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FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Dr. Nishant Chaurasiya and the MaxFacts Team,

I am writing to extend my heartfelt appreciation for the exemplary work you and your team are doing with the MaxFacts newsletter. Your dedication to meticulously covering the activities and events of AOMSI from all corners of the country has significantly contributed to keeping our members well-informed and engaged.

The high-quality content and comprehensive coverage ensure that important updates and developments within AOMSI reach every member, fostering a sense of unity and shared purpose within our community. Your efforts in documenting and sharing these activities not only highlight the dynamic nature of our association but also inspire and motivate members to actively participate and contribute.

I am particularly excited about the upcoming 2^{nd} issue of this year. Given the outstanding quality of previous editions, I have no doubt that the forthcoming issue will continue to set a high standard and provide valuable insights to our readership.

Thank you once again for your unwavering commitment and hard work. Your contributions are truly appreciated and play a crucial role in the success and cohesion of our organization.

With warm regards, **Dr Bhagavandas Rai A**President, AOMSI



FROM THE HONORARY GENERAL SECRETARY

Dear Members of AOMSI.

I am thrilled to share with you the highlights of two transformative initiatives that have significantly enriched our community: Project Sanjeevani and the Master Class 2024. These endeavors reflect our commitment to advancing healthcare education and enhancing professional excellence among our members and postgraduate students.

Project Sanjeevani: Empowering Dental Professionals

Project Sanjeevani stands as a beacon of collaboration and empowerment within our community. Launched in collaboration with the IDA, this initiative aimed to equip dental professionals nationwide with essential skills in managing medical emergencies in dental practice and basic life support. From February 11th to 29th, AOMSI members engaged passionately in training sessions across the country, emphasizing the crucial roles of CPR, AED utilization, and oral cancer screening in early intervention and patient care.

Through meticulously crafted presentations and video demonstrations, AOMSI ensured comprehensive training for dental colleagues, fostering deeper connections and mutual support within our healthcare ecosystem. The dedication of Dr. Sanjay Joshi, Dr. Ramakanth Reddy Dubbudu, and Dr. Jimson in coordinating this initiative deserves special recognition, as their efforts have significantly enhanced the preparedness and capabilities of our dental community.

Master Class 2024: Elevating Academic Excellence

Simultaneously, the Master Class 2024 was launched to empower our postgraduate students in their academic pursuits. This comprehensive program has been meticulously designed to provide in-depth knowledge and insights, ensuring our students are well-equipped to excel in their examinations by Dr Sruthi Rao, Chairman of Masterclass committee, Dr Madan Mishra, Co chairman of Masterclass committee along with Dr Shobhan Mishra, Dr Nishant Chourasia, Dr Abhay Kamat, Dr Ramakrishna Shenoy, Dr Ashish Gupta, Dr Elavenil P and Dr Bapu Lenka. Interactive Q&A sessions and face-to-face interactions with experienced examiners provided invaluable insights and guidance, enriching the learning experience and building confidence among our students.

The program's emphasis on interactive learning through group discussions facilitated peer-to-peer knowledge exchange and fostered a collaborative learning environment. By participating in the Master Class, our students not only deepened their subject knowledge but also honed their critical thinking and examination skills, preparing them efectively for future challenges in their careers.

Both Project Sanjeevani and the Master Class 2024 exemplify AOMSI's unwavering commitment to excellence and innovation in healthcare education. These initiatives have not only strengthened our professional capabilities but also reinforced the bonds of unity and collaboration within our association.

I extend my heartfelt gratitude to each member of AOMSI for your steadfast support and active participation. Together, let us make Maxillofacial Surgery a household name.

Warm regards,

Dr S Girish Rao

Honorary General Secretary Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI)

FROM THE EDITORIAL TEAM

Dear Readers! Season's Greetings.

Hope u all are having fabulous 2024. Heartfelt gratitude to all of you from the entire editorial team of Maxfacts 2024 for supporting the hard work of editorial team this year too.

This edition of Maxfacts Newsletter highlights flurry of amazing activities done

for Sanjivani, Trauma and Antitobacco Day across the nation by various state chapters of our prestigious Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI). Please consider this issue as Part-1 as we have covered most of the states whose reports we received till day of final edits of this issue. Hence some of the states will be covered in next edition of Maxfacts.

Through this editorial message we request state office bearers who were not able to send us the activities of their respective state this time kindly send us till August 15 th,2024 so that same can be published in next edition.

In spotlight interview we have with us respected Dr. Sanjiv Nair Sir, one of the legends of our lovely speciality. We are honoured to take his interview, his insights as well as his message to budding Maxfax surgeons.

Apart from this some exceptional workshops were conducted in Telangana, Gujarat and Rajasthan, glimpses of which are also covered in this issue.

A brief report of Masterclass 2024 is there in this edition, details of which will be in next edition.

Hope to see most of you in ACOMS 2024, in Chennai.

High regards! Team Maxfacts.



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Childhood is every human life most precious time so how was your childhood and growing up what were the instances which made you feel made you choose medicine as the profession?

It's quite funny you asked me that because, I do not know why I was named Sanjeev. From the time I was a kid I always looked forward to healing and looked forward to surgery. I was always passionate about medicine.

How was your journey in dentistry and what inspired you to take up maxillofacial surgery as a student?

You may have heard this from others before me: sometimes we don't get what we want, but we get what we are destined for. I would have loved to enter the medical profession, but I didn't get in. However, I didn't lose heart. I got into dentistry, and from then on, there has been no looking back.

We all walked and handheld to be great surgeons and great human beings by our teachers and mentors so who are the mentors who shaped your life?

As you go along your journey aspiring to become a perfect surgeon, you inevitably have mentors who shape your life. For me, several mentors have been influential. These are people I've seen as exemplary surgeons and individuals to emulate.

Mentorship is not just about surgery; it's about how you approach your profession. One mentor who has significantly impacted me is Sir Bob Woodwards. While he may not have trained me extensively in surgical aspects, he profoundly influenced me as a person and in how I approach patient care. Working with him in the UK, I found his guidance invaluable. He helped shape my way of thinking and my approach to patient care

How do you see healthcare in India and the world changing over the decades?

We are probably in the most exciting phase of maxillofacial surgery. I am very excited to seetechnological advances focusing on aspects that will take us forward. The focus on subspecialties and different aspects of surgery is thrilling, and that's the direction the future should take.

Regarding the healthcare industry in India, policy matters are often beyond our scope, but the support for healthcare and the ability to get treatment is an exciting part. The future of healthcare in India should involve making healthcare more accessible and integrating advanced technologies. While healthcare can be expensive, it's about giving people choices. There is still a significant disparity in access to healthcare, but by improving how we deliver it, we can make a difference.

Spotlight Interview

With all the ongoing research and advancements in biomaterials, 3D printing technology, and crafting materials, we have a bright future ahead for facial reconstruction. This is really the way forward.

What is your second love after maxillofacial surgery?

After maxillofacial surgery, my second love is singing. I've always imagined and dreamt about performing as a singer. While I'm not a professional, I would love to perform someday in front of a live audience. I also enjoy writing and have contributed to numerous journals, articles, and

textbooks throughout my life. Additionally, I'm a passionate speaker. I love talking to people, making friends, teaching, and learning from these interactions. I constantly seek ways to contribute to the general well-being of society.

As a pioneer an expert in the field of vascular lesions in our country, with increasing globalisation of healthcare, how do you believe that international collaboration between maxillofacial surgeons can contribute to advanced treatment outcomes?

It's interesting you ask because I was involved in a project, which taught me that we don't have to reinvent the wheel. People always talk about evidence-based medicine, which is based on a person's experience in that particular sector. When you do something successfully, people start referring cases to you. That's how it happened for me; more and more people started bringing cases to me because of successful outcomes. I'm not claiming to be the ultimate expert, but I have developed a system and perspective on how to handle these cases efectively.

International collaboration allows us to share experiences and develop predictable outcomes, which is crucial for complex cases. I receive patients from all over the world because of the perspective and expertise I've developed in dealing with vascular lesions. Delivering consistent and successful results is what matters at the end of the day.

Anytime someone mentions hemangiomas, I hope my name comes to mind, as I've worked hard to put India on the map for advanced treatment in this field. Thank you so much for recognizing that.

What are your thoughts when you enter the OT and donn the glove? Apart from the technical aspects, what are some soft skills that we need to learn to give the best patient care?

When I enter the OT and don the gloves, I get butterflies in my stomach! I think about the entire procedure, every single aspect of it, and plan my entire day around it. Believe me, I havenot lost a single patient in the operatory because I constantly think about them, how I shouldperform the procedure, and what to do if things go wrong. I divide my thoughts into threeparts: what I should be doing, my approach during the surgery, and the postoperative complications I might anticipate and how to handle them.

Another crucial aspect is communication with the patient. I believe what we lack today in society is effective communication with patients. It's essential to explain the procedure, how it will be performed, what they should anticipate in the future, and the limitations. When we look at patients, we consider their social circles, economic background, and education to tailor our communication and help them understand complex issues. We should all learn how to communicate clearly.

Your contribution to our association AOMSI and currently the International Association and a maxillofacial speciality leader worldwide has been immense. What were the challenges you faced and what are the things that keep you going?

The main challenge I've faced is traveling, which compromises my practice. I do not have a private practice; I work in a hospital setting, and sometimes I have to tell patients to wait for an appointment, which upsets me because they should be my priority.

In terms of leadership, when I became president of AOMSI, I ensured there were more fellowships and unlocked opportunities for academic programs. "Face It" was my initiative to promote our specialty and make maxillofacial surgery a household name. I made sure there were excellent fellowship and training centers, and now, the number of fellowship programs we have is probably far beyond and better than any program in the world. In that sense, we are the flag bearers globally.

I feel a strong sense of belonging to the association for all we've accomplished. I would like to see more partnerships with the International Association. We should be part of international peacekeeping forces, with specialists in trauma available to deliver services during geopolitical unrest.



Spotlight Interview

As the President of the International Association of oral and maxillofacial surgeons what initiatives have you spearheaded to promote collaboration and knowledge exchange of maxillofacial surgeons worldwide? One of my priorities is preventive healthcare. I am collaborating with teams across the world to emphasize its importance. Recently, we initiated a trauma management team on site during conflicts, like what we're currently seeing in Israel. It's very unfortunate to see so many lives at stake. As maxillofacial surgeons, the sky is the limit for us. There are so many places and opportunities where we can make significant contributions.

What would you wish to advise youngsters who want to take up leadership roles today?

I advise youngsters to strive to be the best in their feld, as this is crucial. Aspiration and ambition are two important qualities to follow. However, they come with responsibility. It's essential to pursue your goals responsibly. If you only focus on aspiration and ambition without responsibility, you are likely to fall short. As long as you approach your ambitions withresponsibility, you can achieve great things.



The entire younger generation aspires to be as accomplished as you in every way. What legacy would you like to leave behind, and how do you envision the future of maxillofacial surgery, considering both international and Indian perspectives?

Legacy is important, but it should ensure good healthcare availability for everyone. One of my major objectives is that no one should be deprived of healthcare. I have always believed that it is possible for every maxillofacial surgeon to deliver quality care. To achieve this, better training is essential. I always tell my fellows not to chase money; if you do good work and

provide excellent service, the money will follow. True fulfillment comes from delivering quality healthcare and being content with what you have.

Considering all the technological innovations and research happening today, the future of maxillofacial surgery looks promising. The biggest challenge for future generations, compared to mine, is embracing AI. AI can significantly enhance our ability to identify and treat conditions like oral cancer early. The future generation must learn to integrate AI into their practices efectively.

I envision a future where AI helps every dentist and maxillofacial surgeon detect conditions early, leading to better treatment outcomes. We need to embrace AI and use it to our

advantage. The role of AI in preventive medicine, especially in early detection of oral cancer is

crucial. This should be a key focus for the future of our association.

Looking 50 years ahead, we might see robots in the OT, but technology will never replace human expertise. It will only enhance our capabilities. We have seen significant advancements, from simple tools to sophisticated technology. Embracing these changes will help us develop our skills and improve our practices, giving us a whole new perspective on delivering healthcare.

After so many years of stint donning multiple hats and playing multiple roles in both personal and professional life what do you think the basic essence of life is?

Having witnessed life and death frsthand, and understanding how fragile life can be, I contemplate on the idea of living harmoniously. I was raised in a modern household where the principle of "live and let live" was instilled in me. This philosophy guides my perspective on existence and survival—both for ourselves and for the world around us.

Ultimately, amidst all our pursuits and challenges, the essence of life lies in living meaningfully and contributing positively to our surroundings. This philosophy encapsulates the wisdom I've gathered over the years.

NEWS

From the world of OMFS



GOA





AOMSI Trauma Awareness Float at Goa Carnival Goa State Chapter

On February 10, 2024, the Goa Chapter of Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI) hosted a Trauma Awareness Float at the Goa Carnival, in collaboration with Goa Dental College and the Directorate of Transport, Government of Goa. The event saw the enthusiastic participation of over 90 doctors.

Highlights of the Event

- 1. Tableau Display: A massive 14-meter by 4-meter tableau was showcased, drawing significant attention from the public.
- 2. Street Play and Flash Mob: Engaging street performances and a flash mob were conducted to captivate the audience and raise awareness about trauma prevention.
- **3.** Innovative SCAN N WIN Contest: Officially partnered with the Directorate of Transport, Government of Goa, this contest aimed to promote the AOMSI pledge and disseminate important information on safe driving, compensation schemes, online challan payments, and other public services.

During and after the parade, the public could scan a QR code, read the information, and submit a form to enter a lucky draw.

The lucky draw was scheduled for 12th February 2024, with the winner was felicitated by AOMSI and the Directorate of Transport on 14th February, alongside surprise gifts.

Campaign Support:

Dr. Girish Rao, Hon. General Secretary of AOMSI India, was present to support the campaign, adding significant value to the event.

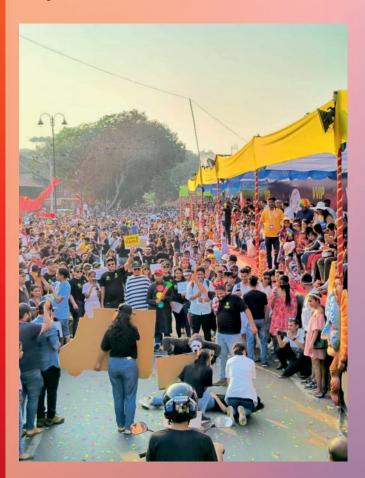








Merchandise Unveiling: The campaign T-shirt, cap, and keychain were unveiled by Dr. Ida de Noronha de Ataide, in the presence of Dr. Vikas Dhupar and Dr. Francis Akkara.



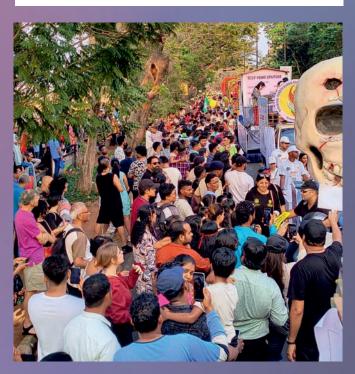


Media Coverage:

The event was prominently featured on Goa 24x7, a leading news channel in Goa. The coverage highlighted the unique approach and public involvement during the carnival. The interview had garnered over 1.2 lakhs views within the first eight hours of being posted.

The AOMSI Trauma Awareness Float at the Goa Carnival was a grand success, combining entertainment, education, and public engagement to promote trauma awareness and road safety. The event demonstrated a strong collaboration between AOMSI, Goa Dental College, and the Directorate of Transport, Government of Goa, contributing to the well-being of the community.





Sanjeevani Program: In association with the Goa State IDA, the Sanjeevani Program was organized, featuring lectures on topics decided by the AOMSI head office. This program greatly benefited a large number of general dentists.

UTTAR PRADESH















Uttar Pradesh State Chapter

World No Tabacco Day 31st May 2024

The detailed district-wise Report is as followed:

LUCKNOW

To commemorate "World No Tobacco Day", a series of activities were organized by the Department of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery at SPPGIDMS, Lucknow. These activities included a Panel Discussion, an E-slogan competition, Health talks at camps, a Painting competition, skit performances, and distribution of ribbons. Additionally, Professor Dr. Gaurav Singh, HOD, Department of Head and Neck Surgery (OMFS) at Kalyan Singh Super Speciality Cancer Institute, delivered an interactive awareness lecture.



Dr Padmanidhi Agarwal at Department of dentistry, Dr Ram Manohar Lohia Institute of Medical Sciences, Lucknow celebrated World No Tobacco Day, by educating and spreading awareness to the patients about Hazards, Prevention and Cessation of tobacco products along with checkup camp, poster making competition and skits were performed at Dr. Ram Manohar Lohia Institute of Medical Sciences, Lucknow.



VARANASI

Dr. Naresh Kumar Sharma and his team at Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, BHU, Varanasi, celebrated "World No Tobacco Day", by taking No Tobacco Pledge Program along with planting of saplings.



ALIGARH

Faculty of Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at Aligarh Muslim University on the occasion of "World No Tobacco Day", organized Bike Rally to educate people about hazards of tobacco products and motivated them for cessation of habit.

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ORAI

Dr Harmurty Singh On the occasion of "World No Tobacco Day" at Department of Dentistry Government Medical College, Orai (Jalaun) organised No Tobacco Pledge Program along with slogan and poster competition for MBBS and Nursing students.



AGRA

Dr Gaurav Mahesh Gupta On the occasion of "World No Tobacco Day" spreading awareness about the Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery through sea news.



KANPUR

On the occasion of "World No Tobacco Day" Kanpur AOMSI and Mishika Super Speciality Hospital, organized Bike Rally and education workshop to educate people about hazards of tobacco products and motivated them for cessation of habit.



PROJECT SANJEEVANI 2024

The detailed district-wise Report is as followed:

LUCKNOW

Indian Dental Association, Lucknow branch in collaboration with AOMSI under project Sanjeevani conducted a Basic Life Support workshop on 24-02-24. Dr Arunesh Kumar Tiwari (Professor(J), Dept of OMFS, KGMU, Lucknow) and Dr Padmanidhi Agarwal (Associate Professor, RMLIMS, Lucknow) delivered lecture on Medical Emergencies in Dental Office ce and Basic Life Support. A hands on workshop was also arranged for the participants.



VARANASI

Under project Sanjeevani (in collaboration with IDA, Varanasi branch) a programme was conducted by Prof. Naresh Sharma, Dr Akhilesh Singh and team BHU on 13-02-24 in which lectures were delivered to train the dental surgeons to help them promptly recognize for several life-threatening Medical Emergencies and to give high quality CPR.



AGRA

International OMFS day was celebrated at Galaxy Multispeciality Hospital, Agra in collaboration with IDA Agra branch on 14-02-2024. Prof SK Katharia along with Dr. Gaurav Mahesh Gupta and Dr. Sandeep Fazudar trained the dental Surgeons on Medical Emergencies management and Live Demonstration on mannequins to perform CPR appropriately at Galaxy Multi-Speciality Hospital



ALIGARH

Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery in association with AOMSI and IDA, Aligarh branch at AMU on the occasion of International Oral and Maxillofacial surgeons day, falling on 13.02.2024, organized a workshop on Basic trauma management under the guidance of Prof. R K Tewari, Prof. G.S. Hashmi, Dr. Sajjad A. Rahman. A total of 44 IDA members attended the workshop.



ORAI

International Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery day was celebrated by Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery at Government Medical college, Orai on 13.02.2024. Falling in the light of project Sanjeevani under the guidance of Dr Harmurti Singh (Professor, Dept of Dentistry, Govt. Medical college, Orai) a lecture on Management of Medical Emergencies was delivered along with demonstration of Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation on mannequins of Medical Emergencies was delivered along with demonstration of Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation on mannequins.



PADRAUNA

Dr. Shikha Tayal and Dr. Ritesh Kumar conducted workshop and CDE programme in association with AOMSI and IDA, Kushinagar branch on 11-02-2024. They delivered a lecture and organized a Hands On Workshop on Medical emergencies in Dental office and Basic Life Support to IDA members.



KANPUR

Indian Dental Association, Kanpur branch in association with AOMSI Kanpur chapter organized a workshop on 11-02-2024. Dr. Shravan Kr Singh along with Dr. Rajat Bhargava, Dr. Sardar Singh Yadav, Dr. Saakshi Pandey and Dr. Shiva Mani delivered a lecture at Milshika Super Speciality Hospital regarding Medical Emergencies management and trained students and staff about Basic Life Support



SAIFAI

Under the light of project Sanjeevani (in collaboration with IDA AND AOMSI) Dr. Atul Kumar Singh delivered a lecture to the students and attendants at Faculty of Dentistry, Uttar Pradesh Institute of Medical Sciences regarding the management of Medical emergencies in Dental clinic on 13-02-24.



INTERNATIONAL OMFS DAY 2024

The detailed district-wise Report is as followed:

LUCKNOW

International Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon's day was celebrated at Sardar Patel Post Graduate Institute of Dental and Medical Sciences on 13.02.2024. A Lecture on Management of Medical Emergencies in Dental Clinic was delivered followed by poster competition on the topic "Road Safety and Trauma Awareness" among undergraduate students.



International Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon's day was celebrated at King George's Medical University on 13.02.2024. A Lecture on Management of Medical Emergencies was delivered along with demonstration of Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation on mannequins.



International Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon's day was celebrated at Chandra Dental College on 13.02.2024. A Lecture on Management of Medical Emergencies was delivered along with

demonstration of Cardio Pulmonary Resuscitation on mannequins.



VARANASI

International Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon's day was celebrated at IMS, BHU and Inter College, Varanasi on 13.02.2024. Lectures were delivered to the undergraduate students to train them to promptly recognize for several life threatening Medical Emergencies and to give high quality chest compressions.

ALIGARH

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AGRA

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HIMACHAL PRADESH





Himachal Pradesh State Chapter









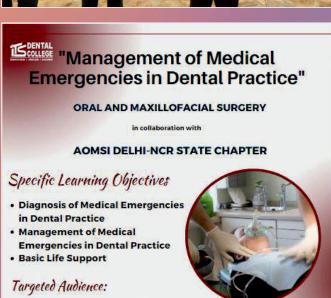
Delhi State Chapter











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Dental Students & Dental Practitioners



Organised by: Department of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery, Faculty of Dentistry, Jamia Milia Islamia













AOMSI DELHI NCR ANNUAL PRESIDENTIAL CRICKET MATCH

















The AOMSI Delhi NCR state chapter hosts an annual presidential cricket match every year since 2023 and invites 1 other Aomsi state chapter team to play a leather ball cricket match. This year **UP** Aomsi state chapter graciously accepted the invitation and sent a team of avid cricketers to play the Presidential match with AOMSI Delhi NCR cricket team. The match was held at Sportsstar Cricket Ground sector 75. Noida on 21 April 2024. The UP Aomsi cricket team played gallantly and gave tough competition to AOMSI Delhi NCR cricket team. but AOMSI Delhi NCR cricket team triumphed in the end. The match was followed by courtesy lunch for both the teams.

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GUJARAT





GurjatState Chapter













IDA North Gujarat Branch & AOMSI Gujarat State chapter in Association with NPDCH-SPU celebrates international Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeon's Day by Organizing Skill Enhancement Program



Department of oral and maxillofacial surgery, Narsinhbhai Patel Dental college and Hospital, organized "Sanjeevni" (Management of Medical Emergency in Dental Clinic) on 11th February, 2024 in association with AOMSI and IDA.

Well known guest speaker Dr. Dharmesh Pandya (M.D. Anesthesiologist), Dr. Anil Managutti (M.D.S. Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery) and Dr. Himanshu Soni (M.D.S. OMFS, Oncosurgeon) were invited for conducting the session and share

their words of wisdom with practicing Dental

The session started with inaugural ceremony in which lamp lightening was performed by Dr. Dharmesh Pandya, HOD Dr. Anil Managutti, Dr. Himashu Soni and all the faculty members. After that welcome speech was delivered by Dr. Parth Suthar, Senior Lecturer, Dept. of OMFS, NPDCH. Then after the guest speakers Dr. Dharmesh Pandya and Dr. Himashu Soni were felicitated and heartily welcomed by Dr. Anil Managutti sir, HOD dept. of OMFS. Further the day continued with the expert session on Basic Life Support by Dr. Dharmesh Pandya on the identifying life threatening situations, Breathing, Airway, Circulation, how to administer Cardiopulmonary Resuscitation. He concluded his lecture by sharing his experience with different clinical cases which was a great learning experience

for all the students. Dr. Anil Managutti then took forward the session with stating different emergent scenarios in the dental office. He talked about syncope, seizure, anaphylactic shock, angina pectoris, differentiating features between each and how to manage them in a dental office. The next lecture was by Dr. Himanshu Soni on Do's and Don'ts in Premalignant lesions. He talked about how to identify them, importance of detailed history of adverse habits, how patients try to hide their habits, which lesion needs what kind of diagnostic tool and importance of a good biopsy. The session was concluded by honoring each speaker with the certificate of appreciation and a memento by Dr. Nirav Patel, Reader, Dept. of OMFS



The vote of thanks was delivered by Dr. Parth Suthar, Senior lecturer, Dept. of OMFS, NPDCH. He thanked Dr. Dharmesh Pandya, Dr. Anil Managutti and Dr. Himanshu Soni for taking out their precious time and share their knowledge with the Dental Professional. He also thanked Prakash Patel sir, President, SPU, Prof. (Dr.) P. Udani sir, Provost, SPU, Dr. Vilas Patel, Dean, NPDCH for providing necessary infrastructure and encourragement for organizing such event. He also thanked Dr. Anil Managutti, HOD, Dept. of OMFS and Dean of external afairs for guiding throughout to make this program success.a



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KERALA





Kerala State Chapter

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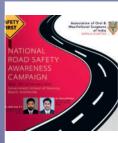
























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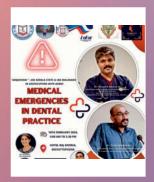


















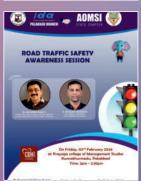










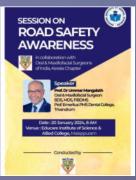






















AOMSI KERALA

WEBINAR 2024-3



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AOMSI KERALA WEBINAR 2024-2



EndoscopeAssisted Condylar Fixation

SPEAKER DR ARJUN KRISHNADAS MODERATOR - DR ARIN BABU

Date 31.01.2024 Time - 09.00 pm

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AOMSI KERALA WEBINAR 2024-4



An Insight into OSCE and OSPE SPEAKER DR M. S. BALAKRISHNA

MODERATOR - DR SANKAR VINOD

Date 28.02.2024 Time - 9.00 pm





ID, MPDS & SUBLUXATION - ARE THEY RELATED ?

WANTER AOMSI KERALA





Dr Joseph Edward

MODERATOR

AOMSI KERALA OPMD. THE CAUTION BEFORE CRISIS ODERATOR Dr SREEJITH V P

DR JANANI ANANDKUMAR

SPEAKER

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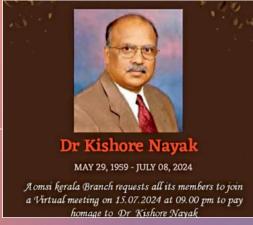


















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Punjab State Chapter







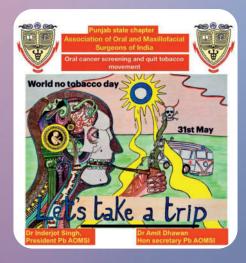


Punjab state chapter organised its 10th Annual state conference in April 2024 this year at Courtyard by Marriot, in the city of Amritsar. The theme of the conference was Digital transformation in oral and maxillofacial surgery.Dr Vinay Kumar Aggarwal President PB AOMSI delivered the welcome address. Dr Nitin Verma Pb state secretary and Organising secretary of the conference along with Dr Ramandeep Bhullar, State representative to AOMSI took over the proceedings of the conference. President Elect Dr Inderjot Singh and Dr Sarika Kapila, Treasurer PB state also took part in the successful conduction of the proceedings of the event. The prestigious Dr BK Kapila memorial Oration was given by Dr Girish Rao, Honorary General Secretary AOMSI. Dr Sumeet Sandhu memorial lecture was delivered by Dr Yogesh Bharadwai, Other national faculty members Dr Ashish Gupta, Dr Abhilasha Yaday, Dr Athreya Rajagopal, Dr Biswajit Biswas and Dr Karthik enriched the students with their scientific experience and knowledge. Dr Amit Dhawan was the scientific Chairman of the said event. The conference was attended by 100 delegates with 21 local and national faculty members. There were 30 oral presentations and 30 poster presentations by post graduate students of OMS on various spectrum of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery. It was a wonderful efforts by each and every team member of AOMSI Pb state chapter for successful conduction of the conference









No tobacco day was celebrated at Christian Dental college Ludhiana, with oath taking ceremony and awareness lecture. Dr Inderjot Singh President Punjab state chapter of AOMSI and Hon Gen Secretary Dr Amit Dhawan were instrumental were conducting this national even proposed by AOMSI Head Office. It was attended generously by 100 delegates and students.



A poster competition was held and the best poster was

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AOMSI CRICKET LEAGUE 2024



NO TOBACCO DAY CELEBRATION 2024

Report of NO Tobacco day by Dr. Anuj Jain





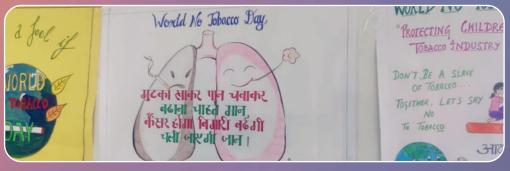




















STATE CHAPTER





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- 1.TRAUMA COMPAIGN RUN AT ALL MEDICAL, DENTAL COLLEGS AND CIVIL HOSPITALS OF HARYANA
- 2. ANTI TOBACCO DAY CELEBRATION AT BPS GOVT. MEDICAL COLLEGE AND CIVIL HOSPITALS OF HARYANA
- 3. ANNUAL HARYANA STATE CONFERENCE WITH THEME SANJEEVANI HELD AT SONEPAT.
- 4. MEDICAL EMERGENCIES IN DENTISTRY SERIES OF PRESENTATIONS GOING ON ALL OVER THE STATE
- 5. CELEBRATION AND MOTIVATION AND AWARENESS PROGRAMME RUN ALL OVER THE STATE ABOUT OMFS ON DOCTORS DAY
- 6. ORAL CANCER DAY HAD OVERWHELMING RESPONSE AS IT WAS CELEBRATED ON A GRAND LEVEL IN STATE
- 7. MEDICAL EMERGENCIES IN DENTAL PRACTISE A PRESENTATION TO BE GIVEN BY STATE PRESIDENT DR GEETA KALRA WITH PDPA/IDA ON 21.07





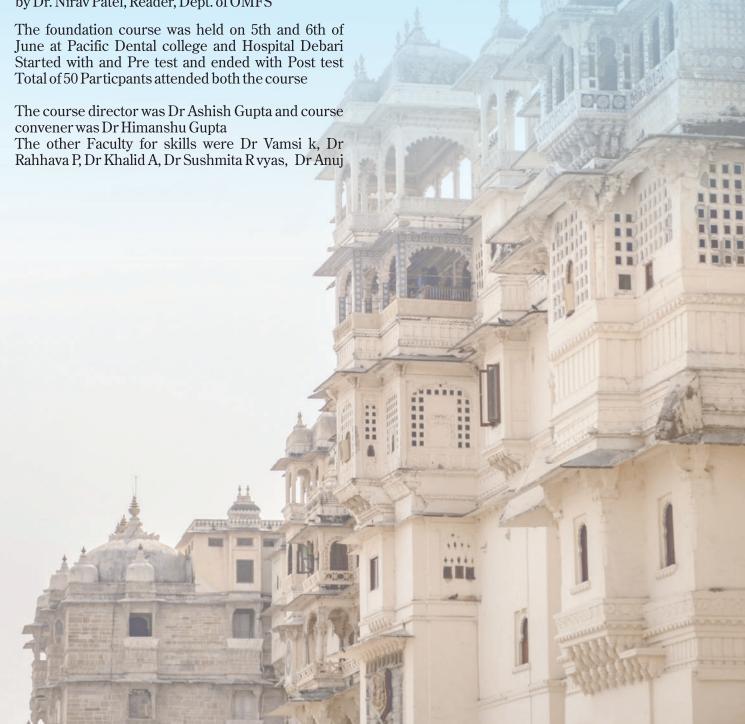
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UD AIPUR

Brief report on the Foundation and skills course held at Udaipur from 3rd June to 6th June.

The skills course was held at Geethanjali Medical college skills lab on 3rd and 4th mainly for the 1st year PGs with hands on training/simulation on Tracheostomy, intubation, Draping, wound dressing, I V Canulla, catheterization, different drain placement. Dr Ramakant Reddy was the course director and Dr shallu bansal was course convener. for all the students. Dr. Anil Managutti then took forward the session with stating different emergent scenarios in the dental office. He talked about syncope, seizure, anaphylactic shock, angina pectoris, differentiating features between each and how to manage them in a dental office. The next lecture was by Dr. Himanshu Soni on Do's and Don'ts

in Premalignant lesions. He talked about how to identify them, importance of detailed history of adverse habits, how patients try to hide their habits, which lesion needs what kind of diagnostic tool and importance of a good biopsy. The session was concluded by honoring each speaker with the certificate of appreciation and a memento by Dr. Nirav Patel, Reader, Dept. of OMFS







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Journal Club



Starting from January 2024 we have conducted Journal Club Activity every month for the Last six month. This Activity was conducted on the last Saturday of every month.

Dr. Sushmitha R. Vyas Chairman journal club committee



During this activity we have noticed Pan India participation of Postgradutes, Faculties and Students of different Colleges all over India. Moderators of each Speciality topic from Doffernt Zones of the country have contributed their valuable time and expertise knowledge for the benefit of the post graduates.

1st NEXTGEN **E**AOMSI SYMPOSIUM

Featurnig Next Generation Technology. Innovations And It's Application In Maxillofacial Surgery





Second executive committee meeting was held in Hyderabad during Next Gen Conference

The 1st NEXTGEN AOMSI Symposium at Hyderabad was to provide a forum for sharing of knowledge, innovations & researches between the young talent, seasoned experts and esteemed researchers.

The participants were fully engaged in a dynamic interactive sessions & thought provoking discussions addressing a wide spectrum of advancements in the field Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery. This fostered collaboration among the participants to lay the foundation for the future innovations in enhancing patient well being.

MASTERCALSS 2024

Redefining Maxillofacial Surgery Education.



In response to the ever-increasing demands of knowledge acquisition and competency development within the rapidly evolving field of maxillofacial surgery, the Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI) implemented a groundbreaking initiative - Masterclass 2024, spearheaded under the guidance of Dr. Sruthi Rao, EC Member (2023-2024). This program sought to address the critical need for improved educational methodologies in postgraduate surgical training. Masterclass 2024 specifically targeted the welldocumented challenges faced by postgraduate trainees, including knowledge gaps in specific subspecialties, dificulties in integrating theoretical knowledge with practical application, and limited exposure to diverse clinical scenarios.

Evolution and Expansion of the Masterclass Initiative



The Masterclass initiative commenced in 2018 with region-specific physical sessions. The advent of the COVID-19 pandemic necessitated a transition to online platforms, significantly broadening its reach and accessibility. This year, the program has further evolved to be accessible to all life members free of charge via the AOMSI website, in addition to postgraduates. This expansion has enhanced the inclusivity and outreach of the Masterclass, enriching the learning experience for a diverse and extensive audience.

Redefining Maxillofacial Surgery Education.



Masterclass 2024 distinguished itself through a meticulously crafted curriculum designed to provide a holistic overview of Maxillofacial Surgery. Recognizing the importance of spaced repetition and knowledge retention, the program was strategically divided into 15 subheadings, each covered in-depth during one of the 14 intensive sessions. This approach ensured comprehensive coverage of the field while maintaining participant focus.

A key innovation was the program's scheduling over seven weekends. This unique format minimized disruption to participants' regular clinical duties, a common challenge faced by postgraduate trainees. Each session was thoughtfully crafted to delve deep into the intricacies of a specific subspecialty, utilizing evidence-based teaching methodologies. Furthermore, dedicated revision periods were incorporated throughout the week following each session. This allowed participants to solidify their understanding of the presented material, fostering efective knowledge retention and ultimately leading to improved learning outcomes. The content was not only informative but also tailored to meet the specific educational needs of postgraduates preparing for examinations. This approach not only facilitated learning but also encouraged active participation and discussion, further enriching the educational experience.

Leadership and Coordination: Driving the Success of Masterclass 2024

The success of Masterclass 2024, an innovative educational initiative by the Association of Oral and Maxillofacial Surgeons of India (AOMSI), owes much

to the exemplary leadership and meticulous coordination of the Masterclass 2024 Committee. Serving as Chairperson of the Masterclass Committee, Dr. Sruthi Rao, guided by President Dr. Bhagavandas Rai, Honorary General Secretary Dr. Girish Rao, President Elect and Past Chairperson of Masterclass 2023 Dr. Manikandhan R, Vice President Dr. Shaji Thomas, and Co-Chair Dr. Madan Mishra, played a pivotal role in steering the program to unprecedented success.

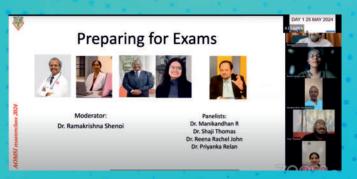
Dr. Sruthi Rao, supported by a dedicated committee of senior members including Dr Ramakrishna Shenoi, Dr Ashish Gupta, Dr Nishant Chaurasia, Dr Sobhan Mishra, Dr Abhay Kamat, Dr Elavenil P, Dr Sthithaprajna Lenka, and Dr Nikhil Kumar Jain, meticulously planned and executed each session of Masterclass 2024. Seasoned Teachers and professionals across the country, brought extensive experience and expertise, ensuring that the program met the highest educational standards and catered to the diverse needs of participants.

Critical to the smooth execution of Masterclass 2024 were the associate coordinators, who played instrumental roles in enhancing participant engagement and operational eficiency. The involvement of Dr Vaibhav Sahni, Dr Sumit Asrani, Dr Prateek Tripathy, Dr Ali Atif, Dr Monika Surana, Dr Amanjot Kaur, Dr Samarth Vajpayee, Dr Janani Anandkumar, Dr Subham S Agarwal, Dr Bharat Shukla, Dr Rishabh Shah, Dr Ashutosh Vatsyayan, Dr Satadru Roy, Dr Pritika Shrivastava, Dr Divya Chadda, and Dr Apurva ensured that each session flowed seamlessly, maintaining high levels of participant interaction and satisfaction.



Content Development and Expert Involvement

The Masterclass content was curated using a three-tier system involving contributors, mentors, and presenters from the esteemed Masterclass 2023 under the leadership of Dr Manikandhan R and his team. This approach not only ensured relevance to examination perspectives but also allowed flexibility for speakers of Masterclass 2024 to tailor content to their expertise. A balanced representation of speakers from across India was maintained, promoting diversity and comprehensive learning experiences.



Inclusive Speaker Selection for AOMSI Masterclass

To ensure equal opportunities for all AOMSI members and enrich the learning experience for postgraduates, a speaker interest form was distributed among the membership. This initiative allowed senior speakers, who had not previously presented at the masterclass, to participate. Efforts were made to maintain regional balance, ensuring representation from educators across the country and beyond.

Panel Discussions: The Crowning Glory of Masterclass 2024

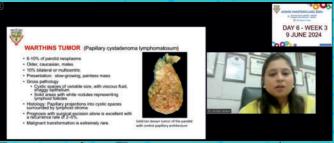
Each session of the masterclass ended with a panel discussion featuring illustrious moderators renowned within the field of Maxillofacial Surgery. These moderators and panelists, often considered 'whos who' in their respective domains, brought unparalleled expertise and authority to the discussions. Their ability to steer conversations, pose incisive questions, and synthesize diverse viewpoints enriched the learning experience for participants. One of the standout features of the panel discussions was the global perspective they offered. Panelists included not only leading figures from India but also esteemed practitioners and researchers from around the world.

Global Participation and Interactive Learning

Despite being held virtually on Zoom, the Masterclass maintained an interactive atmosphere through live polls and Q&A sessions tailored to each topic. This innovative approach not only engaged participants actively but also facilitated real-time feedback and discussion. Mandatory Zoom attendance ensured accountability and eligibility for participation certificates, enhancing the commitment of attendees.

Access and Dissemination

Recognizing the importance of accessibility, recorded sessions were promptly shared via YouTube links after each weekend, reaching a wider audience beyond live participants. The Masterclass was open to to all AOMSI members, transcending geographical boundaries to include international students and all life members, fostering a truly global exchange of knowledge. This accessibility facilitated ongoing learning and professional development among AOMSI members.



Interactive Engagement and Audience Participation

The interactive nature of the panel discussions was another highlight of Masterclass 2024. Attendees were actively encouraged to participate through live Q&A sessions, where they could pose questions directly to speakers and panelists. This direct interaction with experts provided invaluable opportunities for clarification, deeper exploration of topics, and practical insights based on real-world experiences.



Enhancing Practical Skills through Clinical Examination Demonstrations

Comprehensive demonstrations on detailed clinical examinations, covering various aspects of the subject, are scheduled for August 17 and 18. These sessions are designed to enhance case presentations for practical examinations and support surgeons in planning their cases efectively.



Face-to-Face with Examiner: Interactive Group Discussions

The "Face-to-Face with Examiner" (FFE) initiative offers students the opportunity to engage in group discussions with senior postgraduate teachers. This program is available to students who have achieved over 50 percent participation in the Masterclass theory sessions held via Zoom from May 25 to July 7. Dates will be announced shortly. Certificates of participation will be awarded for the Masterclass based on 50 percent attendance until the Clinical Examination Session.



The Masterclass 2024 not only set a benchmark for educational innovation in Maxillofacial Surgery but also demonstrated the power of collaborative learning and technological integration in modern medical education. Under the visionary leadership of Dr. Sruthi Rao and the dedicated efforts of the organizing committee, this initiative not only met but exceeded expectations, paving the way for future advancements in the field. The panel discussions moderated by experts at Masterclass 2024 served as the pinnacle of intellectual discourse and professional enrichment within the field of Maxillofacial Surgery. Through their insightful deliberations, these sessions not only deepened understanding but also inspired collaboration, innovation, and excellence among participants. As AOMSI continues to lead the charge in advancing medical education and professional development, the success of these panel discussions stands as a testament to the power of collective expertise and shared learning in shaping the future of healthcare. As we reflect on its success, it is evident that the Masterclass has not only imparted crucial knowledge but has also inspired a new era of interactive, accessible, and impactful medical education.

In conclusion, the Masterclass 2024 stands as a testament to the transformative potential of innovative teaching methodologies and collaborative efforts in shaping the future of Maxillofacial Surgery education. As AOMSI continues to innovate and inspire, the impact of Masterclass 2024 will undoubtedly resonate throughout the field of Maxillofacial Surgery, influencing future generations of practitioners and educators alike.



OBITUARY





DR. KISHORE NAYAK

LM173, BENGALURU Past President, AOMSI, Past President, IAOMS DOB: 29/05/1959, DOD: 08/07/2024

Dear colleagues,

It is with profound sadness that we share the news of the passing of Dr. Kishore Nayak, our esteemed Past President of AOMSI and Past President of IAOMS. Dr. Nayak left us a few moments ago, leaving behind a legacy that will forever be remembered and cherished in the annals of maxillofacial surgery.

Dr. Kishore Nayak was more than a renowned surgeon; he was a visionary who transformed the landscape of maxillofacial surgery in India. His unwavering passion for his work and his exceptional skill set him apart as a pioneer in our field. Under his leadership, both AOMSI and IAOMS reached new heights, and his contributions have left an indelible mark on the global maxillofacial community.

Beyond his professional achievements, Dr. Nayak was a remarkable human being. His compassion, humility, and dedication to his patients and colleagues made him a beloved figure. He was a mentor to many, a friend to countless, and an inspiration to all who had the privilege of knowing him.

As we mourn the loss of Dr. Kishore Nayak, we also celebrate his life and the enduring impact he has made. His spirit will live on in the hearts and minds of those he touched. His legacy will continue to inspire future generations of surgeons and his contributions will remain a cornerstone of our professional community.

Our thoughts and prayers are with Dr. Nayak's family and friends during this difficult time. May his noble soul attain Sadgathi and reach the lotus feet of the Lord. While we grieve his departure, let us also remember and honor his remarkable life and the immense contributions he made to our field.

With deepest condolence,

Dr. Bhagavandas Rai A President, AOMSI

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