> May, 2019 – CME on Rehabilitation of surgical patients. Speaker - Dr Lahunlang Sohliya (Consultant, Psychiatrist).
8. 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Aug, 2019 - 5<sup>th</sup> Advanced Laparoscopic Surgery workshop at the Nazareth Hospital.
9. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Aug, 2019 - 64<sup>th</sup> AMASI Skill course and FMAS Examination at the Nazareth Hospital, Shillong. 16 live laparoscopic surgeries were performed & 76 delegates attended. Operative faculties included Dr B S Pathania, Dr Kalpesh Jani, Dr Jugindro Sorokhaibam, Dr Manoj Kumar Choudhury and Dr Jayanta Das.

***Mizoram state unit activities***

10. 21<sup>st</sup> Mar 2019 - The annual conference of the state unit at the Civil Hospital, Aizawl, Mizoram. Various topics were discussed. The conference was attended by 50 delegates.
11. 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4 Sep, 2019 - CME on Update in Gastroenterology & Live Workshop on Therapeutic Gastrointestinal Endoscopy and Minimal Invasive Surgery at Hotel Regency, Aizawl, Mizoram. Speakers Dr Deb Kr Roy, Dr Sujit Choudhuri. Topics - Malignancy of the rectum, CBD stone and periampullary mass.
12. 27-28 Sep 2019 - CME on Introduction to Basic Laparoscopy and Live Workshop on the Laparoscopic Hernia Repair with Single Port Laparoscopy at Hotel Regency, Aizawl & Zoram Medical College, Falkawn, Mizoram. Speaker - Dr Elbert Kiangte (Apollo Hospitals, Guwahati).

***Arunachal Pradesh state unit activities***

13. 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Aug, 2019 - Midterm CME by East zone Urologist Society of India. Speakers and 100 delegates from different parts of the country participated the conference.
14. 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug, 2019 - CME on trauma management at Naharlagun. 40 delegates participated.
15. Health camps were conducted in three districts namely East Kameng, West Kameng, and Upper Siang districts of Arunachal Pradesh.

***Nagaland state unit activities***

16. ***Nagaland state unit activities***
17. 27<sup>th</sup> Sept, 2019 - CME was held at Hotel Japfu. Many speakers from the state spoke on various topics.

**17. ODISHA STATE CHAPTER**

**1. Hands on workshop -Management of Lymphoedema**

ASI, Odisha chapter conducted a one day CME cum Hands on workshop on the theme "Management of Lymphoedema. Date: 17th January 2019

Venue: Auditorium, Department of Burns and Plastic Surgery, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar.

International speakers: William Recippi and Dr Gogia

About 150 delegates attended and 50 students and Residents got the Hands on training on the same.

Inauguration of CME: Prof Gitanjali Batmanabane the Director, AIIMS, Bhubaneswar as the Chief Patron, Dr.B.M.Khadanga, Chairman ASI, Odisha chapter, Dr.Sanjay Giri, Organising Secretary from Dept of Burns and Plastic surgery.

**2. Workshop on Surgical Knotting and Suturing**



Held on 7th & 8th March 2019 at SCB Medical College, Cuttack, conducted jointly by ASI Odisha chapter and Johnson & Johnson on Wheels.

Prof K.C. Mohapatra, HOD of Surgery and Chairman ASI Odisha,

Dr. Sreejoy Pattanaik, and Prof B.B.Mishra, EC Members, ASI were the faculties.

About 120 Post graduate students and Residents from Department of general surgery, Orthopaedics, Plastic surgery and O&G from SCB Medical College attended the skill development.

### **3. CME cum workshop on 'Thyroid Module**

Held on 24th April 2019 at SCB Medical College, Cuttack.

It was jointly organised by ASI Odisha chapter, Dept of Surgery, SCB Medical College, SGPGI, and KGMU Lucknow.

Prof K.C.Mohapatra, HOD Surgery at SCB Medical College was the convener.

The programme was a complete module on Thyroid disorders for the post graduates.

Master class on a case of Goitre.

Live demonstration of a case of Open Thyroidectomy, and Video sessions on different modalities of Thyroid surgeries. 120 delegates and PG students attended the CME cum workshop.

### **4. Midterm conference of Association of Surgeons of India, Odisha state**

The Midterm conference of ASI, Odisha state chapter was organized in association with the East Zone conference of Society of Endoscopic and Laparoscopic surgeons of India

Venue: TATA Medical Hospital, Kalinganagar, Jajpur. Dates: 10th and 11th August 2019.

Dr.G.S.Saranghi was the organizing Chairman and Dr.S.S. Sutar was the Organizing Secretary.

Total 316 delegates with 69 PG Students attended the conference.

It was inaugurated by Dr.Amit Srivastav as the Chief Guest.

Dr.Vikash Singh, Prof K.C.Mohapatra, Prof B.B.Mishra, Dr.Sreejoy Patnaik,were the Guests of honour.

PG Master Class by different faculties, 18 free papers and 15

e- Papers from PGs. MCI has accredited 06 credit hours for the conference.

### **5. Hands on Workshop cum CME on 'Wound Care Management**

Organised by the ASI, Odisha chapter

Venue: PG Department of Surgery, SCB Medical College, Cuttack

Date: 21/09/2019 - Support Team: Johnson & Johnson

It was inaugurated by Prof Jayashree Mohanty, Principal

Prof CBK Mohanty, Superintendent of SCB Medical College. Dr.K.C.Mohapatra, Prof & HOD, Prof of Surgery, Dr.B.B.Mishra.

125 Surgeons, Residents and PG students attended the academic activity.

All aspects of managing a wound starting from a healthy one to all difficult wounds were discussed with hands on training to students.

### **6. Rural Surgery :Free Inguinal Hernia Surgery camp**

By the ASI, Odisha state chapter, Rotary Club of Udala, District Health authority and a NGO 'Operation Hernia'.

Venue: Sub Divisional Hospital, Udala, Mayurbhanj, Odisha. Dates: 23rd. to 27th. September 2019).

It was supported by the Social Surgery Service wing of ASI, represented by the presence of Prof Bindey Kumar. Dr.Sibananda Mohanty, Medical Superintendent of SDH, Udala and Secretary, ASI, Odisha chapter was the Convenor.

The camp was inaugurated by Dr.K.C.Mohapatra, Professor of surgery and the President of ASI, Odisha state chapter, Sri Bhaskar Ch. Madhei, Hon MLA of Udala, Sri Vineet Bharadwaj, IAS, Collector & DM of Mayurbhanj.

Surgeons and Anaesthetists from Udala, Balasore, and Baripada were called for to do surgery. But it was a golden opportunity to have overseas surgeons and anaesthetists from an International

organisation 'operationhernia.org' for the whole 5 days for exchanging skills and ideas.

Total no of surgeries: – 50

### **Upcoming Events**

#### **7. Post Graduate Master Class on Groin and Abdominal Wall Hernia**

Date: 21st Nov 2019 at Venue: SCB Medical College Cuttack, to be

Organised by the ASI, Odisha state & Department of Surgery. Prof Convenor: B.B.Mishra, HOD of

Surgery, and EC member ASI. Guest faculty: Dr. Parveen Bhatia from Sir Gangaram Hospital New Delhi.

#### **8. 79th Annual Conference of ASI, 'ASICON 2019' & SAARC Surgical Care Society**

The 79th\* Annual Conference of ASI, 'ASICON 2019' & SAARC Surgical Care. Organised and hosted by the ASI, Odisha state chapter.

Dates: 18th to 21st Dec. 2019. Venue: SOA University Campus 2, Kalinga Nagar, Bhubaneswar.

The theme of this year conference is "Nurturing the Surgical Techniques for Better Health Care".

Dr.C.R.Das and Dr.Sreejoy Patnaik are the Chairman and Secretary of Organising committee.

### **18. PUNJAB STATE CHAPTER**

**2 day CME** on Controversies in Hepato Biliary Surgery. 19-20.01.2019. Dr. KJ Singh, Was the organizing secretary with Dr.Swapan Sood being the Organising chairman. Dr.Baljit Johal, Dr.SPS Bajaj helped in the organization.

**CME** on oncology was held on 13.02.2019. The topics were  
Role of IHC in cancer Diagnosis by Dr.Lopamudra Deka  
Cytoreduction and molecular testing in Metastatic Colorectal cancer. Dr.Inderdeep  
Oncological outcomes: last three years. Dr.Baljit Johal

Dr.Baljit Johal President PSCASI, Dr.Chanjiv Singh Secretary PSCASI, Dr.Swapan Sood  
President Jalandhar city chapter, Dr.Tanvir Singh Secretary Jalandhar city chapter, Dr.Ripan  
Miglani Onchosurgeon, Dr.Shikha Onchologist, Dr.Deepak chawla EC member PSCASI.

**CME on Robotic Thyroidectomy** was held 15.02.2019. Speaker Dr.Ashok Gupta Fortis  
Hospital, Mohali

Dr.Sanjev Uppal, Immediate Past President of Punjab State Chapter was elected President of  
National academy of Burns-India (NABI). He has announced the annual conference of NABI  
in March 2020 at Kandaghat (Shimla Hills). All ASI members would be invited to this  
meeting.

**MID-TERM CME** of the chapter was held at Govt Medical College and Rajindra Hospital,  
Patiala on 17.03.19. It was a one day CME attended by 160 delegates. This CME on Morbid  
Obesity explored the various aspects of the problem. Dr.Ashwani Kumar HOD of Dept of  
surgery was the organizing chairman.

**Seminar** on Laser Proctology organized under aegis of PSCASI on 26.04.2019

**Workshop** on Laser and Proctology at kamal Hospital on 27.04.2019

**Seminar** on Hepatology and Liver Transplant on 14.06.2019 Office bearers of PSCASI and  
members having fellowship after CME program at Jalandhar

**Symposium** on Breast Cancer held in association with Patel Hospital, Jalandhar on  
21.07.2019

**Workshop** on CPR held at LPU, Kapurthala 27.07.2019

**Seminar** on Hepatology and Liver Transplant on 09.08.2019. Organised by Patel hospital,  
Jalandhar and Fortis Hospital, Delhi-NCR. Dr.Varun Gupta, Dr.Vivek Vij, Dr.Ashish Singhal and  
Dr.Tanvir Singh spoke at the meeting.

**Workshop** on Stapling techniques for Haemorrhoids at Johal Multispeciality hospital as part  
of CME program of SURGICON 2019 on 11.10.19

**Workshop** on Ano rectal surgery at Kamal hospital as part of CME program of SURGICON  
2019, 11.10.19

**Workshop** on Bariatric surgery at Jammu hospital as part of CME program of  
SURGICON2019, 12.10.19

## **MEETINGS**

The GB meeting of the Chapter was held on 18<sup>th</sup> January 2019 at Hotel Regent Park, Jalandhar. The new team was elected at the meeting.

Executive meeting of the Chapter was held on 25<sup>th</sup> July, 2019 at Johal Multispeciality hospital, Rama Mandi, Jalandhar. The office bearers for bidding for ASICON 2021 were decided as directed in the last GB meeting.

GB meeting of the chapter was held on 12.10.19 at the time of the annual conference.

### **ACCOUNTS**

Audited accounts for the last year were submitted to ASI HQ. A request for reimbursement of TDS from the chapter under the ASI PAN was submitted to the Hon Secretary & Treasurer once again.

### **HUMANITARIAN WORK**

Free breast disease awareness and free check up camp (by a lady surgeon) is done at Johal Multispeciality Hospital, Jalandhar on the first and third Wednesday of every month.

**Seminar on breast cancer** was held at Nursing school, jalandhar

L to R Dr.Tarlochan Singh Head of DNB program, Dr. Amita Luna General Surgeon, Dr. Kulwinder Kaur Gynaecologist, Dr.Jasmeet Walia radiologist, Dr.Shikha Onchologist, Dr.Sabina Gynaecologist and Breast Cancer survivor, Dr.Deepak Chawla EC member PSCASI.

**A seminar** was held at Nursing School, Jalandhar on International Womens Day on 08.03.2019. The Civil Surgeon Jalandhar was invited as the Chief Guest. Talks were delivered by the Prinicpal, MS Civil Hospital and other learned speakers.

**A free Plastic surgery camp** was held at Civil Hospital Jalandhar on 27.03-29.03.2019. This was sponsored by the IMA, Jalandhar. 15 patients were operated. President IMA Jalandhar inaugurated the camp and Civil Surgeon was the Chief Guest.

**Free surgeries** done by various surgeons of Punjab State chapter of ASI on 15<sup>th</sup> april, 2019. This is ASI free surgery day.

**Mission Pink Health** launched by IMA Punjab at IMA Hall Jalandhar on 14.04.19. PSCASI supported this movement.

**World menstrual health week** from 29.05.2019. Education of adolocent girl students by team of lady doctors at Govt senior secondary school, Fazilka.

**Leprosy corrective camp** held at civil hospital Jalandhar under aegis of the chapter with RCS as a state level camp. 29-31.05.19

**World menstrual health week** celebrated by lecture to students of GNM at Nursing school, Civil Hospital, Bathinda. 30.05.2019

**Talk on menstrual health** by volunteers at SGRD hospital, Chattiwind gate, Amritsar. 31.05.2019

**Menstrual Health awareness** at Girls School Kapurthala along with Mission Pink health. Donation of a sanitary napkin machine done. 03.06.2019

Immediate past President of Punjab State chapter Dr.Sanjeev Uppal sensitizing para-medical staff of DMC, Ludhiana on fire prevention. 12.06.2019

**A Candle light march** and condolence meeting for Pulwana tragedy was held along with IMA Jalandhar on 16.02.2019

President Punjab State Chapter Dr.B.S Johal and his team **protesting against violence against doctors.** 13.06.2019

Surgeons of Kapurthala district **protesting against Kolkata incidents.** 13.06.2019 Doctors **burnt copies of the NMC Bill 2019.** 25.7.2019

**ANNUAL CONFERENCE** The annual conference of the Chapter was held on 11-13 October, 2019 at Hotel Lilly Resorts, Phagwara road, Jalandhar. The chief guest was PP Dr.Shiva Mishra who also delivered the Dr FC Egleston oration. It was attended by 210 delegates. Dr. Niranjana Agarwal, President of ACURSI delivered the Dr.CM Singh oration while Dr.Sanjeev Uppal, Prof of Plastic surgery delivered the Dr.HS Bawa oration.

Inauguration of annual conference of the chapter by Dr.Shiva K Mishra

Dr Kulbir Kaur Princiap PIMS Medical college presenting the young surgeons awards and awarding Prof Rakesh Sharma of Govt Medical College, Amritsar on 13.10.19 during the annual conference.

## 19. RAJASTHAN STATE CHAPTER

- The Department of Surgery, SMS Medical College Jaipur, in association with the ASI Rajasthan Chapter organized a **seminar on communication skills** for the residents and faculty of the department on 30th January 2019 at RKBC Seminar Room at SMS Hospital Jaipur.
- The Oncosurgery Department of SMS Medical College, in association with Jaipur Cancer Society and ASI Rajasthan Chapter **celebrated Cancer Survivors' Day** on 4th February 2019 at Sushrut Sabhagar of SMS Medical College, Jaipur.
- Apex Hospitals, Jaipur and Rajasthan Hospital Association in association with ASI Rajasthan Chapter organized a symposium on health management **"E3 Empathy Empowerment & Experience.( 2nd E3 conclave)"** aimed at developing leadership skills in doctors, on 17th February 2019 at Jhalana Officers' Club, Jhalana Doongri, Jaipur.
- In pursuance of "MISSION ASI 2019 – 2021" the Rajasthan State Chapter started **Surgical Skill Lab** in Department of Surgery at S.M.S. Medical College & Hospitals with support from Johnson & Johnson. On 8<sup>th</sup> March a hands-on training session on Knotting, Suturing and Endotrainer for the residents of the department was

undertaken. Professor & Head of Department Dr. R. K. Jenaw and team dedicated the whole day and gave tips to the residents

- ASI Rajasthan Chapter, in association with Bhatner Surgical Society Hanumangarh, organised a **two day live operative workshop cum free surgical camp “Bhatner Surgicon 2019”** at MGM District Hospital Hanumangarh on 9<sup>th</sup> and 10<sup>th</sup> March 2019.
- The Rajasthan Chapter of Association of Surgeons of India organized a **CME cum Felicitation Program** for its former President and Secretaries on Sunday, 19<sup>th</sup> May 2019 at Jaipur Bagh, Vaishali Nagar, Jaipur.
- The ASI Rajasthan Chapter organized the **Regional Refresher Course 2019 for Zone-6 (North Zone)** on 9, 10 & 11 of August, 2019 at Jaipur at Sushrut Sabhagar of S.M.S. Medical College & Hospitals.
- The Annual Conference of the Rajasthan State Chapter, **“ASIRAJ 2019”** is being organized at AIIMS, Jodhpur on 18<sup>th</sup> to 20<sup>th</sup> October, 2019.

## **20. TAMIL NADU STATE CHAPTER**

Dr. D. Maruthu Pandian who took over as Chairman of the Tamil Nadu Chapter for the year 2018-2019 during the Annual conference at Thekkady steered the Chapter activities in an excellent manner. Five Endoscopy / Laparoscopy skill training programmes were conducted. The midterm conference of the chapter was held at Dindigul on the 21<sup>st</sup> of April 2019 and the conference was graced by the presence of the Vice President of ASI, Dr. P. Raghuram. The Chapter hosted two conferences namely ICSISCON'19 at Madurai and ASRICON 2019 at Kanyakumari. Dr. A. Rajasekar has been elected as the Chairman for the year 2020-2021.

Regional Refresher Course and skill course were organized at Velammal Medical College and Guru Hospital on 5<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> of July 2019.

The Annual Conference of the Chapter, TNASICON 2019 was held on 8<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> of August 2019 at Courtallam.

Pre conference Live Workshop was Organised at Pavoorchatram and 10 surgical procedures were done. There were more than 850 delegates for the first time in the history of the Chapter, PG clinics were conducted. Dr. P. Raghuram Vice President ASI was the Chief Guest and Inaugrated the conference. Dr. J.W. Ebenesh Bensam assumed charge as the Chairman of the Chapter for the year 2019-2020 at Courtallam. Vision and Mission TNASI 2020 was formulated in line with the National ASI vision document.

Three **New City Branches** namely Thoothukudi, Hosur- Krishnagiri and Chettinadu Branches were inaugurated.

**TNASI Technical Skill training programme** were conducted at Thoothukudi, Hosur and Tirunelveli on Minimal Invasive Hernia Surgeries, Safe Cholecystectomy and Basic and Advanced Laparoscopic Surgeries respectively.

**TNASI village Adoption programme** was organized and two villages, Aanikulam and Marandapalli were adopted by the Tirunelveli and Hosur – Krishnagiri City Branches respectively.

**TNASI Social Awareness Programme** on Breast Cancer, Clean Air for all were conducted at Tuticorin Medical College and Aanikulam Village by the Thoothukudi and Tirunelveli city Branches respectively.

**TNASI Rural free Medical/Surgical** camp was conducted at Aanikulam and Marandapalli Village.

**TNASI Rural free Surgery programme** was conducted at Hosur and four underprivileged patients underwent Laparoscopic Cholecystectomy totally free of cost.

**TNASI Zonal Refresher Course and TNASI Endoscopy Training Course** are being conducted at Four Zones of the State.

The Chapter has an interactive and informative website. Newsletters have also been published.

## **21. TELANGANA STATE CHAPTER**

1. December 2<sup>nd</sup> 3<sup>rd</sup> National Hernia workshop was conducted by Dr. Suresh Chandra Hari at Hotel Avasa from Citizen Hospital
2. December 8<sup>th</sup> 2018 GI Onco summit was conducted by Dr.T.S Rao at Indo American Hospital
3. December 22<sup>nd</sup>,23<sup>rd</sup> National hands on Laparoscopic Colo rectal workshop conducted by Dr. Jagdish at Yashoda
4. January 17<sup>th</sup>,18<sup>th</sup>,19<sup>th</sup> FMAS and Skill course was done at KIMS with 230 delegates
5. February 3<sup>rd</sup> Symposium on Craniofacial trauma by Dr. Hemnath at KIMS
6. February 19<sup>th</sup> at Yashoda Dr. Shyam Sunder Allameni counselling for PGS about studies in USA
7. February 25<sup>th</sup> Liver Transplant observation program at Yashoda
8. March 1<sup>st</sup> TSASI city clinical meet at Hotel Golconda
9. March 9<sup>th</sup> PGCON 2019 at MNJ institute of oncology
10. March 14<sup>th</sup> Surgery for GERD by Dr.Phani Krishna at Hotel Avasa
11. March 19<sup>th</sup> Esophagectomy CME by dr. madhu at hotel Mercure
12. April 20<sup>th</sup> Bariatric by Dr. Lakshmi at Hotel Park
13. Gandhi PG clinics at GMC on April 30<sup>th</sup>.
14. ESIC college Basics and Breast CME May 4<sup>th</sup> 2019,attended by 159 delegates
15. Recent trends in management of Haemorrhoids-City chapter clinical meeting at Hotel Marriot attended by 102 delegates
16. Jagityal Satavahana Breast CME attended by 65 delegates

17. June 8<sup>th</sup> Hands on Laparoscopic Hernia Repair at Sunshine hospital, workshop for 11 delegates by Dr.E.Kamalakar Reddy
18. 27<sup>th</sup> June Hands on Training Model Theme Pancreas by Dr. Phani Krishna at Pace hospital attended by 14 delegates
19. July 6<sup>th</sup> Osmania general hospital by Dept of general surgery with 250 delegates
20. July 6<sup>th</sup> evening City clinical meeting at Marriot Dr. Shalesh Shikande, Dr. Puneet Dhar 78 delegates attended
21. July 7<sup>th</sup> Gastric cancer update By Dr. D. Madhu Global Hospital at Hotel Mercure
22. Colo Rectal Laparoscopic surgery Hands On Training at Yashoda Hospital 8 Delegates attended
23. Laparoscopic Hernia hands on training for 7 hands on training by Dr. Venu Madhav
24. July 30<sup>th</sup> Bariatric Hands on Training by Dr. Vimalakar at Sunshine
25. August 5<sup>th</sup> Telangana RRC by ASI in Hyderabad with TSASI on July 19,20,21. Attended by 150 delegates
26. August 11 postgraduate clinics at Yashoda 156 delegates attended
27. August 14<sup>th</sup> PACE hospital Dr. Phani Dr. Varun minimally invasive hemorrhoids
28. August 18<sup>th</sup> Hands on Suturing for postgraduates by Dr. Jagadishwar, 2 postgraduates have attended
29. August 31<sup>st</sup> PGICON Kamineni 268 delegated
30. TS ASICON V at Warangal attended by 769 delegates a two day event.

We have spread to districts and included all surgeons by rotation

Of these programs 80% are general surgery

We have created a Facebook, twitter, mail id for ASI Telangana.

We are relying on feedback given by surgeons in devising the program

Thank our ASI executives for support and all Surgeons of ASI for continuous support

## **22. TRIPURA STATE CHAPTER**

"The Association of Surgeons of India, Tripura State Chapter" has successfully performed the following activities:-

1. Free surgery clinic every Sunday at 5pm-6pm at ASI, Tripura State Chapter Building
2. Number of Post-Graduate CME/Seminars organized: 11
3. ASI, TSC organized one Hands on Training workshop on Basic laparoscopic Surgery 08/06/2019 at Agartala
4. Number of Surgical screening Camp carried out: 1(one). Surgical screening camp was organized by ASI, TSC on 07<sup>th</sup> September 2019 at Dharmanagar, district Hospital, North district of Tripura.

**Up coming activities of year 2019:**



1. Free surgical Camp of major Surgery ( Cholecystectomy, Modified Radical Mastectomy, Appendicetomy, Hernioplasty etc.) will be organized at Dharmanagar, district Hospital , North district of Tripura on 19th & 20th October 2019.
2. A blood donation camp will be organized by ASI, TSC on 3rd November 2019 at ASI, TSC Building, Dimsagar, Agartala.
3. We are going to organize Our 15<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of ASI, Tripura State Chapter Workshop on 09<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> of November 2019 at KLS Auditorium in Agartala Government Medical College where eminent experts all over the country will be participated.

### **23. UTTAR PRADESH STATE CHAPTER**

1. Dr Ashok Kumar, SGPGI, took over as President UPASI for the year 2019 from Dr Manoj Pandey, IMS, BHU.
2. A CME on coloproctology was organized under the aegis of UPASI at Ayodhya on the 26<sup>th</sup> of January 2019. The purpose of the CME at Ayodhya was primarily to educate the Surgeons at a tier 3 city where no major training programs or CMEs take place.
3. Annual PG master class of UPASI, was held at IMS BHU from 1-3<sup>rd</sup> February 2019. There were total 140 delegates and out of which the registered PGs were 103. The course was conducted by Dr Punnet, IMS BHU.
4. The biennial Meeting of International Society of Oncoplastic Endocrine Surgeons & 4<sup>th</sup> Annual Meeting of Indian Society of Thyroid Surgeons (ISTS) WAS held at the SGPGI Convention Centre, SGPGIMS Lucknow from 15-17<sup>th</sup> Feb 2019 in association with UP Chapter of ASI. It was attended by 10 International Faculties, 100 National Faculties and 120 Delegates including delegates from SAARC Countries. The Organizing Secretary was Dr Amit Agarwal, SGPGIMS.
5. Gastro Care CME was held at Allahabad where problems in GI surgery were addressed .The CME was on the 21<sup>st</sup> of July 2019.
6. SELSI Chapter of UP conducted a CME on Hernia on the 27<sup>th</sup> of July in association with UPASI .The CME was attended by around 400 delegates. The Organizing Secretary was Dr Sabhi Ahmad, MLN MC Allahabad.
7. Proctology Update, CME on Benign Anorectal Diseases was organised on 4<sup>th</sup> August, 2019, at King George's Medical University, Lucknow under the aegis of ACRSI and UPASI. The Organizing Secretary was Dr Arshad Ahmad.
8. Lap-aware, a community awareness program was conducted by UPASI in conjunction with Dr Vikas Singh, RMLIMS Lucknow at Sanik School Lucknow for educating the benefits of Laparoscopic surgery on the 12<sup>th</sup> of September 2019.
9. Patient Education Programs were held at SN Medical College Agra for patients with breast diseases on 12<sup>th</sup> of August and at IMS BHU with patients with oral Carcinoma on the 6<sup>th</sup> of September 2019.
10. Nominations for the posts of President Elect 2020, Chief Editor and EC Members UPASI 2019-21 were invited from the members of UPASI in the month of September 2019. The elections this time would be through electronic voting only.
11. The city Chapters of Agra and Allahabad have been organizing various CMEs and social service programs on a monthly basis.

12. The city Chapters of Lucknow and Dehradun have had two CMEs till now and have organized one social service camp each in the past 3 months.

## 24. WEST BENGAL STATE CHAPTER

It has been a spectacular year with a host of activities in all the arena concerning academic activities, awareness, rural camps, conferences and post graduate instructional lectures and workshops.

We have established two new *city chapters*, the *West Calcutta City chapter* in March 2019 and the *Durgapur City Chapter* in June 2019. We have conducted three *instructional course lectures*, Modular course for post graduates in February which was followed by the gold medal exam, operative methods for undergraduates in July and a post graduate nursing instructional course lecture on Safe Surgery in April. This was done as a part of *Mission ASI*.

*REGIONAL REFESHER COURSE* for post graduate trainees in West Bengal, Bihar and Jharkhand was held in IPGMER, Kolkata on 21<sup>st</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> of June 2019 under the able guidance of Dr Santhosh John Abraham.

Along with our monthly CMEs four additional *CMEs* were arranged on anorectal disorders, radio frequency ablation, surgical check list and laparoscopic procedures. Four *workshops* were arranged on DVT management, Safe surgery, Staplers and bowel anastomosis respectively.

Two days of *rural surgical camp* was held at Jhargram Hospital, West Bengal on 14<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> September 2019. It was a unique camp for laparoscopic hernia operation. Participating surgeons were Prof Makhan Lal Saha ( **G C member** ), Dr Tamonash Chowdhury ( Ex GC Member), Dr Abhimanyu Basu, Dr Biswarup Bose, Dr T K Biswas and Dr Om Tantia.

Three *conferences* were held. The annual Mid term Conference of Association of Surgeons of India, West Bengal State chapter (**SASICON 2019**) held on 16<sup>th</sup>& 17<sup>th</sup> March 2019 at Barasat. **SASICME 2019** our annual CME was held on 23<sup>rd</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> of August 2019. The Venue was the oldest medical college in India, Medical College, Kolkata. It was attended by more than 180 delegates and post graduates. Hands workshops were organized on all the days. There were workshops on suturing and knotting, vascular suturing and VATS. The annual CME was inaugurated by our National President Dr Arvind Kumar on 24<sup>th</sup> morning. Dr Arvind Kumar delivered the prestigious Urmila and Anil Sen Sarma Memorial oration on "Chest tube-how to avoid complications". **GALL BLADDER 4C CONFERENCE** was held on 2<sup>nd</sup> March 2019. It was a single day single theme conference on laparoscopic cholecystectomy held under the aegis of West Bengal state chapter of ASI.