128th Anniversary International Medical Congress Of The Sri Lanka Medical Association 5th-8th July2015

Detailed Programme *"Connect, Communicate, Collaborate for a healthier Nation"*

Friday, 3rd July 2015

Pre-congress Workshop 1 Workplace based Research and Writing Lionel Memorial Auditorium, Sri Lanka Medical Association 8.30 am – 3.00 pm	
08.30am – 09.00am	Registration
	Chair: Dr. Anuruddha Padeniya & Dr. Sunil de Alwis
09.00am – 09.20am	Introduction to workplace based research; role of Society for Health Research and Innovation (SHRI) in workplace based research
	Dr. Anuruddha Padeniya
09.20am – 10.00am	A case study presentation on workplace based research
	Dr. RashanHaniffa,
10.00am – 10.30am	Situation analysis on current research trends in Sri Lanka
	Dr. Dineshan Ranasinghe
10.30am – 11.00am	Tea
	Chair: Dr. P.G Mahipala & Dr. Palitha Abeyakoon
11.00am – 11.30am	The way forward in workplace based research and resources available
	Dr. Sumal Nandasena
11.30am - 12.00pm	Discussion
12.00pm - 01.00pm	Lunch
	Chair: Prof. Varuni de Silva & Dr.Anuruddha M Abeygunasekera
01.00pm - 02.00pm	How to write an article to a medical journal

Prof Varuni de Silva

02.00pm - 03.00pm	What editors are interested in seeing in publications
	DrAnuruddha M Abeygunasekera

03.00pm -03.05pm Vote of thanks

	Pre-congress workshop 2	
Perspectives of Values in Medicine		
SLMA - Interactive symposium		
Clinical	Medicine Academic and Research Center (ClinMARC),	
	National Hospital of Sri Lanka	
	8.30 am -12.45 pm	
	Chair: Prof. Antoinette Perera	
	Dr. Iyanthi Abeywickrema	
08.30 – 09.00am	Registration	
09.00 0.09.15am	Introduction	
	Dr. Eugene Corea	
09.15 – 09.45am	Public Expectation in values in medicine	
09.15 09.45dill	Dr. Nalin Jayasuriya	
09.45 – 10.15am	Socio- cultural aspects in values in medicine	
	Prof. Kalinga Tudor Silva	
10.15 – 10.45am	Influence of the humanities in values in medicine	
10.12 10.13 u m	Dr. Godwin Constantine	
10.45 – 11.15am	Tea	
11.15 - 11.45am	Socio-biological perspectives in values in medicine	
	Prof. Carlo Fonseka	
11.45 – 12.15pm	Values in medical practice	
	Dr. Eugene Corea	

12.15 – 12.45pm Discussion

Saturday, 4th July 2015

Pre-congress workshop - 3 Complementary and alternative medicine: could we integrate for better care Lionel Memorial Auditorium, SLMA 9.00am – 3.45pm Chair: Dr. Palitha Abeykoon & Dr. Upali Marasinghe 09.00-09.15am Introduction to Complementary and Alternative Medicine (CAM) Dr. Senaka Pilapitiya 9.15-09.45 am Systems medicine: does it integrate modern and traditional systems of medicine? Prof. Saroj Jayasinghe, 09.45-10.30am Integrative Gynecological Cancer Treatment- Is there a role? Dr. VijaendrehSubramaniam, 10.30 - 11.00Tea Chair: Prof Sisira Siribaddena Prof Carlo Fonseka 11.00-11.30am A surgeons experience in an Integrated approach for managing Fistula in ano. Dr. Sujeewa Thalgaspitiya 11.30-12.00 New WHO TRM strategy 2014-2023 and integration of TRM into health care system. Dr. Kim Sungchol Regional advisor, Traditional Medicine, HDS, WHO SEARO, New Delhi 12.00 - 12.30pm Need for understanding and appreciating CAM fundamentals for effective integration. Dr. Senaka Pilapitiya Director, Center for Education and Research in Complementary and Alternative Medicine, Faculty of Medicine and Allied Sciences, Rajarata University of Sri Lanka

12.30 – 12.40pm	Discussion
12.40 – 01.40pm	Lunch
	Chairpersons: Prof Saroj Jayasinghe and Prof Rohini Fernandopulle
01.40– 02.10pm	Challenges in CAM Clinical Research Prof. Sisira Siribaddana, Professor of Medicine, Faculty of Medicine and Allied Sciences, Rajarata University of Sri Lanka.
02.10-02.40 pm	Issues and paradigms in traditional medicine research
	Dr. Kamal Perera,
	Senior Lecture, Institute of Indigenous Medicine, University of Colombo.
03.10-03.30 pm	Overcoming challenges in CAM research and opportunities for generating evidence in Sri Lankan context.
	Dr. Suneth Agampodi,
	Senior Lecturer, Department of Community medicine, Faculty of Medicine and Allied Sciences, Rajarata University of Sri Lanka.
03.10-03.30 pm	Overcoming challenges in CAM research-A case study.
	Dr. WathsalaWijesinghe,
Sei	nior research officer, Bandaranaike Memorial Ayurveda Research Institute
03.30-03.50 pm A	an integrated community based geriatric care programme- A case
study.	
I	Dr. AmaliPerera,
	Community Medical officer, Ayurveda Health promotion service, Anuradhapura.
03.50-04.00 pm D	iscussion

04.00 -04.05pm Vote of thanks

Dr. Senaka Pilapitiya

	Pre-congress workshop -4	
Patient safety: collaborative multi-sector workshop based on cases		
Clinical M	edicine Academic and Research Centre (ClinMARC), NHSL	
	09.00am – 04.15pm	
8.00- 8.30 am	Registration	
8.30 – 8.35 am	Address by President - SLMA	
	Prof Jeniffer Perera	
8.35 – 8.40 am	Address by DDG (MS) 1	
	Dr. Lakshmi C Somatunga	
8.40 – 8.45 am	Address by DGHS	
	Dr PG Mahipala	
	Patient Safety Experience: International perspective	
	Chair: Dr. Reggie Perera(Former Secretary Health)	
8.45–9.15 am	Current Healthcare Quality and Safety Programme in Sri Lanka	
	Dr S Sridharan	
	Director Healthcare Quality & Safety	
9.15 – 10.00 am	Patient Safety programme in NHS	
	Prof. Devaka Fernando	
	Consultant Endocrinologist, Sherwood Forest Hospitals	
	Honorary Professor University of Kent	
	Clinical Commissioner Thanet Clinical Commissioning Board	
	Chairman Clinical Standards Committee Regional Diabetes Network Member Diabetes Think Tank (All Party Parliamentary Diabetes	
	Advisory Group)	
10.00– 10.45am	Patient Safety Programme in Malaysia Health System: Barriers and Challenges	
	Dr. Nor'Aishahbt Abu Bakar Director, Head of Patient Safety Unit & Secretariat Patient Safety Malaysia & Medical Care Quality Section, Medical Development Division, Ministry of Health Malaysia	
10.45 – 11.00 am	Panel Discussion	
11.00– 11.15 am	Tea	

	Patient Safety: From Clinical Perspective
	Chair: Dr. Ranjan Dias (Consultant Pediatric Surgeon)
11.15– 12.15 pm	High Reliable Organization and Patient Safety
	Dr Prabhu Vinayagam
	Managing Director – JCI, Asia Pacific Region, Singapore
12.15– 1.00 pm	Patient Safety during transplant Surgery: Practical Experience
	Dr. S Vivekanandhan
	Consultant HPB Surgeon & Head of Liver Transplant Surgery – Kovai Medical Center & Hospital, India
1.00 – 1.15pm	Panel Discussion
1.15 – 2.00 pm	Lunch
	Patient Safety: Other issues
	Patient Safety: Other issues Chair: Prof. Jeniffer Perera (President – SLMA)
2.00– 3.00 pm	
2.00– 3.00 pm	Chair: Prof. Jeniffer Perera (<i>President – SLMA</i>)
2.00– 3.00 pm	Chair: Prof. Jeniffer Perera (<i>President – SLMA</i>) Infection Control & Patient Safety
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3.00– 3.45 pm	Chair: Prof. Jeniffer Perera (<i>President – SLMA</i>) Infection Control & Patient Safety Dr Mahan Kothalawela <i>Consultant Microbiologist, Teaching Hospital Kandy</i> Importance of Communication in Patient Safety Dr Neelamani S R Hewageegane <i>Director / Health Education Bureau</i>

	e-congress Workshop 5
Managing Non cancer pains: key for better clinical practice	
Block C Ground floor, New Auditorium, Faculty of Medicine, Colombo	
9.00am – 3.45pm	
	Chair: Dr. R Jayamaha
09.00 – 09.25am	Introduction
	Dr R Jayamaha
	Consultant Physician, Provincial Hospital, Badulla
09.30 – 09.55am	Pharmacology of Pain management
	Dr. Nirmala Wijekoon
	Senior lecturer in Pharmacology, Faculty of Medicine, NCTH
10.00 – 10.25am	Management of Common Nociceptive Pain
	Dr I. Athukorala
	Specialist Rheumatologist and Senior lecturer in Medicine, Faculty of Medicne, colombo
10-25 – 10.45am	Теа
10.45 – 11.10am	Management of Common Neuropathic Pain
	Dr T. ChangSpecialist Neurologist and Senior lecturer in Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, Colombo
11.15 – 11.40am	Orthopedic Management of non-cancer pain
	Dr Y. Jayasinghe
	Consultant Orthopedic Surgeon, Provincial General Hospital, Badulla
11.45 – 12.10pm	Common, safe and rewarding Interventions - for Non-cancer pain
	Prof. MagdiRamziIskander
	Prof. of Anaesthesia and Pain Relief, National Cancer Institute, Cairo University
12.15 – 12.40pm	Physiotherapy for common non-cancer pain
	Miss. NadeeshaKalyani
	Nadeesha Kalyani
	Lecturer,

	Allied Health Sciences Unit, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo, Sri Lanka.
12.45 – 01-45pm	Lunch
01.45 – 02.10pm	Neurosurgical Management of non-cancer pain Dr N Kumarasinghe <i>Consultant Neurosurgeon, Teachinng Hospital,</i> <i>Kandy</i>
02.15 – 02.40pm	Panel Discussion and questions from audience
02.45- 03.10pm 03.15 – 03.40pm	 World Institute of Pain and its Contribution towards standardization of care Prof. MagdiRamziIskander, Prof. of Anaesthesia and Pain Relief, National Cancer Institute, Cairo University Floor plan for Comprehensive Pain Care in Sri Lanka Dr. C. Arambepola Consultant Community Physician, Senior Lecturer, Department of Community Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo
03.40 – 03.45pm	Vote of thanks Dr R Jayamaha

Sunday, 5th July 2015

Pre-congress workshop 6		
"Past, Present and Future Challenges of Health and Nutrition of Estate/Plantation Community"		
Lionel Memorial Auditorium, SLMA		
8.30 am – 4.00 pm		
8.30am – 9.00 am	Registration	
	Chair: Prof. Samath D. Dharmaratne	
	& Dr. Kumari Vinodhani Navaratne	
9.00 am – 9.15 am	Welcome speech and introduction to the workshop	
	Dr. Piyal Ratnayaka	
	Director, Estate and Urban Health Unit/Ministry of Health, Sri Lanka	
9.15 am -9.30am	Introduction to the Health of Estate/Plantation worker in Sri Lanka	
	Dr. Nithershini Periyasamy	
	Consultant Community Physician/Estate and Urban Health Unit/ Ministry of Health, Sri Lanka	
9.30am –9.45 am	Guest speech	
	Hon. Minister P.Digambaram	
	Ministry of Plantation Infrastructure Development, Sri Lanka	
9.45am – 10.30 am	The 30-year changes of major public health problems in Chinese children aged 7-18 years	
	Professor Haijun Wang	
	Professor, Associate Director, Institute of Child and Adolescent Health, Peking University, China	
10.30am -11.00am	Tea	
	Chair: Dr. B.V.S Benaragama & Dr. Nithershini Periyasamy	
11.00 am – 11.30am	World Bank presentations on Estate Nutritional survey	
	Dr. Upul Senerath	
	Senior Lecturer, Department of Community Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo	
11.30am – 12 noon	World Bank presentations on Estate Nutritional survey	
	Dr. Kumari Vinodhani Navaratne	
	Senior Health Specialist, World Bank, Sri Lanka	
12.00-12.30 pm	World Bank presentations on Estate Nutritional survey	
	Dr. Nithershini Periyasamy	
	Consultant Community Physician/Estate and Urban Health Unit/ Ministry of Health, Sri Lanka	

12.30 – 1.00 pm	Intestinal Helminthic infection in the past, present and future in the estate community	
	Dr. Devika Itawala	
	Senior Lecturer, Department of Parasitology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Peradeniya	
	Dr. S. Wickramasingha	
	Senior Lecturer, Department of Parasitology, Faculty of Medicine, University of Peradeniya	
1.00pm – 2.00pm	Lunch	
	Chair: Dr. Piyal Ratnayaka & Prof. Samath D. Dharmaratne	
2.00 pm – 2.30 pm	Challenges of Cancer control among the Estate community	
	Dr. N. Jeyakumaran	
	Clinical Oncologist, National Cancer Institute of Sri Lanka, Maharagama	
2.30- 2.45pm	Health service delivery challenges in the estates at district level	
	Dr. Nimal Gamagedara	
	Consultant Community Physician, Provincial Director of Health Services Office/Badulla	
2.45 pm – 4.00pm	Panel discussion	
	Dr. Siyambalagoda DDG PH II, Dr. Piyal Ratnayaka, Dr. P Nithershini, Dr. Kumari Navaratne, Prof. Haijun Wang,	
	Prof Jun Ma	
	Director, Institute of Child and Adolescent Health, Peking University,	
	China,	
4.00pm	Vote of Thanks	
Pre-congress workshop 7		
	Approach to Sleep Symptoms: Sleepy or Sleepless	
Block C	Ground floor, New Auditorium, Faculty of Medicine, Colombo	
	8.30 am -4.20 pm	
8.30 - 9.00am	Registration	
	Chair: Dr. Paadma Gunaratne & Dr. Amitha Fernando	
9.00 - 9.25am	Sleep related breathing disorders: an overview	
	Dr. Thushara Galabada	

	Consultant Respiratory Physician, District General Hospital, Hambanthota.
9.30 – 9.55am	Clinical assessment of patients with sleep related breathing disorders
	Dr. S. Rishikesavan
	Acting Consultant Respiratory Physician, Teaching Hospital, Batticaloa
10.00 - 10.25	Introduction to polysomnography and selected cases
	Prof. Manjari Tripathi
	Professor Neurology, NIH Fellow (UCLA), Department of Neurology, Neurosciences Centre, All india Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi
10.25 – 10.45am	Tea
	Chair: Dr. Chandra Jayasuriya & Dr. Sudath Gunasekara
10.45 – 11.10am	Cardiovascular and metabolic consequences of OSA Dr. Amitha Fernando
	Consultant Respiratory Physician, CCC/National Hospital of Sri Lanka, Colombo.
11.15 -11.40am	Respiratory physicians approach to managing OSA
	Dr. B. V. Murali Mohan,
	Senior Consultant Pulmonologist and Director, Dept. Internal Medicine/Pulmonology, Narayana Hrudayalaya, Bangalore.
11.45– 12.10pm	ENT Surgeons' role in management of sleep disordered breathing – an update
	Dr. Daminda Dumingoarachchi
	Consultant ENT Surgeon, Teaching Hospital, Anuradhapura.
12.15 – 12.40pm	Multiple sleep latency tests
	Prof. Manjari Tripathi
12.45 - 01.45	Lunch
	Chair: Dr. Sunethra Senanayake & Dr Eshanth Perera
1.45 – 2.10pm	Parasomnias and sleep related movement disorders
	Prof. Manjari Tripathi
2.15 -2.40pm	Approach to patient with Insomnia and sleep hygiene and behavioral management
	Dr. Asiri Rodrigo
	Consultant Psychiatrist, Senior Lecturer in Psychiatry ,Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya
2.45 – 3.30pm	Case based discussion on sleep related disorders
	Dr. Amitha Fernando, Consultant Respiratory Physician, CCC / National Hospital of Sri Lanka

3.30 – 4.15pm	Hands on experience on sleep related breathing disorder technologies(CPAP)
	Dr. B.V. Murali Mohan, Senior Consultant Pulmonologist, Narayana Hrudayalaya, Bangalore.
4.15 – 4.20 pm	Vote of thanks
	Pre-congress workshop 8
	Allergy- the unmet need
Conducted in collabor	ation with the Ceylon College of Physicians and Allergy and Immunology Society of Sri Lanka
Clinical M	Iedicine Academic and Research Centre (ClinMARC), NHSL
	8.30 am - 4.15 pm
8.30 am – 9.00 am	Registration
9.00 am – 9.05 am	Lighting the oil lamp
9.05 am – 9.15 am	Address by Allergy and Immunology Society, Sri Lanka
	Dr. Rajiva de Silva
	Consultant Immunologist, Medical Research Institute
Session 1	Chair: Dr. B.J.C Perera and Dr. Ganga Siramanne
9.15 am – 9.40 am	ISAAC study in Sri Lanka; Prevalence of Allergic diseases in Sri Lanka
	Dr. Keerthi Gunasekara
	Consultant Respiratory physician, Chest clinic, Colombo
9.45 am – 10.10 am	Chronic urticaria and angioedema
	Dr. Leong Khai Pang
	Senior Consultant Clinical Immunologist, Tan Tock Seng Hospital, Singapore
10.15 am – 10.40am	Food allergies
	Dr. Neelika Malavige,
	Senior Lecturer and Immunologist, Faculty of Medical Sciences, University of Sri Jayawardenepura
10.40 am - 11.00 am	Теа
Session 2	Chair: Dr. Nirmala Wijekoon and Dr. Neelika Malavige
11.00 – 11.25 am	Insect venom allergy
	Dr. Rajiva de Silva, Consultant Immunologist, Medical Research Institute, Colombo

11.30 am – 11.55 am	Immunotherapy for insect venom anaphylaxis
	Dr. Leong Khai Pang
12.00 - 12.25 am	Drug allergy
	Dr. Siraj Misbah
	Consultant Immunologist, Oxford Radcliffe NHS Trust, UK
12.30 pm – 01.30 pm	Lunch
Session 3	Chairperson: Dr. Rajiva de Silva
1.30 pm – 1.55 pm	Perioperative anaphylaxis
	Dr. Siraj Misbah
2.00 pm-4.00 pm	Interactive Teaching Session: ANAPHYLAXIS
	By the Ceylon College of Physicians
	Dr. Nirmala Wijekoon
	Consultant Physician & Senior Lecturer in Pharmacology, University of Kelaniya
	Dr. Chandimani Undugodage
	Consultant Respiratory Physician & Senior Lecturer in Physiology Faculty of Medical Sciences, USJP
04.00 pm – 04.15 pm	Теа

Sunday 5 th July 2015	Inauguration Ceremony
6.00 pm – 9.30 pm	Oak Room, Cinnamon Grand, Colombo
	SLMA oration "Friendly fire – neurons under attack ! Studies from Sri Lanka" Dr. Thashi Chang

6 th July 2015	Day 1
08.00 – 08.30am	Registration
08.30 – 09.15am	Key note address "Connect Communicate and collaborate for improved Health and Healthcare: Strategies and challenges" Prof Lalitha Mendis
09.15 – 09.45am	Plenary 1 The transformative impact of biologics on clinical medicine. Dr.Siraj Misbah Consultant Clinical Immunologist, Head/Department of Clinical Immunology, Oxford NHS trust, Oxford
09.45 – 10.30am	Professor N D W Lionel Memorial Oration "A lifetime of research in pulmonology" Dr. BJC Perera
10.30 – 11.00am	Теа
Hall A	Infections
11.00 – 11.30am	Guest Lecture 1 Battle for dominance: Can the Trilogy of Antibiotic Stewardship, PK/PD strategies and new drugs win the Power of the Ring - Antimicrobial Resistance? Dr Rohan Chinniah <i>Consultant Clinical Microbiologist and Infection Control, Raja Isteri</i> <i>Pengiran Anak Saleha (RIPAS) Hospita,l Ministry of Health, Bandar</i> <i>Seri Begawan</i> <i>Brunei Darussalam</i>
11.30 – 01.00pm	Symposium 1 Pneumococcal diseases - How can we win the battle?''
	Pneumococcal diseases- morbidity, mortality and fatal entities

	Prof. S.P. Lamabadusuriya	
	Consultant Paediatrician and Emeritus Professor of Paediatrics, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo	
	How best can we deal with diagnosis and mana resistance	agement of drug
	Dr. Shirani Chandrasiri	
	Consultant Clinical Microbiologist, Colombo Sol	uth Teaching Hospital
	Pneumococcal vaccines ; bridging the age gap and broadening the scope	
	Dr.Kanthi Nanayakkara	
	Consultant Virologist/ Vaccinologist, MRI	
01.00 – 02.00pm	Lunch	
02.00 - 03.30pm	Free paper sessions 1	
03.30 – 05.00pm	Symposium 4	
	Hepatitis and HIV: Implications for Care	
	Late diagnosis and adverse outcomes related to hepatitis and HIV in South East Asia	Dr Nicole Seguy, Technical Officer HIV, WHO India
	Newer treatment options for hepatitis: better impact on life. Are we achieving this?	Dr Madunil Niriella, Senior Lecturer, Department of Medicine, University of Kelaniya and Consultant Gastroenterologist
	Issues in managing patients with co-infection in Sri Lanka	Dr Lilani Rajapaksa, Senior Consultant Venereologist, NSACP
	What can the laboratory offer for the management of co-infection ?	Dr Geethani Galagoda, Consultant Microbiologist, MRI
05.00 – 05.30pm	Теа	
07.00pm onwards	Doctors concert	
Hall B	Preventive Medicine	
11.00am – 11.30am	Guest Lecture 2 Improving glycaemic control using Insulin pump therapy Prof. Devaka Fernando	
11.30 – 01.00pm	Symposium 2	

	One health concept: Way forward in controlling antimicrobial resistance
	Antibiotic usage in animal husbandry in industry sector
	Dr.H.P.Premasiri
	General Manager, Pussella farm
	Former technical Manager of Gold Coin Feed Mills Lanka Ltd
	Former senior poultry adviser for Afghanistan- The Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO)
	Past President of Sri Lanka Veterinary Association
	Guidelines and recommendations for use of antibiotics in animal husbandry (especially in fisheries including shrimp farming)
	Mrs.Sharmila Corea
	Scientist, The National Aquatic Resources Research and Development Agency (NARA)
	The extent of antibacterial usage in Veterinary practice and its role in acquring resistance
	Prof. Preeni Abeynayake Professor of Veterinary Pharmacology, Faculty of Veterinary Medicine and Animal Sciences, University of Peradeniya
	Causes, magnitude, impact of antibiotic resistance in Sri Lanka
	Dr.Kushlani Jayatilleka,
	Consultant Clinical microbiologist, Sri Jayewardenepura General Hospital,
	A member of Antimicrobial Resistance Surveillance Project (ARSP) of Sri Lanka College of Microbiologists
	Controlling antimicrobial resistance- Way forward
	Dr. Janakan Navaratnasingam
	National Professional officer- WHO
	Panel discussion
01.00 – 02.00pm	Lunch
02.00 - 03.30pm	Free paper sessions 2
3.30 – 5.00 pm	Symposium 5
	NCD Control in Sri Lanka
	Challenges ahead – in achieving global NCD targets
	Dr.Palitha Karunapema
	Consultant Community Physician, Deputy Director Rehabilitation and Rheumatology Hospital, Ministry of Health, Sri Lanka

	Challenges faced in achieving optimum care for risk factor controlin the curative sectorDr. Ruwan EkanayakaFormer Consultant Cardiologist, National Hospital of Sri LankaPerceptions of a care giver on delivery for control of NCDs in primary health care settingDr. Sameera MaduglleMO - NCD, NuwaraeliyaHealth sector response in controlling NCDs: strategies and challengesDr. Palitha MahipalaDirector General of Health Services, Ministry of Health, Sri Lanka
5.00 – 5.30 pm	Теа
07.00 pm onwards	Doctor's concert
Hall C	Behaviour and Health
11.00 – 11.30am	Guest Lecture 3 Why is it important to focus on schools as a health promotion setting? Dr. Nicholas Townsend Cardiovascular Disease epidemiology research programme, University of Oxford
11.30 – 01.00pm	Symposium 3 Awkward Problems and Plausible Solutions - Managing Medically Unexplained Symptoms And then there were none - The enigma called functional problems Dr. Harshini Rajapakse Senior Lecturer, Department of Psychiatry, Faculty of Medicine, University of Ruhuna What and how to communicate – understanding and explaining functional disorders Prof. Pali Hungin Dean of Clinical Medicine School of Medicine, Pharmacy and Health University of Durham, UK Management: Explaining the unexplained Prof. Diyanath Samarasinghe Associate Professor in Psychiatry, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo
01.00 – 02.00pm	Lunch
02.00 - 03.30pm	Free paper sessions 3

3.30 – 5.00 pm	Symposium 6 Essentials in Clinical Sexual Medicine
	Late Onset Hypogonadism -Facts & Myths Dr. Lasantha Malavige
	Specialist in Sexual Medicine, Asiri Surgical Hospital Advances in Erectile Dysfunction Management Dr. David Edwards
	President, British Society of Sexual Medicine
	Who needs sex therapy? Prof. Diyanath Samarasinghe Associate Professor in Psychiatry, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo
5.00 – 5.30 pm	Теа
07.00pm onwards	Doctors concert

overophil onwards		
	Tuesday, 7th July - Day 2	
07.30 – 08.30am	Breakfast meeting	Registration
	Modifying behavior for health	
	Prof. Diyanath Samarasingha	
	Dr. Mahesh Rajasuriya	
08.30 -09.00am	Plenary 2	
	Westnile virus: A mosquito borne disease, Is sri Lan an outbreak?	ka susceptible to
	Prof. Ng Mah Lee, Mary,	
	Department of Microbiology, YLL SOM, National Univ Singapore	versity of
Hall A	Clinical medicine	
9.00 -10.30am	Symposium 7	
	Stroke: Optimizing care: an overview	
	Could stroke be prevented? Up-to-date evidence	
	Dr. Jeyaraj Durai Pandian	
	Department of Neurology, Deputy Director (Research of Development), Christian Medical College, India	and
	Stroke - First 24 hours: a window of opportunity	

	Dr. Senaka Bandusena
	Consultant Neurologist, NHSL
	Rehabilitation of stroke in resource constraint settings
	Dr. Jeyaraj Durai Pandian
10.30-11.00am	Tea and poster viewing
11.00- 11.30am	Guest Lecture 4
	End of life care
	Prof. Sally McCarthy
	Clinical Director, Emergency Care institute,
	Conjoint Associate Professor, UNSW
11.30 am – 1.00 pm	Symposium 10
	Glomerulonephritis
	Infection related Glomerulonephritis
	Dr. Michelle Estrella
	Assistant Professor of Medicine, School of Medicine,, Johns Hopkins
	University
	Management of IgA Nephropathy
	Dr AWM Wazeel
	Consultant Nephrologist, General Hospital Kandy
	Update on Crescentic Glomerulonephritis
	Dr. Anura Hewageegana
	Consultant Nephrologist, National Institute of Nephrology Dialysis and
	Transplantation
1.00 – 2.00pm	Lunch, poster viewing & Debate
	'Decriminalizing commercial sex will reduce Sexually Transmitted Infections'
2.00 – 3.30 pm	Free paper session 4
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3.30 – 5.00pm	Symposium 13 Emergency Medicine
	How EM integrates into the healthcare system in Sri Lanka
	Dr. Sally McConthy
	Dr Sally McCarthy Clinical Director, Emergency Care Institute
	Conjoint Associate Professor UNSW, Australia
	Sepsis and severe sepsis management in ED-a tool kit for Emergency Department
	Dr Nalin Kithulwaththa
	Consultant Paediatric Intensivist, Lady Ridgway Hospital

	Non Invasive Ventilation in low resource ED-a Sri Lankan experience
	Dr Krishantha Jayasekara
	Consultant Physician , Emergency & Trauma Centre, Teaching Hospital, Karapitiya
5.00 – 05.30 pm	Теа
5.30 pm onwards	Dr. S.C. Paul oration
	"Analysis of anaestheticadaptations and observations in
	Thoracoscopic and Laparoscopic surgeries"
	Dr. Vasanti Pinto
Hall B	Foetal, Neonatal and Paediatric Medicine
9.00 -10.30am	Symposium 8
	Addressing Challenges of Child Sexual Abuse through an Integrated Service Approach
	Effects of sexual abuse on the child victim: evidence from international research
	Dr. Rita Shackel
	Associate Professor, Sydney Law school, University of Sydney, Australia
	Sri Lankan experience in the multi-sectoral management of child sexual abuse
	Prof. Asvini D. Fernando
	Associate Professor in Paediatrics, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka
	Child sexual abuse and the crisis of awareness
	Mr. Sajeeva Samaranayake
	Deputy Chairman, National Child Protection Authority, Sri Lanka
	Discussion
10.30-11.00am	Tea and poster viewing
11.00- 11.30am	Guest Lecture 5
	Advances in Interventional Paediatric Cardiology
	Dr. Shehan Perera
	Paediatric Cardiothoracic Surgeon, Lady Ridgeway Hospital, Colombo
11.30 am – 1.00pm	Symposium 11
	Facing transition in chronic illness
	Whats happening to me
	Dr. Navoda Atapattu
	Consultant Paediatric Endocrinologist , Lady Ridgeway Hospital

	Dr. Sudarshi Seneviratne
	Senior Lecturer and Honorary Child and Adolescent Psychiatrist, Lady Ridgeway Hospital for Children
	How prepared are we?
	Dr. Chaminda Garusinghe
	Consultant Paediatrician
	Building the bridges
	Dr. Ruwanthi Perera
	Senior Lecturer, Department of Paediatrics, Faculty of Medical Sciences, University of Sri Jayewardenepura
1.00 – 2.00pm	Lunch, poster veiwing & Debate
	'Decriminalizing commercial sex will reduce Sexually Transmitted Infections'
2.00 – 3.30pm	Free paper session 5
03.30 -05.00pm	Symposium 14
	Foetal and early neonatal care in high risk pregnancies
	Antenatal Fetal Monitoring Dr Tiran Dias, Senior Lecturer in Obstetrics and Gynecology, University of Kelaniya
	Intra-partum fetal monitoring
	Dr.Austin Ugwumadu
	Consultant Obstetrician & Gynecologist, St George's Hospital, London
	Early neonatal care for compromised baby
	Dr Nishani Lucas
	Senior Lecturer, Faculty of Medicine, Colombo
05.00 – 05.30 pm	Теа
05.30 pm onwards	Dr. S.C. Paul oration (Hall A)
Hall C	System Development
09.00 -10.30am	Symposium 9
	Multi-sectoral approaches to promote nutrition
	Chair: Dr Prasad Katulanda and Dr Palitha Abeykoon
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	Part I Overview of the project: Integrating Nutrition Promotion And Rural

	Global perspectives and non-health interventions to promote nutrition
	Prof. Sharon Friel
	Professor in Health Equity, Australian National University, Australia.
	Evaluation methods and baseline survey findings
	Dr Nicholas Townsend Senior Researcher, University of Oxford.
	Nutrition Friendly School Initiative (NFSI) criteria and a new tool to identify multi-sectoral interventions to promote nutrition in schools.
	Julianne Williams Researcher, University of Oxford
	Part II
	Forum with multi-sectoral experts with questions and answers
	What can we learn from INPARD and future opportunities to strengthen nutrition promotion policies?
	 Director General of Health Services or his representative Director General of Agriculture Project Director- Re-awakening Project, Ministry of Economic Development, Mr S.K. Liyanage Divisional Secretary from Moneragala District Curriculum development lead resource person (INPARD curriculum for nutrition promotion) Dr. Indika Karunathilake
10.30-11.00am	Tea and poster viewing
11.00 – 11.30 am	Guest lecture 6 Health equity , social determinants and health policy Professor Sharon Friel, Australian National University
11.30 am – 1.00 pm	Symposium 12
	Clinical Teaching
	Clinical Teaching
	Prof. Hiroshi Nishigori
	Associate Professor, Center for Medical Education, Kyoto University, Japan
	Providing effective feedback during clinical teaching
	Dr. Diantha Soemantri
	Department of Medical Education, Faculty of Medicine, University of Indonesia
	Clinical teaching in Unconventional Settings
	Prof. Aloka Pathirana
	Department of Surgery, Faculty of Medical Sciences, University of Sri Jayewardenepura

	Discussion
1.00 – 2.00pm	Lunch, poster & Debate
	'Decriminalizing commercial sex will reduce Sexually Transmitted Infections'
2.00 – 3.30 pm	Free paper session 6
3.30 – 5.00 pm	Symposium 15
	Emerging use of mobile technology in health
	Using mobile technology for health
	Dr. T. Prabhu
	Clinical Director, GE India
	mHealth: The global picture
	Dr. Roshan Hewapathirana
	Research Fellow, Department of Informatics, Faculty of Mathematics and Natural Sciences, University of Oslo, Norway
	mHealth Applications in the Ministry of Health : Today and Tomorrow.
	Dr. Chaminda Weerabaddana
	Medical Officer - Health Informatics, Office of Deputy Director General (Dental Services), Ministry of Health
5.00 – 05.30 pm	Теа
05.30 pm onwards	Dr. S.C. Paul oration (Hall A)
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07.30 – 08.30am	Breakfast meeting	Registration
	Building the next generation of Health professional leaders	
08.30 -09.00am	Plenary 3	
	Pathophysiology, diagnosis and treatment of gastroes	ophageal reflux
	Prof. John O. Clarke	
	Clinical Director, Johns Hopkins Bayview Gastroenterole	ogy/Hepatology
	Clinical Director, Johns Hopkins Center for Neurogastro	enterology
	Associate Professor of Medicine, Division of Gastroenter Johns Hopkins University	rology & Hepatology,
09.00 – 09.45am	Dr. S. Ramachandran Memorial Oration	
	"Epidemiology of migration and mental health in	
	Sri Lanka: local insight for a global impact"	

	Dr. Chesmal Siriwardhana
Hall A	Surgery
9.45 -10.15am	Guest lecture 7 The diabetic foot: a surgical perspective Dr. Ajit Kumar Varma Senior Consultant Department of Diabetic lower limb and foot and ankle surgery Aster Medcity, Kochi, Kerala, India
10.15-10.45am	Tea and poster viewing
10.45 am - 12.15 pm	Symposium 16 Safe homes and safe roads: preventing child injuries in Sri Lanka
	Overview of Childhood Injuries in Sri Lanka Dr. Kapila Jayaratne Chairperson – Expert Committee on Ergonomics – SLMA
	Options for Child Injury Prevention Mr. Eric Chalmers, Chief Executive, KidSafe ACT, Child Accident Prevention Foundation of Australia
	Safety in adolescence Dr. Manjula Danansuriya Consultant Community Physician, Expert Committee on Ergonomics, SLMA
	Care for the Injured Child Dr. Sanjaya Abeygunasekara Consultant Surgeon – Lady Ridgeway Children's Hospital
	SLMA Contribution in Child Injury Prevention Dr. Sameera Senanayake Convener, Expert Committee on Ergonomics, SLMA
	Discussion / Questions
12.15 – 01.15pm	Lunch, poster viewing and Debate "Professional fees of the Private consultations of the professionals should be Peer Reviewed and not Administrator Reviewed"
1.15 -2.45pm	Free paper session 7
2.45 – 4.15pm	Symposium 19 Case scenario based symposium on the management of the threatened diabetic foot
	How do I assess this foot? Dr. Nalaka Gunawansa

	Consultant Vascular Surgeon
	How do I dress this wound?
	Dr.Ranjuka Ubayasiri
	Consultant Vascular Surgeon
	Dr.Rezni Cassim,
	Consultant Vascular Surgeon
	Prof. Ajit Varma
	How do I treat infection?
	Dr. Ranjuka Ubayasiri
	How do I off load this ulcerated diabetic foot?
	Prof. Ajith Kumar Varma
	Senior Consultant, Department of Diabetic lower limb and foot and ankle surgery, Aster Medcity, Kochi, Kerala, India
	How do I manage ischaemia?
	Dr. Rezni Cassim
	Summary
	Prof. Mandika Wijerathne
	Consultant Surgeon and Professor, Department of Surgery, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo
4.15pm	Теа
7.30 pm onwards	Banquet

Hall B	Customized care in Neurology, Dermatology and oncology
09.45 -10.15am	Guest lecture 8
	The story a seizure behaviour tells us
	Prof. Manjari Tripathi, Professor Neurology, NIH Fellow (UCLA), Department of Neurology, Neurosciences Centre, All india Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi
10.15 – 10.45pm	Tea and Poster Viewing
10.45 – 12.15pm	Symposium 17
	Cosmetic surgery and cosmetic dermatology
	Beauty is skin deep
	Dr. Niranjan Ariyasingha
	Consultant Dermatologist, Base Hospital, Wathupitiwala

	Defeat ageing with aesthetic medicine
	Dr. Nayani Madarasingha
	Consultant Dermatologist, Teaching Hospital, Anuradhapura
	Surgical aspects of aesthetic dermatology
	Dr. Thushan Beneragama
	Consultant Plastic Surgeon, National Hospital of Sri Lanka
12.15-01.15pm	Lunch, poster viewing and Debate "Professional fees of the Private consultations of the professionals should be Peer Reviewed and not Administrator Reviewed" (Hall A)
01.15- 02.45pm	Free paper session 8
02.45 – 04.15pm	Symposium 20 Personalized Medicine in Oncology
	Introduction To Personalized Medicine In Oncology
	Dr. Mahendra Perera
	President, Sri Lanka College of Oncologists
	Tree Revolutions In Cancer Therapy
	Dr. Tan Wu Meng,
	Consultant, Medical Oncology, Parkway Cancer Centre, Parkway Group Of Hospitals – Singapore
	Practical Implementation Of Personalized Cancer Therapy
	Dr Sachini Rasnayake
	Consultant Oncologist, Provincial General Hospital, Badulla
04.15 pm	Tea
7.30 pm onwards	Banquet
Hall C	Health of Special categories
09.45 -10.15am	
	Guest lecture 9 History, Health care and Challenges of Health of Estate Workers in Sri Lanka Dr. Nithershini Periyasamy <i>Consultant Community Physician, Directorate of Estate and Urban Health Unit,</i> <i>Ministry of Health</i>
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	 History, Health care and Challenges of Health of Estate Workers in Sri Lanka Dr. Nithershini Periyasamy <i>Consultant Community Physician, Directorate of Estate and Urban Health Unit,</i> <i>Ministry of Health</i> Tea and Poster Viewing Symposium 18 Hot Topics in Sports Medicine

	Planning an exercise schedule scientifically Dr. Harindu Wijesinghe
	Consultant Rheumatologist and Specialist in Sports Medicine, Nawaloka Hospital
	Anti-doping legislation in Sri Lanka Prof. Arjuna de Silva
	Head, Department of Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya
	Drug Doping Testing and Prescribing in Sports Medicine
	Dr. Kithsiri Perera
	Sports Medicine Unit, Colombo South Teaching Hospital
12.15. 01.15pm	Lunch, poster veiwing and Debate
	"Professional fees of the Private consultations of the professionals should be Peer Reviewed and not Administrator Reviewed" (Hall A)
01.15 – 02.45pm	Free paper session 9
02.45 - 04.15pm	Symposium 21
	Illness and health among doctors: do carpenters have good furniture?
	Introduction
	Doctors' Health: Is It Important?
	Prof. Saroj Jayasinghe
	Consultant Physician and Professor in Department of Clinical Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo
	The Precursors Study: The John Hopkins longitudinal study on health and illness of doctors
	Prof. Padmini D Ranasinghe
	Director, Hospitalist Education Programs, Assistant Professor of Medicine, Johns Hopkins Hospital, USA
	Preventive health and Simple Health Tips for a Busy Doctor
	Dr. Prasad Katulanda
	Consultant Endocrinologist and Senior Lecturer, Department of Clinical Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo
04.15 pm	Теа
07.30 pm onwards	Banquet

Thursday, 9th July 2015

Post-congress workshop 1

Peer Assisted learning

Board Room, Faculty of Medicine, Colombo

8.30 – 11.00 am

8.50 - 11.00 am		
	Chair: Prof Jennifer Perera	
8.30 – 9.00 am	Introduction	
	Prof. Joachim Perera	
	Associate Professor, Department of Human Biology, International Medical University, Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	
9.00 – 10.30 am	Group activity: Identifying the different PAL activities in the host institution	
	Dr. Diantha Soemanthri	
	Department of Medical Education, Faculty of Medicine, University of Indonesia	
	Group activity: Identifying the possible areas where PAL can be introduced to undergraduate education	
	Dr. Diantha Soemanthri	
	Dr. Kosala Marambe	
	Senior Lecturer, Medical Education Unit, Faculty of Medicine, University of Peradeniya.	
	Group activity: Strategies to initiate, implement and monitor PAL	
	Prof. Joachim Perera	
	Dr. Kosala Marambe	
10.30 – 10.50 am	Measures to overcome challenges	
	Prof. Joachim Perera	
10.50 – 11.00 am	Closing remarks	
	Prof. Joachim Perera	
	Sunday, 12 th July 2015	
	Post-congress workshop 2	
Ma	Managing the Obese Patient - Combining Treatment Modalities	
Lionel Memorial Auditorium, SLMA		
9.00 am -1.00pm		
9:00 - 9:30 am	Magnitude of the problem and overview of the management	
	Dr. Prasad Katulanda	

	Consultant Endocrinologist/Diabetologist, National Hospital of Sri Lanka and Senior Lecturer, Department of Clinical Medicine, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo
9:30 – 10:00 am	Childhood obesity
	Prof. Pujitha Wickramasinghe
	Consultant Paediatrician, Department of Paediatrics, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo.
10:00 – 10:30 am	Body composition assessment
	Dr. Pulani Lanerolle
	Senior Lecturer, Department of Biochemistry, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo.
10:30-11:00 am	Теа
11:00 – 11:30 am	Lifestyle modification Dr. Sudheera Kalupahana Consultant Nutritionist, Faculty of Medicine, University of Peradeniya
11:30 am - 12:00 pm	Surgical Management
	Prof. Ishan de Zoysa
	Consultant Surgeon, Department of Surgery, Faculty of Medicine, University of Colombo.
12:30 – 1:00 pm	Cognitive Behavior Therapy
	Dr. Asiri Rodrigo
	Consultant Psychiatrist, Senior Lecturer ,Faculty of Medicine, University of Kelaniya