

Sri Devaraj Urs Academy of Higher Education & Research Sri Devaraj Urs Medical College Tamaka, Kolar



Department Of Pathology

REPORT ON 19TH ANNUAL PATHOLOGY CME- 2024

THEME OF THE PROGRAMME - CME on "An Assorted Bag of Glass slides"

CONDUCTED – 2nd March 2024 (Offline mode)

VENUE - 1st floor, William Osler (Physiology) AV HALL, SDUMC, KOLAR

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AIMS AND OBJECTIVES:

In this modern era of newer advances, new inventions and artificial intelligence the need for Pathology glass slide viewing should never be disregarded. This basic task of glass slide viewing has got profound importance for postgraduate learning and teaching activities.

This CME focuses on glass slide viewing on assorted cases, emphasizing on nephropathology and hematooncology.

REGISTRATION:

A total number of one hundred and eighty pathologists had registered for the CME. The programme began by registration of delegates. The delegates came from various private hospitals and medical colleges both within Karnataka and from other States. To name a few PESIMSR, Kuppam, Adichunchunagiri institute of medical sciences, SRL Diagnostics Bangalore, BMCRI Bangalore, Command Hospital Bangalore, ESIMC PGIMSR Bangalore, Anand diagnostics, JSS Mysore, Mysore medical college, VIMS & RC, MS Ramaiah Medical College, MVJ Medical College, Dr.B.R.Ambedkar Medical college, Gulbarga medical college, Karnataka medical college, Hubli, SVIMS Tirupathi and various other Private labs.

INAUGURATION:

Formal inauguration was done by watering the plant, after glass slide viewing under the presence of dignitaries – Registrar Dr. D.V.L.N. Prasad, Principal Dr Prabhakar K, Medical Superintendent Dr Krishnappa J, Organizing Team and all speakers.

We began the sessions with invoking the blessing of the almighty and watering the plant for knowledge and prosperity. It was followed by Welcome Speech by Dr TN Suresh, Prof and HOD Pathology, followed by the Presidential Address by our beloved Registrar Dr. D.V.L.N. Prasad



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SESSIONS 1 and 2

First two sessions were for **Glass Slide Viewing**. These glass slides were collected priory from the speakers and were displayed in the practical hall, along with histories. Both Post graduate and Staff were allowed to see the slides and write their diagnosis, the final answer papers were collected at the end of two hours and were evaluated by the expert team.

SESSION 3

Cases with a difference: Unfolding into a new story every time- A case seminar-Dr Usha Kini, Professor of Pathology (Research) St John's Medical College, Bangalore. She elaborately discussed an assorted cases of pathologies involving lymph nodes and miscellaneous cases. She emphasized the fact that all the pathologist are clinicians first and always base our diagnosis after evaluation of clinical features. She explained the advantages and disadvantages of WSI (Whole slide Imaging) and normal glass slide viewing and how both of these techniques plays important role in diagnostic and teaching purpose.

SESSION 4:

Pattern based approach to RENAL biopsy: By Dr BH Srinivas, Professor of Pathology, JIPMER, Puducherry. He mainly explained about basics of renal biopsy, normal histology of Kidney, common terminology used and seen during the renal biopsy interpretation.

SESSION 5:

Session was on Hematooncology by **Dr Shankaranand Bharatnur, Associate Professor, Department of Pathology, KMIO, Bangalore**. He discussed various hematological malignancies with references to flow cytometry, molecular genetics and prognosis

SESSION 6:

Dr BH Srinivas delivered the last session and he discussed various cases of nephropathology with reference to special stains, Immunofluorescence, serum studies.

The CME concluded with valedictory function comprising of prize distribution for postgraduates who diagnosed the maximum number of cases correctly and Vote of Thanks by Dr Hemalatha A, Professor of Pathology and Organizing Secretary of the CME. Feedback was taken from all participants by Dr Sneha Kulkarni, Joint Organizing Secretary of the CME.