

IMA Academy of Medical Specialities Head Quarters, Hyderabad Activity Report



AIMS of IMA AMS:

- To provide a forum to Specialists and Super-specialties of all branches of Medicine to discuss multi-disciplinary matters of academic interest
- To promote and encourage unity among the members of IMA
- To enhance image of IMA
- To increase Life Membership and of Fellowship of IMA AMS
- To update all the members of IMA of the recent advances in the field of Medicine and allied subjects
- To conduct C.M.Es all over India
- To conduct various Specialty and sub-specialty courses

Membership:

There are 19 State Chapters and 194 Branch Chapters of IMA AMS with 15995 Life Members and 2545 Fellows as on the date.

The State wise details of Life members and Fellowships are as follows...

	TOTAL as on 15-02-2022					
S.	State Name	Life Members				
No		& Associate LM	Fellows of IMA AMS			
1	ANDHRA PRAEDESH	450	54			
2	ASSAM	254	41			
3	BENGAL	822	233			
4	BIHAR	561	258			
5	CHANDIGARH	62	17			
6	CHATTISGARH	195	25			
7	DELHI	699	236			
8	GUJARAT	359	51			
9	GOA	3	3			
10	HARYANA	1397	224			
11	HIMACHAL PRADESH	2	1			
12	JAMMU & KASHMIR	11	3			
13	JHARKHAND	149	53			
14	KARNATAKA	939	160			
15	KERALA	2944	140			
16	MADHYA PRADESH	152	45			
17	MANIPUR	10	5			
18	MAHARASHTRA	2508	105			
19	ORISSA	212	43			
20	OVERSEAS	59	54			
21	PUNJAB	246	69			
22	PONDICHERRY	2	2			
23	RAJASTHAN	103	27			
24	TAMILNADU	1231	326			
25	TELAGANA	932	158			
26	TRIPURA	4	4			
27	UTTAR PRADESH	1444	203			
28	UTTARANCHAL	245	5			
	Total	15995	2545			

Life Memberships & Fellowships received from 1st Jan 2022 to till date

Life Memberships - 25 Fellowships - 1

Non enrolment of Members in IMA AMS:

A few states such as Goa, Himachal Pradesh and Manipur have not enrolled any members to IMA AMS from year 2009 up to the date. Communications are regularly being sent to all the State Presidents and Hon State Secretaries and to the Chairmen and State Secretaries of IMA AMS to increase membership and fellowships of IMA AMS.

IMA AMS Fees details and Mode of Payment details are given below:

- 1. Life Membership Fee : Rs 1000/- total (Hqrs Share: Rs 400/-, State Share: Rs 300/-, Branch Share: Rs 300 /-)
- 2. Overseas members (effective from 1-10-1988): U.S. Dollars 250 (No Share)
- 3. Fellowship Fee : Rs. 5000/- total (Hgrs Share: Rs 2000/-, State Share: Rs 1500/-, Branch Share: Rs 1500/-)
- 4. Fellowship fee of Overseas Members U.S. Dollars 400 (No Share)
- Direct Members : Life Membership Fee Rs. 700/- and Fellowship Fee Rs. 3500/-(There shall be no branch share for direct members)

AM\$ Fellowship & Professorship:

I request all the State Branches to gear up and enrol more members and increase Life Memberships and Fellowships. Application forms can be downloaded from IMA AMS website http://ima-ams.org/

Hon Professorships were being given to eligible candidates, on application for professorship. The Associate Life members are not eligible for Professorship and so also those who did not complete 25 years post in PG or Diploma. IMA Professorships are now awarded only on approval by IMA Accreditation Council, New Delhi. Interested members are requested to send filled application form along with required documents to Hon Secretary General, IMA Hqrs, New Delhi address and one copy to Hon Secretary, IMA AMS Hqrs, Hyderabad on or before 31st July every year.

Eligibility Criteria of IMA AMS Hony. Professorship:

The applicant shall possess:

- i. Registered MD / DM, MS / DCH or equivalent qualifications conferred by National Board of Examinations.
- Minimum 15 years of teaching experience of which 5 years should be as a recognized Postgraduate Teacher / Doctoral Degree Supervisor or 15 years of Professional Experience in the concerned specialty after acquiring Postgraduate Degree / Diploma qualification as the case may be.
- iii. Minimum 3 scientific publications in Indexed / Peer Reviewed National / International Journals of repute preferably Scopus, PubMed, Medler, Web of Science etc.
- iv. Must be a member of IMA AMS for 10 years
- v. Contributions for the advancement of Medical Education and active participation in IMA AMS, and have delivered orations, accredited lectures or served as faculty in IMA AMS events.
- vi. Willing to serve in the dissemination of knowledge and skills through IMA AMS platform.

IMA AMS Courses

IMA AMS conducts courses in medical specialties with sole intention of improving knowledge and skills of medical professionals in their respective fields. The duration of course in general is one year. These courses, however, are not recognized by MCI and Doctors undertaking these courses are not permitted to claim themselves as specialist or to display these certificates as additional qualification.

While conducting the courses the following pattern of revenue sharing has been adopted.

- 1. 40% share to IMA AMS Headquarters
- 2. 40% share to academic session
- 3. 20% share IMA AMS State for its maintenance

Following is the provisional list of courses being offered by IMA Academy of Medical Specialities

1. Infertility

- 2. Fluorescein Angiography
- 3. Laser Photocoagulation in Retinal problems
- 4. Excimer, Laser & Lasik Surgery
- 5. Phacoemulsification
- 6. Training in Noninvasive Cardiology,
- Echocardiography and TMT
- 7. Critical Care in Cardiology
- 8. Advanced Micro-Surgery of Ear
- 9. Functional Sinus Endoscopy
- 10. Laser in ENT
- 11. Rhinoplasty
- 12. Joint Replacement
- 13. Arthroscopy
- 14. Spine Surgery
- 15. Upper GI Endoscopy a. Basic b. Advanced
- 16. Laparoscopy a. Basic b. Advanced
- 17. Rheumatology

18. Preventive Cardiology 19. Breast Oncology Surgery 20. G.I. Oncology Surgery 21. Head & Neck Oncology Surgery 22. Gynae Oncology Surgery 23. Oncology Pathology 24. Oncology Anaesthesiology 25. Medical Oncology 26. Uro-Oncology Surgery 27. Pediatric Hemato-Oncology 28. Bone Marrow Transplantation 29. Oncology Radiology **30.** Cancer Re-Constructive Surgery 31. Interventional Pulmonology and Thoracic 32. Oncology 33. Onclology Orthopedics 34. Interventional Radiology

35. Pathology

IMA Shall develop Courses Accredited by IMA Accreditation & Academic Council

- In the first phase following subjects shall be included,
- 1. Primary Cardiology,
- 2. Diabetology,
- 3. Hypertension,
- 4. Coronary Heart Disease,
- 5. Emergency Practice,
- 6. BCLS,
- 7. ACLS,
- 8. Blindness Control
- 9. Infectious Diseases
- 10. Vaccination,

- 11. Occupational health
- 12. Asthma and COPD,
- 13. Cancer,
- 14. Emergency Medicine
- 15. Child Sexual Abuse,
- 16. Vector Borne Diseases,
- 17. Antenatal Care,
- 18. AMR
- 19. Infection Control Strategy and
- 20. Basic Surgical skills etc.

All fellowships shall be of one year duration with 3 to 4 days of theory classes in a month. Due importance shall be given for clinical sessions.

At the end of the course i.e. after one year, exams shall be conducted with theory exam on day One and practical exams including clinical, log book discussions and general viva on day Two. Examination results shall be announced within one week of the exam and shall be informed to the Headquarters.

State shall conduct graduation ceremony and invite AMS National Chairman & National Secretary for this function. IMA AMS Hars will be responsible for arranging the certificates for distribution to the students who have passed the exams, shall be awarded fellowship certificates.

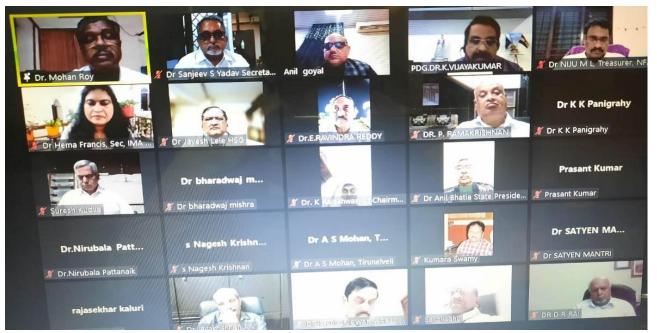
All such courses are to be conducted by State branches of IMA AMS with help from IMA AMS Hars, before registration of such courses should take permission from the IMA AMS Hars. IMA AMS Hars permission should be given to Hospitals. 30% of the fee collected for the course shall be contributed towards Hars share, 40% to the centre conducting the course and 30% to the respective State Branch. The fellowship course certificates will be issued only by IMA AMS HQs. Signatures of Chairman & Secretary - IMA AMS Hars are compulsory on all the Certificates. National leaders of IMA and IMA AMS Hars shall be invited to certificate distribution ceremony.

IMA AMS Accounts

All accounts of IMA AMS Hars are maintained in centralized Tally, accounts updated monthly and submitted to IMA Hars.

IMA AMS Hqrs Activities:

- 1. Dr. D. Shree Hari Rao, Chairman IMA AMS Hars, Dr. G. N. Prabhakara, Elect Chairman IMA AMS Hars and Dr. Sanjeev Singh Yadav, Hony. Secretary IMA AMS Hars are attended IMA Natcon-2021 on 27th & 28th December 2021 at Patna, Bihar State. Dr. G. N. Prabhakara, Chairman IMA AMS Hars take over the charge on 29th Dec 2021.
- Dr. Sanjeev Singh Yadav, National Secretary IMA AMS Hqrs and IMA Senior Leaders are participated IMA National Family Welfare Scheme Zoom meeting on 15th Feb 2022 at 8:30 PM Topic on KNOW YOUR SCHEME – PROMOTIONAL. Chaired by Dr. K. Vijay Kumar, Past National President, IMA Hqrs.



3. IMA AMS Kerala, Tamil Nadu, Andhra Pradesh & Telangana States are conducted webinars with Associate of Various Specialties under the IMA AMS Hars. Dr. G.N. Prabhakara, Chairman and Dr. Sanjeev Singh Yadav, Hony. Secretary IMA AMS Hars and various State Chairman & Secretaries and IMA senior leaders are participated all webinars. The details are given below:

\$. No	Date & Time	Topics	Place
1	5 th January 2022 at 8:00	Topic on: Diagnosis of Sarscov2-New	Virtual Meeting:: (web link provided by IMA AMS Hqrs)
	PM	Variants	Webinar Conducted by IMA AMS Andhra Pradesh State Speakers:
2	11 th January 2022	Topic on: Road Safety Week	Dr. Usha Kalawat, MD (Microbiology) Road Safety week January 11 to January 2022 was celebrated by IMA AMS Tamil Nadu Stae by releasing a video clip giving awareness about prevention of head injury and this was sent to the general public and the IMA members, requesting them
3	12 th January 2022	Topic o : Management of Covid 2022	to share with all nonmedical groups Virtual Meeting:: Webinar Conducted by IMA AMS Tirupur Branch, Tamil Nadu State. Speakers: Dr. Suresh Kumar,ID consultant,Apollo Hospital, Chennai Dr. Vidya Sundhareshan,Chief of ID SIU, Illinois, USA Dr. Daniel O'Keefe,ID specialist,SIU School of Medicine, USA.Moderator:Dr.Muruganathan,MD
4	16 th January 2022 at 4:00 PM onwards	<u>Topic on:</u> Diabetes Mellitus A Silent Pandemic	Virtual Meetings: (web link provided by IMA AMS Hqrs) Webinar Conducted by Academic Council IMA Telangana State Branch in Association with IMA AMS Hqrs Speakers: Dr. Ch. Vasanth Kumar, National President-RSSDI Dr. Shyam Kalavalapalli, Endocrinologist, Founder and Director IDEA Clinics Dr. Srirang Abkari, Hony. Editor IMA AMS Hqrs
5	18 th January 2022 at 8:00 PM	Topic on: Covid -19: Recent challenges in management	Virtual Meeting:: Webinar Conducted by IMA AMS Kerala State Speakers: Dr Chandni R , Head of department of emergency medicine Govt Medical college Calicut
6	19 th January 2022 at 8:00 PM to 9:30 PM	Topic on: Restorative Neuro Surgery- Restoring lost nervous functions	Virtual Meetings: (web link provided by IMA AMS Hars) Webinar Conducted by IMA AMS Andhra Pradesh State <u>Speakerss</u> Dr. R. Ramnarayan, M.Ch., FRCS, IFAANS, Neurosurgeon, Chennai
7	19 th January 2022	Topic on: Chronic Fibrosing ILD Perspective	Virtual Meeting:: Webinar Conducted by IMA AMS Kozhikode Branch, Kerala State Speakers: Dr. Paulo Varghese Akkara, Asst. Prof of Pulmonary Medicine, Institute of Chest Diseases, Calicut Medical College
8	21 st January 2022	Topic on: CT scan and MRI interpretation for practitioners	Virtual Meeting:: Webinar Conducted by IMA AMS Coimbatore Branch, Tamil Nadu State. Speakers: Dr.R.Kannadasan
9	28 th January 2022	Topic on: Covid-19 All about Variants and Vaccines	Virtual Meeting:: Webinar Conducted by IMA AMS Nedumangad Branch, Kerala State Speakers: Dr. Praveen K S, Junior Consultant Pediatrics Fort Hospital & Nodal Officer, Covid Control Cell, Thiruvananthapuram
10	30 th January 2022	Topic on: District AMS Meeting	Virtual Meeting::District AMS Meeting conducted by IMA AMS MavelikkaraBranch, Kerala State.After the flag salutation by the IMA MAVELIKARA secretary,Dr.Dileep Kumar,the welcome speech was delivered by IMAAMS President, MVK, Dr. A. A. Abraham. The meeting wasinaugurated by the state president Dr.Samuel Koshy ,followedby the State Secretary's Message by Dr. Joseph Benaven.Felicitations were given by Dr. P. T. Zachariahs, ImmediatePast President, KSB, Dr. Mohanan Nair V, South Zone VicePresident, IMA KSB, Dr. Anitha Balakrishnan, South Zone Jointsecretary, IMA KSB, Dr. Lalith Sundaram, Secretary, IMA KSB,Dr. A.P. Mohammed, Chairman District Committee. Vote ofthanks was given by Dr. Arun Mammen, Secretary, IMA AMS,

IMA AMS State Wise Activities

			Mavelikara Branch. The session started at 11am and talks were given by Dr, Jijo Joseph, Dr. Mathew Ninan, Dr, Nandini Prasad and Dr, Anish T S on various updates on COVID 19It was an interactive session and was attended by 60 people.
11	31 st January 2022	Topic on: LEPROSY-CLINICAL FEATURES	Virtual Meetings: IMA AMS,TNSB conducted the Inaugural virtual CME of 2022 along with Indian Association of Dermatology, Venerologists and Leprologists TN State Branch on 31 Jan 2022 and it was inaugurated by our IMA TNSB President Dr R. Palanisamy and there were a host of National and State leaders who felicitated. The Experts from the Dermatology spoke about the Hansen's Disease ,Dr.Prof. S. Dharshini, talked on LEPROSY-CLINICAL FEATURES ,Dr. T. Amul Prathap, on Management of Leprosy, Dr. J. Anbulakshmi, on Disability, Deformity & Rehabilitation, Moderator was Dr. Annie Flora, about 100 people attended the CME with TNMC Credit Hours.
12	4 th February 2022	Tepic en: Tumor Markers Recent Advance in Radiotherapy Moderator 	Virtual Meetings: IMA AMS Tirupur Branch, Tamil Nadu conducted CME on 4 th Feb 2022 to commemorate the World Cancer Day. it was felicitated by many National and State leaders Speakers: Dr.S.Subramanian Dr.V.Balasundaram Moderators Dr. A.Muruganathan Panelists: Dr. S. Jagadesh Chandra Bose, Dr. R. Sureshkumar, Dr. Syed Mohamed Buhari Nazirdeen

Appeal:

- We request you to all Branch Chairman & Secretaries to increase membership to enrol all qualified Doctors in IMA AMS and Secretary request that any speciality programme by any Branch, AMS State Chapter and National Chapter must be included in that programme.
- And also we request to enrol Membership & Fellowships at least three as members of IMA AMS to strengthen our AMS which is working towards reaching new goals and Academic heights in the coming years. And also to encourage conducting Speciality Courses in your respective States.
- > We expect all your kind cooperation in the membership drive, please feel free to express any of your doubts, thoughts and advice.

Future Plans of IMA AMS:

- 1. Liaison with all Academic Bodies
- 2. E- Bulletin & E- Clinics
- 3. Courses in:
 - 1. Basic Laparoscopy
 - 2. Infertility
 - 3. Clinical Trials in Bio-Medical Research
 - 4. Tie-up with liquated Labs to Promote in Research in Molecular Diagnosis
 - 5. Bio-Physics
 - 6. Cytogenetic
 - 7. Toxicology Infectious Diseases
 - 8. Genetics, Nutrition and Metabolism
 - 9. Neuro Critical Care
 - 10. Oncology Neuro Surgery
 - 11. Breast Oncology
 - 12. Interventional Radiology
 - 13. Bone Marrow Transplantation
 - 14. Cancer Re-Constructive Surgery

Zonal Conferences:

North Zone-South Zone-East Zone-West Zone-National Conference-(AMSCON-2022)

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Goyal, Finance Secretary IMA Hqrs, Dr. G. N. Prabhakara, Chairman IMA AMS Hqrs, Dr. Suryakant, Vice Chairman, IMA AMS Hqrs, Dr. D. Sree Hari Rao, Imm. Past Chairman IMA AMS Hqrs for their valuable guidance and suggestions.

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Thank you very much

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Dr. G. N. Prabhakara Chairman IMA AMS HOs

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Dr. Sanjeev Singh Yadav Hon Secretary IMA AMS HQs