

Summary of Decisions at Office Bearers Meeting

(31 Oct, 2014, Friday, Meerut)

Chaired by : Dr Ranjan K Pejaver

Attended by: Dr R Pejaver, Dr RP Thakre, Dr S Wazir, Dr Arjit M

1. New life members approved and admitted to the Chapter.
2. Inspection report submitted for enrollment of centers from 2014 onwards & discussed. Neocare Hospital, Nashik approved. Jaipur Golden hospital, Satara Hospital & Surat hospital inspections to be completed shortly.
3. The venue for IAP Neocon 2015 is awarded to Mumbai with Dr Nandkishor Kabra serving as nodal person. The conference is to be jointly organized with Maharashtra State Chapter of NNF.
4. Venue of fellowship exam for Jan 2015 is Fernandez Hospital & Rainbow Hospital, Hyderabad and for July 2015 is Apollo Hospital, Gurgaon. Dr Tony M has asked for Jan 2016 exams.
5. Pedicon Symposium at New Delhi is finalized with following topics viz. Post Discharge Nutrition, Making most of pulse ox, Neonatal Sepsis Update for low resource settings (Panel). Speakers to be decided once Central IAP approves.
6. 3000 copies of Handbook of Neonatology have been almost sold. 2000 copies with reprint in press.
7. Handbook of Nursing in final phase to be ready for print and distribution by Pedicon at Delhi.
8. Finances reviewed. FD's to be transferred to Aurangabad account after signature of Dr Anjali Kulkarni & Dr Sanjay Wazir. 30 lakh Rs in FD with Dr RP Thakre at Saraswat Bank, Aurangabad. Royalty of Handbook of Neonatology after deductions has been paid to approx Rs 1,30,000/ . Accounts submitted by Dr R Pejaver.
9. The new publication for 2015 shall be an Atlas of Neonatology. The publication committee to finalize the details and start work latest by Jan 2015 to have the book released during next IAP Neocon.

10. No revision in criterion for eligibility for Fellowship centre accreditation. Letter from Dr Urs/Dr Janaki discussed.

11. Finances of IAP Neocon, Ahmedabad pending.

12. There is un-acceptable delay in submission of admission/exam forms after the last date.

The date for submission of fees henceforth for all future exams shall be fixed for the annual fresh batch exam between 1 Oct to 15 Nov & for midterm exams 1May -15 June.

The revised details are as follows to ensure uniformity –

TERM	Admission process /fees	Late admission with late fees	Late fees	No admission
JAN	1-31 Jan	1-15 Feb	Rs 1000/	After 16 Feb
JULY	1-31 July	1-15 Aug	Rs 1000/	After 16 Aug

13. Revised fees for the IAP Neonatology Chapter is as follows –

Category	OLD Fees	NEW Fees
Life Membership	Rs 500/	Rs 1000/
Fellowship admission fees	Rs 15,500/	Rs 20,000/
Exam fees	Rs 4000/	Rs 7000/

14. All admission/exam forms should have the Fellowship incharge/co.ordinator's signature on submission. The preferred mode of submission is online.

All students enrolled in fellowship programme from Jan 2016 onwards shall be eligible for ONTOP – Online Neonatology Training & Orientation Program, a e-learning program developed by WHO SEARO with Dr Ashok Deorari. Dr Srinivas Murki shall serve as nodal person & co-ordinator with WHO SEARO. Participation in ONTOP is voluntary. Those who clear the ONTOP shall be eligible for 5 marks for practical exam.

15. The theme based zonal workshops shall be held with academic grant support from IAP Neonatology Chapter to maximum of Rs 25,000/

16. Need to adapt and modify the Constitution of IAP Neonatology Chapter to as close as possible to Central IAP. Charity commissioner awaiting IAP NeoChap constitution. The OB to finalize and submit for registration of Chapter at Aurangabad.
17. Pfizer has extended invitation to Chapter to roll out orn Module across 100 centers of India. The science shall be looked after by Dr R Pejaver.
18. Dr R Pejaver has suggested overseas training fellowship to fellows after passing the Fellowship programm. Details to be shared shortly.
19. Quiz in Neonatology for Fellows only to be an annual event during the IAP Neocon. Details to be worked out.