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EXPLORING TOXICON 2023: A COMPREHENSIVE PROGRAM ON POISON MANAGEMENT



Believers Church Medical College Hospital (BCMCH) is hosting TOXICON 2023, a pivotal event focused on poison management and enhanced elimination strategies. The program, scheduled for Sunday, 1st October 2023, promises a day of insightful discussions, interactive sessions, and expert presentations by renowned professionals in the field. Let's delve into the detailed schedule to anticipate the wealth of knowledge this event has to offer. TOXICON 2023 at BCMCH promises a day filled with cutting-edge insights and collaborative discussions on poison management. The diverse topics covered by experts in the field ensure that participants gain a holistic understanding of the latest advancements in the realm of toxicology. Registration is free, and pre-registration is mandatory. Don't miss this unique opportunity to enhance your knowledge and network with professionals in the field.

BREAST CANCER AWARENESS CME IN SHADES OF PINK



The CME aims to deepen our collective understanding of breast cancer and, more importantly, to empower individuals to thrive beyond this disease. It is an opportunity for us to come together, learn, and contribute to the broader conversation around breast health. In solidarity with the cause, we encourage you to wear Shades of PINK to symbolize our commitment to Breast Cancer Awareness. Let's paint the Amphitheatre in a sea of pink to show our support.

Your presence will undoubtedly contribute to the success of this important event. Let us join hands in fostering awareness, knowledge, and a sense of empowerment within our community. We are honored to have Dr. MJ Paul, Head of the Department of Endocrine and Breast Surgery at CMC Vellore, presiding over the inaugural ceremony. His wealth of experience and expertise promises to enrich our understanding of breast cancer and its impact.

ANGELS DIAMOND AWARD FROM THE WORLD STROKE ORGANISATION 2023



It is with immense joy and pride that I share the remarkable news that our esteemed institution has been honored with the prestigious Angels Diamond Award by the World Stroke Organisation this year.

This award is a testament to the unwavering commitment, expertise, and exceptional contributions made by Dr. John K John, Dr. Anil Kumar Sivan, Dr. Joban, Dr. Jerry, and the entire Neurology team in advancing stroke care and awareness. The Angels Diamond Award is a prestigious acknowledgment from the World Stroke Organisation, recognizing our institution's outstanding efforts in the field of neurology and stroke management. This achievement reflects the dedication and hard work of each member of the Neurology team.

To all our dear friends in the Neurology department, hearty congratulations on this well-deserved honor! Your commitment to excellence and compassionate care has not only impacted lives but has also earned global recognition.

This award not only celebrates local success but also highlights our institution's global impact in the critical area of stroke care. It is a moment of pride for each member of our healthcare community.



BELIEVERS HOSPITAL WINS VOICE OF HEALTH STROKE INNOVATION AND EXCELLENCE AWARD - BEST TELE STROKE SERVICES OF THE YEAR

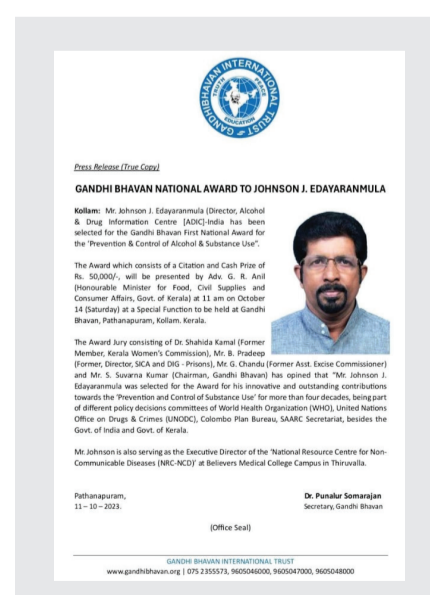
In a momentous achievement, Believers Church Medical College Hospital (BCMCH) has been honored with the prestigious Voice of Health Stroke Innovation and Excellence Award for "Best Telestroke Services of the Year."

This esteemed award was presented by Mr. Rajeev Arora, Chairman of the Quality Assurance Authority of Gujarat, in a ceremony graced by the presence of the Honorable Health Minister of Gujarat, Rushikesh Patel. The event took place on October 27, 2023, marking a significant milestone for BCMCH. The recognition underscores BCMCH's commitment to innovation and excellence in

telestroke services, a vital component in providing timely and advanced healthcare solutions. The institution's dedication to leveraging technology for stroke intervention has set a benchmark in the healthcare industry.

The Voice of Health Stroke Innovation and Excellence Award is a testament to BCMCH's commitment to pushing boundaries, embracing innovation, and providing exceptional telestroke services. We extend our heartfelt congratulations to Dr. Abel K Samuel, Dr. Anil Kumar Sivan, and the entire BCMCH family for this outstanding achievement.

A Distinguished Honor: Mr. Johnson Edayaranmula Receives Gandhibhavan National Award



In a moment of great pride and celebration, we extend our HEARTY CONGRATULATIONS to Mr. Johnson Edayaranmula, the esteemed Executive Director of NRC (National Resource Centre) for being conferred with the prestigious Gandhibhavan National Award.

This well-deserved honor is a testament to Mr. Johnson Edayaranmula's exceptional leadership, unwavering dedication, and transformative contributions to the field of healthcare. As the Executive Director of NRC, he has played a pivotal role in advancing healthcare initiatives and making a positive impact on the lives of many.

The Gandhibhavan National Award is a recognition of Mr. Edayaranmula's commitment to Gandhian principles and his outstanding efforts in promoting social welfare, healthcare excellence, and community service.

As colleagues, well-wishers, and members of the healthcare community, we take pride in celebrating this momentous achievement. The Gandhibhavan National Award is a recognition well earned, and it symbolizes the positive impact Mr. Johnson Edayaranmula has had on the healthcare sector. Our heartfelt congratulations once again to Mr. Johnson Edayaranmula on receiving the Gandhibhavan National Award. May this accolade serve as a reminder of the significant contributions made and the path of excellence that lies ahead.

BCMCH's Comprehensive World Heart Day Campaign 2023: A Week Devoted to Cardiac Health Awareness



World Heart Day, an international campaign to promote heart health awareness, took on special significance at Believers Hospital this year. With the theme "USE HEART, KNOW HEART," the hospital undertook a week-long campaign to educate and engage the public on various aspects of cardiac health. This detailed blog article delves into the diverse activities organized at Believers Hospital during World Heart Day week, focusing on each day's unique programs and their impact.

Day 2: Interventions for Acute Coronary Syndrome

The second day emphasized interventions for acute coronary syndrome, particularly highlighting angioplasty and its post-care measures. The significance of adopting a healthy lifestyle to prevent future complications was stressed. Nurse Manager, Mrs. Jancy Joseph, played a pivotal role in clarifying doubts and providing additional insights.

Day 3: Surgical Management of Myocardial Infarction

On the third day, the focus shifted to creating awareness about the surgical management of myocardial infarction. A skit depicted the pre and post-operative journey of a patient undergoing coronary artery bypass grafting (CABG). Dr. Benson Abraham, a cardiac anesthesiologist, provided health education on CABG and addressed queries from the audience.

World Heart Day: Flash Mob Dance and Congenital Heart Disease Awareness

On September 29th, 2023, Believers Hospital organized a vibrant flash mob dance in a public space to capture attention and create awareness. A skit on congenital heart disease followed, emphasizing the importance of antenatal detection and delivering in a center with cardiac care for complex cases. Public awareness regarding the government program "HRIDYAM" for congenital heart disease was shared, and Pediatric Cardiologist Dr. R Suresh Kumar engaged in an interactive session, answering queries in detail.

The week-long campaign at Believers Hospital proved to be a resounding success, with active participation from the public. The interactive sessions, skits, and informative talks by medical professionals contributed to increased awareness about cardiac health. The quiz competition further engaged the audience, highlighting the positive impact of the program in educating and empowering individuals to prioritize their heart health. As we reflect on the events of World Heart Day 2023, Believers Hospital remains committed to ongoing efforts in promoting heart health awareness in the community.

Celebrating Excellence: Accolades for Dr. Jacob Jesurun, Dr. Swetha and Teams in Pharmacology and Clinical Pharmacy

We are thrilled to announce and extend heartfelt congratulations to Dr. Jacob Jesurun, Dr. Swetha, and the entire dedicated teams in Pharmacology and Clinical Pharmacy for achieving a remarkable milestone. Our institution has been prominently featured in the esteemed newsletter of the Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission, Ministry of Health and Human Welfare, Government of India, as the TOP PERFORMING ADR MONITORING CENTRE.

This recognition is a testament to the unwavering commitment, expertise, and diligence exhibited by Dr. Jacob Jesurun, Dr. Swetha, and their teams in the field of Pharmacology and Clinical Pharmacy. The distinction of being recognized as a top-performing center in ADR monitoring is a reflection of the high standards of care and precision maintained in our institution.

The field of pharmacovigilance and adverse drug reaction monitoring plays a pivotal role in ensuring patient safety and the effectiveness of medical interventions. Dr. Jacob Jesurun, Dr. Swetha, and their teams have not only demonstrated excellence in their day-to-day responsibilities but have also contributed significantly to the broader landscape of healthcare quality and safety.

This achievement is a result of collaborative efforts, highlighting the importance of teamwork and interdisciplinary

collaboration within our institution. The dedication and expertise demonstrated by each member of the Pharmacology and Clinical Pharmacy teams have set a standard of excellence that reflects positively on our institution as a whole.

Being featured in the newsletter of the Indian Pharmacopoeia Commission places our institution at the forefront of advancements in pharmacovigilance at a national level. This recognition not only reflects the commitment of our teams but also reinforces our institution's role in shaping the future of healthcare in India.

As we celebrate this achievement, we look forward to building on this success and continuing to set new benchmarks in patient safety, pharmacovigilance, and clinical pharmacy. Dr. Jacob Jesurun, Dr. Swetha, and all team members have showcased the exceptional capabilities and dedication that define our institution.

This accomplishment is a source of pride for everyone associated with our institution. It is a testament to our commitment to excellence, patient safety, and the advancement of healthcare standards. We extend our warmest congratulations once again to Dr. Jacob Jesurun, Dr. Swetha, and all the teams involved for this well-deserved recognition.



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Celebrating Prof. Dr. Kannan Vaidyanathan's Achievement: Trialect Priority Fellowship



Prof. Dr. Kannan Vaidyanathan
Professor and Head,
Dept. of Biochemistry,
BCMCH.

Dr. Kannan has been honored with the prestigious and highly coveted "Trialect Priority Fellowship"

at the renowned Torino University in Italy. This accolade is a testament to his exceptional contributions to the field of biochemistry.

He is set to embark on an enriching journey of on-site training, representing not only himself but also our beloved BCMCH family. Tomorrow, as he begins this chapter in Italy, let us collectively extend our heartfelt wishes and prayers for his continued success.

Dear Sir, your achievement is not only

a personal triumph but a moment of pride for the entire BCMCH community. As you hoist the BCMCH flag in Italy, we are confident that you will continue to shine as a beacon of knowledge and excellence.

Wishing Prof. Dr. Kannan Vaidyanathan the very best in his endeavors at Torino University. May this fellowship open new horizons of learning and contribute to the wealth of knowledge in the field of biochemistry.

Safe travels and a successful training period!

Dr. JIJU JOSEPH'S PRESENTATION AT THE EMAC CONFERENCE BY CMC VELLORE



The inaugural Emergency Medicine Annual Conference (EMAC) by the esteemed CMC Vellore is set to unfold its wings on the 29th and 30th of September. This groundbreaking event promises to bring together more than 20 distinguished national faculty members, each a luminary in their respective fields. Among these stars, shining brightly in the constellation of emergency medicine, is our very own luminary,

Dr. Joseph, a beacon of leadership and expertise, will take the stage to delve into a topic rarely explored in the realm of emergency medicine: his captivating theme promises to unveil the intricacies and challenges of open water rescue and resuscitation—an area crucial in emergency medicine but often overshadowed. Dr. Jiju Joseph's inclusion in the lineup not

only reflects his expertise but also positions him among the trailblazers in the field.

To Dr. Jiju Joseph, our esteemed CEO and Head of IP, we extend our heartfelt congratulations. Your selection as a speaker at EMAC is not just a personal achievement but a moment of pride for the entire BCMCH Konni and BCMCH family. As you step onto the stage, know that you carry with you the support and best wishes of a community that values and celebrates your dedication to excellence.

May your presentation illuminate the depths of knowledge, spark conversations, and inspire fellow emergency medicine practitioners. We eagerly anticipate the ripple effect of your insights on the landscape of emergency medicine.

Dr. GRACE MARY JOHN INFECTION PREVENTION AND CONTROL AND THE ANTI-MICROBIAL STEWARDSHIP PROGRAM



We extend heartfelt congratulations to Dr. GRACE MARY JOHN on her notable achievement of being invited as a member of the high-level expert Core Committee for two National level projects under CAHO (Consortium of Accredited Healthcare Organisation). Dr. Grace Mary John's appointment to the CAHO Core Committee is a recognition of her expertise and dedication in the field of healthcare. Her contribution to two vital projects, namely Infection Prevention and Control and the Anti-Microbial Stewardship Program, underscores

her commitment to advancing healthcare standards.

Dr. Grace Mary John's participation in these national-level initiatives signifies her pioneering role in influencing policies and practices that will have a far-reaching impact on healthcare systems across the country. Congratulations once again to Dr. Grace Mary John on this prestigious appointment. Her dedication to advancing healthcare quality and her role in these crucial national projects exemplify the highest standards of professional excellence.