

JAFFNA MEDICAL ASSOCIATION



2018 YEAR IN REVIEW

16th January 2018

Clinical meeting on "AMR; Why Are We Concerned"

PROF VASANTHI THEVANESAM

Emeritus Professor of Microbiology
University of Peradeniya.

Clinical meeting on " How to Combat AMR"; Case Scenarios"

DR MADHUMANEE ABEYWARDENA

Consultant Clinical Microbiologist
DGH Matale

24th January 2018

Clinical meeting on "Non Invasive Ventilation"

DR RAJASUTHARSAN KATHIRGAMANATHAN

Emergency Physician
The Northern Hospital
Melbourne, Australia

3rd February 2018

Clinical meeting on "Practical Approach to Reflux Symptoms"

DR VICKNESWARAN NAMASIVAYAM

Senior Consultant
Department of Gastroenterology & Hepatology
Singapore

07th March 2018

Clinical meeting on "Acute Disseminated Intravascular Coagulation in Pregnancy -A case Discussion"

DR T PERANANTHARAJAH

Senior Consultant Physician,
TH Jaffna

28th March 2018

Clinical meeting on "Diagnosis & Management of Prolactinomas Case based approach"- Case Presentation

Dr ARTHY HARINTHERAN

Medical Officer
Department of Diabetes, TH Jaffna.

"Diagnosis & Management of Prolactinomas Case based approach" - Case Discussion

DR MAHALINGAM ARAVINTHAN

Consultant Endocrinologist, TH Jaffna.

02nd April 2018

Workshop on Leadership & Management skills for Post graduate trainees Workshop

DR K Ranjadayalan

Consultant Cardiologist
New ham General Hospital , London.

DR K PARTHIPAN

Consultant chest Physician.
Luton & Dunstable University Hospital, UK.

DR ULA

Consultant Pathologist.

DR VETPILLAI

Consultant Surgeon & Acute Physician.

DR SEEMA

Consultant Nephrologist.

04th April 2018

ECG Workshop- Postgraduate trainees & Medical Officers

DR K RANJADAYALAN

Consultant Cardiologist
New ham General Hospital, London

DR P LAKSHMAN

Consultant Cardiologist
Teaching Hospital, Jaffna

DR M GURUPARAN

Consultant Cardiologist
Teaching Hospital, Jaffna

DR N SUGANTHAN

Consultant Physician
Teaching Hospital, Jaffna

18th April 2018

Clinical meeting on "Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery; An Overview"

DR D.K. DIAS

Consultant Oral & Maxillofacial Surgeon
TH Karapitiya

18th -20th April 2018

Workshop on "Aesthetic & Reconstructive facial"

Live Surgery /panel Discussion

2nd May 2018

Clinical meeting on " A Young man with Massive Pericardial Effusion -Interactive case discussion" Case presentation

DR K PAMINI PARAMSOTHY

Registrar in Medicine
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

Clinical meeting on " A Young man with Massive Pericardial Effusion -Interactive case discussion" Case Discussion

DR SIVAKAMY UTHAYAKUMARAN

Consultant Physician
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

16th May 2018

Clinical meeting on "Trans Oral Endoscopic Thyroidectomy Vestibular Approach"

DR BALAKRISHNAN THIRUMARAN

Consultant ENT Surgeon
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

30th May 2018

Clinical meeting on "Never say Never, How not to get things wrong"

DR ANDREW MILES

Consultant Surgeon (Winchester UK)
Associated Professor of Surgery

08th June 2018

Clinical meeting on "An Overview of Intracranial Bleeding"

DR RUPAVATHANA MAHESPARAN

Chief of the Department
Haukeland University Hospital
Bergen ,Norway

13th June 2018

Clinical meeting on "Heart Failure with Preserved Ejection Fraction- The changing Paradigm"

DR SHANIKE KARUNARATNE

Consultant Cardiologist,
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

16th June 2018

CPR Training workshop- for Three Wheeler drivers

04th July -2018

Clinical meeting on "COPD - Optimum Medical Management and Beyond..."

DR SUMEDHA SAMANKANTHA

Consultant Chest Physician
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

17th -18th July 2018

Regional scientific sessions Jaffna

"Youth Violence"

PROF HARENDRA DE SILVA

Emeritus professor of Paediatrics
Faculty of Medicine
University of Colombo

"Breast Milk Oligosaccharides"

DR H T WICKRAMASINGHE

Senior Consultant Paediatrician

"Nutritional Interventions in Growth faltering"

DR HESHAN JAYAWEERA

Senior Lecture
University of Peradeniya

"Challenges in Managing Child Hood Nephrotic Syndrome"

PROF ASIRI ABEYAGUNAWARDENA

Professor in Paediatrics
University of Peradeniya

"Management of Dengue fever -New insights from the Bed Side"

DR LAKKUMARA FERNANDO

Consultant Paediatrician
DGH Negombo

"Neonatal Sepsis - Local Experience"

DR SRISARAVANAPAVANTHAN

Consultant Paediatrics , TH- Jaffna

"Current Approach in Managing Infantile Colic"

DR R AJANTHAN

Senior Consultant Paediatrician

"Modern Prophylaxis for the School-age Asthmatic"

DR B J C PERERA

Senior Consultant Paediatrician

Pre-Congress workshop -01

“Sexual Harassment –Where do we stand?”

PROF. KUMUDU WIJewardena

Senior Professor in Community Medicine
University of Sri Jayewardenepura

DR.S.SIVAYOKAN

Consultant Psychiatrist
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

MS.ANUSHANI ALGARAJAH

Women Rights activist,
Women Action Network

DR.K.GURUPARAN

Consultant Obstetrician & Gynecologist
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

MRS. RUBINI NISHANTH

Attorney at law
Solidarity International

Pre-Congress workshop -02

“Endovenous ablation techniques to treat varicose Venis”

DR SELVA THEIVAKUMAR

Consultant Vasular & Endovasular Surgeon
UK

Pre-Congress workshop -03

“Neurodevelopment Disorders in Children”

MR BHAGYAVATHI LAKKUR

MR JOSEPH THOMAS RAJ BEDFORD

Child & Adolescent Psychiatry Unit
CMC Vellore

Pre-Congress workshop -04

“Workshop On Hand Hygiene”

DR TERRENCE ROHAN CHINNAIAH

Consultant Clinical Microbiologist
Brunei

Professor C.Sivagnanasundram memorial oration

Dr.T.Kumanan
Senior Lecturer
Faculty of Medicine,
University of Jaffna.

JMA Journal release

JMJ Volume 30 – Issue 01 July 2018

3rd August 2018

Annual scientific sessions – 2018 - “Training the doctors for tomorrow’s challenges”

Plenary-01

“Plenary on implementing change from the clinical floor: Tips and tricks to ensure success”

PROF SABE SABESAN

Consultant clinical Oncologist, Australia

Symposium-01

“Symposium on Overview and Multidisciplinary approach to sepsis – A Paradigm shift”

Sepsis and Septic shock

PROF. SRI SUJANTHY RAJARAM

Associate Professor of Medicine, USA

Critical care response to emerging infectious diseases

PROF. PAUL ANANTHARAJAH THAMBYAH

Consultant in Infectious diseases and
Internal Medicine, Singapore

Role of Clinical Pharmacology in managing Sepsis in Sri Lanka

PROF. SHALINI SRI RANGANATHAN

Department of Pharmacology,
University of Colombo

Behavioural changes in antibacterial stewardship and infection control

DR. TERRENCE ROHAN CHINNIH

Consultant Clinical Microbiologist, Brunei

Plenary-02

“Plenary on Devices and infection- The story of the foot print”

DR. K.UMAPATHY

Consultant Orthopaedic Surgeon, Galle

Symposium-02

“Symposium on Non communicable diseases- An emerging epidemic”

Challenges and opportunities for CVD prevention

DR. K.SUNTHARESAN

Consultant Cardiologist, Matale

Early detection of common cancers- The way forward

DR. N.JEYAKUMARAN

Consultant Clinical Oncologist,
Maharagama

Challenges in management of CKD

DR. T.PERANANTHARAJAH

Consultant Physician, Jaffna

Plenary-03

“Plenary on Challenges in managing Acute febrile illness in Sri Lanka”

PROF. SENAKA RAJAPAKSE

Deputy Director, PGIM, Professor of
Medicine, University of Colombo

Symposium-03

“Symposium on the Obesity epidemic – understanding the disease and the treatment”

Childhood obesity - causes and consequences

DR.GITANJALI SATHIADAS

Consultant Paediatrician, Senior Lecturer,
University of Jaffna

Obesity in adults – update on treatment strategies

DR. NOEL SOMASUNDARAM

Consultant Endocrinologist, Colombo

Obesity surgery – options, benefits and risks

DR. V.SUTHARSHAN

Consultant Surgeon, Jaffna

Symposium-04

“Symposium on Advances in investigative Medicine”

Cardiac imaging- Evolving field with growing challenges

PROF. GODWIN ROGER CONSTANTINE

Consultant Cardiologist,
University of Colombo

Genomic Medicine in clinical practice

PROF. VAJIRA H.W. DISSANAYAKE

Department of Anatomy,
University of Colombo

Enhancing accuracy of Histopathological diagnosis

DR.C.S.P.SOSAI

Consultant Histopathologist, Kalubowila

4th August 2018

Annual scientific sessions – 2018

Plenary-04

“Plenary on Medical Education- Lessons from the past and directions for the future”

DR. R.MATHIALAGAN

Consultant Gastroenterologist, UK

Symposium-05

“Symposium on Adolescent Mental Health”

Understanding adolescents: Biological and psychological perspective

DR.S.SIVAYOKAN

Consultant Psychiatrist, Jaffna

Shaping the adolescents: The role of the families and society

DR. S.SIVATHAS

Consultant Psychiatrist, Jaffna

Interventions: Transforming the evidences into practice

DR. T.GADAMBANATHAN

Consultant Psychiatrist, Batticaloa

Plenary-05

“Plenary on Paradigm shifts in the future delivery of health care”

PROF. N.SREEHARAN

Founder Professor of Medicine,
University of Jaffna

Plenary-06

Plenary on Evolution of Cancer treatment- Past, present and future

A/PROF.JASOTHA SANMUGARAJAH

Consultant Clinical Oncologist, Australia

Symposium-06

“Symposium on Time to intervene- reaching beyond for game changers”

Challenges of modern Intensive care

DR. S.MOHAN

Consultant Anaesthetist, UK

End of life care within Sri Lankan framework

DR. UDAYANGANI RAMADASA

Consultant Physician, Ratnapura

Embracing CPR- Some considerations

DR. M.SATHIALINGAM

Consultant Anaesthetist, UK

Symposium-07

“Symposium on Minimally invasive surgery- What is the future?”

Recent advances in minimally invasive Cardiac surgery

DR. S.MUGUNTHAN

Consultant Cardiothoracic Surgeon, Jaffna

The role of minimally invasive surgery in Gynaecology

DR. ANBU ANPALAGAN

Consultant Gynaecologist, Australia

New advances in minimally invasive surgery in ENT practice

DR. N.INDRANATH

Consultant ENT Surgeon, Jaffna

6th August 2018

Post-Congress

“Gynecological Laparoscopic Surgery with Live Demonstrations”

DR ANBU ANPALAGAN

Consultant Gynaecologist
Australia

29th August 2018

Clinical meeting on "Gall Stone -An Update"

DR VENGADASALAM SUTHARSHAN

Consultant Surgeon
Teaching Hospital, Jaffna

05th September 2018

Clinical meeting on "Haematological System in Sepsis"

PROF KUPERAN PONNUDURAI

Clinical Associate Professor of Haematology
Tan tock Seng Hospital
Singapore

26th September 2018

Clinical meeting on "Polycystic Ovarian Syndrome"

DR MAHALINGAM ARAVINTHAN

Consultant Endocrinologist
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

28th September 2018

CPR Training workshop – Kopay Training School

29th September 2018

“Workshop on Hypertension for Primary Care Doctors”

DR T KUMANAN

Senior Lecture in Medicine
Faculty of medicine
University of Jaffna.

DR V SUJANITHA

Senior Lecture in Medicine
Faculty of medicine
University of Jaffna.

DR M GURUPARAN

Consultant Cardiologist
TH Jaffna

PROF N SREEHARAN

Founder Professor of Medicine, University of Jaffna

10th October 2018

Clinical meeting on "An Update on Irritable Bowel Syndrome"

DR KULEESHA KODISINGHE

Consultant Gastroenterologist

Teaching Hospital Jaffna

26th October 2018

Regional Clinical Meeting- Ceylon College of Physicians Regional Clinical Meeting 2018 In collaboration with Jaffna Medical Association

"Anaphylaxis Module"

DR PIYUSHA ATAPATTU

Consultant Physician & Senior Lecturer in Physiology

University of Colombo

DR DINITHI FERNANDO

Consultant Physician & Senior Lecturer in Physiology

University of Colombo

"Delirium Module"

DR PANDUKA KARUNANAYAKE

Consultant Physician

University of Colombo

"Poisoning Module"

DR SURANGA MANILGAMA

Consultant Physician

Teaching Hospital Kandy

"Early detection & Management of Sepsis"

DR DUMITHA GOVINDAPALA

Consultant Physician & Senior Lecturer in Medicine

"An Update on autoimmune hemolytic anaemia"

DR (MRS) T SOORIYAKUMAR

Consultant Haematologist

TH Jaffna

"Thyroid- The hub of autoimmunity"

DR M ARAVINTHAN

Consultant Endocrinologist

TH Jaffna

"Autoimmune encephalitis"

DR KISHARA GOONARATNE

Consultant Neurologist

National Hospital Sri Lanka

"Resistant Hypertension"

DR NAMAL WIJESINGHE

Senior Lecturer in Medicine

31st October 2018

Clinical meeting on "Ocular Features in Systemic Diseases"

DR M MALARAVAN

Consultant Ophthalmologist
Teaching Hospital, Jaffna

14th November 2018

" Diabetes Walk and awareness programme"

21st November 2018

Clinical meeting on "Management of Sepsis - An Update"

DR JANAKI ARULMOLI

Consultant Anaesthetist
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

1st December 2018

" Holistic Parenting" - PARENTS TO MEET THE CHALLENGES FACED IN BRINGING UP THEIR CHILDREN

DR JOSEPH EINSTEIN

Consultant Psychologist
India

04th December 2018

Clinical meeting on "Neurosurgical Emergencies in Medical Wards"

DR PONNAMPALAM ATHITHHTAN

Acting Consultant Neuro Surgeon
Teaching Hospital Jaffna

18th December 2018

" Health Informatics"

DR KRISH NIRANTHARAKUMAR

Honorary Consultant in Public Health Medicine
University of Birmingham ,UK

19th December 2018

"Capacity Building of Medical Professionals for Ending AIDS by 2025"

"Ending AIDS in 2025"

DR SATHYA HERATH

Consultant Community Physician
NSACP

"Shaping the healthy future, youth as smart investment"

DR. JANAKI

Consultant Community Physician
NSACP

"Advances in clinical aspect of HIV"

DR C.W. HATHURUSINGHE

Consultant Venerologist
Kuliyapittiya

26th December 2018

Clinical meeting on "Hand Assisted Laparoscopic Surgery (HALS) Colectomy " - How I Do It

DR SASIKARAN NALLIAH

Consultant General & Laparoscopic Surgeon
Senior Lecturer University of Queensland
Australia