CMC VELLORE ANNUAL RHEUMATOLOGY UPDATE – 2017

Organized by: Department of Clinical Immunology and Rheumatology

12 May 2017

Venue: CK Job Hall, Paul Brand Building, Christian Medical College, Vellore

10.00 – 11.15 Prof A.M. Cherian plenary session

10.00 – 10.10 Introduction – Dr Debashish Danda, CMC, Vellore

Chairpersons: Dr Debashish Danda, CMC, Vellore
Dr Kurien Thomas, PIMS, Puducherry

10.10 – 10.35 Personalized medicine in SLE: Is the glass half full or half empty?
Dr Vishad Viswanath, Trivandrum

10.40 – 11.05 Small molecules in Rheumatoid arthritis and beyond
Dr Ruchika Goel, Vellore

11.05 – 11.15 Q&A session

11.20 – 13.00 WIN 2016-17 (What is new?) session

Chairpersons: Dr. O.C. Abraham, CMC, Vellore
Dr Thambu David, CMC, Vellore

11.20 – 11.45 Recent advances in vasculitic disorders
Dr Anoof PP, Kozhikode

11.50 – 12.15 Sjogren’s syndrome in India – An update
Dr Santosh K Mandal, Kolkata

12.20 – 12.45 Inflammatory myositis - the expanding spectrum
Dr. Thomas Paul, CMC Vellore

Dr. J Philomena, Government Medical College, Vellore

15.45 – 15.55 Update on osteoporosis
Dr. Shweta Singhai, Bangalore
16.15 – 16.40 Update on fibromyalgia  
Dr Ajit K Surin, Bhuvaneshwar

16.40 – 16.50 Q & A session

16.50 – 17.00 Tea break

17.05 – 17.40 Panel discussion

- Risk of infections in rheumatological diseases
- The era of biosimilars – Is there a need for higher pharmacovigilance?
- How to mitigate risk of tuberculosis and other infections for patients on biologic therapy?

Chairpersons: Dr. Debashish Danda, CMC, Vellore  
Dr. Vishad Viswanath, Ananthapuri Hospitals, Trivandrum

Panelists:  
Dr. Jacob Mathews, Baptist Hospital, Bangalore  
Dr. Ripal Shah, ONE centre for rheumatic & genetic disorders, Vadodara  
Dr. Raheesh Ravindran, Bethany Hospital, Mumbai  
Dr. Nikhil Gupta, New Delhi

17.10 – 20.00 Undergraduate Rheumatology quiz

17.10 – 17.45 Preliminary round

Venue: Wheeler Hall, Asha Building
1800 – 2000 Rheumatology quiz

Venue: CK Job Hall, Paul Brand Building

20.00 onwards Dinner - Big Bungalow Lawn, CMC Campus, Bagayam
CMC VELLORE ANNUAL RHEUMATOLOGY ORATIONS – 2017

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Orations:

Prof Surjit Singh MD, DCH, FRCPCH, FRCP, FAMS
Department of Pediatrics – In-charge, Allergy Immunology Unit
PGIMER, Chandigarh

Prof Bidyut Das MD, PhD
Head, Department of Internal Medicine
SCB Medical College, Cuttack, Orissa

Eminent mid-career faculty award and lectureship

Dr Prasanta Padhan MD, PDF (Clin Immunol & Rheumatology)
Assistant Professor, Department of Rheumatology
Kalinga Institute of Medical Sciences, Bhuvaneswar, Orissa

PROGRAMME

13 May 2017

9.00 – 9.15  Introduction and welcome: Dr Debashish Danda
9.20 – 9.25  Prayer: Rev Finny Alexander
9.30 – 9.40  Inaugural speech – Dr Sunil Chandy, Director, CMC, Vellore
9.45 – 9.50  Felicitation – Dr Anna Pulimood, Principal, CMC, Vellore
9.55 – 10.05 Citation for Dr Surjit Singh – Dr Sathish Kumar T
10.05 – 10.10 Honouring Dr Surjit Singh – Director, CMC Vellore
10.15 – 10.25 Citation for Dr Bidyut Das – Dr Prasanta Padhan
10.25 – 10.30 Honouring Dr Bidyut Das – Principal, CMC Vellore
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<td>Post graduate prize exam result and prize distribution – Dr Simon Pavamani, Vice Principal (PG), CMC Vellore</td>
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<td>Oration – Dr Surjit Singh – “Kawasaki disease in India”</td>
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<td>Oration – Dr Bidyut Das – “Role of parasites in Systemic Lupus Erythematosus”</td>
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**12.30 – 1300**  
**Eminent mid-career faculty lectureship**

Structural damage and role of anti-TNFi in axial spondyloarthritis - Dr Prasanta Padhan

**13.00 –14.00**  
**Lunch**