

MINUTES OF IAPHD EC MEETING-08

EC MEETING 12.05.2017, 1430hrs-1800hrs Venue: board room, Annexe Block, Sri Balaji Vidayapeth Pondicherry.

The following members were present:

President : Dr.M.B.Aswathnarayanan
President Emeritus : Padmashree Dr R K Bali
Immediate past President : Dr.S.S.Hiremath
Vice President : Dr.Vamsi Krishna Reddy
Vice President :Dr.Pushpanjali K
Joint secretary :Dr Arun Doddamani
Editor : Dr Manjunath Puranik
EC members :Dr Sowmya, Dr Archana, Dr Krishna Kumar, Dr Prahalad,Dr.Akhila
Co opted EC members : Dr Naveen kumar PG, Dr Vrinda Saxena

President Elect Dr Aruna Devi, Hon. Gen. Secretary Dr Sabyasachi Saha, Dr Sahana Hedge, Dr Jagadishwar Rao, Dr Anup & Dr Mithun Pai, have given leave of absence.

President Dr M.B.Aswathnarayanan calls the house to order. Welcomes all the office bearers. As the Hon. Gen. Secretary. Dr. Sabyasachi Saha could not attend due to last minute official work, with the permission of the house, appoints Vice President Dr Vamsi Krishna Reddy to officiate as Secretary for this meeting.

Vice president Dr Vamsi Krishna reddy welcomes all the office bearers and starts the proceeding as per the agenda.

Regarding approval of minutes of the 7th EC meeting, held on 23rd March 2017 board Room Sardar Patel Post Graduate Institute Of Dental And Medical Sciences, Lucknow

Vice president Dr Vamsi Krishna reddy informed that as the minutes were circulated earlier and as there were no queries expressed, it may be approved .EC unanimously approves.

Action taken report of the 7th EC meeting.

To Make MOU with 15 other National and International organizations/Associations to enable dual memberships and thereby to increase job opportunities - President Dr Aswathnarayanan confirms that he received a letter from Dr Ramprasad and same will be circulated to all the EC members.

To create mandatory Dental surgeon post in PHC and at least 25% to be filled in first year. President brings it to the notice of the EC that already 1210 PHC are having dental surgeons and gradually this number will be increased in coming year's .President Emeritus Dr Bali & Hon. Gen. Secretary. Dr. Sabyasachi Saha has submitted the letter regarding the same to the concerned authorities.

Authorship fees for accepted publication for SM/LM members -JIAPHD-

Editor Dr.Manjunath Puranik confirms acceptance, to hold on the below request of applying acceptance fees till we receive any verdict from DOAJ. As incomplete or false information in the application filed can lead to rejection of the journal.

Letter from Craig Fitzpatrick- The World Continuing Education Alliance: In his letter he had mentioned "We provide Dental Associations all around the world with education portals

which contains hundreds of on line CPD courses many of which are free for your members to access". After going through the online CPD courses EC felt it will be useful for the members of our association

Letter from Dr. Sanjay Kumar Singh - He has proposed cash award in the memory of his late grandfather. Sri Ram Ashre Singh award for the "Best indigenous product -clinical trial" for the current academic session of every year for Rs.5000.Dr Puranik suggests that this amount can be given to the *best indigenous product clinical trial paper presentation by PG student during our National Conference*.EC accepts the proposal and same to be communicated to Dr Sanjay and organising committee of the forth coming National Conference.

Letter from Dr Sughu Malayil Koshy- Msc in community dentistry- Affiliate membership has been allotted and same is communicated to Dr Sughu.

IMUOHS Conference- Information disseminated to association members- & posted in web site. President Dr Aswathnarayanan shared his experience as the guest speaker and requested to EC to plan such a programs to be carried out by our association also through our website. Appoints Dr Vamsi krishna Reddy and Dr Ramesh Kumar to look into the feasibility of the same-EC accepts the recommendations.

Membership card-Dr Vamsi Krishna Reddy brings it notice to the EC, many members details are missing as their forms that are submitted to the head office are incomplete and a reminder mail has been sent to the members to furnish their details at the earliest. Once their details are received than the cards printing to be done.

President suggests sending one more reminder and setting a deadline to furnish the details, after that start printing of the cards with what so ever details available.

Suggestion from Dr Basavaraj -giving **certificate for the reviewers** of the JIAPHD from the Head office, which will be useful during the job interviews-Dr Puranik acknowledges and assures necessary arrangements, will be made.

Upcoming National Conference2017- Dr Arun Doddami made a presentation regarding the National Conference and assured that he will put all his effort along with Dr Vital Das Shetty to make it a memorable event. President Dr Aswathnarayanan wishes the organisers all best and reminds to follow the protocol of National Conference and adhere to the bylaws of the association strictly.

PG Convention Coorg audit report-2016-. Letter of reminder has been sent, received audit report only.EC after going through the audit report felt that the amount received is less than the 10% of the registration amounts .EC recommends to write a letter for the same to Dr Jitesh Jain.

National Conference 2016 Bhubaneswar- letter of reminder has been sent to Dr Avinash, received reply from Dr Avinash that due to demonetisation and due to lack of PAN card their conference account has been freezed, now they have procured the PAN in the month of March .EC recommends to write a letter to Dr Avinash to disburse the Head Office share at the earliest as he has already procured the PAN in the month of March.

To enter into the Guinness book of records for tooth brushing on national tooth brushing day to enable it as a national IEC activity- President requests Dr Vrinda to go through the details of the Guinness book of records and raise an invoice so that the fund can be released and as there are more than 72 colleges with PG in Public Health Dentistry and at least each college with 1000 participants for this program it will reach an target of 72000.EC requests Dr Vrinda to go in depth of the details and submit an action plan at the earliest.

As per agenda:

1. **Scientific committee proceedings:** Dr Arun S Doddamani scientific committee chairman along with Dr Sowmya, Dr Archana and their team have submitted a detailed proposal as

well as report. The scientific study was assigned to the scientific committee to know the best toothpaste and tooth brush to be recommended for general population for routine use based on the scientific evidence. Regarding the same, the scientific committee selected 08 toothpaste and 10 tooth brush keeping various attributes in mind. Based on the evidence of prepared check list these toothpastes and toothbrushes were further recommended for clinical trial. Details of Phase-I trial of the toothpaste and results have been circulated to all the office bearers through secretary. All the expenses incurred during the study were borne by scientific committee by themselves. Dr Arun S Doddamani Dr Sowmya and Dr Archana expressed not much contribution has been received from all the scientific committee members

President Dr Aswathnarayanan and president emeritus appreciates the efforts of the Dr Arun S Doddamani Dr Sowmya , Dr Archana and their team.

President Dr Aswathnarayanan and president emeritus Dr R K Bali expresses that checklist needs to be more elaborate and enumerate list of the all the products available in the market.

Vice president Dr Pushpanjali, Dr Puranik and president emeritus Dr RK Bali expresses their concern about the significance of the validation of the study, and proper validation methodology to be followed.

Dr PG Naveen kumar brings it to notice of the scientific committee regarding the affordability of the tooth paste/brush to be accredited. Dr Hiremath expressed the manual dexterity while using the tooth brush.

President Dr Aswathnarayanan suggests reframing of checklists, and the validation to be done within 15 days with the help of biostatistician, and make it a multicentric study and send the reframed checklist and other details at the earliest, within a week time after receiving the draft from scientific committee necessary action plan will be suggested.

Dr Arun Doddamani from ACPM dental college Dhule, Dr PG Naveen Kumar from CODS Davangaere and Dr Vrinda Saxena from Peoples Dental College have volunteered to conduct the study and get necessary ethical clearance approval from their respective institutions.

2. Faculty Development Program-Dr Pushpanjali shared her views about the program that has been conducted in Lucknow on March 23rd and 24th and also expressed that there was active participation by members and feedback was good. Dr Vamsi krishna Reddy expressed his views as a organiser and thanked the association for allowing him host the FDP at Sardar Patel Post Graduate Institute of Dental And Medical Sciences, Lucknow.

Dr Pushpanjali requests the EC whether she can include the resource personal other than the PHD faculty/members of the scientific committee –EC approves the same and requests her share the other resource personal list.

Dr Puranik enquires whether any funding has been received from head office. Dr Vamsi Krishna Reddy replies that no such funding has been received and it was decided it should be self funding from the organisers.

EC recommends carrying out this program to the next zone and letter to be issued seeking any institution interested in hosting this event.

3. Regarding miscellaneous letters.

Violation of DCI norms in Government and Private dental colleges in Kerala – letter has been sent to president Dental Council of India immediately after receipt of the complaint over telephone from few members from Kerala.

Letter from scientific committee-IAPHD financial assistance for research grants-President requests more time on behalf of the EC to go through the document.

Letter from Dr Pushpanjali- Project proposal- Guidelines for Infection prevention and control for Dental Health Care Team in India- we realised that guidelines for the very

important area for dental profession is not available and though guidelines at international level is available, same may not be applicable owing to difference in health care delivery system and also regulations. Therefore, we have prepared a proposal to work on the area mentioned. However, we welcome suggestions by the esteemed committee regarding improving the proposal and also team members. We personally opine, that it would be an opportunity for all the stake holders to contribute meaningfully to the profession. EC appreciates the proposal. President requests one week time on behalf of the EC to go through the document. Dr Vamsi Krishna Reddy enquired whether it is self funded .Dr Pushpanjali replied, it is not self funded and finances needs to be raised. Dr Bali promises to give 1 lakh for the said proposal personally.

Any other matter with the permission of the chair-

Student membership for foreign Nationals- few PG students from Nepal have requested to become student members. EC suggests as per the constitution they cannot become student members or life members of the association but they can become associate members.

Regarding UG practical examination of Public Health Dentistry Maharashtra- Dr Arun Doddamani brings it to the notice of the EC that in few centres under the MUHS practical examination has happened with other specialty faculty as second examiner. EC recommends to write a letter immediately Dental Council of India and registrar controller of examinations of MUHS and requests Dr Arun Doddamani to speak to the Dean of Dental Faculty MUHS immediately and resolve the issue.

PG Convention: EC whole heartedly appreciates the Dr Carounanidy Usha Dean of Dental Sciences, Indira Gandhi institute of dental sciences, organising Chairman Dr Senthil Kumar and the organising committee of **11th National IAPHD PG Convention- May 2017** for successfully organising the PG Convention.

President thanks all members for their cooperation and adjourns the meeting.

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Note : “Any member who does not attend at least consecutive two EC Meeting without valid reasons is deemed to have vacated his/ her seat”

