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# NATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PEDIATRIC COVID - 19

-“Reflection for  
readiness and  
rejuvenation”

**Department of Pediatrics**  
**Government Medical College Kozhikode**  
*in association with*  
**Indian Academy of Pediatrics, Kozhikode Branch**  
&  
**National Health Mission**

**TWO DAY CME ON PEDIATRIC COVID 19**  
on **24.07.2021 & 25.07.2021**

**PAPER PRESENTATION**  
**24/07/21 (Saturday)**

**CME**  
**25/07/21 (Sunday)**



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The COVID - 19 pandemic has literally brought humanity to its knees. The challenges for a pediatrician are daunting and we need to work together for a future that is informed by our understanding and analysis of the lessons we have learnt. This conference aims to impact positively the services we provide for sick children and their families. Deliberations will focus on perspectives gleaned from experts on the global scene, as well as from leaders on the national and regional arena. We are also hosting a pre - conference paper and poster session for residents, faculty and practicing pediatricians. Come, let us share our experience and learn from each other!

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## Scientific paper and poster presentation

**Candidates participating in paper & poster presentation sessions should register using the following link : <https://forms.gle/ouVjpUKoA3afF7BW7>**

**Date: 24/7/2021, Time: 2 pm onwards.**

**Categories: A) Teaching Faculty B) Pediatric Residents C) Practicing Paediatricians**

Last date for submission of abstracts : **10/7/2021**. Topics should be COVID – related.

Abstracts should be limited to 250 words and structured including Background, Objectives, Methods, Results and Conclusions. Case reports may also be submitted. Selection as poster or paper shall be communicated to the presenters. Residents should enclose a certificate from the Head of the Department.

**Abstracts to be sent to Dr Geetha P or Dr Jayakrishnan MP on or before 10.07.2021.**

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# Program Schedule

Time	Topic	Speaker	Chair	
8.30 – 8.45 am	COVID Vaccination in children and adolescents – Current perspective and future direction	<b>Dr. Sudhir Gupta</b> Foundation for Primary Immune Deficiency Diseases, USA	<b>Dr. Amita Aggarwal,</b> Lucknow <b>Dr. Suresh Kumar EK</b> Calicut	
8.50 – 9.05 am	COVID – 19 in children: A global perspective	<b>Dr Antonio Condino - Neto,</b> University of Sao Paulo, Brazil	<b>Dr Aravind,</b> Thiruvananthapuram <b>Dr.TP Jayaraman,</b> Palakkad	
9.05 – 9.20 am	Pediatric SARS – CoV - 2 infection in India: Lessons to take home	<b>Dr Tanu Singhal</b> Kokilaben Dhirubhai Ambani Hospital, Mumbai		
9.20 – 9.35 am	A regional perspective on Pediatric COVID	<b>Dr Santhosh Kumar</b> Govt. Medical College, Thiruvananthapuram		
9.45 – 10 am	Neonatal outcomes of COVID - 19	<b>Dr Siddharth Ramji,</b> Maulana Azad Medical College, Delhi	<b>Dr VC Manoj,</b> Trissur <b>Dr Babu Francis,</b> Calicut	
10 – 10.15 am	Neonates and COVID-19: Kerala experience	<b>Dr Ashraf TP, Govt.</b> Medical College, Kozhikode		
10.15 – 10.30 am	Challenges in the NICU during the pandemic	<b>Dr Gireesan VK, Govt.</b> Medical College, Manjeri		
10.40 -11 am	Inauguration			
11 – 11.15 am	How the mystery of MIS – C unfolded in Britain	<b>Dr Kishore Warriar,</b> Nottingham University Hospitals, UK	<b>Dr. KK Purshothaman,</b> Trissur <b>Dr.CK Sasidharan,</b> Calicut	
11.15 – 11.30 am	MIS - C : An Indian perspective	<b>Dr Priyankar Pal,</b> Institute of Child Health, Kolkata		
11.30 – 11.45 am	Lessons learnt on management of MIS - C	<b>Dr Geetha P, Govt.</b> Medical College, Kozhikode		
12 noon - 12.45 pm	Panel discussion:  COVID - 19 in children with comorbidities	Malignancy	<b>Dr Ajithkumar VT, Govt.</b> Medical College, Kozhikode	Moderator <b>Dr Mohandas Nair,</b> Govt. Medical College, Idukki
		Diabetes	<b>Dr Vijayakumar M, Govt.</b> Medical College, Manjeri	
		Inborn errors of Immunity	<b>Dr Geeta Govindaraj, Govt.</b> Medical College, Kozhikode	
		Nephrotic syndrome	<b>Dr Krishnan C, Govt. Medical</b> College, Kozhikode	
		Rheumatological diseases	<b>Dr Sindhu TG, Govt. Medical</b> College, Kozhikode	
12. 45 – 1 pm	Managing MIS - C in the Pediatric ICU	<b>Dr Jayakrishnan MP</b> Govt. Medical College, Kozhikode	<b>Dr.Janaki Menon,</b> Trissur <b>Dr.Naveen A,</b> Calicut	
1.05 - 1.20 pm	Psychosocial challenges among children during the pandemic	<b>Dr Krishnakumar P,</b> IMHANS, Kozhikode	<b>Dr.MKC Nair,</b> Thiruvananthapuram <b>Dr.Shaji Thomas John,</b> Calicut	
1.25 - 1.40 pm	Genomic variants for pandemic surveillance and preparedness	<b>Dr Vinod Scaria, CSIR –</b> Institute of Genomics and Integrative Biology, Delhi	<b>Dr.KP Aravindan,</b> Calicut <b>Dr.Riyaz I,</b> Thiruvananthapuram	

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## Poster Presentation

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