

Month : March 2017

Department of Obstetrics and Gynaecology

Dr. Meenal Patvekar, Professor Her video of abstract with the title 'Retained products of conception : A hysteroscopic insight' has been accepted into the Global Congress of Hysteroscopy 2017 to be held from 2nd to 5th May 2017 at Barcelona.

Department of Community Medicine

Dr. Amitav Banerjee Prof & HOD has participated in the Medknow Editorial Seminar (Wolters Kluwer) on 8th march 2017 held in Mumbai, India.

Dr. Amitav Banerjee Prof & HOD, Dr. Hetal Rathod, Prof., Dr. Parul Sharma, Associate Professor participated in the 61st Annual national Conference of Indian Public Health Association (IPHA) & first state Conference of IPHA Rajasthan held on 24th Feb. to 26th Feb. 2017, which was organized by department of Community Medicine and Family Medicine, AIIMS Jodhpur, Rajasthan.

1. Dr. Amitav Banerjee participated as Resource Person in the Scientific Session on Ethical Issues in Research.
2. Dr. Amitav Banerjee Chaired the Scientific Session on Ethical Issues in Research.
3. Presented Oral Paper "Intergenerational Decline in vitamin D status: A Cross sectional study among medical students and their teachers."
4. Dr. Hetal Rathod, Professor was Chair free Paper session.
5. Dr. Parul Sharma got 1st prize for Eposter presentation.

Ms. Kinshuk Looned, UG Student She participated in PHOENIX 2017 – International Medical Students' Conference held from 22nd to 26th March 2017 at A. J. Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Centre, Mangaluru, India.

The council presented her a bouquet as a token of appreciation of her participation in the international conference.

Department of Respiratory Medicine

A three day conference & workshop called "Broncocon 2017" 22nd Annual conference on Bronchology & Interventional Pulmonology was conducted by Christian Medical College, Vellore under the aegis of Indian Association of Bronchology from 2nd to 4th March 2017 at CMC, Vellore.

Dr. Mahavir Bagrecha, Assistant Professor, from the department has attended the same.

Dr. Chitra V, SR, presented a poster titled "Endobronchial carcinoid masquerading as obstructive airway disease" at the conference.

Dr. Arpan Dhoka, JR-II, presented a poster titled "Germ cell tumor presenting as endobronchial metastases: A rare presentation" at the conference.

Dr. Kirti Yadav, JR-II, presented a poster titled "Intrapleural Fibrinolytic therapy in clotted hemothorax- A case report" at the conference.

Dr. Aditya Pandya, JR-I, presented a poster titled "Management of cold abscess: A novel approach" at the conference.

Dr. Mahavir Bagrecha, Assistant Professor has attended three day conference, workshop & Symposium called "International Diabetes Summit- 2017" organized by Chellaram Diabetes Institute from 10th to 12th March 2017 at Pune.

Department of Radio-diagnosis

Dr. Pratiksha Yadav, Associate Professor has presented in the 'European Congress of Radiology' held in Vienna, Austria from 1st to 5th March 2017. Following are the list of presentations:

Two Talks in the scientific sessions:

1. "Utility of T2-weighted magnetic resonance imaging, MR spectroscopy and diffusion-weighted imaging of thyroid to differentiate malignant from benign nodules" on 1/03/2017
2. "Comprehensiveness of EHSRGE/ESGE classification of female genital tract anomalies: systematic review of cases by MRI".
3. Two E posters also presented in the European congress of Radiology: Main author -Dr. Pratiksha Yadav, Co-Author- Dr. Surbhi Chauhan.
1. Combined contrast enhanced magnetic resonance imaging and diffusion weighted imaging in differentiating malignant from benign breast lesions.
2. Role of DWI with increased b value in detection of breast malignancies without use of contrast media; assessment with ADC values and background suppression MR mammogram. On International Women's Day i.e. on Wednesday 8th March, 2017 Bhavsar Vision India Social Club Pimpri Chinchwad has referred the 13 members for screening Digital Mammography. Department of Radio-diagnosis has conducted Digital Mammography examinations of all those members.

Dr. Amit Kharat, Professor has applied for a grant from the Department of Biotechnology, Government of India under the BIG-Biotechnology Ignition Grant on the study titled "Imaging in Dementia", this is based on PET-CT study to evaluate amyloid plaques and using a novel tracer. The proposal is under screening and will be called for an interview soon. MITCON are the proposed incubator for the project. Estimated budget is Rs. 30 lakhs. The details of the research project will be intimated in due course.

Dr Amit Kharat was invited as a guest faculty for Meducation 4.0 by the Rotaract Club of The Caduceus to speak on MR Imaging at Navi Mumbai on 4th March 2017.

Dr Chaitanya Koneru fellow in MSK Radiology under the guidance of Dr Amit Kharat presented a "Case of unusual bone lesion" at the Clinical Radiology Orthopedic and Pathology (CROP) at Sancheti Institute of Orthopedics and Rehabilitation (SIOR) on 16th March 2017.

RadAspire WEBINAR SERIES online lecture arranged in the Dept. of Radiodiagnosis on 11th March 2017 between 02.00pm to 03.45pm. Following topics were covered:

1. Imaging in Brain Tumours by Dr. Srinivas B Desai, Director of Radiology, Jaslok Hospital and Research Centre, Mumbai.

2. CNS Infections by Dr. Deepak Patkar by Director, Medical Services, Head of Department of Imaging, Nanavati Super Speciality Hospital, Mumbai.

Department of Emergency Medicine

Dr. Shalini Thombre, Prof. and Head was invited as Judge for competition session on Oral Paper presentations at 43rd Research society conference of BJMC.

She is also appointed as Reviewer for the Medical Journal of Western India -Indexed with Index Copernicus.

Dr. Rajeshwari S Vhora, Professor was invited as faculty to deliver lecture on Shock, Antiarrhythmics Vasopressors and CVS emergencies in NEMBRIC 2017 (National emergency medical board review course) held in National board of examination on 6th & 7th February 2017. NEMBRIC is Annual board review course for EM faculty & residents conducted by Academic college of emergency Experts.

Dr. Varsha S Shinde was invited as faculty for Advanced Trauma life Support (ATLS) at symbiosis Institute of Health Science, Pune on 9th to 11th February 2017. She was also invited as faculty for Advanced Trauma Life Support (ATLS) at symbiosis Institute of Health Sciences, Pune on 13th to 15th October, 2016.

Department of Paediatrics

1. The Department of Pediatrics organized a Contact course for pediatricians registered for the “Certificate Course in Adolescent Pediatrics” at Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune. It was a special 7days event that was directed by Honorary Adolescent Pediatrician Prof. Dr. Swati Bhave and was conducted under the able guidance of Dr. S. R. Agarkhedkar & Dr. J. S. Bhawalkar, Dean of Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College, Pimpri, Pune. The Course Co-ordinator was Professor Dr. Shailaja Mane and Dr. Dhananjay Shukla.
2. The Department of Pediatrics in collaboration with IAP – Pune organized one day Programme on Epilepsy Update – II on 11th March 2017 from 8:30am – 3:30pm in college Auditorium. The session covered the important aspects of Epilepsy in children including recent advances in the field of management. The panel discussion, on common case scenarios and practical problem in management of Epilepsy was well appreciated. The sessions were taken by eminent faculty in the field of Pediatrics Neurology and Adult neurology from Dr. D. Y. Patil Medical College and other Institutes in Pune. There were 101 delegates who attended the CME. Two MMC credit hours were granted for the delegates. MMC Observer was Dr. Geeta Joginder Nath.
3. Dr. Shailaja Mane, Professor was felicitated with “Inner Wheel Excellence Award” from Inner Wheel Club of Nigdi – Pride on occasion of Womens Day on 8th March 2017 for her work to promote Breast Feeding and Human Milk Banking. She was felicitated with a Citation, Puneri Pagadi and a shawl.
4. Dr. Shailaja Mane, Professor was invited as a Chief Guest by Sneha Foundation on 8th March 2017 in Bhosari. Felicitations of mothers was done by her hands who had improved their kids from malnutrition. She had addressed mothers in community and given guidance regarding child nutrition.

Department of Anatomy

Dr. Vaishaly Bharambe, Professor was invited as speaker at a conference on “Asian Perspective on Organ Donation & Transplantation” held by Indian Society of Organ Transplantation Midterm Meeting on 16th -18th March 2017 at The Park, Chennai. She delivered a lecture on “The Laws and socio-cultural aspects governing body donation in India”.

Department of Ophthalmology

Dr. Shashi Prasad, Professor has attended & chaired, has successfully participated as delegate in the Conference in Pediatric Ophthalmology “PED-EYE INDIA 2017” held on the 18-19 March 2017 in association with MOS and POS at PBMA's H> V> Desai Eye Hospital, Pune.

'Glaucoma Awareness Day' was conducted by the Department on 22/03/2017. The main aim was to create awareness among the general population about vision loss due to glaucoma. Informative posters were displayed at the hospital entrance and 1000 pamphlets were distributed. Patients and relatives were encouraged to put up queries and their doubts were resolved. All patients above 40 years attending Eye OPD were screened for glaucoma by measuring intraocular pressure. During this activity we realized that a lot of awareness about Glaucoma still needs to be generated among the people.

Department of General Medicine

1. Dr. A. L. Kakrani, Professor and Head was the panelist for Open Forum “Research in India-Barriers and solutions” and was the chair person for a guest lecturer at the XIVth RESCON 2017 held at Bharti Vidyapeeth Deemed to be University Medical College(BVDUMC) Pune on 3rd march 2017.
2. The following faculty members attended the International Diabetes Summit 2017, organized by Chellaram Diabetes Institute between 10th – 12th March 2017 at Pune. (7 MMC credit points)

Dr. A. L. Kakrani (chaired 2 sessions)

Dr. S. A. Kanitkar (Delegate)

Dr. Anu Gaikwad (Chaired a session)

Dr. V. B. Vikhe (Delegate)

Dr. Madhulika Mahashabde (Chaired a session)

Dr. J. S. Dhadwad (Delegate)

Dr. Gaurav Chaudhari (Delegate)

Dr. Harish Chaudhari (Delegate)