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**DESERVE  
JUSTICE**

Dr Archana Sharma



29th March, 2022



**World Health Day 2022**

**Our planet, our health**

**Candle light protest By Various local branches of IMA to show our solidarity for justice to Dr Archana Sharma and family**



Doctors in medical institutions working with Black badges





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## EDITORIAL

Dr. Soumya Y.J.

***“Throw away all weakness. tell your body that it is strong. Tell your mind that it is strong and have unbound faith and hope in yourself”***

**- Swami Vivekananda**

Greetings to all the members,

Wishing everyone a very happy Ugadi and a prosperous new year,

Unlike plants which get new life every year and with every spring, humans don't but we can create new thoughts as new beginnings, reinvigorate them and cultivate them to full extent until it is fruitful.

The state working committee meeting held at Kukke Subramanya was a distinctive one with great hospitality, the efforts of the IMA Puttur was well appreciated.

With the recent tragic incident of Dr Archana Sharma, it appears as if the dark black clouds have gloomed on our medical fraternity again. Ours is the only profession where every now and then we witness such incidents and still we all stand before the government patiently to make the work place better for us. But how long? Till when we can be waiting that someone else will come and raise voice for us? Till when we can be waiting that things will be fine and behave as if nothing more has happened? Till when should we be the victims be the victims of the selfishness of these ruthless, and prejudiced politicians and society?

Such suicides are not truly suicides, they are the murders by the failure of the society and the system, where in all of us are indirect part of it.

Remember and inculcate the words of Swami Vivekananda- **“Arise awake and stop not until the goal is achieved”**.

Let us all unite once again but this time let's leave all our small petty issues and work towards saving this noble profession. Otherwise, we will be blamed by our next generation doctors who will point at us and say why didn't you all warn us that Medicine is no more a noble profession and is a very stressful one, wherein every ragtag and bobtail will come and harass you.

If we do not want that to happen, then we must raise our voice at every act of injustice, abuse, prejudice, threat and violence aimed at us.

In India doctors are considered as gods. This is unique and very dangerous. We should make the public aware that we are no gods, we are also humans trained in the particular profession. Deny this FACTOR G (God) certificate.

The tragedy is that healthcare systems are becoming engulfed by the fat cats and investors, wherein they promise to give 100% results and five-star services to the patients but when it comes to the violence on doctors, we are abandoned by management. We all should know this and save our skin; no capitalist is going to come and save us in tragic events.

The criminal nature of those who drove her to take the extreme step is unjustifiable. But let's remember that Dr Archana Sharma's case is not the first or may not be the last, such situations keep coming in the medical profession but let's not keep this sorry face of ours that time too. Let's act before it's too late.

**Following are the few important days in Medicine: -**

**1} 2nd April World Autism Awareness Day - "Inclusion in the Workplace"**

Autism is a neuro development disorder characterized by deficits in social and language communication, as well as repetitive behaviours and restricted interests. It is a life-long disorder that varies from being a minor to a major problem.

The theme for World Autism Awareness Day 2022 is 'Inclusion in the Workplace', Inclusive education is the key to the transformative promise of the Sustainable Development Goals, to 'Leave no one behind'.

**2} April 7 World Health Day- "Our Planet, Our Earth"**

World Health Day 2022 is observed on 7 April 2022 across the world. It marks the anniversary of the founding of WHO in 1948.

This year it focuses on global attention on urgent actions needed to keep humans and the planet healthy and foster a movement to create societies focused on well-being.

I felt appropriate to write few words about how healthy we all doctors are? Being medical professionals, we keep our health in the down priority blaming it on lack of time. We all should concentrate more on our health both physical and mental health which is most important. Doctors working in

critical care units are always prone to higher stress because of many factors like higher mortality and morbidity, demanding service conditions and need for higher knowledge and technical skill. In one of the articles, it was quoted that nearly 40% of the doctors are under the stress. We all should be educated more on the management of stress and also about the medico legal aspects of our profession.

**3} April 17 world Hemophilia Day - "Access to All"**

Theme is "Access for All: Partnership. Policy Progress. Engaging the government, integrating inherited bleeding disorders into national policy. By raising awareness and bringing haemophilia and other inherited bleeding disorders to the attention of policymakers, we can increase sustainable and equitable access to care and treatment.

**4} April 25 World Malaria Day**

World Malaria Day 2022 will be marked under the theme "Harness innovation to reduce the malaria disease burden and save lives." WHO is calling for investments and innovation that bring new vector control approaches, diagnostics, antimalarial medicines and other tools to speed the pace of progress against malaria?

**"We are what our thoughts have made us; so, take care about what you think. Words are secondary. Thoughts live; they travel far".**

**Long Live IMA**

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**Rs. 11,025/-**

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**Couple life membership**

**Rs. 16,530/-**



# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

**Dr. Kateel Suresh Kudva**

**My dear esteemed IMA members,  
Happy Ugadi and New Year Greetings.**

*Who is helping you don't forget them*

*Who is loving you don't hate them*

*Who is trusting you don't cheat them*

858th State Working Committee meeting at Kukke Subramanya was well attended and well appreciated by all State Working Committee members who attended the meeting. Accommodation and hospitality was the best in the history of IMA-KSB and discussions were superb. The superman behind this success story is Dr.Prasad Bhandary, senior member of IMA Puttur Branch. Amendments to improve activities of IMA-KSB were discussed and accepted with some modifications. IMA stand towards Indian medical students returned from Ukrain was also discussed in detail. While we have sympathy to them, final unanimous opinion was not to take any immediate sudden steps to reintegrate them. The cloud will fade away and things will improve. If any refresher course or training programme initiated by Govt. Or NMC, it will pave way for wrong precedence in future and may lead to further complications in future and will affect future of our meritorious students in the country. Accordingly a letter is written to Prime Minister of India, Govt. of Karnataka, IMA Hq, and NMC. Reply from KMC regarding fine of Rs.500 per year for delay of renewal of KMC registration was also discussed. House opined to write a strong letter to KMC for hurting the sentiments of IMA members, when as per amendments 2017 to KMR Act 1964, renewal is to be done in December 2022 or 24, which is yet to be decided by High Court of Karnataka, in writ petition 40580/2017.

Presidents visit to various IMA branches of Karnataka State from 17/3/22 to 22/3/22 was a great experience. On the way to north Karnataka, visit to Soraba IMA branch was scheduled with a short notice of half an hour. However it was very effective and successful with press conference, which was published in many daily newspapers of Karnataka and T.V. media too. Credit goes to Dr.M.K.Bhat, President IMA Soraba.

Our visit to IMA Mudhol and IMA Jamakhandi along with President elect Dr.S.B.Lakkol, Senior Vice President Dr.Mulky Patil, P.R.O., Dr.G.K.Bhat, District Co-Ordinator of Bagalkot District Dr.Karaveera Prabhu Kyalagonda and Dr.Jaspalsingh H. Tehalia, Vijayapur District Co-Ordinator was colourful on 18.03.22 on Holi Day. District Council meeting at Vijayapur on the same day evening

was attended by IMA Talikote and Indi branches also. Vision of IMA Vijayapur to have one more IMA Building away from city is really appreciable and shows their long sightedness.

On 19.03.22, we had breakfast meeting at Grape gardens at Sindagi hosted by IMA Sindagi. Hospitality was as sweet as grapes that we tasted. On the way to Kalburgi, we visited famous holy Ganagapur Dattatreya Temple too. On the same day visit to IMA Kalburgi, Humnabad and Bidar was successful with installation of new Women Doctors Wing in each IMA branch. The journey on 20/3/22 was hectic, travelling around 400.km visiting Bidar to Yadgir, Raichur, Lingasagur, Sindhanur and Gangavati. Women Doctors Wing with colour coded uniform installed at IMA Raichur branch was special attraction. This is the only branch where we witnessed more women doctors than men attending the meeting., forecast of the future state of medical profession in India. On 21.03.22 tour of IMA Koppala, Hospete, Siruguppa and Bellary along lush green paddy fields was great moment. IMA building of Hosapete, built out of saved funds from IMA State conference 2015 is eyeopener for others to follow. Hospitality extended to us at Siruguppa and Bellary is unforgettable. Our tour on 22.03.22 to IMA Challakere and IMA Chitradurga was mesmerising. IMA Challakere, a small IMA branch has donated not only one lakh rupees to Covid Martyrs fund but also promised to make 100% IMA life membership in their Jurisdiction in next one month. Dr.Narayana Murthy District Co-Ordinator of Chitradurga district is the man behind this success story, who not only accompanied us in the district, but also promised to start two new IMA branches at Holalkere and Molakalmuru. In short we had ಸಮಗ್ರ ಕರ್ನಾಟಕ ದರ್ಶನ in six days. ಸಜ್ಜನರ ಸಂಗ ಸವಿ ಜೇನು ಸವಿದಂತೆ Accordingly the company of all IMA leaders was sweet memory in life time.

Death of Dr.Archana Sharma is shocking news to all of us. We from IMA KSB have given memorandum to all concerned, Prime minister, Home minister and Health minister of India for appropriate action, including Central act against violence on Doctors. We have also requested our DGP in Karnataka to issue circulars to his subordinates regarding how to proceed on complaint on doctors as per the Supreme Court Rulings in Jacob Mathew V/S State of Punjab. We have also conducted Zoom meeting to discuss and form Rapid action committee at local IMA level, District level and State level to prevent such incidences in our state.

I once again wish let this Ugadi bring happiness and prosperity to all in coming days.

**TOGETHER WE CAN...**

**Jai Hind**

**Jai Karnataka**

**Long live IMA**

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# SECRETARY'S MESSAGE

Dr. S.M. PRASAD

**Dear Seniors, Colleagues and esteemed members,  
Greetings from IMA KSB.**

Hope all of you are back with regular work of your clinics, institutions and establishments. Though we came out of the 3rd wave which was better compared with the 2nd wave with less of hospital admissions and mortalities. Though many of the virologists opined about the forth coming cluster of covid cases supposed to be 4th wave for us, we see many in markets and malls both in rural and urban have removed the mask completely. Now, public have totally forgotten about the Covid appropriate behaviour. But as medical professional we need to exercise more caution and be a role model especially in crowded areas to lessen our load of these viruses.

Apart from this, we are watching the Russia-Ukraine war affecting the medical students from India studying in colleges in Ukraine universities. Unfortunately we lost 1 student from our own state and many of them wounded also. Again we are facing the challenge of confused medical education and watching the ways in which authorities will handle the situation. Some of the Ukrainian students contacted me regarding the issues they might face. As the medical students whether they are studying in India or abroad they are Indian students. One need to handle the situation carefully as "they can't be just accommodated in Indian Medical colleges as curriculum is totally different and advance in India and more than that a lot of aspiring medical students waiting for their placements so long in medical colleges who have scored with higher rankings in NEET. If so many thousands medical students, where are the medical college teachers. Even if they provide a

refresher course, who will pay for the extra work by medical college teachers where each medical college in India have their own salary structure (unfortunately not touched upon by MCI or NMC or any of the Medical universities for so many years) in India".

Further, the recent incidence of our senior obstetrician committing suicide due to harassment by so many including the public servant in Rajasthan is very shameful on our society. As members we need to join hands with fellow doctors in this situation. It is the need of the hour for all of us to alert one another to prevent these kind of atrocities on doctors. No amount of just wearing black badges, candle light marches and bandhs are becoming effective, in-front of insensitive public and leaders.

We are great-ful to our National President Dr.Sahajananda Prasad Singh, Hony. Secretary General Dr.JayeshLele and all the office bearers of IMA Rajasthan for quick actions to arrest the criminals.

We are fortunate to have many ministers and MPs with medical degree in our cabinet and they should be able to bring on more stringent laws to avoid doctors becoming soft targets so many times during these sessions itself. Hope we will wait for fruitful decisions.

Henceforth, I request you to form reinforcing and supporting group of medical professionals in your establishment area with the police and advocates for staying in unity.

Kindly bring in more Life members into IMA for strengthening as "it is not just the unity is important but also the number/size of members are very important in any organization now"

**Jai Hind**

**Jai Karnataka**

**Jai IMA**







## VICE-PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dr. K. Nagesh

Dear friends,

\*ಬಾಯಲ್ಲಿ ಭಗವದ್ಗೀತೆ ಹೇಳುತ್ತಿದ್ದರೂ, ಬಗಲಲ್ಲಿ ಒಂದು ದೊಣ್ಣೆ ಇರಲಿ\* - ಬಸವಣ್ಣ

29th March 2022 was one of the darkest day in the history of Indian medical association. At Rajasthan an eminent gynaecologist has committed suicide at her own hospital by the mode of hanging. After operating on a 22 years old pregnant lady for gravida four! the patient developed severe atonic PPH. As we all know it carries a high mortality even in the best of the best centres. Inspite of all the efforts by this intelligent experienced gynaecologist, the patient succumbed to death.

Following which started the brutal attack by the cruel public, by the headless politicians, blackmailing media people & the heartless police people who booked an FIR under sec. 302 IPC, violating the supreme court orders! This multi directional cruel attack on this soft, dedicated obstetrician, pushed her to take this extreme step & say good bye to this cruel world!! Even in that moment she didn't forget to request the public NOT TO HARRASE THE INNOCENT DOCTORS: Lakhs of our members burst into tears on that day.

Of course the Indian Medical Association of Rajasthan in support of the IMA HQ, went on to streets, & saw to it that the culprits are booked, suspended, including the idiotic politician. As our dynamic National President Dr.Shahajan and Prasad Singh said the struggle does not stop here, It continues.

Till all those responsible are punished legally & a strong central act is brought into force.

From this incident two lessons we need to learn and must learn. They are One, we should make all efforts to make

Indian Medical Association much stronger and mightier because gone are the days where a doctor could open his own clinic, hospital and practice without any trouble or fear. Things have changed over the last two decades, we need a strong voice of the profession in the form of the Indian Medical Association. But it is painful to know that only 3 lacks 75 000 doctors among more than 10 lacks practicing doctors in this country are the members of IMA!! So this incident should act as an eye opener to motivate and urge the non-numbers to join hands with Indian medical association by becoming permanent members and also the existing members should try to bring new members on each one bring one basis. Not necessarily in their native branch, it can be anywhere in India. Thereby making Indian Medical Association much formidable so that in future any politician or any government for that matter shouldn't dare enough to bring any health profession related policies without asking IMA.

Secondly We doctors are soft, kind hearted by nature, that is needed for our profession also, but it need not be always... We must develop sufficient boldness and probably become thick skinned in such circumstances. We should not hesitate to keep the stethoscope aside, fold our sleeves and go onto the streets to fight for the cause.

For that we must strengthen IMA by doubling our numbers so that Indian Medical Association become further stronger, for midable & its voice is well heard in the corridors of power.

**\*Rest in peace Dr.Archana Sharma\***

**\*Long Live IMA\***

Thankyou.....

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# BRANCH ACTIVITIES

**Branch : Bagalkot | President: Dr. R.V.Joshi | Secretary: Dr. Vikas Daddenavar**



On 05.03.22 and 06.03.22 Light Tennis Ball and Cricket Tournament was organized at SNMC Ground. In association with SNMC. Teams participated from IMA Bagalkot, IMA Belagavi, IMA Jamkhandi and IMA Hubli. IMA Bagalkote Branch team was champion. On 26.02.2022 pulse polio vaccine drive campaign done in association with District administration and Zilla Panchayat and DC Office Bagalkot, MLA of Bagalkot Shri Dr Veeranna Charantimat sir, DC Capt Rajendra were present.

**Branch : Bengaluru | President: Dr. Anuradha V. Paramesh  
Secretary : Dr. K. N. Pradeep Kumar & Dr. K. Sathyavathi**



Health Checkup Camps: on 04.03.2022 Health Camp was arranged at Tavarekere Envoy Factory for the employees. 25 units of blood were collected. 110 people were screened for Hypertension, Diabetes, eye disorders and 12 were screened with ECG. Free medicines were distributed. Nearly 18 Cervical Cancer Screening Camps in Association with BBMP were conducted at Various Urban PHC's. On 11.03.2022, 12.03.2022 and 25.03.2022 CME programme were conducted. In association with Cipla, M.S.Ramaiah Hospital, Trustwell Hospital and

Allurion. IMA President Dr. Anuradha Paramesh encouraged the women of today to undergo screening for cervical cancer. HPV testing was done for 20 lady doctors as an initiative to give awareness about cervical cancer screening. On 16.03.2022 National President Dr. Sahajanand Prasad Singh visited Bangalore Branch and was welcomed and honored. On 19.03.2022: Women's Day Celebration at Trustwell Hospitals with Dr. Sanghamitra, CPMO, BBMP as Chief Guest. Musical Chair competition and Antyakshari were held. On 20.03.2022 Speakers Dr. Mahesh Koregol enlightened the general public about IVF and Dr. Prabhakar Koregol gave a detailed explanation about Heart health during Covid. Dr. Madhusudhan Kariganur encouraged the family Doctor Concept to everyone.

**Branch: Belgaum | President: Dr. Rajashree R. Angol | Secretary: Dr. Santhosh Sinde**

On 12.02.2022 and 26.02.2022 : CLINICAL MEETING was conducted. Topic was "Comprehensive Neurosurgery" by Dr Vijaymahantesh Pujari. On 04.02.2022 conducted health check up camp and cancer awareness lecture in collaboration with Jeevhal foundation and Tarragona group. Dr. Savita Kaddu gave a lecture on awareness regarding early detection of cancer. On 13.02.2022 camp held at Chikhale village near Jamboti 150 patients examined. On 16.02.2022 Health Education programme was conducted. Online face book live awareness programme for public was conducted on topic of Cancer awareness. Health Awareness talk by Dr Savita Kaddu, Dr Rajashree Anagol at cantonment Marathi school. On 07.02.2022 on the eve of Rathasaptami Suryanamskar camp organised by IMA and WDW.



**Branch: Chikkaballapur | President: Dr. Ramesh P V | Secretary: Dr. Vijaya**

Installation ceremony of new office bearers of IMA Chikkaballapur was celebrated on 13-FEB-2022. KSB President and other state branch office bearers were felicitated.

**Branch : Chikkodi | President: Dr. Darshan Pujari | Secretary: Dr. Sushma Koshti**

On.04.2022: In association with Sri Sathya Sai Multi Speciality Hospital, Chikodi, organised Urology Evaluation Camp. Urologist Dr. Abhijit Musale screened 58 patients and they were availed the benefits with investigations and medical assistance. IMA Chikodi gave donation to Chikodi Sai Mandir's annual function for Mahaprasada. On 27.02.2022 Participated in National Pulse Polio immunization programme inaugurated by MP Shri Annasaheb Jolle and MLA Smt Shashikala Jolle at General Hospital Chikodi. And also distributed food packets to all the staff of General Hospital involved in the Pulse Polio Programme.



\*International Women's Day\*: IMA Chikodi honoured Smt J.R.D.Bhate for her selfless services to mankind. Memorandum was submitted to AC of Chikodi on 18th March condemning assault on doctors. On 22.03.2022 Holi was celebrated with family members. On 18th March 2022, memorandum was submitted to AC of Chikodi condemning assault on doctors.



**Branch : Gadag | President : Dr. Pyarali K. B. Noorani | Secretary : Dr. Aravind Karinagannanavar**

On 22.02.2022 two Blood Camps, Health check up and cancer awareness programmes were conducted. On 03.03.2022 CME Programme was conducted by Dr Gururaj Sangondimath. Cyclothon was arranged on 12.3.2022 to create the awareness about World Kidney Day. Quit tobacco awareness was conducted by Dr Aravind Karinagannanavar for municipality workers and at SP office on 22.2.2022 and 14.3.2022. New year celebrations was organized with all the family members of all IMA doctors on 26.2.2022. It was a grand success with more than 350 members attended with their families. Cultural events were organized as a tribute to Puneeth Rajkumar, Lata Mangeskar and Bappi Lahari. International Women's day was celebrated on 11.3.2022 with fun feast and felicitation. IMA Gadag cricket team participated in KOPPAL cricket tournament.

**Branch : Hassan | President : Dr. Vagheesh | Secretary : Dr. H.J. Tejashwi**

International Women's Day was celebrated by Ladies Wing IMA Hassan and Indian Medical Association Hassan at IMA campus. Dr Rangalakshmi and Dr Hemalata were felicitated on occasion of International women. Cultural Activities, games were organized

**Branch : Hubli | President : Dr. S.Y. Mulkipatil | Secretary : Dr. Manjunath Nekar**

On 26.02.2022 and 05.03.2022 CME programme were conducted about unipolar depression and kidney. On 20.03.2022 On the occasion of World Head Injury Day scientific session was conducted, eminent neurosurgeons like Dr. S.P. Baligar, Dr. Anirodha Kulkarni, Dr. Sunil Malagi and Dr. Sharan Srinivasan spoke on Head injuries and its precautions. On 22.02.2022 Free OPD clinic was started at IMA House parking from 26th January 2022 to 22nd February 2022. 27 Days Free OPD Clinic was open for general public and free medicine were distributed. On 08.03.2022 : World Women's Day was celebrated. On this occasion IMA Hubballi Branch President and secretary felicitated the IMA Women Doctors Wing President, secretary and treasurer of WDW Hubli. On 20.03.2022 In Association with Nara Vijnana and Karnataka Neurosciences Academy a Bike Rally was

organised on this occasion of World Head Injury Awareness Day. On 26.02.2022. In the IMA Hubballi MINI CME Felicitation was done for the following Dr. Sanjay S. Neeralagi and Mrs Dr. Savita S. Neeralagi was honoured for winning IMA National level Prize in Dance competition. Shri Goutam Bafana President BJS, and Mr. Keval Lumkar was honoured for their services towards the mankind during COVID-19 pandemic and Smt. Roopa Shetty services rendered as Corporator HDMC Ward No.47.

**Branch: Ilkal-Hungund | President : Dr. Sunitha A. Kathari | Secretary : Dr. Subhrani M. Kadapatti**

On 03rd to 09.03.2022 "SAPTA SANJEEVINI" Virtual Health awareness programme was Organized in association with SMA JCI team. IMA members gave talks on various topics along with good interactive sessions. (1). Day 1 "Obesity and Diabetes reversal" by Dr M S Kadapatti (2) Day 2 "Sleep Disorders" by Dr. Chandranath Vandkudri, (3) Day 3 "Cancer Screening in Women" by Dr Shubharani Kadapatti and Dr Shobha Shyavi, (4). Day 4 "Common causes of Headache" by Dr Abhijit Kakhandki, (5). Day 5 "Menopause" by Dr Sunita Kathare, (6). Day 6 "Fabulous Forties and above..Mastering the transition and shaping the future" by Dr Nadezda Kakhandki and (7). Day 7 "Skin Care" by Dr Priyanka Bhairgond.

**Branch: Jamkhandi | President : Dr. H.G. Daddi | Secretary : Dr. Biradar**

On 27-02-2022 IMA Jamakan Participated in Polio Programme. 01-03-2022 Participation in Mahashivaratri festival programme at Brahma Kumaries Ashram. On 11-03-2022 conducted Diabetes awareness & checkup programme on the occasion of International Women's Day. On 12-03-2022 CME on Approach to the Head Injury Speaker Dr. Raju Kadam from Hubli (Neurosurgeon). On 18-03-2022 visit of IMA-KSB President Dr. Katil Suresh Kudva.



**Branch: Kadur-Birur | President : Dr. S.V. Deepak | Secretary : Dr. Manoj. C**

International Woman's day was celebrated by IMA KADUR and BIRUR

**Branch : K.G.F | President :Dr. Parameshwarappa.N.M | Secretary : Dr. D. Vijayakumar**

On 24.02.2022 and 10.03.2022 CME Programmes were conducted in association with Aster Mother and Child Hospital, White Field Bangalore and Vamshodhaya hospital, Kolar. Topics (1). Preterm Labour by Dr.Sandhya Rani, (2). Journey of Prematurity by Dr.Lathiesh Kumar Kambam, (3). Fascinating Facts about Neonatology by Dr.Srinivasa murthy.C.L, (4). Various Techniques for Surgical Management of Cbd Stones by Dr.Vinay H.G (5). Delayed Umbilical Cord Clamping after Birth by Dr.Girija R.G, (6). Placental Transfusion (Dcc And Ucm) for Asphyxiated Infants by Dr.Manojkumar B, (6). Dyspepsia - Dr.Sagar S.V. 50 and 56 doctors attended the programme.

**Branch : Kumta | President : Dr. Ganapathy Bhat | Secretary : Dr. Roopali Mankikar**

On 14.12.2022 a memorandum was given to local MLA of constituency regarding fire NOC addressing to State health secretary.

**Branch : Kundapur | President : Dr. Sandeep Navada | Secretary : Dr. Ravindra Neelakanthappa Munoli**

National female child day 24th January 2022, celebrated in General Hospital Kundapura. Precautionary dose Vaccination Inauguration Program for COVID 19 were conducted at PHC Koteshwara and Basrur. CME on personal finance planning was organized on 6th February 2022 for IMA Kundapura members. IMA Kundapura member and past president of IMA Kundapura was elected as president of Kundapura Taluka Kannada Sahitya Parishat on 19 March 2022. A CMEs were organised by IMA Kundapura in liaison with District Tuberculosis Elimination Office, Udupi. A talk was organized by IMA Kundapura for its' members on topic "Role of Doctors in Good Governance" on 19 March 2022 and resource person was Dr. Vijayendra vasanth, State Co-ordinator of National Medical Cell. Dr Mahima Acharya, Consultant Psychiatrist and member of IMA Kundapura inaugurated free eye checkup camp at Shankerapura which was



organized by Rotary Shankerapura, in liaison with Prasad Superspeciality Eye Hospital, Udupi on 20 March 2022. Dr Sandeep Kumar Shetty gave a Demonstration talk on 'First Aid During Emergency Situations' for NSS students at Moodgilyaru, Kota benefiting 130 students on 06 March 2022.

**Branch : Mysore | President : Dr. Sujatha. S. Rao | Secretary : Dr. Manjunath. R.D**

On 19.03.2022 International Women's Day was celebrated.





**Branch : Nelamangala | President : Dr. M. Jayaprasad | Secretary : Dr. S. Rajendra Prasad**



On 18.02.2022 CME was Conducted. Topic: "Neurointerventional Radiology and Stroke updated". by Dr. Sharath Kumar G.G, (2). "ECMO in Toxicology" by Dr. Himad Dev G.J.

**Branch: Nippani**  
**President : Dr. Neelashetti**  
**Secretary : Dr. Pavan Rathunavar Pramod**

Guest Lecture were conducted. Topics" (1). "Introduction to vascular and intervention radiology" by Dr. Abhinandan Ruge, (2). "Rheumatology- A brief overview" by Dr Praveen Jain. We also celebrated International women's day.



**Branch : Raichur**  
**President : Dr. K.Ramappa | Secretary : Dr. Nagaraj Bhalki**



Blood donation camp was conducted at Shridi sai baba temple near public garden and collected 13 units of blood on 17 march 2022. IMA Karnataka state President visited Raichur Branch, General body meeting called and women Doctors Wings installation done on 20 March 2022.

**Branch : Sirsi | President : Dr. Vinayaka Bhat | Secretary: Dr. Ravindra R. Kolvekar**



On 26.02.2022 CME programme was conducted. In association with Sahyadri Narayana Multispeciality Hospital Shimoga. (i). On the occasion of World Cancer day free breast and cervical cancer screening camp was conducted in 10 hospitals of Sirsi in association with WDW and NGOs. On 19. 02.22 specialty camp in association with Taluk Health department was arranged. On 19.02.22 Blood donation camp at Ummachagi in association with PGH Lifeline blood bank

was conducted. On 27.02.22 Rotary IMA Juvenile Diabetes Club conducted free monthly camp. On 27.02.22 participated in National Pulse Polio Immunization program. On the occasion of World Cancer Day in association with WDW multiple programs like newspaper articles, pamphlets and posters were distributed. Multiple talks on Oral cancer were given by our members. On 14.02.22 Dr Raysad and Dr Ravikiran Patwardhan gave talks on drug addiction to students in Sridevi Highschool Hulekal. On 07.02.22 IMA members from Rotary IMA Yoga Shikshana Kendra participated in Public 108 Suryanamaskaras.. On 19.02.22 members participated in Alemane ustav i.e local sugarcane juice festival at Tavarumane Tota.

**Branch : Sullia | President: Dr. Veena. N | Secretary : Dr. Ravikanth. G. O.**

On 20/2/2022 Health check up and talk on cardiac well being to police staff at Sullia Police Station and also talk on cancer awareness given. Health check up camp by IMA Sullia at Narkod in association with NSS polytechnique college. IMA sullia was a part of Pulse Polio campaign. An outing in honour of Womens day 2022 for the members of IMA Sullia WDW. On 28/2/22 Dr.Veena gave a speech on MTP Act 2021. On 08.03.2022 Womens day celebrations at Taluk Hospital Sullia organised by





IMA Sullia. On 09.03.2022 A talk on hygiene and cleanliness in Sri Ramakrishna School and also distributed 40 copies of the book written by her. On 13.03.2022 Camp for Glaucoma detection and

general eye care. On 16.03.2022 A talk on importance of menstrual hygiene given. On 18.03.2022 Free medical check up and also talk on cleanliness were conducted at Sri Ramakrishna Senior Primary School.

**Branch : Udupi-Karawali | President : Dr. Kallya Vinayak Snenoy | Secretary : Dr. Ganapati Hegde**



On 04.02.2022 World Cancer Awareness Day was observed at Ajjarkad, Udupi and also World Cancer Awareness Fortnight initiative was observed by organising Multiple health camps and cancer screening camps on following days at various venues by IMA-UK in association with IDA, Department of Health & Family Welfare, District Surveillance Unit, District Hospital, Udupi, KMC Manipal and other local NGO bodies and health centers. In these camps health education and counselling sessions were conducted. Cancers of oral cavity, breast and female reproductive tract were screened along with screening for diabetes mellitus, hypertension, TB, malaria, eye and dental problems. (From 05.02.2022 To 17.02.2022 at PHC Hirebettu, Nittur, Beedinagudde, Manipal, Kemmannu, Kukkikatte and PHC Malpe in Udupi.) On 13.02.2022 Conducted the annual week-long campaign programme aimed to raise awareness of children affected by a parent's drinking, was inaugurated at Badagubettu, Udupi. More than 40 families benefited from this campaign.



**Branch : Yalahanka**  
**President : Dr.K.G.Shankarnarayan**  
**Secretary : Dr.Suri Raju**

CME was held in association with Rainbow Children's Hospital on 25-02-22. Dr Anitha Rao, Ob Gyn Consultant spoke about Essentials of Antenatal care and Dr Jayanth Sampath, Paediatric Orthopaedic Surgeon spoke about Common Bone and Joint Problems in children. Our senior member Dr J Sharanappa was felicitated for his exemplary guidance and contribution to our branch.

## OBITUARY



**Dr. E.C. THIPPARE RUDRAPPA**  
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## IMA-KSB Women Doctors Wing Activities

World Cancer Day was celebrated by all WDW branches by creating health awareness programs, Pap smear testing and organising CME in their local WDW branches. IMA KSB WDW organised 4 K walkathon and organised a CME on Surgical Work Up for Tumours. An online case discussion for post graduates on Rh negative pregnancy was organised. Dr Geeta Doppa gave a health talks on carcinoma cervix and breast to remote places in Sullia. She was a part of pulse polio program. An hybrid program was organised on Key Skills in Laparoscopy. WDW Bangaluru conducted a webinar on carcinoma breast and prostate, along with that organised health awareness and screening camps for cancer detection, hypertension and anemia. They participated in blood donation camp. WDW Bhadravathi also conducted cancer awareness camps, 25 Pap smears were collected. Health awareness camps for antenatal mothers, yoga, suryanamaskar, adolescent health camps, health talk on lifestyle disease. nutrition were organised. WDW Belgaum took part in pulse polio campaign and organised programs for cancer awareness. WDW Chikkaballapur organised a suryanamaskar camp, walkathon was organised for cancer awareness. Dr Soumya created awareness on diabetic retinopathy in prevention of blindness. WDW Dharwad conducted a screening program for cancer cervix. WDW Gadag organised a CME on ART, cancer awareness program was organised. WDW Honnavara has organised a CME on cancer awareness, self breast examination workshop and FNAC and mammography camp. Suryanamaskar workshop was conducted, national science day was celebrated. WDW Hospete had spread awareness on cancer through newspapers and radio programs. They organised health talks on menstrual health and hygiene. WDW Hubballi organised 3 health camps, talks on menstrual

hygiene, adolescent health and program on self defence training was organised. WDW Mangaluru conducted essay competition for college students. WDW Sirsi prepared pamphlets for cancer awareness, they wrote articles in various newspapers, organised Pap smear screening camp and participated in pulse polio program. WDW Sullia organised a walkathon to create cancer awareness, Pap smear testing camp, talks on cancer prevention. Talk on MTP, adolescent health was organised. CME on heart health was organised. WDW Tumkur was newly installed they have started activities with health awareness talks. WDW Yelahanka On the anniversary celebration of WDW multiple programs were conducted. Health talk by Dr Renuka Prabhakar on personal hygiene was given and Dr Rama Shankarnarayana, Senior Gynaecologist gave a talk on Injectable Placental extract and its uses. Multiple cultural programs were organised like solo performances, ramp walk, fancy dress and hip hop dance.

These are glimpses of various activities by our WDW branches for month of February.



**- Dr. Geeta Doppa**

Chairman Women Doctors Wing Sub-Committee

### ಭಾರತೀಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ಸಂಘದ ಪ್ರಾರ್ಥನೆ

ಎಲ್ಲರೂ ಸಂತೋಷವಾಗಿರಲಿ,  
ಎಲ್ಲರೂ ಆರೋಗ್ಯವಾಗಿರಲಿ,  
ಎಲ್ಲರೂ ನೋವಿನಿಂದ ಮುಕ್ತವಾಗಿರಲಿ,  
ಎಲ್ಲರೂ ದುಃಖದಿಂದ ಮುಕ್ತವಾಗಿರಲಿ,  
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ಗುಣಪಡಿಸುವವರು ನಾವಾಗಿರಲಿ.



### ಧ್ವಜ ವಂದನೆ

ಭಾರತೀಯ ವೈದ್ಯಕೀಯ ಸಂಘದ ಸದಸ್ಯರಾದ ನಾವು ನಮ್ಮ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರಧ್ವಜವನ್ನು ವಂದಿಸಲು ಇಲ್ಲಿ ನಿಂತಿದ್ದೇವೆ.  
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ಮಾನ್ಯತೆ ಪಡೆದಿರುವ ರಾಷ್ಟ್ರ ಸಂಸ್ಥೆಯ ಸದಸ್ಯರಾದ ನಾವು ನಮ್ಮ ಜವಾಬ್ದಾರಿಗಳನ್ನು ಅರಿಯುವ ಮೂಲಕ  
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### FLAG SALUTATION

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We, the members of Indian Medical Association stand here to salute our national flag. Its honour and glory shall be our light and strength and its course shall be our course.

We pledge our allegiance to it and realizing our responsibilities as the accredited members of this national organization, we swear we will dedicate everything in our power to see it fly high in the comity of nations.

Jai Hind

Long Live IMA

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POLICE DEPARTMENTOffice of the  
Director General &  
Inspector General of Police,  
Karnataka State, Bangalore.  
Date : 18-05-2017.

No.L&amp;O/MISC-13/2017-18

**STANDING ORDER NO. 1018.**Sub: Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) to deal with violence against  
Medical Professionals and Medical Establishments.

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Incidents of violence against Medical Professionals and Medical Establishments are on rise in the State, even though "Karnataka Prohibition of Violence against Medicare Service Personnel and damage to property in Medicare Service Institutions Act" was enacted in 2009 to prevent such violence. There appears to be a lack of understanding on the part of the local police in handling of incidents of violence against Medical Professionals and Medical Care Establishments in the State. To have clarity in this regard this Standard Operating Procedures (SOP) to handle violence against Medical Professionals and Medical Care Establishments is issued.

**Karnataka Prohibition of Violence against Medicare Service Personnel and Damage to Property in Medicare Service Institutions Act - 2009 :**

The Act prohibits violence against Medicare service personnel or damage to property in a medicare service institution. The Act defines a medicare service personnel as any registered medical practitioner, working in medicare institutions (including those having provisional registration, registered nurse, medical student, nursing student and paramedical worker) employed and working in medicare service institution.

The Act defines a Medicare Service Institution as any institution providing medicare services to people, which are under the control of State or Central Government or local bodies etc., including any private hospital having facilities for treatment of the sick and used for their reception or stay, any private maternity home where women are usually received and accommodated for the purpose of confinement and ante-natal and post-natal care in connection with child birth or anything connected therewith; and any private nursing home used or intended to be used for the reception and accommodation of persons suffering from any sickness, injury or infirmity whether of body or mind, and providing of treatment for nursing or both of them and includes a maternity home or convalescent home, etc.,



The Act further defines ' violence ' as an activity of causing any harm, injury or endangering the life or intimidation, obstruction or hindrance to any medicare service personnel in discharge of duty in the medicare service institution or damage to property in medicare service institution'. 'Offender' is defined as any person who either by himself or as a member or as a leader of a group of persons or organisation commits or attempts to commit or abets or incites the commission of violence under this Act. Section 3 of the Act prohibits any violence against medicare service personnel or damage to property in a medicare service institution. Offences under the Act are cognizable and non-bailable with imprisonment for a period of three years with fine upto fifty thousand rupees.

#### **Nature of violence against Medical Professionals & Medical Care Establishments:**

Violence encountered against Medical Professionals and Medical Care Establishments can broadly be categorised as follows :

1. Verbal abuse by the attendants of the patients.
2. Creating scary situations by the mob.
3. Intimidation
4. Assault on Medical Professionals and Medical Care Establishment staff.
5. Ransacking of the Medical Care Establishment.
6. Preventing Medical professionals from discharging his/her duties.
7. Creating problems/nuisance to the outpatients and inpatients.
8. Entering the restricted areas like Operating theatres, Intensive Care Units, Documentation office and other areas in the Medical Care Establishment.
9. Damaging the property and documents.
10. Refusal to take dead body by the attendants and to pay the bills.
11. Directly or indirectly putting pressure on the Medical Professionals and Medical Care Establishment staff/ extortion.
12. Snatching the medical records/ documents
13. Forcing the Medical Professionals to treat unrelated treatment.
14. Revengeful act by the patients or their attendees.
15. Unnecessary intervention of media and pressure groups.

#### **Precautionary and Preventive Measures to be taken by the Police :**

1. Police personnel at the police station level shall have contact numbers and addresses of all Medical Professionals / Medical Care Establishments in their jurisdiction.
2. Under the new beat system, the Beat Officer shall have such numbers and addresses in his beat area.
3. Police Stations incharge shall form a WhatsApp Group of the Medical Professionals along with beat officers so that there can be regular exchange of information pertaining to any incident of violence.

4. A WhatsApp group at SP/ DCP level may also be considered with the Medical Professionals / Medical Care Establishments of the respective jurisdiction.
5. Sensitization of Police personnel about the provisions of the Karnataka Prohibition of Violence against Medicare Service Personnel and Damage to Property in Medicare Service Institutions Act, 2009.

#### **Response by Police :**


In case of violence against Medical Professionals and Medical Care Establishments, response of the local police shall be as follows :

1. Once Police Control Room/ Mobile Police/ Police Station/ Higher Authorities receive information of such a violence, responsible police personnel shall immediately reach the place.
2. Immediate protection shall be provided to the Medical professionals/ Medical Care Establishment staff/ property and other patients.
3. Police personnel on reaching the place, should first disperse the mob from the Medical Care Establishment and control the situation. This is necessary as there are other patients in the Medical Care Establishments as well as doctors attending to them who would be disturbed unless the mob is dispersed. The police should therefore reach the spot with adequate force to do so.
4. In case of death of a patient, the dead body should not be allowed to be kept in the Medical Care Establishment by the agitators as that would instigate further disturbance. The police personnel should talk to the relations/ attendants of the concerned patients to shift the body out of the Medical Care Establishments.
5. Immediate steps shall be taken to shift the dead body to mortuary in event of death of a patient.
6. Registration of case under the existing Karnataka Prohibition of Violence against Medicare Service Professional and Damage to Property in Medicare Service Institutions Act 2009 shall be taken up.
7. Protection shall be provided to the Medical Care Establishment till the situation settles.
8. If the attendants of the patient do not have faith on the Medical Care Establishment about their competency in curing of the patient, the attendants of the patients should be asked to shift the patient to any other establishments instead of making a scene in the medical establishment.
9. Any violence at the Medical care establishment shall be brought to the notice of Dy. Commissioner of Police/ Superintendent of Police immediately.
10. In case of complaint against doctor by the patient or his relatives, Hon'ble Supreme Court's guidelines shall be followed. In case of deviance, disciplinary action shall be taken against concerned Police Officers.

Relying on Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgements in this connection, the Hon'ble High Court of Madhya Pradesh in its judgement in Dr.B.C.Jain V/s Maulana Saleem on 28-02-2017 has laid down the following guidelines :

- I. That, all allegations relating to negligent conduct on the part of a Government Doctor for which a prosecution u/s. 304-A IPC and/or its cognate provisions or under such other law involving penal consequences is sought, the same shall be enquired into by a Medical Board consisting of at least three doctors, constituted by the Dean of any Government Medical College, upon the request of the Police, Administration or the directions of a Court/Tribunal/Commission, within seven days of such requisition.
- II. The doctor so selected by the Dean of the Medical College concerned to sit on the Medical Board, shall not be inferior in seniority and experience to that of an Associate Professor.
- III. The doctor against whom such negligence is alleged, shall be given an opportunity by the Medical Board to give his reply/explanation in writing and if the doctor so desires to be heard personally, he shall be given such an opportunity by the Medical Board. However, if the Medical Board is of the opinion that the request for personal hearing is with the intent of procrastinating the proceedings before the Board, it may, for reasons to be recorded, waive the opportunity of a personal hearing and proceed to decide the case on the basis of the documents/treatment record and give its finding.
- IV. The Medical Board shall endeavour to complete the exercise within sixty days from the date on which it is constituted and upon completion of the enquiry, submit the report to the Police, Administration or the Court/Tribunal/Commission, as the case may be.
- V. The police shall not register an FIR against such a doctor in the absence of the report of the Medical Board referred here in above and also, only when the report by the Medical Board has held the doctor prima facie guilty of Gross Negligence and not otherwise.
- VI. If a complaint case has been preferred U/s. 200 Cr.P.C, there shall be no order u/s. 156(3) Cr.P.C unless the complaint is accompanied by the report of the Medical Board adverted to in guideline I with prima facie finding of Gross Negligence on the part of the Doctor. However, if the complaint is not accompanied with a report of the Medical Board, the Court may ask the Police to enquire into the case u/s. 202 Cr.P.C. The police, if so directed by the Court, shall approach the Dean of the Medical College for the constitution of the Medical Board and thereafter place the report of the Medical Board before the Court concerned.
- VII. If the opinion of the Medical Board is one of Gross Negligence on the part of the doctor, the Court concerned shall direct the police to seek sanction u/s. 197 Cr.P.C from the State Government. The State Government shall, within thirty days from the date of such request for sanction, either grant or refuse the same, which the police shall convey to the Court concerned. Thereafter, the Court concerned shall either dismiss the complaint case against the doctor by exercising jurisdiction u/s. 203 Cr.P.C or issue process u/s. 204 Cr.P.C and try the case in accordance with the law.

All the Commissioners of Police and district Superintendents of Police shall ensure compliance of above instructions.

  
(RUPAK KUMAR DUTTA, IPS)  
Director General &  
Inspector General of Police  
Karnataka State, Bangalore.

18.5.17

To :

- 1) All the Addl. DGPs in Karnataka State.
- 2) All the Commissioners of Police - Bangalore/ Mysore/ Belgaum/ Hubli-Dharwad/ Mangalore cities.
- 3) All the Inspector-Generals of Police in Karnataka State.
- 4) All the Dy. Inspector-Generals of Police in Karnataka State.
- 5) All the Superintendents of Police in Karnataka State.





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**Recent death claim in Old Existing Scheme (COVID) – Rs. 25,95,450/-**

**Recent death claim New Silver Jubilee Scheme – Rs. 51,02,500/-**

**Recent death claim New Silver Jubilee Scheme (COVID) – Rs. 71,13,750/-**



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- The cause of Action must be in the period of active membership for all claims.
- Membership becomes effective from the Date of realization of Cheque or DD In favour of IMA KPPS.
- All operational modalities will be as per registered Bye-Laws of IMA's Karnataka Professional protection Scheme.

### FEE DETAILS

a) Fee details for the 1st year (admission contribution)	
Admission fee	Rs. 100/-
Annual subscription Fee	Rs. 2000/-
Advance fraternity contribution	Rs. 1000/-
<b>Total</b>	<b>Rs. 3100/-</b>
b) Fee details for subsequent years	
Annual subscription fee	Rs. 500/-
Demand fraternity contribution	Decided and intimated that year *

\*Amount paid towards financial assistance given to the members and Legal expenses in that financial year is equally divided and collected through Demand notice sent to each members as demand fraternity contribution every year in the month of April.

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Age in Years	Total Amount, At the time of joining (1 <sup>st</sup> Year)	The Amount to be paid every year (2 <sup>nd</sup> Year onwards)
Children below 25 yrs	Rs. 4000.00	Rs. 3000.00
Below age of 35 yrs	Rs. 5000.00	Rs. 4000.00
Below age of 45 Yrs but above 35 Yrs	Rs. 7000.00	Rs. 5000.00
Below age of 55 Yrs but above 45 Yrs	Rs. 9000.00	Rs. 6000.00
Below age of 65 Yrs but above 55 Yrs	Rs. 11,000.00	Rs. 7000.00
Below age of 75 Yrs but above 65 Yrs	Rs. 13,000.00	Rs. 8000.00
Below age of 85 Yrs but above 75 Yrs	Rs. 15,000.00	Rs. 9000.00

## LOCK IN PERIOD

- Founder member** :- shall have the benefit of the scheme **six months** after joining the scheme or immediately after launching the scheme whichever is longer.
- All the **ordinary members** and **beneficiary members below the age of 65** on joining shall have the benefit of the scheme after **12 months** of joining the scheme or immediately after launching the scheme whichever is longer.
- All the **ordinary members** and **beneficiary members above the age of 65** on joining shall have the benefit of the scheme after **24 months** of joining the scheme or after launching the scheme whichever is longer.

**NO CASHLESS SERVICE ( They have to pay their bills themselves & Claim later )**

- \* **No advance payment will be made to the members**
- \* Members will be given **reimbursement of 75% of total amount** of the bill not exceeding the sum limited to each disease.
- \* **If the benefit is not claimed in an academic year the benefit amount in total or any percentage will not be carried over to the subsequent years.**
- \* **A member will get a maximum of benefit of Rs.2 Lakhs in one year.**

The scheme was launched on 1st of July 2017 on the Doctors day Celebration at Bengaluru.

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Date: 23rd March 2022

To:

**The Honorary Secretaries, Local Branches of IMA in Karnataka State,  
All State and Central Council Members from Local Branches,  
All Members of State Working committee of IMA-KSB & All Past Presidents of IMA-KSB.**

Dear Sir / Madam,

302nd State Council Meeting of the Indian Medical Association, Karnataka State Branch will be held under the aegis of IMA Gadag Branch on Sunday the 24th April 2022 at 11.00.A.M at IMA Hall, Vakil Chowl, Gadag-582101  
Please make it convenient to attend the Meeting.

## -: Agenda :-

01. IMA Prayer and Flag Salutation
02. Welcome by the President
03. Reading of the Meeting Notice by Hon. State Secretary
04. Messages of informed inability to attend
05. Condolence Resolutions, if any
06. Action taken on the previous Minutes of 300rd and 301st State Council Meeting held at J-Max Theatre, Jindal on 30th October 2021
07. Secretary's Report from October 2021 to March 2022 and Adoption
08. Ratification of 856th, 857th and 858st State Working Committee Action taken Reports
09. IMA Headquarters- Central Working Committee Meeting Report
10. Doctors Day Celebration-2022 - Discussion on Place and Venue at Bangalore on Friday the 1st July 2022
11. Honorary Treasurer's Report from October 2021 to March 2022 (from 01.10.2021 to 31.03.2022) and Adoption
12. Discussion on 88th IMA Karnataka State Annual Medical Conference (88th MEDICON-2022) to be hosted by IMA Karkala Branch on 28th – 30th of October 2022
13. Discussion on IMA-AMS, IMA-CGP and Women Doctors Wing of IMA-KSB Conference
14. Amendments if any
15. Letters of correspondence
16. Office Related matters
17. Any other subject with the permission of the chair
18. Vote of thanks.

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,

- Sd/-

**DR. S.M.PRASAD**, Honorary State Secretary

-Sd/-

**Dr. H.N.VINAY**, Hon. Jt. Secretary

## **Please Note:**

- (1) SCM Members are requested to bring the meeting Notice with them. No copies will be given at the meeting.
- (2) Only SCM Members are allowed to attend the Meeting.
- (3) If any clarification required on any subject the SCM members may send their request to Hon. State Secretary mentioning the subject which they wish to discuss.

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## IMA-KSB President Visit to Local Branches



## 858th SWC Meeting at Kukkesubrahmanya on 13-3-2022





## IMA-KSB President Visit to Local Branches



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**IMA National President  
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