

ACTIVITIES OF SPECIALITY SECTIONS 2022

1. THE ASSOCIATION OF COLON AND RECTAL SURGEONS OF INDIA (ACRSI)

1. Social Programs

- World Piles Day Radio Message on Prevention and Treatment of Piles in 5 cities, 5 surgeons each city, aired from 14 -20 Nov 2022.
- 27 March 22: **BLUETHON** in Srinagar, Kashmir. Social media message on CA Rectum awareness by organizing Shikara Race, Lectures, and creating Human Colon by delegates. Pictures taken by Drone. Telecast on all channels in Kashmir, and well covered by print media
- 26 June 22: Social Program in Aurangabad by MGM Hospital, Social message on Proctological problems, transmitted to Old Age homes

2. Newsletter (2)

- Newsletter 1 Activities from Nov 21 to Feb 22
- Newsletter 2 Activities from March 22 to Sept 22

3. Indian Journal of Colorectal Surgery

- **Issue 3** with circulation of 5130 each issue

4. Webinars

- 16 Jan 22- Women Surgeon Webinar- 6 women surgeons presented
- 30 Jan 22 ACRSI + Borderless Surgeons SAARC on CA RECTUM

5. CME

- 18 Sept 21: Varanasi ASI City Chapter-Anorectal Surgery
- 8 Dec 21: Srinagar- Hemorrhoids & Facilitation Dr Nisar Chowdri
- 4 March 22: Jalandhar- Anorectal Surgery 48 in hall, 439 online view
- 5 August 22: Bagalkot, Anorectal Surgery Karnataka + Live Surgery

6. Live Surgery Online

- 19 Sept 21: ACRSI + Varanasi ASI City Chapter 1100 views
- 27 Feb 22: Anorectal Workshop, Zen Hospital, Mumbai 1675 views
- 5 March 22: Jalandhar- Anorectal Surgery 967 views
- 27 March 22: Delhi- Sri Gangaram- Safety in MIPH 356 views
- 26 June 22: Aurangabad- MGM- Proctology
- 10 July 22: Mumbai- Zen Hospital- Proctology 4100 online views
- 11 Sept 22: Surat- 97 attended, 1000 online views

7. Training in Wet Lab

- 3 April 22: Live surgery online on, in Semirural Town Bhiwani, Haryana, and Laser Training on Goat Animal Model
- 12 March 22: PELVICON- Human Pelvic Dissection LTMG Sion Hospital, Mumbai. with LIVE Surgery: 122 onsite and 271 online

8. Hands on Training Courses

- 30 Jan 22: ACRSI + Bhopal Surgeons- 20 hands on MIPH, 400 online views
- 7 August 22: MIPH Training- Bhopal, 20 hands on MIPH, 560 online
- 27-28 August: Chennai- LASER in Proctology 24 hands on, 77 observation

9. FACRSI Exam

- **2021 Online & RGMC Kalwa**
Online part 1& 2 (COVID)
On 11 Nov at Rajiv Gandhi Medical College Kalwa
23 awarded Fellowships FACRSI (26 appeared)
- **2022 Ramachandra Medical College Chennai**
1st time online Video of Theoretical Lectures, reducing 5 day to 3 + 2 day online course
28 May 22 Part 1 & 2
29 May 22 Part 3
11 awarded Fellowships FACRSI (15 appeared)

10. Annual Conference

- **ACRSICON 2021 Mumbai 12-14 November 2021 (Covid delay)**
430 attended, 98 Faculty
- **ACRSICON 2022 Jaipur 22-24 September 2022**
444 attended 125 faculty

11. ACRSI Practice Parameter

Booklets released 12 Nov 21

Fistula, fissure, Hemorrhoids, Pilonidal Sinus, IBD, Ca rectum, Constipation and Rectal prolapse

12. ACRSI Textbook of COLORECTAL Surgery

- Released 12 Nov 21 online. Total 755 pages
- Efforts taken for Print version in 2022

13. Website Revamped

All Membership and exam reading material, fees online, New Vendor

14. AGM reports

- Report of AGM 13 Nov 21 submitted to ASI
- Report of AGM 23 Sept 22 Submitted to ASI

15. ACRSI Colonoscopy Training Workshop

- 2-day Training hands on experience for 20 candidates
 - Plan one each Zone, total 5, first course is on 29-30 Oct 22

16. Future Program Before Dec 22

- 13 Nov 22 Live Surgery ACRSI with GSC ASI, GSSA, AAS at Ahmedabad

2. INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF ENDOCRINE SURGEONS (IAES)

Dr. Kailash Mohapatra took over as President and Dr. Sabaretnam.M as Honorary Secretary during our Annual Conference in September 2021 conducted virtually. The IAES Sectional program at ASI Annual Conference also conducted virtually was well attended where 50 faculty members of IAES participated and delivered lectures. In view of the COVID-19 pandemic, the Executive committee meeting was held virtually three times.

The website of our Chapter has been updated and is functioning effectively. The Audited Statement of account has already been submitted to the Association of Surgeons of India.

Our Section members have promoted the association by enrolling twelve new members to IAES. Journal of IAES "Indian Journal of Endocrine Surgery and Research" has now three issues released

Further to the directive of ASI and as decided by the Executive Committee meeting of IAES, the 22nd st Annual Conference of IAES was conducted on a Physical mode.

Report- 23rd National conference of IAES- IAESCON 2022, 15,16th and 17th September 2022, CMC Vellore

The 23rd National conference of the Indian Association of Endocrine Surgeons was conducted at Christian Medical College, Vellore at the Bagayam Campus on 16th and 17th September 2022. This two-day conference was preceded by a hands-on pre-conference workshop on 15th September 2022. The pre-conference workshop was attended by more than 40 delegates and was conducted by faculty from CMC Vellore and invited faculty. The morning session of the pre-conference workshop had interactive lectures from the departments of Radiology, Endocrinology and Nuclear Medicine on topics pertinent to the endocrine surgeons and give an insight on recent advances related to their specialities.

This was followed by a workshop with the focus on surgeon performed ultrasound, ultrasound guided fine needle aspiration cytology (FNAC), live cytology staining and demonstration, anatomy using plastinated head and neck models and hands-on ultrasound guided FNAC and vacuum assisted biopsy on tissue specimens. The response to this session was very good and

all the delegates lauded the theory to practical transition experience that this session provided.

The afternoon session by senior retired faculty started with talks from Dr. Aravindan Nair, Dr. Anurag Srivastav and Dr. Ranil Fernando in the 'Care to Share' session who talked about their career experience sharing pearls of wisdom. The highlight of the day was the cadaveric dissection in anatomy dissection hall for neck anatomy, transoral mental nerve anatomy and retroperitoneal adrenalectomy access which drew a huge response and was appreciated by everyone who attended. This was followed by a session on operative videos from experts and case based discussion for under-graduate students who presented 2 cases and had an exam oriented discussion for these cases.

The 1st day of the National conference of IAESCON 2022 started with blessings from Padmashree Prof S Vittal- founding president of IAES. There were a series of interesting case based discussions presented by budding endocrine surgeons and opinions from seniors were sought. 'What is New' in the field of endocrine surgery was discussed in the next session followed by orations from eminent faculty. The Prof. S Vittal Oration "Parathyroid detection by infrared fluorescence" was delivered by Dr. Frederic Triponez, Prof and Head, Dept. of Thoracic and Endocrine Surgery, University Hospital, Geneva via a recorded presentation and he was present live online to interact with the delegates. The KD Verma Oration was delivered by Dr. Deepak Abraham, Prof of Endocrine Surgery, CMC Vellore and he spoke on 'Practising the art and science of medicine as a calling'. The Presidential oration "Trends in Endocrine Surgery" was given by Dr. Kailash Mohapatra, Prof of Surgery, SCB Medical College Cuttack and current President of Indian Association of Endocrine Surgeons.

The AJ Benson Best Poster competition had 14 entries and was intensely contested with high quality research being presented, the winner adjudged as (**Name of winner)

The innovate IAESCON Chennai 2009 quiz hosted by IAES secretary Dr. Sabaretnam was very informative and brought a cheer and smile to all. The quiz winners were Dr. Antarip Bhattacharya and Dr. Aadarsh Raghavan.

Prof. Jothi Ramalingam Best Paper award saw 6 papers of high quality being presented and intensely discussed. The final winner was adjudged as Dr. Rizhin Sooraj from KGMU, Lucknow.

The panel discussion on safe thyroid surgery had experienced surgeons from different parts of India sharing their experiences and tips and tricks they have learnt in performing safe total thyroidectomy. Prof James Lee from the Monash University, Melbourne and Dr. Kithsiri Senanayake from Sri Lanka spoke on the Evolution of thyroid surgery and Normocalcemic hyperparathyroidism respectively in the special plenary lectures, both being present via zoom to answer questions from the delegates.

The inaugural function of IAESCON 2022 was graced by Dr. Kenny David, Associate Director CMC, Vellore, Dr. Prasad Mathew, Medical Superintendent, CMC Vellore, Dr. Solomon Satish Kumar, Principal, CMC Vellore, Dr. Kailash Mohapatra, Hon President, IAES, Dr. M. Sabaretnam, Hon. Secretary, IAES, Dr. MJ Paul, Organizing Chairman and Dr. Shawn Thomas, Organizing Secretary, IAESCON 2022. The inaugural function witnessed the release of the IAES textbook

of Endocrine Surgery and the IJSER Association Journal, which had received google indexing and was progressing toward medical indexing. The general body of IAESCON 2022 was held at the same premises after the session and was attended by well over 50 members.

The 2nd day of IAESCON 2022 started with Endocrine Lectures on a myriad of topics such as well differentiated thyroid cancers, locally advanced thyroid cancers and parathyroid incidentalomas. State of the art management of medullary thyroid carcinoma was presented as a special lecture by Dr.AmitAgarwal. Debates were the centre stage of the 2nd day and saw intense discussion and rebuttal from both parties in the debate.

A comprehensive case-based discussion on the role of spine surgery in thyroid cancer, external beam radiation therapy and systemic therapy in thyroid cancers and genomics in thyroid cancer was delivered by faculty from these departments from within CMC. The last session was a comprehensive master video session which included videos from the basic endocrine surgery procedures to the very advanced robotic thyroid surgeries and was followed by the valedictory function.

IAESCON 2022 was complimented by one and all for its punctuality, focus on inclusiveness, multi-modality discussions for endocrine disorders and the new information shared in the wide range of topics discussed.

A decorative official brooch for lady Surgeons to complement the gentleman's tie was designed and distributed during the year.

IAES Textbook of Endocrine Surgery was released during IAESCON 2022.

3. THE ASSOCIATION OF GENITO – URINARY SURGEONS OF INDIA (AGUSI)

The Annual meeting of AGUSI was held in the ASICON 2021 on a virtual platform on 18/12/2021. It consisted of two panel discussions, Renal Cell Carcinoma moderated by Col Dr VP Singh from Delhi with panelists Dr Fazil Marickar from Trivandrum, Dr Achal Gupta from Gwalior, Dr Nitin Agarwal from Delhi and Dr Prashant Shrivastava. From Gwalior and Hematuria moderated by Dr Achal Gupta from Gwalior with panelists Dr Nivesh Agarwal from Karnal, Dr Kartar Singh from Rewari, Dr Sanjay Gupta from Delhi and Dr Somendra Bansal from Rohtak. Dr Arvind Ghanghoria from Indore, spoke on Retroperitoneoscopy for stone disease, Dr Arvind Sinha from Jodhpur, spoke on Posterior Urethral valve and Dr SK Goel from Kota spoke on Endourology. The Annual General Body meeting of the AGUSI was held on the same day. The President Prof. Fazil Marickar called the meeting to order. Secretary Dr. Achal Gupta read the Annual Report and Treasurer Dr. Karthikeyan reported the accounts for AGUSI for the year 2021-2022.

The midterm meeting of the AGUSI was held on a virtual platform on 8th October at 8 PM. There was a talk on DJ Stent a double edge sword by Dr Krishnamoorthi which was highly appreciated by all members. This was followed by a special general body meeting. The meeting was presided by Dr YM Fazil Marickar, President AGUSI. Participants included Dr Achal Gupta, (Secretary), Dr. C Karthikeyan (Treasurer), Dr. H. Krishnamoorthy, Dr Kartar

Singh, Dr Pratap Kumar, Dr Chandrsheker (executive committee members) and other members. During the meeting, Dr Achal Gupta expressed his desire to relinquish the post of Secretary due to certain unavoidable circumstances and he requested Dr Kartar Singh to take over the charge of Secretary AGUSI. Dr Fazil Marickar and other AGUSI members agreed, and hence it was decided that Dr Kartar Singh Yadav will take over as Secretary of AGUSI immediately and Dr Achal Gupta will remain in executive committee. Dr Fazil Marickar proposed that Dr Krishnamoorthy be included as executive member of AGUSI, which all others agreed. Dr Fazil Marickar suggested that monthly meetings of AGUSI should be held on a virtual platform. Dr Kartar Singh Yadav offered to conduct an onsite workshop/CME in his town in November. The meeting ended with a vote of thanks note by Dr Achal Gupta.

4. THE ASSOCIATION OF MINIMAL ACCESS SURGEONS OF INDIA (AMASI)

We are happy to place the Activity report of AMASI, largest section of ASI for Year 2022. Membership had grown from 10,857 on September 30th, 2021 to 11,807 on Sept 30th, 2021

Academic activities:

DATES	EVENT & PLACE	ORGANISER
25 Feb 2022 to 27th Feb	79th AMASI SKILL COURSE – FMAS Examination	Dr. Surajit Lahiri
11 Mar 2022 to 13th March 2022	80th AMASI SKILL COURSE – FMAS Examination	Dr. Sanjay Kumar
09 Apr 2022 and 10th April 2022	Free surgical operation camp at Khatra subdivision hospital	Dr. Makhan Lal Saha
06 May 2022	6TH ADVANCED LAPAROSCOPIC SURGERY WORKSHOP-Nazareth Hospital,SHILLONG	Dr. Jayant Kumar Das
13th May to 15th May., 2022	81st AMASI Skill course,	Dr Dinesh Kumar
14th May to 15th May., 2022	Free surgical operation camp,Siuri,Birbhum	Dr Biswarup Bose

12-05-2022	Global Surgeons Summit-VAPI	Dr Rajesh Shrivastava
JUNE 03-05, 2021	HOW TO WRITE A SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH PAPER & PUBLISH IT	Dr Vikram Kate,
02 Jul 2022	Lap Unlimited The Acres Club Chembur, Mumbai	Dr Roy Patankar
16 Jul 2022	Herniacon 2022	DR Samir Contractor
20th Jul 2022 to 22nd Jul 2022	82nd AMASI Skill Course- UDAIPUR	DHAWAL SHARMA
24-06-2022	AMASI Postgraduate Surgical Skill Training Program-Kamineni Medical College,Hyderabad	Dr Laxmana Sastry
05 Aug 2022 to 07th Aug 2022	83rd AMASI Skill Course- Down Town Hospital Guwahati	Dr N N Das
05 Aug 2022	Minimally Invasive Proctology Course-Chennai	Dr Kushal Mittal
13 Aug 2022	Live workshop/CME @ Dehradun	Dr Ashutosh Sayana
26 Aug 2022 to 28th Aug 2022	84th AMASI SKILL COURSE- Nashik	Dr Sandeep Sabnis
10 Sep 2022	1st Advanced Surgery Laparoscopy Workshop- CIHSR Hospital	Dr Temsula Alinger
30 Sep 2022 to 2nd October 2022	Brilliant convention center Indore	Dr MAYANK GUPTA
14 Oct 2022 to 16th October 2022	86th AMASI Skill Course-Pune	Dr Jaisingh Shinde

5. ASSOCIATION OF SURGEONS OF RURAL INDIA (ASRI)

(1) The 2nd National Breast Cancer update, a National update (Webinar) on Breast Cancer, hosted by Department of General Surgery, All India Institute of Medical Sciences, Mangalagiri and held jointly with the Andhra Pradesh state chapter of the ASI, on 30/10/2021.

(2) Sectional Program of the ASRI at the ASICON 2021

The sectional program of the ASRI was held in Hall D on 18/12/2021 during the 81st Annual conference of the Association of Surgeons of India 'ASICON 2021', held on virtual platform from 17th to 19th December 2021.

6. INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF SURGICAL GASTROENTEROLOGY (IASG)

1. Academic events

- a. IASG Sectional meeting was successfully held during the ASICON (virtual) 2021 on the 19th Dec.
- b. Collaboration with JS GS (Japanese Society of Gastroenterological Surgery) - The 77th annual meeting of JS GS was held virtually on July 20-22, 2022. Two members of IASG (Dr Deepak Govil and Dr Rajneesh K Singh) delivered two lectures virtually.
- c. Mid-term CME of IASG titled 'Cancer and Non-cancer diseases of Biliary Tract' was held on 24th June by the Dept of Surgical Gastroenterology, Sher-e-Kashmir Institute of Medical Sciences (SKIMS), Srinagar.
- d. PG Clinics were held on 30th -31st July 2022 by AIG, Hyderabad.
- e. IASGCON 2022 annual national conference of IASG was held in Kolkata (13th to 16th Oct 2022). This was attended by about 750 delegates from across the country.

2. Elections of the new Executive Committee members

- a. Dr Sadiq Sikora, Bangalore, has taken over as the incoming President of IASG (2022-23)
- b. Dr GV Rao, Hyderabad, has been elected unopposed as the President Elect IASG (2022-23)

7. THE ASSOCIATION OF THORACIC AND VASCULAR SURGEONS OF INDIA (ATVSI)

1. 19th Annual Conference of ATVSI is due to be held in Nov 06-2022 at Delhi Ganga Ram Hospital on. The Organizing Secretary is Dr. Pramoj. Delegates from all over the region shall participate in the event. Deliberations will be held on vascular problems like varicose veins, diabetic foot management acute and chronic DVT and management of thoracic conditions like empyema thoracis and management of tubercular empyema with VATS and Vac therapy. Management of thoracic aneurysms was an academic feast.

2. No tobacco day was observed in 31st May 2022 at Rohtak with active participation of media, public, poster presentation by school children organized by Dr RS Dahiya and MG Vashisht.
3. Social activities in the form of daily free OPD and Medicine distribution is being done by Prof RS Dahiya at Kishanpura Rohtak with once a month Natak manch to make public aware of use of Tobacco products.
4. Sectional programme was presented at ASICON 2021 on a virtual platform. NL Bordia oration was presented by Dr. Amol Bhanushali.
5. News letter: The news letter of ATVSI was published in December 2021at ASICON on a virtual platform.
6. 18 more members were made for ATVSI section by making its strength to 203 members life members.

8. ASSOCIATION OF ARMED FORCES SURGEONS (AAFS)

Activities:

1. Guest Lecture by Prof Amit Gupta, Prof & Trauma Surgeon, JPNTC (AIIMS, Delhi)- Trauma care & Management (via Weblink)

Venue : John Hunter Hall, Dept of Surgery, AFMC
 Date : 02 Feb 2022

2. ATLS Instructor Course (1st ATLS instructor course at AFMC)

Venue : Central Skills Lab, Aprameya Hall, AFMC
 Date : 24-26 Mar 2022

3. Brig Sandeep Mehrotra PG quiz competition for Postgraduates (2019-22 Batch)

Venue : John Hunter Hall, Dept of Surgery, AFMC
 Date : 26 Mar 2022

4. CME- Surgeons and Pathogens: Quest to vanquish an invisible enemy

Venue : Bharadwaj Hall, and John Hunter Hall
 Date : 08-09 Apr 2022

5. Lecture & Demo- Use of 3D printing in Bio-prosthesis & Implants (Lycan Biotech)

- Venue : John Hunter Hall, Dept of Surgery, AFMC
Date : 22 Apr 2022
6. **Capt Aditya Mishra Topic presentation competition – Final Year PGs**
Venue : John Hunter Hall, Dept of Surgery, AFMC
Date : 26 – 29 Apr 2022
7. **ATLS Provider Course**
Venue : Central Skills Lab, Aprameya Hall, AFMC
Date : 23-25 Jul 2022
8. **Stoma care workshop**
Venue : Central Skills Lab, Aprameya Hall, AFMC
Date : 28 Sep 2022
9. **Suturing & Knotting workshop for Final year Under Graduates**
Venue : Surgical Skills Lab, Dept of Surgery, AFMC
Date : 12 Oct & 19 Oct 2022
10. **Basic Laparoscopic Skills (BLAPS) workshop for final year PG residents**
Venue : Surgical Skills Labs, Dept of Surgery, AFMC, Pune
Date : 22-28 Oct 22

9. ASSOCIATION OF BREAST SURGEONS OF INDIA (ABSI)

1	Management of Breast Cancer in New Millennium – Recent clinical updates from SABCS	12 th & 13 th February 2022	Dr.Meenu Walia & Dr.Vikas Talreja
2	Women’s day –Cancer Awareness Program	8 th to 11 th March 2022	Dr.Diptendra & Dr.Kumkum
3	Oncoplasty in Breast cancer – Challenges & Possibilities at Patna	26.3.22	Dr.V.P.Singh
4	HER 2 –ve early breast cancer management	30.4.22	Dr.D.G.Vijay
5	Pink Power- Live Workshop Oncoplastic Breast Surgery + Sentinel Node Biopsy	8 th May 2022	Dr.Kirti Katherine Kabeer
6	ABSI module at JLN Medical College Ajmer	12 th June 2022	Dr.Kumkum Singh
7	SPOC 2022 Conference at Jammu	23.6.22	Dr.Nanda R.

8	Breast Health Session done for white and blue collared employees of Tata Motors Jamshedpur	3 rd August 2022	Dr.Arunima Verma
9	ABSICON 2022 at Hyderabad	12-14 August 2022	Dr.Raghuram P.
10	4 th GBM 2022	3 rd & 4 th September 2022	Dr.D.G.Vijay
11	KGMU Breast update 2022	23 & 24 September 2022	Dr.Anand Mishra