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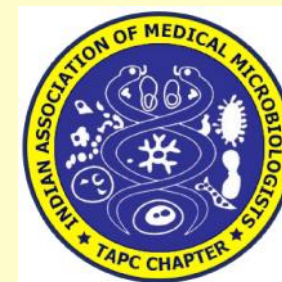
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### Target Dates:

- Last date for Early Bird Registration – January 15, 2023
- Last date for Abstract submission (Prize Paper Categories) – January 31, 2023
- Last date for Abstract submission (Free Oral and Poster Sessions) – February 15, 2023
- Workshop/CME on March 9-10, 2023
- XXVI TAPC Conference of the IAMM – March 10-12, 2023



## XXVI I.A.M.M. TAPC State Chapter Conference



**March 10-12, 2023**

### Conference Secretariat

**Dr. Ranganathan N Iyer**

Organising Secretary

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# Welcome...

## **Clinical Microbiology - Its Impact on Patient Care**

A warm welcome to all delegates at Hyderabad for the XXVI State Chapter Conference of the IAMM TAPC Chapter from March 10–12, 2023, preceded by the Pre-Conference Workshop/CME on March 9–10, 2023. Hyderabad happens to be the capital city of Telangana, which is vibrant with its own cultural heritage. It has been adjudged as one of the best habitable cities in India with a good quality of life. It continues with its reputation of being an easy blend of natural heritage, culture and tradition on one side and a highly evolved IT industry on the other. Unique among many other features in this city are the well preserved relics of the past such as the Nizam's palaces, Charminar, Golconda Fort with the Qutb Shahi Tombs.

Clinical Microbiology and Healthcare associated infections have been talked about and have emerged as clinical entities to reckon with in the current scenario. It is our endeavor to make the conference as meaningful and interactive as possible. It encompasses Orations, Themed Symposia, Debates Learning Clinical Microbiology through Cases which touch both on Laboratory aspects as well as the impact that we have on patient care and management. In addition, there are some newer sessions as a *How Do I Do This ....* and that would hopefully give us a true insight into achieving good grasp in our daily work. The Conference would be preceded by 5 workshop/CME learning events that highlight training of postgraduates on newer patterns of evaluation and assessment, sexually transmitted infections, CSSD management, automation, anaerobic bacteriology and autoimmunity. These will be held in various hospitals as parallel activities across the city. Additionally, there are many options for sightseeing both within and around the city.

We hope this Conference will be a good learning exercise for the young and uninitiated minds and open vistas of good infection diagnostic, management and control practice.

**Dr. Ranganathan N Iyer**

Organising Secretary

IAMM TAPC State Chapter Conference 2023

## **CONFERENCE INFORMATION**

**Venue:** The XXVI Conference of the IAMM TAPC State Chapter will be held at **Hotel Abode by Venkateshwara**, Lakdi-ka-pul, Hyderabad from the March 10-12, 2023. It is located conveniently within 5 minutes walking distance from the Lakdi-ka-pul Railway Station, 5 minutes from the Bus Station, 30 minutes from Secunderabad and 15 minutes from Nampally Railway Stations respectively and about 23 Kms from the Rajiv Gandhi International Airport. The Lakdi-ka-pul Metro Station is located adjacent to the Hotel Abode by Venkateshwara.

**Language:** The official language of the Conference will be English.

**Weather and climate:** The weather in March should be sunny and beginning of Spring-Summer. Overall, a peaceful time to be in Hyderabad

**Inauguration:** The XXVI Annual Conference of the IAMM TAPC State Chapter will be inaugurated on March 10, 2023 at 7.00 pm

### **Accommodation:**

Please note that **all delegates must make their own arrangements for their accommodation** during the Conference. The delegate fee does not include accommodation. There is a list of Hotels mentioned below which are within or at a reasonable distance from the Venue of the Conference. Delegates are advised to make their own transport arrangements to reach the Venue of the Conference.

Hotel names, contact details including address, contact numbers, approximate distances from the Venue and approximate cost per night are indicated in the given list. Delegates may please be informed that the cost mentioned here are approximate charges and are subject to change. Delegates are advised to contact the Hotels and make their accommodation arrangements early to avoid disappointment as March is a busy month with weddings and festivals.

### Hotels suggested for accommodation of delegates for the IAMM TAPC 2023

| Name of the Hotel        | Distance from Venue            | Contact Nos.                | Approx. Cost/day |
|--------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------|------------------|
| 1 Abode by Venkateshwara | Lakdi-ka-pul (the Venue)       | 040-23236871                | INR 3,000        |
| 2 Shree Venkateshwara    | Lakdi-ka-pul (adjacent)        | 040-23214403                | INR 2,500        |
| 3 Hampshire Plaza        | Lakdi-ka-pul (in front)        | 040-23335555                | INR 4,000-4,500  |
| 4 Dwaraka                | Lakdi-ka-pul (across the road) | 040-23396261<br>09440057260 | INR 2,500        |
| 5 Rukmini Riviera        | Lakdi-ka-pul (across the road) | 040-66785566<br>09246591237 | INR 2,000-2,500  |
| 6 Central Court Hotel    | Lakdi-ka-pul (behind)          | 040-23232323                | INR 3,000-3,500  |
| 7 Best Western Ashoka    | Lakdi ka pul (close by)        | 040-23230205                | INR 2,500-3,000  |
| 8 Spearmint Sandhya      | Lakdi-ka-pul (close by)        | 09959222892<br>09908019204  | INR 2,500-3,000  |
| 9 Anmol Continental      | Lakdi-ka-pul (1 km)            | 09954999894                 | INR 2,500-3,000  |
| 10 Quality Inn Residency | Opp Nampally Railway Station   | 040-30616161                | INR 3,500-4,000  |

### The XXVI IAMM TAPC STATE CHAPTER CONFERENCE PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

| Title of Workshop  | Organiser/Faculty                     | Venue  | Details/ Highlights   | Date             | Fees INR |
|--|---------------------------------------|--|---|------------------|----------|
| 10 Candidates in each centre   | Dr. V. Lakshmi                        | Kamineni Institute of Medical Sciences, L.B. Nagar   | Practical Training Sessions for Postgraduates   | March 9-10, 2023 | 10,000   |
| Total: 20 Candidates   | Dr. K. Nagamani/<br>Dr. Rajeshwar Rao | Gandhi Medical College Secunderabad                  | OSPE format with hands on practical work  |                  |          |
| Immunofluorescence for autoimmune markers<br>10 delegates                | Dr. Anil Bilolikar                    | Krishna Institute of Medical Sciences Secunderabad   | Hands-on Workshop for ANA-IF staining<br>Demonstration of ANA profile by immunoblot   | March 10, 2023   | 1,500    |
| Automation in Micro-biology & Anaerobic Bacteriology<br>20-25 delegates  | Dr. Manisha Singh                     | Vijaya Diagnostics Center, Hyderabad                 | CME with demonstration of Vitek-2 Compact, MALDI-TOF & Anaerobic culture methods  | March 10, 2023   | 2,000    |
| CSSD Workshop<br>50 delegates  | Dr. Radha Rani                        | Basavatarakam Indo American Cancer Centre, Hyderabad | Focus on standard Protocols, Challenges and QA in CSSD functioning with sterilization methods   | March 10, 2023   | 500      |
| Sexually Transmitted Infections – Laboratory Perspective<br>20 delegates | Dr. Jyothilakshmi Mudaliar            | Osmania Medical College and Hosp. Hyderabad          | Focus on demonstration of sexually transmitted pathogens in practice. Hands on diagnosis of N. gonorrhoeae, syphilis and Trichomonas and Herpes | March 10, 2023   | 2,000    |

## XXVI IAMM TAPC State Conference Programme

March 10–12, 2023

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### Day 1: March 10, 2023

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07.00 pm – Inauguration  
Followed by Dinner

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### Day 2: March 11, 2023

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08.00 am – 09.00 am – Parallel Sessions

#### Hall-A

Dr. C.S. Bhaskaran's  
Prize Paper session

#### Hall-B

Dr. B.S. Laxmi Award Paper  
Session for Jr. Faculty

09.30 am – 10.15 am – President's Oration (Hall-A)

10.15 am – 10.30 am – TEA BREAK

10.30 am – 11.15 am – Dr. K. Rajyalakshmi Oration  
(Hall-A)

11.20 am – 12.00 Noon

#### Hall-A

Mini symposium  
(How do I do this?)

#### Hall-B

Mini symposium

To be decided

To be decided

*2 Sessions (each 20 mins.) followed by 10 mins. of questions*

12.15 pm – 01.15 pm – General Body Meeting  
(Hall-A)

01.15 pm – 02.00 pm – LUNCH

02.00 pm – 03.00 pm – Hot topics in Infection Control  
(Hall-A)

1. Prof ShaheenMehtar (South Africa)

2. Dr. Anuj Sharma (New Delhi India)

03.00 pm – 04.00 pm – Parallel Prize Paper Sessions

#### Hall A

Oral Paper presentation  
Ranga Raya Medical  
College, Kakinada  
Sr. Faculty Prize Paper

#### Hall B

Oral Paper presentation  
Dr. B.Krishna Rao Prize  
Paper for Postgraduates

#### Hall-B

04.00 pm – 04.15 pm

– TEA BREAK

04.15 pm – 05.30 pm

– Parallel Free Paper Sessions

#### Hall A

Oral Paper presentation  
Dr.Venkata Siva Pramata  
Memorial Best paper for  
“Health Care Associated  
Infections”

#### Hall B

Oral Paper presentation  
Gandhi Medical College  
Free Oral Paper Prize  
for Postgraduates

Poster sessions – to go on the whole day, uploaded as E  
posters (I S N Murthy Poster Prize)

06.30 pm – 08.00 pm

– Scientific Presentations from  
the Industry (20 mins. each)

08.00 pm

– DINNER

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### Day 3: March 12, 2023

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#### Hall-A

08.00 am – 10.00 am

– Symposium – II  
Clinical Case Based Learning  
(at least 3 systems)

10.00 am – 10.15 am

– TEA BREAK

10.15 am – 11.15 am

– Post Graduate QUIZ  
(Sri P. Sathyanarayana Prize  
for PG Quiz)

11.15 am – 12.30 pm

– Pedagogy  
(GMC Prize for PG Pedagogy)

12.30 pm – 01.30 pm

– Debate

01.30 pm – 02.30 pm

– LUNCH

02.30 pm – 04.00 pm

– Symposium – III –  
Practical demonstrations in  
Serology for Postgraduates

04.00 pm

– Valedictory Function  
TEA and Disperse

### **Abstracts Information**

Abstracts are invited from all delegates attending the Conference for an Oral or Poster Paper Presentation during the IAMM TAPC State Chapter Conference 2023. The following information regarding Abstract Presentation may be noted:

1. All delegates presenting a paper (Oral/Poster) during the IAMM TAPC Conference 2023 Conference must necessarily be a member of IAMM TAPC Chapter and registered for the Conference.
2. There will be no extension of date for the Abstract submission
3. The Abstracts submitted for IAMM TAPC Conference 2023 must adhere to the following requirements to maintain uniformity:
  - i. The Abstract font must be Times New Roman and the font size should be 12. Fonts and font sizes other than this will be rejected and sent back for reformatting.
  - ii. The format of the Abstract should be as follows:
    - a. Title of the Paper  
(Leave one line)
    - b. Name of the Author/s and Affiliations  
(Please underline the name of the Presenting Author)  
\*Presenting Author must be registered for the Conference  
(Leave one line)
    - c. Aim and Objective of the Study  
(Leave one line)
    - d. Materials and Methods  
(Leave one line)
    - e. Results  
(Leave one line)
    - f. Conclusions
4. Abstracts must not exceed 400 words.
5. Please indicate a preference for Oral or Poster Paper at the upper right hand corner of the Abstract submitted.
6. All Abstracts need to be submitted as a soft copy to the Email ID *medhealthcarefoundation@gmail.com* and mark a copy to *ranganathaniyer799@gmail.com*.

### **Abstract Review, Selection and Publication**

1. All Abstracts will be peer reviewed by a Scientific Committee appointed by the Conference Secretariat.
2. An Abstract may be selected for Oral/Poster Paper Presentation after review by the members of the Scientific Committee. The decision of the Scientific Committee would be final.

3. The Presenting Author will receive an intimation from the Conference Secretariat regarding the acceptance of the Abstract for Oral/Poster Paper Presentation by Email. Rejection of the Abstract will also be communicated on the same Email ID. Hence it is mandatory for the Presenting Author of all Abstracts submitted to be registered for the Conference and also send us a valid Email ID for communication. Further information on the Oral/Poster sessions, date, time and the format, etc., will be sent out to the respective delegates.
4. All accepted Abstracts will be published in the Conference Abstract book.

### **Abstracts for Award/ Prize Sessions**

- \* All Abstracts/Full Text Manuscripts for consideration towards the Prize Paper sessions must be sent to the Organizing Secretary of the XXVI IAMM TAPC State Conference at the following Email ID: *medhealthcarefoundation@gmail.com*, marking a copy to *ranganathaniyer@yahoo.com*.
- \* Delegates are advised to mark their Abstracts/Full Text Manuscripts with the respective Prize Paper Session that the Abstract/Full Text Manuscript is intended. Kindly note that if this is not complied with, there is a risk of the Abstract not being included for the respective Session.
- \* It is mandatory to send Full Text Manuscripts for consideration towards the Dr. C.S. Bhaskaran Prize Paper Session. Please mark these manuscripts "For Dr. C.S. Bhaskaran Prize Paper session".
- \* The delegates may submit either an Abstract/Full Text Manuscript for the other Prize Paper Sessions. However, it is mandatory to mark these Abstracts for the said Sessions.
- \* Those Abstracts which are not specifically marked for a particular Prize Paper Session will be considered either for an Oral or a Poster Paper Session.

All Abstracts/Full Text Manuscripts for Prize Paper Sessions must reach the Conference Secretariat by January 31, 2023.

The last date for submission of Abstracts for Free Oral and Free Poster Paper Sessions is February 15, 2023.

The following categories are marked for submission of Abstracts/ Full Text Articles for Prize Paper Sessions at the XXVI TAPC Conference 2023

1. Dr. C.S. Bhaskaran Memorial Prize Paper Session
2. Dr. B.S. Laxmi Award Session for Junior Faculty
3. Rangaraya Medical College Kakinada Prize Paper for Senior Faculty
4. Dr.Venkata Siva Pramata Memorial Best Paper Prize in "Health Care Associated Infections"

## REGISTRATION INFORMATION

**Registration:** All delegates attending the XXVI IAMM TAPC State Chapter Conference 2023 will need to register for the same paying full delegate fees as mentioned below.

The registration fees along with the application form duly filled out may be sent to the Conference Secretariat at:

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Sr. Consultant Clinical Microbiology ID & Infection Control  
Gleneagles Global Hospital  
Lakdi-ka-pul  
Hyderabad – 500 004

Tel: 040-30244505; C: 9849690680

Email: *medhealthcarefoundation@gmail.com*

### General Rules for Registration:

- \* Full payment must accompany each registration form. Forms without payment or with partial payment will not be processed and such delegates cannot be considered to be registered.
- \* An acknowledgement for delegate registrations received will be sent out within a week of receiving the payment by Email. Hence delegates are requested to send in a correct Email address for correspondence. Delegates may contact the Conference Secretariat if they do not receive an acknowledgement within 15 days of sending the conference payments.
- \* Final receipts in hard copy will be handed over to all delegates during the Conference.
- \* The registration fees for the Conference does not include the registration for the pre-Conference Workshops and CME programme events. Delegates are advised to pay the fees for the respective Workshops/CME events along with the Conference payment.
- \* No delegate will be allowed to register for the pre-Conference Workshops and CME events without registering for the Conference. **Registration for the Conference is mandatory for all participants attending the pre-Conference Workshops and CME events.**

### The Delegate fee includes the following:

- \* Attendance at all the Scientific Sessions during the XXVI Conference of the IAMM TAPC State Chapter (March 10–12, 2023) and the Conference documentation.
- \* Attendance at the Exhibition Hall and Scientific Exhibits
- \* The Tea/Coffee sessions, Lunches and Dinners as planned for the delegates attending the Conference
- \* Note: Delegate Fee of the Conference does not include attendance at the pre-Conference Workshops and CME events.

### The Associate Delegate fee includes the following:

- \* Attendance at the Lunches, Dinners and Tea/Coffee sessions as planned during the Conference.
- \* Note: Associate Delegates are not allowed access to the Scientific Sessions of the Conference and will not receive a delegate bag.

### Student Delegate fee:

Student delegate fees are meant to encourage full-time postgraduate students to attend the Conference and present their research work.

- \* Student applications must be endorsed by a letter from the Prof and Head of Department of the Institution where the student is registered for postgraduate studies and is currently pursuing the same.
- \* The letter from the concerned authority and the form along with the fee payment must reach the Conference Secretariat together for an easy and fast processing of the delegate registration.
- \* Forms without the accompanying letter or certificate from the institution will be rejected by the Conference Secretariat.

### Spot Registration:

- \* There is no Spot Registration for any of the Workshops/CME events at the IAMM TAPC State Chapter meeting.
- \* Spot Registrations at the IAMM TAPC State Chapter Conference will be allowed subject to availability of places at the time of the Conference.

- \* Please note that all delegates registered as Spot Registrants will receive the delegate bag and other Conference material subject to availability. Preference will be given to those delegates who have registered before the deadline.

**Payments:** The following modes of payment are accepted towards registration for XXVI IAMM TAPC State Chapter Conference 2023

A. Demand Draft for the total amount of the Conference + Workshop/CME Event favouring “**Medical and Health Care Foundation**” payable at Hyderabad

B. NEFT Transfer to the following account:

**Medical and Health Care Foundation**

A/c No. 107511010000011

Union Bank of India

Apollo Hospitals Branch, Hyderabad - 500 034

IFSC- UBIN0810754

**Cancellation Policy:**

- \* If a written request on Email for cancellation of registration is received on or before February 1, 2023, the registration fee minus 50% will be returned back to the delegate.
- \* No requests for cancellation will be entertained after February 1, 2023
- \* All such requests made before the deadline will be effected within 15 days after completion of the Conference

**REGISTRATION FEES IAMM TAPC Conference 2023**

| Category           | Upto<br>15.01.2023<br>(Early Bird) | Upto<br>20.02.2023 | From<br>21.02.2023<br>& Spot |
|--------------------|------------------------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|
| Members            | INR 3,500                          | INR 4,000          | INR 5,000                    |
| Non-Members        | INR 4,500                          | INR 5,000          | INR 6,000                    |
| Associate Delegate | INR 2,500                          | INR 3,000          | INR 4,000                    |
| Student Delegate   | INR 2,500                          | INR 3,500          | INR 4,500                    |

*No Spot Registrations for pre-Conference Workshop and CME events*

**Tourist Attractions**

In addition to the scientific and learning events associated with the Conference, the following are some of the most popular tourist attractions within and around the city of Hyderabad.

**Within the city:**

- \* **Charminar:** Four minarets as the name suggests was constructed in 1591, a heritage site and a global icon of Hyderabad city. It is surrounded by a variety of markets, located in the centre of the old city.
- \* **Golconda Fort:** One of the oldest citadel and forts in South India and was the capital of the Sultanate of the Qutb Shahi dynasty. It is located 11-12 kms from Hyderabad, easily approached by road. The light and sound show here depicts the past.
- \* **The Qutb Shahi Tombs:** Located at Ibrahim Bagh close to the Golkonda Fort, a collection of tombs built during the Qutb Shahi dynasty.
- \* **Ramoji Film City:** One of the most popular attractions of modern day visit to Hyderabad. One of the largest studio complexes in the world with 2000 acres of land. This was established by Ramoji Rao in 1996.
- \* **Birla Mandir:** A Hindu temple of Lord Balaji made of marble constructed by the Birla Foundation on a 85 mts hillock called Naubath Pahad.
- \* **The Buddha Statue:** Located in the middle of Hussain Sagar lake, the world’s tallest monolith of Gautam Buddha. Can be reached by boating on the lake. This is coupled with the Lumbini Park that also has a popular light and sound fountain show.
- \* **Shilparamam:** An arts and crafts village located in Madhapur Hyderabad, built on 65 acres of land. The main aim of the village is to preserve traditional crafts with ethnic festivals around the year.
- \* **Chilkur Balaji Temple:** A popular temple dedicated to Lord Balaji located at the outskirts of Hyderabad.

