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Medical Student Sarah Choudhury Awarded AHA Scholarship for Cardiology Research

Sarah Choudhury, a fourth-year medical student at the Jacobs School of Medicine and Biomedical Sciences, has been awarded an American Heart Association (AHA) scholarship to further her research in cardiovascular disease at the University at Buffalo.

Working under Dr. Jennifer K. Lang, Choudhury's research focuses on using engineered mesenchymal stem cells' extracellular vesicles (EVs) with microRNA as a potential therapy for heart disease.

The AHA scholarship provides \$2,000 to support her summer 2024 research project, which aims to develop a cell-free therapy for heart disease, targeting heart failure and ischemic injury. Choudhury's dedication and innovative approach have earned her this prestigious recognition.



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Highlights of the 12th Midyear Conference – Antigua and Barbuda

The 12th mid-year conference of Global Association of Physicians of Indian Origin (GAPIO) successfully concluded on the campus of the American University of Antigua College of Medicine (AUA) in Antigua and Barbuda on July 15-17 in collaboration with American University of Antigua (AUA) – College of Medicine. Lincoln American University, Georgetown, Guyana participated as the “Academic Partner”.

The conference was focused on the theme: “Advantages and Challenges of Offshore Medical Education and Recent Advances and Challenges in Healthcare.” **His Excellency Sir Dr. Rodney Williams, Governor General of Antigua and Barbuda**, has inaugurated the conference as the Chief Guest and His Excellency Dr. Amit Telang, High Commissioner of India to Antigua and Barbuda, was the Guest of Honour. Their involvement underscores the conference’s significance in fostering international collaboration and cooperation within the medical community.

During the inaugural speech of, His Excellency Sir Dr. Rodney Williams, Governor General of Antigua and Barbuda, he mentioned that *“the theme, ‘Advantages and Challenges of Offshore Medical Education and Recent Advances and Challenges in Healthcare’; resonates deeply with the transformative potential of global collaboration in the medical field. As we stand at the crossroads of opportunity and innovation, let us embrace the challenges and advantages of offshore medical education to improve healthcare delivery worldwide. Together, we can build a future where advanced medical knowledge and expertise transcend borders, ensuring a healthier tomorrow for all. His Excellency also emphasised the importance of medical education in addressing healthcare challenges, particularly in the context of offshore education. He remarked on the need for innovative approaches to enhance the quality of healthcare services and the critical role that well-trained medical professionals play in improving health outcomes. He also highlighted the collaboration between nations in advancing medical education and healthcare practices, which can lead to better healthcare delivery systems. This conference served as a platform for discussing not only the advantages of offshore medical education but also the obstacles faced by healthcare systems, aiming to foster dialogue and collaboration among medical professionals from diverse backgrounds.”*

During the speech by, **His Excellency Dr. Amit Telang, High Commissioner of India to Antigua and Barbuda**, he mentioned that, *“the exchange of knowledge and expertise in this forum highlights the significant progress and the hurdles we face in the healthcare sector. As the High Commissioner of India to Antigua and Barbuda, I am proud to see the valuable contributions that Indian-origin doctors are making to the medical field both in Antigua and globally.*

The conference provided an important platform to explore the benefits of offshore medical education, which allows more students to access high-quality medical training and brings talented doctors to serve communities around the world. At the same time, the discussions highlighted the need to address challenges such as curriculum alignment, clinical training opportunities, and licensure requirements to further strengthen offshore medical education programs.”

The event brought together a diverse group of doctors from 57 countries, who participated both in-person and virtually. The conference served as a dynamic platform for global medical professionals to exchange knowledge, discuss current trends, and explore innovative solutions in healthcare. The conference proved to be a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity with informative sessions led by renowned medical experts from the United States, United Kingdom, Canada, Australia, Antigua, other Caribbean Islands, and India. Participants exchanged knowledge, shared experiences with modern healthcare, and discussed the latest advancements in medical science and practice. The conference agenda covered the wide range of topics, including recent advances in healthcare, artificial intelligence, opportunities and entrepreneurship in healthcare, training, and the most recent developments in medical education, ensuring that every attendee gained valuable insights to improve their practice and explore possibilities for providing access to high- quality healthcare.

The event attracted not only physicians but also policymakers, social workers, and authorities from around the globe, providing a remarkable learning experience that promise to enhance professional growth and contributes significantly to medical practice.

Key highlights of the conference included:

1. **Advantages and Challenges of Offshore Medical Education:** Experts discussed the unique benefits and hurdles faced by medical institutions operating offshore. Topics included the global reach of medical education, the quality of training, and the diverse clinical experiences available to students in different geographical regions and the impact that medical institutions, like AUA in the Caribbean are having on the current physician shortage.
2. **Recent Advances in Healthcare:** The conference featured sessions on the latest developments in healthcare, with a particular focus on artificial intelligence (AI). Presentations and discussions highlighted how AI is transforming diagnostics, treatment planning, and patient care, along with the potential ethical and legal implications of these advancements.
3. **A notable session by Dr. Leslie Walwyn, Associate Dean of Global Health at AUA, focused on the impact of climate change on global health.** Dr. Walwyn's lecture provided a comprehensive overview of how environmental changes are affecting health outcomes worldwide and the necessary steps to mitigate these effects.
4. **Interactive Panels and Discussions:** The conference facilitated interactive panels and discussions that allowed participants to engage with experts on various topics, including the future of health delivery and the role of technology in medicine.

Other exciting sessions were held on:

- Cracking FMGE and USMLE.
- The Growing Impact of Caribbean Medical Schools in the Region.
- Hospital Running Lessons Inspired by the Life of Mahatma Gandhi Ji by Dr. Anupam Sibal, President – GAPIO (2020-2022) and Group Medical Director, Apollo Hospitals Group, India.

Dr. Nandakumar Jairam, President of GAPIO expressed, *“In this conference, we highlighted recent advances in clinical sciences, showcasing cutting-edge research and breakthrough treatments that are shaping the future of medicine. We shared knowledge, exchange ideas, and inspire one another to push the boundaries of what is possible in healthcare.*

Moreover, we recognize the importance of nurturing the entrepreneurial spirit among young medical doctors and students. This conference has spotlighted the burgeoning opportunities for innovation and entrepreneurship within the medical field. By fostering a culture of creativity and resilience, we aim to empower the next generation of medical professionals to become pioneers in their respective areas, driving forward the future of healthcare.”

Dr. Sudhir Parikh, Vice President of GAPIO and Chairman and Publisher of Parikh World Wide Media and ITV Gold 24x7 TV Channel in USA, expressed, his satisfaction with the successful conclusion of the conference. *“It was a great GAPIO midyear conference. The conference was well organized and very resourceful. In addition, AUA's hospitality was excellent and was very informative. Thanks to AUA's leadership, especially the current president, Dr Peter bell and Former President Neil Simon”*

Dr. Abhijat Sheth, Joint Secretary of GAPIO and President, NBE, expressed, that *“This conference was isn't just about discussing the present; it was about nurturing the future. It was more than just an academic exchange; it's a catalyst for collaboration and innovation. By fostering a vibrant exchange of ideas and experiences between established professionals and the next generation of healthcare leaders, we can ensure a brighter future for patients everywhere.”*



(L-R) - Dr Sanku Rao (Past President and Emeritus Advisor, GAPIO), His Excellency Dr. Amit Telang (High Commissioner of India to Antigua and Barbuda), His Excellency Sir Dr. Rodney Williams (Governor General of Antigua and Barbuda), Dr Nandkumar Jairam (President, GAPIO), Dr Sudhir Parikh (Vice President, GAPIO), Air Marshal Dr Pawan Kapoor (Retd.) (Conference Convenor) and Dr. Leslie Walwyn (Associate Dean of Global Health at AUA)



Air Marshal Dr Pawan Kapoor (Retd.) (Conference Convenor), executing the program.

Two Indian-American Professors Receive NIH's Avant-Garde Research Awards for 2024

Dr. Venigalla Rao and Dr. Sunil Suhas Solomon, two distinguished Indian-American professors, have been awarded the National Institutes of Health's (NIH) National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) 2024 Avant-Garde Award for their innovative research aimed at preventing and potentially ending HIV.

Dr. Venigalla Rao, a Biology Professor at Catholic University, received a \$5 million grant for his project on engineering Bacteriophage T4 as a targeted gene therapy drug for an in vivo HIV cure. His groundbreaking research aims to create a new category of in vivo HIV cure drugs that could significantly impact the health of substance users and millions of people living with HIV globally.

Dr. Sunil Suhas Solomon, a Professor of Medicine and Epidemiology at Johns Hopkins University, will focus on studying long-acting injectables for the treatment of HIV among people who inject drugs (PWID). His research aims to evaluate the feasibility, acceptability, and cost-effectiveness of long-acting antiretrovirals (LA ART) compared to oral ART, particularly in low- and middle-income settings.

The NIDA Avant-Garde Award Program supports exceptionally creative scientists who propose high-impact research projects opening new areas of HIV research and leading to novel prevention and treatment strategies for HIV among people who use drugs.



Dr. Venigalla Rao



Dr. Sunil Suhas Solomon

New Delhi Surgeon Leads Groundbreaking Bariatric Surgery Using Apple Vision Pro Headset

In a groundbreaking development in medical technology, Dr. Mohit Bhandari of Pristyn Care in New Delhi has successfully conducted the first live bariatric surgery using Apple's highly anticipated mixed reality headset, the Vision Pro. This pioneering surgery, performed in collaboration with Mohak Bariatrics and Robotics, marked a significant milestone in integrating advanced technology into surgical procedures.

The surgery, which took place on May 17, 2024, involved a sleeve gastric bypass and a Single Anastomosis Duodenal-Ileal (SADI) procedure on a patient weighing 155 kilograms. The patient, who suffered from sleep apnea syndrome and high blood pressure, required precise intervention. The Apple Vision Pro headset provided an immersive 3D environment, enabling the surgical team to focus on intricate details with unparalleled clarity, thus enhancing precision and promising improved outcomes.

This achievement adds to the growing list of medical applications for the Apple Vision Pro headset, which has also been used in laparoscopic surgery in Chennai and major spine surgeries in the UK. With each successful implementation, the Vision Pro headset is solidifying its position as a game-changer in healthcare, promising to reshape the future of surgical practices worldwide.

Source:<https://www.livemint.com/technology/tech-news/new-delhi-surgeon-leads-groundbreaking-bariatric-surgery-using-apple-vision-pro-headset-11716289157435.html>

SOCIAL MEDIA COVERAGE

GAPIO Champions Environmental Health on World Environment Day

On June 5th, 2024, GAPIO joined the global community in celebrating World Environment Day with a powerful message: "Let's protect our planet, it's the only one we've got!" The campaign underscored the vital connection between a healthy planet and healthy people, urging everyone to take action for environmental conservation.

The campaign highlighted the importance of adopting sustainable practices such as reducing waste, reusing materials, and recycling. These efforts are crucial in minimizing environmental impact and promoting the health of our planet.

The initiative emphasized that caring for the environment is akin to caring for our health. By restoring our land and securing a sustainable future, we ensure the well-being of current and future generations.

GAPIO called on healthcare professionals, communities, and individuals to actively participate in environmental conservation efforts. By raising awareness and advocating for sustainable practices, GAPIO aims to inspire a collective commitment to a healthier, greener planet.



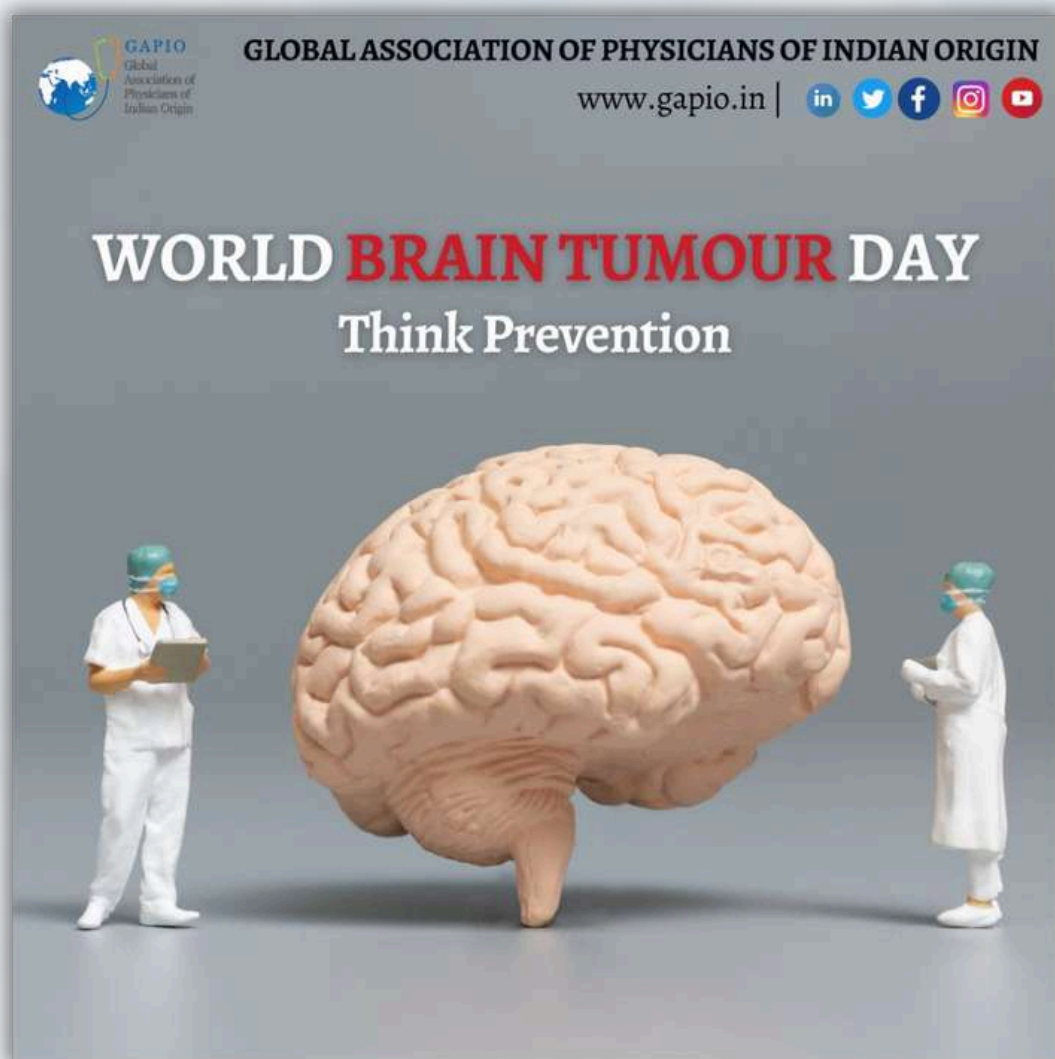
SOCIAL MEDIA COVERAGE

GAPIO Prioritizes Brain Health on World Brain Tumor Day

On June 8th, 2024, GAPIO dedicated its efforts to promoting brain health in observance of World Brain Tumor Day. The campaign's core message was to prioritize preventive measures and highlight the importance of early detection in managing brain tumors effectively.

GAPIO's outreach emphasized the critical need for individuals to be proactive about their brain health. By encouraging regular medical check-ups and being aware of symptoms such as persistent headaches and vision changes, GAPIO aims to foster a community well-informed about brain tumor risks. The organization also called on healthcare professionals to play an active role in educating their patients about brain health and the significance of early medical intervention.

The campaign serves as a reminder that early detection can significantly improve treatment outcomes for brain tumors. By uniting healthcare providers, patients, and the broader community, GAPIO strives to enhance brain health awareness and support those impacted by this serious condition.



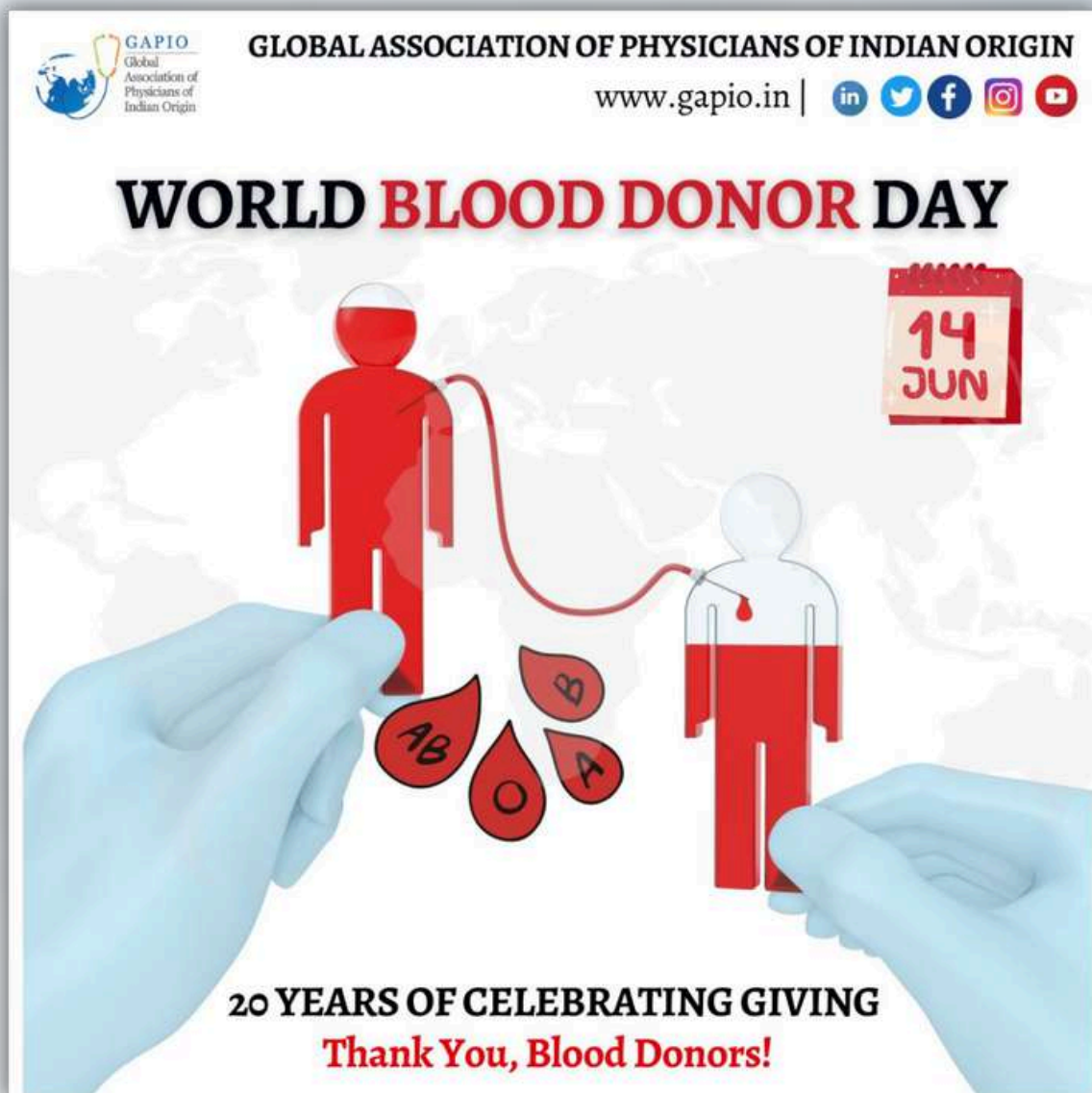
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Celebrating 20 Years of Life-Saving Giving on World Blood Donor Day

On June 14th, 2024, GAPIO celebrated World Blood Donor Day by honoring the incredible contributions of blood donors worldwide. For two decades, this day has recognized the selfless heroes who donate blood, saving countless lives and bringing hope to those in need.

GAPIO's social media campaign emphasized the profound impact of blood donation, thanking donors for their unwavering generosity and commitment to health and life.

The organization encouraged continued support for blood donation initiatives, highlighting how every donation makes a significant difference.



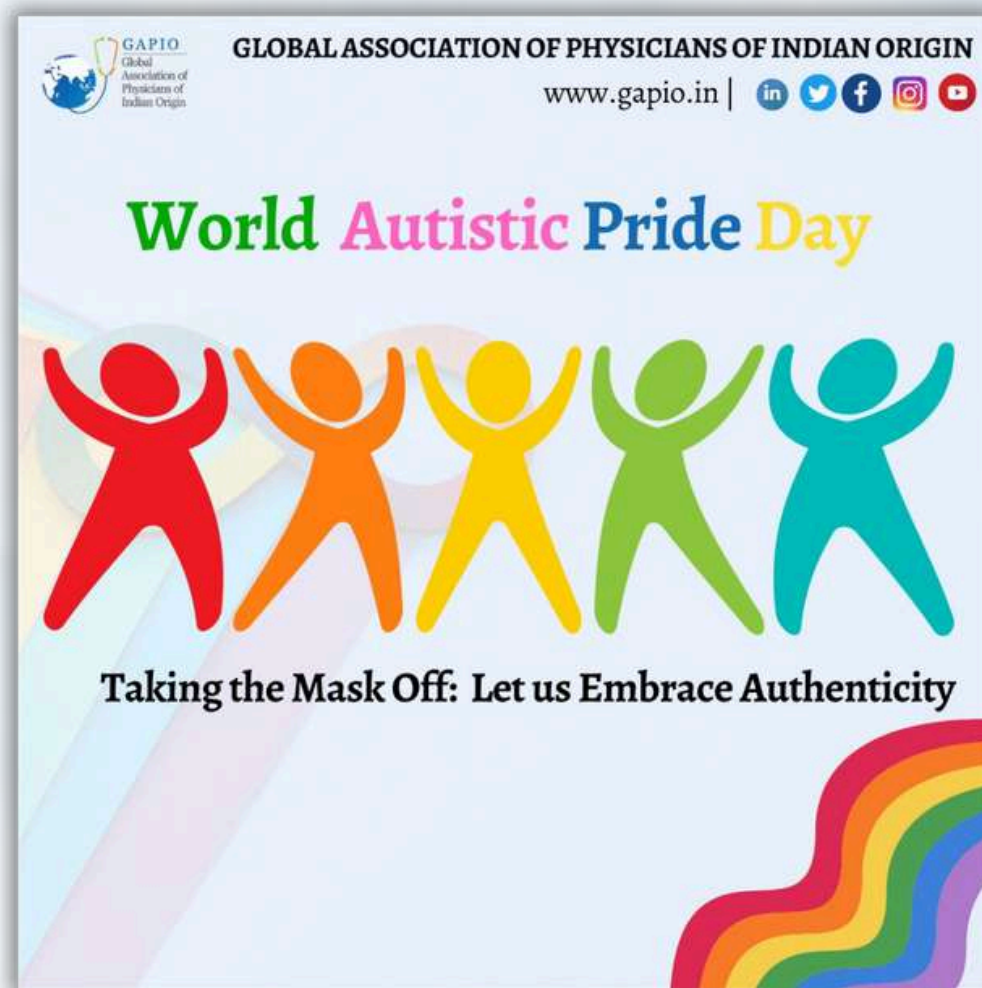
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Celebrating World Autistic Pride Day 2024

On June 18th, 2024, GAPIO celebrated World Autistic Pride Day, emphasizing the theme "Taking the Mask Off." This year's campaign encourages everyone to embrace natural behaviors and reject societal pressures, promoting authenticity and supporting autistic individuals in expressing their true selves.

GAPIO's social media outreach highlighted the importance of understanding and acceptance, advocating for a society where autistic individuals can live without the need to mask their true identities. The campaign called on everyone to foster an inclusive environment that values the unique perspectives and contributions of autistic people.

By celebrating diversity and promoting acceptance, GAPIO aims to create a world where everyone feels empowered to be their authentic selves.



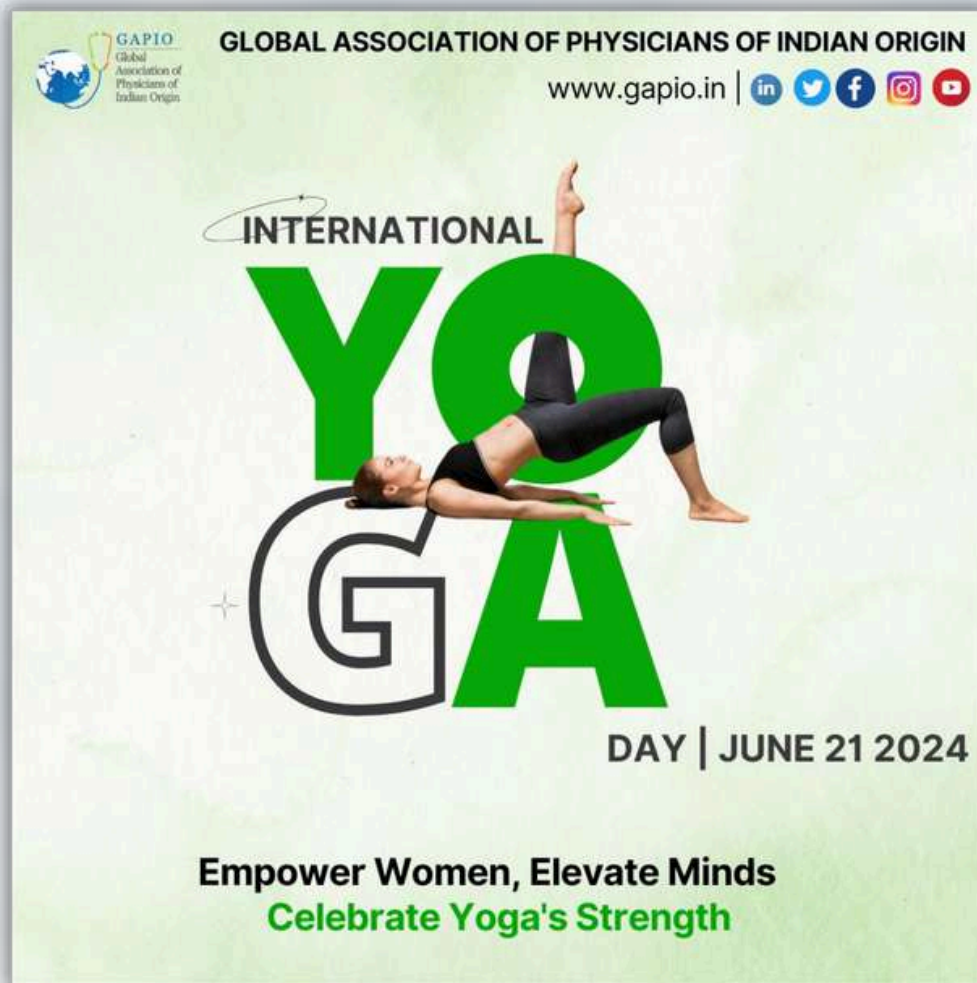
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Celebrating International Yoga Day 2024: Yoga for Women Empowerment

On June 21st, 2024, GAPIO celebrated International Yoga Day with the inspiring theme "Yoga for Women Empowerment." This year's focus was on how yoga strengthens both body and mind, fostering resilience and inner peace.

GAPIO's campaign highlighted yoga's transformative power in building physical strength, mental clarity, and emotional stability, providing a powerful tool for enhancing well-being and supporting women's empowerment in all aspects of life.

By embracing yoga, women can navigate life's challenges with confidence and grace. The celebration encouraged the community to share their yoga journeys and how the practice has empowered them, aiming to inspire a healthier, more empowered community.



HEALTH TIPS/FACTS

Decreasing Patient Wait Times: Effective Strategies for Healthcare Practices

Patient wait times are a common challenge in healthcare practices, but effective strategies can significantly improve the experience. Here's how you can enhance efficiency and patient satisfaction with a few practical steps:

- **Streamline Scheduling:** Utilize advanced scheduling systems to optimize appointment times and reduce overlap. Efficient scheduling ensures better patient flow and minimizes bottlenecks.
- **Pre-visit Planning:** Encourage patients to complete necessary paperwork and pre-visit assessments online before their appointment. This saves time during the visit and allows for a more focused consultation.
- **Enhance Communication:** Keep patients informed about expected wait times and any delays. Clear communication can alleviate frustration and improve overall patient experience.
- **Implement Lean Management:** Apply lean management principles to identify and eliminate inefficiencies in your practice. Regularly review workflows and make adjustments to improve service delivery.
- **Digital Check-ins:** Introduce digital check-in systems to speed up the process and reduce congestion in the waiting area. This can also help maintain social distancing protocols.

By incorporating these strategies, healthcare practices can decrease patient wait times, leading to higher patient satisfaction and improved operational efficiency.

Source: <https://www.physicianspractice.com/view/practice-tip-of-the-week-decreasing-patient-wait-times>



HEALTH TIPS/FACTS

AHA Highlights Key Recommendations for a Heart-Healthy Lifestyle

The American Heart Association (AHA) has released updated diet and lifestyle recommendations designed to promote heart health and overall well-being. These guidelines provide actionable strategies to help individuals reduce the risk of cardiovascular diseases and improve their quality of life.

- **Healthy Dietary Pattern:** The AHA emphasizes the importance of a balanced diet that includes a wide variety of fruits and vegetables, whole grains, and healthy protein sources. Preferably, proteins should come from plant-based sources such as legumes and nuts, as well as fish and seafood. Lean meats and low-fat dairy are also recommended.
- **Minimize Processed Foods:** Minimizing the intake of processed foods is crucial. The AHA advises focusing on minimally processed foods to reduce the consumption of added sugars, salt, and unhealthy fats, which are commonly found in processed products.
- **Healthy Fats:** Incorporate healthy fats into your diet, particularly those from non-tropical vegetable oils. Avoid trans fats and limit saturated fats by choosing lean cuts of meat and low-fat dairy options.
- **Limit Added Sugars and Salt:** To promote heart health, it is essential to reduce the intake of added sugars and salt. The AHA suggests using natural sweeteners and herbs or spices to enhance the flavor of foods without the need for added sugars and salt.
- **Moderation in Alcohol Consumption:** If alcohol is consumed, it should be in moderation. The AHA recommends limiting alcohol intake to no more than one drink per day for women and two drinks per day for men.
- **Regular Physical Activity:** Engage in regular physical activity to maintain a healthy weight and improve cardiovascular fitness. The AHA advises incorporating short bursts of activity into your daily routine, such as taking the stairs or parking further away, to meet the recommended 150 minutes of moderate-intensity aerobic activity per week.

By following these guidelines, individuals can adopt a heart-healthy lifestyle that supports overall well-being and reduces the risk of chronic diseases.



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| ★ DR. BELLAMKONDA KISHORE | ★ DR. RAJU VAISHYA |
| ★ DR. BIDITA KHANDELWAL | ★ DR S K SAHOO |
| ★ DR. KANDAMARAN
KRISHNAMURTHY | ★ DR SAIRA BANO |
| ★ DR. KEERTI SINGH | ★ DR SUBHAKAR KANDI |
| | ★ DR. VEMURI S MURTHY |

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Dr Akshat Pandey, has following achievements in June:

- Fellow Member - ISAKOS (International Society of Arthroscopy Knee Surgery and Orthopedic Sports Medicine)
- Reviewer for Journal ISAKOS
- Reviewer for Journal of Experimental Orthopedics
- Reviewer for ESSKA Publications
- Affiliate Member Royal College of Surgeons of Edinburgh
- Associate Member Faculty of Sports and Exercise Med UK Id No 1351

Dr. Arun Prasad, Surgical Gastroenterology, Clinical Lead, GI & Bariatric surgeon, at New Delhi, is the part of The BROAD study on a prospective, global, multicentre study evaluating the 30-day morbidity and mortality of RBS for IWR/WL and metabolic relapse., published in "Obesity Research & Clinical Practice" as a(n) Original Contribution.

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Dr. Bellamkonda Kishore, Academician, Innovator and Entrepreneur, functioned as an Expert Evaluator for the Black Ambition Prize Competition. It is a nationwide competition in the United States.

Dr. Bidita Khandelwal, Director, Directorate of Research, Professor and Ex-HOD, Department of Medicine Sikkim Manipal University has published following articles in Scopus indexed Journals:

- "Knowledge, Attitude, and Practice of Physiotherapists about Cardiac Rehabilitation Program Adherence among Patients Discharged from the Hospital after Cardiac Surgery in India" Ayman Gondekar, Vijay Pratap Singh, Stephen Rajan Samuel, Harish Raghavan, Bidita Khandelwal, and K. Vijaya Kumar in Hindawi The Scientific World Journal Volume 2024, Article ID 8825476 <https://doi.org/10.1155/2024/8825476>. Indexed in Scopus Q2
- "Evaluation of Inflammatory Markers and Demographic Profile of Type 2 Diabetes Mellitus Patients among the Ethnic Communities Attending Central Referral Hospital, East Sikkim. Chungsang Ongmu Bhutia, Takhelmayum Amumacha Singh, Mingma Lhamu Sherpa, Bidita Khandelwal, Sonam Choden Bhutia in the Journal of the Association of Physicians of India (2024): 72(6):23–26. Indexed in Scopus Q4, PubMed.

Dr Bidita Khandelwal was invited as a member of the Delphi panel (consisting of 18 experts from India) which would work on the ICMR funded project " Development, validation and evaluation of a Deprescribing tool for Indian elderly" As a part of this project, it is proposed to develop and validate a deprescribing tool for the Indian elderly population which will help to critically review medications prescribed to the elderly and assist to discontinue the ones that are not appropriate.

Dr. Kandamaran Krishnamurthy, Consultant Pediatric- Intensive Care Unit from Queen Elizabeth Hospital, Barbados, has facilitated Acute Non-Invasive ventilation workshop as one of the faculty in 12th congress of World Federation of Pediatric Intensive and Critical Care Society (WFPICCS) on 1st June 2024 at Cancun, Mexico.

- Dr. Kandamaran has been appointed as the "President of Caribbean Region (West Indies) Chapter of NRI Welfare Society for the period of 3 years.
- Dr. Kandamaran has Organized Caribbean Allergy and Asthma webinar on June 16th 2024.

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Dr. Keerti Singh, Lecturer, Faculty of Medical Sciences, Cave Hill campus, Barbados, University of the West Indies, has published the following paper:

- Rambhatla A, Shah R, Ziouziou I, Kothari P, Salvio G, Gul M, Hamoda T, Kavoussi P, Atmoko W, Toprak T, Birowo P, Singh K et al. Global Practice Patterns and Variations in the Medical and Surgical Management of Non-Obstructive Azoospermia: Results of a World-Wide Survey, Guidelines and Expert Recommendations. The World Journal of Men's Health. 2024 Apr;42:e42. <https://doi.org/10.5534/wjmh.230339>
- Singh K (Barbados), Kesari K (Finland), Vishwakarma R (India), Agarwal A (USA) examined results of Global Andrology Forum (GAF) Article on bibliometric analysis of male infertility research trends in the past 20 years, towards the Forty-First edition of Global Andrology Forum's (GAF) Management Special on the article "An In-Depth Bibliometric Analysis and Current Perspective on Male Infertility Research" Baskaran S. et al.2021. Please see below link for the article and Interview: <https://www.globalandrologyforum.com/management-special-45>

Dr. Keerti Singh has done the following community outreach:

May 30th 2024: As Lieutenant governor of Optimist Intl Caribbean District, zone 10 and Barbados Representative of Childhood Health and response mission (CHaRM) committee, moderated the inter Caribbean webinar on childhood cancer – "Saving our Future: The Impact of Blood Donations on Childhood Cancer" as part of quarter 3 activities of the Optimist International CHaRM committee. Introduced the invited speakers and gave the vote of thanks Speakers included – Keishawna Pinnock, Blood Donation Organizer, National Blood Donation Service; Dr Michelle Reece-Mills, Consultant Pediatrician, UHWI, Mona Campus Jamaica, 7-8:30 pm Jamaica time.

Dr. N Ramakrishnan, Senior Consultant, Critical Care and Sleep Medicine, Chennai has primary authored two original research articles:

- 1. "Inter-Rater Reliability of Clinical Frailty Scale in Onco-Critical Care" in "Onco Critical Care June 2024". The Co-authors of the article are Dr. Suresh Kumar Sundaramurthy, Dr. Raymond Savio and Dr. Thriologa Sunday.
- 2. "Reduced Diaphragmatic Thickness Index in Mechanically Ventilated Patients" in "Indian Journal of Respiratory Care, June 2024". The Co-authors of the article are Dr. Debasish Panda, Dr. Suresh Kumar Sundaramurthy, Dr. Lakshmi Ranganathan, Dr. Ramesh Venkataraman, and Dr. Raymond Savio.
- Dr. N Ramakrishnan, has published a book chapter titled "Living-donor Lung Transplant update" in "Critical Care Update 2024". The Co-author of the chapter is Dr. Ajay Padmanaban.

Dr. Premkumar Balachandran, Senior Consultant Gynaecology Oncology & Robotic Surgery at Delhi have been elected as Member Representative of the International Representative Committee (IRC) of the Royal College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists (RCOG), UK in the AICC RCOG North Zone Committee elections following the ballot in June 2024. This term is for a period of three years.

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Dr. Raju Vaishya, Senior Consultant, Orthopedic Surgeon at New Delhi has published the following papers:

- Vaishya R, Vaish A, Schafer L, Migliorini F. Trend of Publications and Ranking in Orthopaedics and Sports Medicine of European Countries during the last three decades. J Orthop 2024; <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.jor.2024.07.002>
- Vaishya R, Vaish A. The influence of operation time for hip hemiarthroplasty on complication rates and mortality in patients with femoral neck fracture: a retrospective data analysis: Letter to Editor. J Orthop Surg Res 2024; DOI: 10.1186/s13018-024-04882-x82
- Vaishya R, Vaish A. ChatGPT is good in providing basic health condition information but cannot be relied on its management. J Bone Joint Surg (Am). 1st July 2024: https://www.jbjs.org/reader.php?rsuite_id=db8611f7-6a0a-4b47-9a10-6ddffc3c91fd&source=JBJS_Open_Access/9/2/e23.00129&topics=oe#supplemental
- Vaishya R. Optimal use of Tranexamic Acid in Arthroplasty. J Bone Joint Surg (Am). 28th June 2024. https://www.jbjs.org/reader.php?rsuite_id=40a807c4-5734-4529-ba18-48b77ed1781b&source=JBJS_Reviews/12/6/e23.00248&topics=hp+kn#supplemental
- Kambhampati SBS, D'Ambrosi R, Vaishya R. Classification Applicability to special injuries like Oblique Radial Tears, Ramp Lesions, and Posterior Medial tibial Rim Fractures. Arthroscopy 2024; <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.arthro.2024.06.033>
- Vaishya R., Gupta BM. Mamdapur GMN, Ali K., Vaish A. India's Publications on Rheumatoid Arthritis: A Bibliometric Analysis of Research Output from 1994 to 2023 A.D. Journal of Nepal Health Research Council 2024; 22(01), 1-11. <https://doi.org/10.33314/jnhrc.v22i01.5061>
- Migliorini F, Schafer L, Vaish A, Bhadani JS, Vaishya R. Management of distal femoral non-union: A systematic review. Indian J Orthop 2024; doi:10.1007/s43465-024-01205-4

Dr S K Sahoo, Sr Consultant in Medicine in Noida Apollo, has authored an adjunct book to Critical Care Medicine book, titled "Acid Base Regulation" published by Jaypee Brothers Medical Publishers.

Dr Saira Bano, Assistant Professor, Department of Physiology, Bharati Vidyapeeth (DTU) Medical College, Pune has published a research paper titled "A Cross Sectional Study Assessing Relation Between Serum Uric Acid Level with Blood Pressure & Waist to Hip Ratio (WHR) In Young Population of Western Maharashtra District" in "African Journal of Biological Sciences". The Co-authors of the article are Dr. Anuradha Rajiv Joshi, Dr. Nimty Raina Ambardar, Dr. Meena Patil, Mrs. Sadhana Kakaso Pawar, Mr. Gourav Bharat Deshmane and Dr. Nazia Naqvi

Dr Saira Bano has topped certificate course on "PFT- Interpretation and Application in Clinical Practice" held by NPTEL, IIT Madras.

Dr Subhakar Kandi, Prof & HOD Pulmonary Medicine, Kamineni Academy of Medical Sciences and Research Center has received FRCP from Royal college of Physicians Edinburgh on 14th June 2024.

Dr. Vemuri S Murthy, Adjunct Faculty, Department of Emergency Medicine, University of Illinois College of Medicine, Chicago, Illinois, and Advisor, Odisha Government (Health and Family Welfare founded the first Indo-US Community Health & CPR Center on June 15, 2024 at the National India Hub, Schaumburg, Illinois, USA.

The Training Center was inaugurated by the Hon'ble Consul General of the Chicago Indian Consulate, Mr. Somnath Ghosh, and Former Secretary of the Ministry of External Affairs, India, Ambassador Dr. Ausaf Sayeed.

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