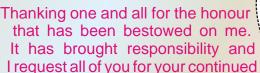


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# Plastic Surgeons of India

### **Esteemed APSI Members**



co operation and support in helping me to meet your expectations. Inside pages contain details on the following, please go through them.

APSI Awards and Fellowships Changing to E-News Letter Indemnity Insurance

Service Tax

Warm Regards

Atul Kumar Shah





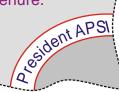
Sec. APSI

Dear Members,

Thank you for giving me the honour of being your president. I will try my level best to serve you in that capacity. My work is cut out for me.

Our Association needs a greater voice in teaching and training of plastic surgeons in this country. and I will try and improve on the current situation. The Journal needs funds to remain independent and more importantly open access. I am hoping to raise funds for this important cause. Finally of course at the end of my term I will be hosting our Annual Meeting. Ours is an Association of peers and it is my earnest and sincere plea that we conduct ourselves in that spirit, coming together with grace and amity for furthering the cause of Plastic Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery in India. I welcome all suggestions from members and will be happy to interact with you all at anytime on any issue of relevance to us during my entire tenure.

Warm Regards Mukund R. T hatte



Dr. Seema Rekha Devi. Assoc. Prof. Plastic Surgery. Gauhati Medical College. recently organized APSI Ethicon Accreditation Coursein Genito Urinary Surgery



### **APSI Accredited courses for Post Graduates**









Dear Colleagues,

I thank every one of you for electing me as the Vice President of APSI and I look forward to the honour and opportunity of leading our association in the coming year. A professional association can justify its existence by delivering on two fronts.

One as an instrument for the development of its members and the other as a vehicle for the propagation of the specialty in the society. The various mid term and the annual conferences of APSI, our Indian Journal of Plastic Surgery, the APSI sponsored workshops, the fellowships and professorships of APSI take care of the first front. It is in the next we probably need to do more.

The expectations of the public are ever increasing and it is even forcing Governments to undertake a radical review of how healthcare is being delivered. For a long time the aim was to deliver basic health care to everyone. Though we are yet to fully achieve that goal to our satisfaction, a time has come when a large majority of people also believe and demand that super specialty care also must come within the reach of common man. It is not an unjustifiable demand but it is only a question if the surgical super specialties have risen up to the expectations. This situation is not unique to Plastic Surgery alone and it equally applies to all specialties. The earlier we live up to the challenge, the stronger we will come out in the end and we will ensure a great future for the specialty. This will be the basis for our work in the Presidential year.

We very much look forward to welcoming all of you to the 2011 APSICON which will be held at Coimbatore. Please mark the dates 7<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> Sept 2011 in your calendar. Meanwhile let us get ready to meet this year at Goa to enjoy the fruits of the efforts of our Presidnet Mukund and his team.

Dr S Raja Sabapathy, Vice President



### Dr. Amresh Baliarsing Executive Committee Member



is currently Prof. & Head of Dept. of Plastic Surgery a BYL Charitable Hospital, Mumbai. He also serves as Honorary Plastic Surgeon to Bombay Hospital and Breach Candy Hospital. He Passed MCh examination in January 1993 from the Banaras Hindu University and the DNB in Plastic surgery exam. December 1993.

Later he went for advanced clinical fellowship training in Faciomaxillary surgery, microsurgery, breast reconstruction, aesthetic surgery (obtained at National University Hospital and National University of Singapore, Singapore), hand surgery, microsurgery and brachial plexus surgery (obtained at the Ogori Daiichi General Hospital, Ogori, Japan and the CM Kleinert Institute for Hand and Microsurgery, Louisville, USA). He has been awarded the Ethicon Visiting Professor of Plastic surgery by APSI and the best poster award at the World Society of Reconstructive Microsurgery Conference, Athens, Greece and ICMR fellowship for developing a new protocol for treatment of leprous neuritis.



Dear Friends,

As per the wishes of members of our Association I have taken over as the executive trustee from January 2010. My predecessors have put in great efforts to make the financial position comfortable for our basic needs.

The corpus has increased in the last year due to credits of savings made from various APSICON conferences. Prof V. Bhattacharya must be complimented for augmenting our funds by Rs. 11.22 lakhs. Prof Balakrishnan has made considerable savings and has deposited it in the name of APSI. This will mature and contribute 15 lakhs to the corpus by September 2010. Prof Rajeev Ahuja, known for his deft handling of difficult situations has contributed another 15 Lakhs from IPRAS savings. I would like to acknowledge the efforts made by these three in augmenting our funds. The funds vested with the trust come with specific direction from the Association as to how the proceeds must be spent as per the wishes of the donors.

I would like to take this opportunity to write to you that our Treasurer and the trust has decided to make an attempt together to streamline the accounting processes and make them easy for the future trustees and executives to follow. Apart from the trust, our association has got many more bodies functioning independently but ultimately governed by the Association as far as our law is concerned. The bodies are (1) The two state chapters (Maharashtra and Delhi)

(2) Video Library

(3) IJPS

(4) IX th IPRAS fund committee

(5) The APSI trust.

The Trustees and the Treasurer are therefore responsible for maintaining the accounts and incorporating all these accounts and submit them to Income tax authorities and charity commissioner. Even if one fails to send the account to treasurer/trustees then the entire account cannot be processed. Therefore it will be easier if such bodies are less in number and absolutely essential. I suggest that we make the state bodies independent and call them State Associations instead of State Chapters of National Association, so that they need not submit their accounts to the association.

I would like to express my sincere thanks to Prof J R Jaju and Prof. Daver for helping me to sort out the difficulties encountered in submitting the accounts for the last financial year. All the seniors especially Dr. Suresh Gupta, Prof Mathangi Ramakrishnan, and Other members of Board of trustees have expressed their support to me in this endeavour and my sincere thanks are due to them.

Dr. K. Sridhar, Executive Trustee



Dr. B. G. Tilak, Executive Committee Member passed his MCh from Bangalore Medical College in 1990. He is Professor and Head of The Department of Plastic Surgery since 1998, & Medical Superintendent at Victoria Hospital since 2008.



He has been actively involved in Medical and Nursing Education in State of Karnataka and is president of Karnataka State Plastic Surgeons Association. He has brought about several newer additions in the campus of Victoria Hospital including modernizing Burn Unit, adding Trauma Block, Super Speciality Block, OPD Block and ETP.

## APSICON 2010 Goa

**Awards** 

### PFFT PRI7F

: All full / life members of APSI Submission of papers: The paper should be of high standard and should have originality. It should be relevant to the Indian context. If experience of a long series of cases is being presented, it is preferable to include a statistical analysis also. New ideas and innovation / new achievements and feats can be presented. Modification of techniques, highlighting cost effectiveness and superiority of results, development of newer instruments, etc. The papers to be presented in "Peet Prize Session" should be marked on the envelope. Each participant should send 4 copies of the full text of the paper along with photographs and illustrations etc. to Secretary, APSI. The last date for receiving the paper is 31 July 2010. Author also needs to submit an undertaking that work has not been published

Acceptance: The final acceptance of the paper will be communicated to the participants by the Secretary, APSI. Authors who still wish to present their papers in APSICON for the year if their paper is not accepted for the Peet Prize Session will have to themselves submit the same to the organizing secretary of the conference.

**Time for Presentation**: 10 minutes will be allowed for presentation, to be followed by 3 minutes discussion. Anybody from the audience is free to ask questions on the presentation.

### APSI JUNIOR BEST PAPER AWARD

Eligibility: Junior Plastic Surgeon undergoing training, or not more than one year after training.

The paper should not have any coauthor.

### Submission:

- While submitting the abstract
   of the paper please indicate on top that
   the paper be considered for this particular session.
- 2. The abstract should be accompanied by a certificate from the Head of the department.
- The abstract should be submitted to the Organising Secretary of APSICON 2010 by 30 June 2010. For further details visit www.apsicon.com

### Presentation:

- 1. The title slide should NOT indicate the name of the institution.
- 2. The work should reflect that it has been carried out by the junior plastic surgeon.
- 3. Ten minutes will be allowed for presentation, to be followed by 3 minutes for discussion.
- 4. Anybody from the audience is free to ask questions on the presentation.

## Preliminary Notice for General Body Meeting

The Annual General Body meeting of APSI shall be held at 6:00 pm on 28<sup>th</sup> October, 2010. at Conference Venue Holiday Inn, Mobor Beach, Goa

Election to the following posts will be undertaken

a) President (or

(one) for 2011 (one) for 2011

- b) Vice President
- (true) for 2011
- c) Executive Members (two) for 2011-13
- d) Members of IX IPRAS Committee

Change in election process
as approved by General Body
(APSICON 2009
at Tample Bay Resort at Mahabalipuram)

The election officers shall be appointed by the president on 26<sup>th</sup> October.

- i) Vacant posts shall be notified by the secretary, through the July / August Newsletter.
- ii) Nominations (duly proposed and seconded by Full Members) shall be submitted by the day of Charles Pinto CME and 1st day of the conference (26th & 27th October, 2010) till 12 noon. Relevant forms will be available at APSI Stall.
- iii) Scrutiny between 12 -1 pm. on 27th October, 2010
- iv) The list shall be displayed on the notice board by 1pm. on 27<sup>th</sup> October. 2010
- v) Withdrawal shall be permitted till 12 noon On 28<sup>th</sup> October. 2010 (2nd day of the conf)
- vi) The final list of contestants will be put on by 1pm on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2010.
- vi) Ballot papers shall be distributed and submitted between 2 5 pm. on 28<sup>th</sup> October 2010.
- vii) Counting shall be done 5 p.m. onwards on 28<sup>th</sup> October. 2010 (day 2 of the conference.) **No ballot papers shall be issued after 4.45 pm.**

A member nominated by the president with the help of the Hon. Secretary and Hon. Treasurer of APSI shall scrutinize the list of delegates for issue of ballot papers. Members in no arrears will be eligible to vote.

The result shall be declared by chairman of General Body at an appropriate time during The General Body Meeting.

It is not mandatory to register for the conference to be able to vote.



- 1. On any topic
- 2. Open to all full or associate members of the association of less than 10 years standing after post-graduation
- 3. Four copies of the essay to be sent to the Secretary, APSI so as to reach him before 31st July 2010
- 4. It should not be more than 5000 words, excluding references, charts, tables, photographs, etc.
- 5. It should include author's original work in this suggested sequence, introduction, material and methods, review of literature, observations, discussion, summary and conclusions.

## Applications invited for Training Fellowships and activities for the year 2011.

### **Training Fellowships**

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?	Ethicon Training Fellowship in Cosmetic Surgery O	ne)
?	Ethicon Training Fellowship in Microsurgery O	ne)
?	R.G. Saraiya International Training Fellowship	ne)
?	Myovatec Training Fellowship in Plastic Surgery O	ne)
?	Vasudhan Arjin Fellowship in Laser Surgery O	ne)
?	Brig Kathpalia fellowship in Hand Surgery O	ne)
?		ne)
?	Chennai Fellowship in Tamil Nadu to be given to any junior plastic surgeon O (within 5 years of M.Ch./DNB) or plastic surgery trainee from anywhere in the country - to visit one centre for training in Tamil Nadu.	ne
	Chennai Fellowship outside Tamil Nadu to be given to a junior plastic surgeon O (within 5 years of M.Ch./DNB) or plastic surgery trainee from Tamil Nadu to visit a centre outside Tamil Nadu for training.	ne
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Ethicon Training Fellowship in Plastic Surgery

### **Publication Awards**

### Last Date 15th June 2010

N.H. Antia Best Article Publication in any indexed Journal (Indian or Foreign) including IJPS during the year 2009. Kindly send six reprints of the article Gen. L.P. Sadhotra endowment best case report / ideas and innovation award published in IJPS in 2009. Kindly send six copies of reprints of the article.

### IX IPRAS Awards

### Subject to availability

For CME / Workshop One
International Traveling Fellowship One
National Traveling Fellowship One

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Applications along with short CVs in triplicate should reach the Secretary, APSI by 31st July '10 (except for those specifically mentioned in the award). The Training fellowships are for a period of 4 weeks. Applicants should submit their applications with the approval of the consultants under whom they wish to train. Applications received after the due date will not be entertained. Successful applicants are required to maintain a daily diary during the period and obtain a certificate of attendance from the consultant. Application from PG trainees to attend APSICON should include acceptance letter for their presentation, proof of registration, a short CV and a forwarding letter from Head of the department.

### Historian for APSI

With glorious history of our specialty and our association, the sphere is widening every year. For the younger generation to get access to the past activities, Executive Council has thought of instituting a position for Historian of the Association.

This will be a non elected non executive position to be filled by application, and the appointed person will collect information, anecdotes, and historical artifacts and start a project to write the history of APSI. If you find this responsibility challenging and some thing for which you are willing to devote your efforts, please write to the secretary showing your willingness.

## Reviewers / Judges for various awards of APSI.

i.	Kilner Essay	Dr Ramesh Sharma	Dr T C Chandran	Dr A K Choudhary
ii.	Peet Prize Reviewers	Dr James Pandian	Dr A S Bath	Dr R P Narayan.
	Judges	Dr S P Bajaj	Dr Pradeep Bhargava	Dr Mukund Reddy
iii.	APSI Junior Best Paper	Dr A Goplakrishnan	Dr Anil Behl	Dr Vijay Obed
iv.	Kamath Best Poster	Dr K Sridhar	Dr B K Majumdar	Dr P K Bhilwani
V.	McNeil Audio Visual	Dr R B Ahuja	Dr G V Sudhakar	Dr K Ramachandran
vi.	R N Sinha Best Paper published in IJPS	Dr. S. Bhattacharya Editor	Dr. Mukund Thatte President	Dr. Atul Shah Secretary
vii.	N H Antia Best Publication & Gen. Sadhotra Endown	Dr Karoon Agarwal Dr Prabha Yadav nent	Dr M Thatte Dr Shashank Chatterjee	Dr Raja Sabapathy

### Service Tax Issue

The Finance Bill 2009 has brought Cosmetic Surgery Services under service Tax. It has become applicable from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2009. This is added in Section 65(105) as service code **ZZZZK**. Each individual member in his personal capacity, as owner of a nursing home, where he has separate identity for Nursing home and all hospitals are now 'appointed as agents for the Excise Department of Government of India' to collect additional 10.30 % on top of gross bill receivable from the patient who underwent any cosmetic Procedure. There are several services attracting Service Tax since 1994, and all procedures for registering have been streamlined and very simple.

The deposits are made in following account heads Collection of Tax : 00440460 Interest of Receipts : 00440463 Deducted Refunds : 00440466

Your Association had sought some clarifications from Department of Revenue, Ministry of Financce and their letter is being reproduced here verbatim. Members may approach 'The Legal Cell' of APSI for further assistance.



F. No. 354/157/2009-TRU Government of India Ministry of Finance Department of Revenue Tax Research Unit Room No.153, North Block,

New Delhi, the 19<sup>th</sup> November, 2009

To Secretary,

Association of Plastic Surgeons of India,

Sir,

Subject: Clarification on levy of service tax on Cosmetic or Plastic surgery introduced in

vide Finance Bill (No.2), 2009 Service Tax on Plastic/Aesthetic Surgery - Regarding.

1) Please refer to your e-mail dated 6<sup>th</sup> November, 2009 addressed to the OSD (TRU) on the above issue.

2) The point-wise reply to the queries raised by him is put up for consideration.

**Point No. 1.** Is the provision applicable from September one or October One?

Reply: The tax is applicable from 1<sup>st</sup> September, 2009, as the provisions of Finance Bill No. 2

were given effect from September 1st, 2009 vide Notification No. 26/2009-

Service Tax dated 19<sup>th</sup> August, 2009.

**Point No. 2** Taxation starts after the limit exceeds 8 Lac/, 9 Lac/, 10 Lac?

Reply: The current exemption limit for service tax assessees is Rs. 10 lakh,

and tax will be liable to be paid after the total billing crosses this time.

It may be noted that the value of any other medical service, which is not related to

cosmetic procedures, is not liable to included in this value of Rs. 10 Lakh,

**Point No.3** Will this limit be same since the applicability is only for six or seven months

of the accounting year, or pro rata it will be reduced by fraction of 7/12 or 1/2?

Reply: The exemption limit of 10 lakh would be available

for the remaining part of the year without any pro-rata reduction.

**Point No. 4** Many of our members do cosmetic procedures at other hospitals like

Fortis, Apollo, Escort etc. Who is responsible to collect Service tax, the hospital or the surgeon?

Reply: The person/ organisation who is raising the bill from the service receiver will be required to pay the service tax. In this case, if the bill is raised by the hospital, the hospital will be required to collect and pay the service tax on the gross amount received by them for providing the service.

Point No. 5 If Apollo Indraprastha has six people doing taxable cosmetic work,

Apollo will come under the purview at the crossing of the limit of 10 lac or 60 lac?

Reply: The exemption limit is limited to a person / organization,

and if the bill is being raised by Indraprastha Apollo, then the exemption limit will be limited to Rs. 10 lakh for the hospital, irrespective of the number of people doing the procedure over there.

**Point No. 6** Members will not have to collect 10 % on the fees charges as consultation, follow up, dressings after cosmetic procedures, touch up and second stage procedures?

Reply: The tax is payable on the "Gross Amount" charged for the service. The consultation, follow up, touch up and second stage procedures are all integral part of the service of "cosmetic surgery" and tax is accordingly required to be paid on the charges for the same.

**Point No. 7** Are all members required to take service tax number?

Reply: Any person who is raising the bill on the service receiver, and crosses the limit of Rs. 10 Lakh in a Financial Year is required to take service tax registration. A declaration is required to be filed with the jurisdictional Central Excise/service Tax office after crossing the turnover of Rs. 9 Lakh as per Section 69 of the Finance Act, 1994(Chapter V) read with Rule 4 of the Service Tax Rules, 1994.

**Point No. 8** Is there something like nil return?

Reply: Yes. A nil return can be filed if no taxable service is provided, or any amount pertaining to provision of taxable service is received, also taxable service below Rs 10 Lakh in the relevant quarter of a Financial Year by a registered person.

**Point No. 9** What is the frequency of filing returns?

Reply: The return (ST-3) is required to be filed twice in a financial year. Return for half year ending 30th September and 31st March are required to be filed by 25<sup>th</sup> October and 25th April, respectively. However, the tax is required to be paid by 5<sup>th</sup> of the month immediately following the month in which payments are received towards the value of taxable services. However, in case of March, the payment should be made before 31<sup>st</sup> March for Companies, Societies, Trusts etc. In case of Individuals, Proprietary Firms & Partnership Firms quarterly payment is needed to be made by the 5th July, 5th Oct, 5th Jan and 31st March for the quarters ending on 30th June, 30th September, 31St Dec. and 31st March.

**Point No. 10** Loss of hair along with age is genetically determined and controlled by level of hormones, which again is genetically determined. Baldness thus is a genetic abnormality. It also gives rise to Psychological disturbances as the self image of the person is altered and bald person feels unattractive and insecure. Hair Transplantation is not a cosmetic procedure?

Reply: Hair transplantation is generally undertaken as a means for preservation or enhancement of an individual's physical appearance or beauty. It is not a congenital defect that is present at birth. In view of the same, hair transplant, being a procedure that is done to preserve / enhance one's physical appearance, is covered in the scope of service tax.

3) Still if you have any queries, you may write back to us.

Yours faithfully, Samar Nanda TO (TRU) Tel: 011-2309 2037

## Know your executives



**Dr Mukund R Thatte,** President (2010) Obtained his MBBS in 1980 & MS (gen.) 1984 from Seth GS Medical College and KEM Hospital and completed his M.Ch. from Lokmanya Tilak Municipal General Hospital in 1986. He later Trained abroad

in South East of Scotland Regional Plastic Unit Edinburgh and University College London in UK for about one year each. Visiting Hand Fellow with Dr Strickland in Indianapolis USA, Prof Buck-Gramcko Hamburg Germany and Prof Goran Lundborg in Malmo Sweden. His current interests include Hand and Brachial Plexus Surgery, Cleft Surgery, Reconstructive Micro Surgery. He is also president of Brachial Plexus Surgery group of India and past president of Indian Society of Cleft Lip Palate and Craniofacial Anomalies.

Dr. Mukund Thatte is currently Consultant Plastic Surgeon Bombay Hospital, Shushrusha Citizens Co-op Hosp. and Bai Jerbai Wadia Hospital for Children. He was Editor of IJPS from 2003 to 2008

He has received Best Paper Award of APSI in 1986 and that of British Association of Plastic Surgeons in 1989.

Dr. Mukund Thatte has been invited as Speaker at several Meetings including Asean Meeting of Plastic Surgery at Penang Malaysia in 1997, Asian Pacific Congress of IFSSH at Chennai India in 2000, Asian Pacific Congress of IPRAS at Taipei Taiwan in 2001, International Federation of Societies of Surgery of Hand at Budapest in 2004, Oman International Plastic Surgery meeting in 2005, Faculty Manchester Hand Course of British Society of Surgery of Hand in 2005, Asian Pacific Congress of APFSSH Bangkok in 2006, Egyptian Society of Plastic and Reconstructive surgeons Sharm El Sheikh in 2007, Grand Rounds Mass. Gen. Hosp. Boston in 2007 as well as Invited speaker IPRAS 2009 New Delhi.





**Dr. Atul Shah,** Hon. Secretary (2010)
Obtained MCh in 1989 as 1st Candidate from Dept. of Plastic Surgery at Baroda
This department is celebrating its
Silver Jubilee of Inception, this December.
This department has also become independent University Department.

Dr. Atul Shah also holds qualifications in Medical Law and Health Management. He is trained under Dr. David Herndon at Galveston.

He had received Ranbaxy Oration award of All India Rhinology Society and is regular faculty for Rhinoplasty Courses. His other interests include surgery for vitiligo.



Dr. S. Raja Sabapathy,

Vice President (2010)
Best Outgoing Student of Stanley
Medical College, Madras; standing first in
Medicine and Surgery of Madras University
completed his MBBS in 1979.

Again with the B.C Roy Fellowship for Postgraduate Studies he obtained MS in General Surgery from Madras Medical College in 1982 and completed his MCh from Stanley Medical College in 1985 as also DNB in the same year. He obtained advanced training in Hand and Microsurgery in UK in 1988 and 1989, and was later Christine Kleinert Fellow in Hand Surgery, at Louisville, U.S.A. in 1989 - 90. Curretnly he is Director, and Head of the Department of Plastic, Hand, Reconstructive Microsurgery & Burns at Ganga Hospital, Coimbatore as well as Honorary Consultant / Advisor of Armed Forces Medical Services and Member of Armed Forces Medical Research Committee.

He was president of Indian Society for Reconstructive Microsurgery and International Trauma Care (Indian Chapter). He has been awarded with Douglas Lamb Lecturer of British Society for Surgery of the Hand in 2005, Distinguished Guest Lecturer of Royal Australian College of Surgeons and Visiting Professor, Yale University, USA, Ann Arbor, Michigan, USA, and the Mayo Clinic, USA.





**Dr K Sridhar** (Executive Trustee 2010) He is Senior Consultant at Apollo Hospitals in Chennai with special Interest in Tendon Transfer, and Craniofacial Surgery.

His qualifications include MBBS in 1972, MS (Gen. Surgery ) in 1976 and

M.Ch in 1980. He was Assistant Professor of Plastic Surgery, at The Institute For Research And Rehabilitation Of Hand and Department of Plastic Surgery, Stanley Medical College and Hospital from 1980 to 1993.

He continues to serve as Consultant to VHS Leprosy Project, Sakthi Nagar. Tamil Nadu and has contributed Two new procedures in Leprosy Reconstruction

Past National President of Association of Plastic Surgeons of India, Dr. Sridhar was Chairman of Scientific Committee at International Federation of Plastic ,Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery Congress in New Delhi in 2009

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1 What are you doing?

Ans Business.

### Tax PAY PROFESSIONAL TAX!

What are you doing in Business ?Ans Selling the Goods.

Tax SALES TAX!!

3 From where are you getting Goods?

Ans From other State/Abroad

### Tax CENTRAL SALES TAX, CUSTOM DUTY & OCTROI!

What are you getting in Selling Goods?

Ans Profit.

### Tax INCOME TAX!

5 How do you distribute profit ?

Ans By way of dividend.

#### Tax **DIVIDEND DISTRIBUTION TAX!**

6 Where you Manufacturing the Goods?

Ans Factory...

### Tax EXCISE DUTY!

7 Do you have Office Warehouse/Factory?

Ans Yes.

### Tax MUNICIPAL & FIRE TAX!

8 Do you have Staff?

Ans Yes

### Tax STAFF PROFESSIONAL TAX!

9 Doing business in Millions ?

Ans if Yes

Tax TURNOVER TAX!

Ans if No

### Tax MINIMUM ALTERNATE TAX!

10 Are you taking out over Rs. 25,000 Cash from Bank ? Ans Yes, for Salary.

Tax CASH HANDLING TAX!

Where are you taking your client for Lunch & Dinner? Ans Hotel.

### Tax FOOD & ENTERTAINMENT TAX!

12 Are you going out of station for Business? Ans Yes.

### Tax FRINGE BENEFIT TAX!

13 Have you taken or given any Service/(s)?

### Tax SERVICE TAX!

14 How come you got such a Big Amount ? Ans Gift on birthday.

Tax GIFT TAX!

15 Do you have any Wealth?

Ans Yes

### Tax WEALTH TAX!

To reduce Tension, for entertainment, where are you going?

Ans Cinema or Resort.

### Tax **ENTERTAINMENT TAX!**

17 Have you purchased House?

Ans Yes

### Tax STAMP DUTY & REGISTRATION FEE!

18 How you Travel?

Ans Bus

### Tax PAY SURCHARGE!

19 Any Additional Tax ?

Ans Yes

## Tax EDUCATIONAL, ADDITIONAL EDUCATIONAL & SURCHARGE ON ALL THE CENTRAL GOVT.'s TAX!

20 Delayed any time Paying Any Tax?

Ans Yes

### Tax INTEREST & PENALTY!

21 INDIAN : Can I die now ??

Ans Wait.

Tax we are about to launch THE FUNERAL TAX!!!

# **Group Medical Indemnity Policy Covering Cosmetic Procedures**

This is the last call for subscribing to Medical Indemnity Policy. The underwriting company can accept the proposal only if more than 200 individual applications are generated. This offer was announced at Mahabalipuram General Body of Apsicon 2009 as well as printed in circular No. 53 sent by previous Secretary Dr. Arun Kumar Singh in July August 2009. The treasurer received 14 Applications.

This policy will include all cosmetic procedures (that have been excluded in your current policy).

- The cover will start from a designated date for all those whose documents are received by this new cut off date of 25<sup>th</sup> May 2010. Subsequent members will be covered for the remaining days till end of twelve months
- 2. This will be an annual policy, renewable at expiry of twelve months.
- 3. Each members will receive individualised certificate of insurance.
- 4. Each member will be insured for Annual sum of Rs. 40 Lakh. and, one event sum of either same or Rs. 20 lakh or Rs. 10 Lakh.
- 5. To maintain uniformity, all claim settlements will be managed from same designate branch.
- 6. APSI through its legal cell will provide assistance in documentation.
- 7. Members will exercise restrain by not claiming paltry sums lesser than 20 thousand to keep the premium low. Also members will continue with their existing national and state professional protection schemes as well as medical indemnity and will utilize this new instrument in special cases pertaining to cosmetic surgery (trauma surgery, Burn Surgery and Scar revisions are not cosmetic surgery)
- 8. Geographical area of coverage is whole of India. Policy also covers mistakes made by unqualified staff.
- 9. Annual premium is as follows:

All policy annual sum covered Rs. 40 Lakh

a. Any one event 40 Lac and

annual Limit also 40 Lac Rs. 11,000

b. Any one event 20 Lac and

annual Limit 40 Lac Rs. 08,500

c. Any one event 10 Lac and annual Limit 40 Lac

Rs. 06,500

10. This is a group policy sold to APSI and hence total annual cover for each individual member will remain same.

Please fill the accompanying form, attach all required documents and DD or at par Cheque of required amount favouring APSI payable at New Delhi. Send to Treasurer so as to reach him before 25th May, 2010

### Dr. Lokesh Kumar

E-32, Greater Kailash, Part-2, New Delhi-110048

# PROPOSAL FORM FOR GROUP PROFESSIONAL INDEMNITY Association of Plastic Surgeons of India

All questions must be answered.

The completion and signature of this proposal does not bind the applicant or Insurer to complete a contract of Insurance. The liability does not commence until the proposal has been accepted even after full premium has been paid.

1)	Nai	me of Member				
2)	Pre	eferred Communication opti	on Residence / Clinic			
	a)	Residential address				
						Pincode
	b)	Clinic address				
						Pincode
	c)	Contact phone		d) E Mail ID		
3)	a)	Professional Qualification	s and the year of suc	h qualification	s	
		MBBS PO	3	Specialization	n	
4)	a)	Medical Council Registrat	tion No.(MCh / DNB)		b)	Year of Registration
	c)	Name of State Council _				
	d)	How long have you been	practicing			
5.	AP:	SI Membership No				
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# Professional Development Courses APSI - Ethicon accredited Courses in Plastic Surgery



APSI had developed and planned CME courses spread over initial three years to complement the training of postgraduate students of plastic surgery and qualified plastic surgeons. Our News Letter No. 43 of March 2006 carried details of this venture. This courses have been providing holistic approach to the management of problems and time for academic discussion.

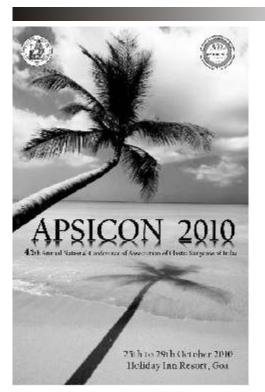
Applications are invited from Departments and Associations for hosting such courses in 2011. Honorary Co-Ordinator for this scheme is **Prof. Rajiv Ahuja.** Kindly communicate with him in case you have plans to host such course in coming year.

**Scheme** - The course is usually limited to 40 participants and registration is on first come-first served basis. The course fee is Rs. 2,500 per course. This is fully refundable to all APSI members and bonafide plastic surgery students who attend the course. Application should include Name, correspondence address, mobile phone number or contact number and email. Application should be accompanied by draft / at par cheque of Rs. 2,500 payable at the relevant city. PG's should include certificate from the head of the department.

APSI Ethicon Accredited Course in Plastic Surgery will precede the APSICON 2010.

It is being held at Goa Medical College on 23<sup>rd</sup> and 24<sup>th</sup> October, 2010.

Visit www.apsicon.com for further details.



The 45th Annual Conference of

The Association of Plastic Surgeons of India is being held in India's most vibrant state, Goa. on 25th to 29th October, 2010, around Diwali vacation.

25<sup>th</sup> October Prof. CR Sunderrajan Memorial Video Workshop

26th October Dr. Charles Pinto Memorial CME

27-29 Oct. Main Conference

The venue for the meeting is the Holiday Inn Resort.

Visit www.apsicon.com for further details.

It is mandatory
for delegates and
all accompanying adult guests
coming to Goa during the Conference
to carry a valid Photo Identity Proof
(photocopy of PAN Card / Passport /
Driving Licence/ Voters Card)
for Security Reasons.

## APSICON 2011

The 46th Annual Conference of the Association of Plastic Surgeons of India will be held at Coimbatore. Please mark the dates of conference

7<sup>th</sup> to 11<sup>th</sup> Sept 2011

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## Notes from your Secretary

### Changing to E-News Letter

These News Letters are one of the very important communicating medium from your Executive Council. Several announcements reach you through this publication. Experience of several members suggests that postal delivery of such mails has been erratic in certain parts of our country. APSI can change the delivery format of this news letters to e-news letters for those of you who are comfortable with computers. There is a response form printed in this news letter in relation to such a change over. We can reduce printed version to only about 200 copies from the present 1500 copies, and thus reduce the cost on both printing and postage.

### Recognition by MCI

Medical Council of India has become strict on several fronts, and one of them is about redefining stature and scope of specialty. Your secretary is in possession of a copy of directive issued by MCI, further making its stand clear after the 2002 amendments in the code of ethics; that to practice a particular specialty, a medical graduate needs to possess MCI APSI is but recognized qualification in that specialty. a group of like minded individuals and membership of APSI does not amount to license to practice Plastic Surgery and its allied services. If your Plastic Surgery related qualification is not recognized by MCI, please note that in case of any litigations, verdict may go against you, now in the light of the 2002 amendment which rules over the previous MCI directives that considered experience in the subject.

### Indemnity Insurance

In India to drive a motor vehicle without insurance is a crime. Many of you practice Cosmetic Surgery for several years but are not in possession of any Indemnity Insurance that covers potential litigations arising out of Cosmetic Surgery Services. APSI has negotiated Group Indemnity Insurance covers for its members. This group subscription can become viable only if at least 200 of you subscribe to the scheme that has been extended with few changes. The Scheme is from a specified branch of The New India Assurance Co. and is not available as a plan with any other office of any insurance company. Few of you are covered through such group insurances from Medical Specialists' Association in Mumbai or Professional and Social Protection Schemes of Tamilnadu or Gujarat or IMA HQ. What about others?

### Deformity Prevalence in India

We do not have any authoritative data regarding deformity prevalence. Please write to The Registrar General of India, 2A, Mansingh Road, New Delhi-110 011, India on your letter head and preferably by speed post requesting him to include following questions during door to door questioning.

- 1. Is there anyone in the house having any type of long term physical disability following any accident?
- 2. Is there anyone in the house having contractures due to Burns?
- 3. Is there anyone in the house born with some deformity?

If our collective efforts evolve into deformity related statistics derived during census, many preventive as well as surgical activities can be planned.

### New Member proposing and seconding

Many of you get requests to propose or second a fellow for membership of APSI. It becomes your responsibility to make sure that the candidate qualifies for the membership and has completed the application form in all aspects including attaching his credentials and council registration certificates. Teaching Departments are requested to encourage students to become members.

### Favours from Pharma Companies

One of the three 2009 amendments to MCI Act has several restrictions with regards to receiving favours from Pharmaceutical companies. As members of APSI, you will surely restrain from all such activities.

### **APSI Membership Cards**

Membership Certificates and Member's Identity cards is not ongoing process with APSI. Such drives were undertaken in past and most of the senior members are in possession of both these documents. If any of you wish to obtain any of these documents, please communicate so that arrangements can be done depending on the demand generated.

### Service Tax

The finance bill has now defined procedures that can be labeled as Cosmetic Surgery, and all such services have been brought under the umbrella of Service Tax with effect from 1<sup>st</sup>September, 2009. If you look at your mobile, or telephone bill, you will relies that those companies are collecting service tax from you for these connections. You are appointed agents by Government to collect additional amount from your cosmetic Surgery patients and hand over to Government in a specified manner. There after what you receive is your income, and you still have to pay income tax on your profit. This is not double taxation in any way. Please keep your financial records crisp and save yourself from future awkwardness.

### **APSI** Awards and Fellowships

APSI has instituted sever fellowships and awards for you. The list has been published in this news letter. Please avail of this opportunity. Senior Professors in the teaching departments are specially requested to pass this information to their trainees. Trainees can also become associate members of the association at initial stage of their studentship to avail of several benefits.

### New Member Applications

My predecessor Prof. Arun Kumar Singh has made extensive efforts in stream lining the office and secretarial activities. With my sincere request and approval from your Executive Council, he has kindly agreed to continue to look after the APSI web Site. We are very happy to note that the membership of APSI is increasing every day. Membership applications received till date by Prof Arun Kumar Singh and myself have been listed elsewhere in this News Letter. If you find names of any of your friend, colleague or Trainee missing, please contact me. Email communication is very convenient and you can reach the secretariet ID

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## Upcoming Events.

- Controversies, Art & Technology in Facial Aesthetic Surgery June 4-6 Gent, BELGIUM, http://www.coupureseminars.com/CATFAS-Meeting
- Eurasian Aesthetic Surgery Course 14 to 18 August 2010 For more details : http://www.eurasian2010.org/
- WOUND CARE CON 2010 September 3-5, 2010

4<sup>TH</sup> Annual National Conference of Society for Wound Care & Research Venue: Hotel Fortune Inn Valley View, Manipal, Karnataka, India.

Org. by: Department of Plastic Surgery, KMC (Manipal University), Manipal

For more details: woundcarecon2010@gmail.com for details

- The North Zone-APSICON 2010, Amritsar Sept. 25-26, 2010 Pre-conference Surgical workshop on cleft lip nose deformity is on September 24 For more details : DR.RAVI MAHAJAN at 09417394400,9781330805 or drravimahaian@rediffmail.com.
- 1st annual congress of LSPRAS October 14-17, 2010 The Lebanese Society of Plastic, Reconstructive & Aesthetic Surgery - LSPRAS & World congress of Plastic Surgeons of Lebanese descent.

Venue: Metropolitan Palace Hotel Beirut - Lebanon

website: www.lspras.com Email: LBSM@ventnouveau.com

INTERNATIONAL SCHOLAR AWARD - IPRAS 2011 Vancouver For trainees and young fully trained plastic surgeons who are members of National Plastic Surgical Societies. Visit website for more details www.ipras2011vancouver.ca/registration\_internationalscholaraward.html

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He started his Carrier as Tutor in Plastic Surgery at Trivandrum Medical College from 1970, where he became Professor and Head in 1982. Several candidates have trained under Prof. Nair. He was a Commonwealth Fellow and worked in UK for one year. He is active Rotarian.

### **Ethicon Visiting Professor in Plastic Surgery**



Dr. Ajoy Kumar Singh is well respected among the

is well respected among the members due mainly to his highly friendly nature and experienced advices.

After MBBS with Honours from RMCH, Ranchi in 1975, he cleared MCh in 1985 from the same institute, and later obtained

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Punjab, Harayana & Chandigarh
and Uttrakhand.

He is Executive Committee member of Indian Society of Cleft Lip, Palate & Craniofacial Anomalies. He started Department of Plastic, Cosmetic & Microvascular Surgery at Aman Deep Hospital at Amritsar in 2001 and added Burn Unit in 2004.



Achievements
HH Mrs Pratibha Patil, the President of India, Invited Dr. Subodh Kumar Singh, our Executive Council Member and Mr. Satish Kalra, Director - South Asia for Smile Train, in Rashtrapati Bhawan to felicitate them for their contribution for cleft patients cause.

In the recently concluded Annual Conference of Indian Society for Cleft Lip, Palate and Craniofacial Anomalies at AIIMS, Dr. Subodh Kumar Singh was elected Honoary Secretary for a three year tenure.

Their team at Varanasi has successfully performed more than 17000 cleft surgeries with Smile Train sponsorship in last 6 years which is highest in the world, and they now continue to do more than 3000 surgeries every year using their innovative and extensive reach out programs that has been published in IJPS cleft issue.

### **Gen N C Sanyal Visiting Professor**



**Dr. Rakesh K. Khazanchi** is the Director of Plastic, Aesthetic and Reconstructive Surgery at Medanta The Medicity, Gurgaon.

He did his MCh(1983) from CMC, Ludhiana In 1985 he joined AIIMS as an Assistant Professor. He did a Clinical Research

Fellowship at the Microsurgery Cetre at St. Vincents Hospital, Melbourne, Australia (1986-87). He became Professor & Head in 1997. He left AIIMS in 1999 to join Sir Ganga Ram Hospital as Head of the Department. His major areas of interest are Cosmetic surgery, Reconstructive Microsurgery, Vascular Malformations, Replantation of amputated parts and Head & Neck reconstruction. has more than 25 years of experience of teaching undergraduate and postgraduate medical students. He has conducted many workshops, symposia and also delivered many guest lectures. He was the Secretary General of 15th World Congress of the International Confederation Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery 2009). He has undertaken twenty-two research projects, published more than 60 papers in National and International Journals, contributed 4 chapters in textbooks and edited and authored a book on Plastic Surgery General Surgeons. He is a member of many professional plastic, cosmetic and laser surgery associations, past president of Delhi State Chapter of Association of Plastic Surgeons of India (2001-2003) and past president of Indian Society of Reconstructive Microsurgery (2006-2008).

## Ethicon Visiting Professor in Cosmetic Surgery Dr Milind S. Wagh



did his MBBS -1988 and M.S - 1991 from Topiwala National Medical College, Mumbai and M.Ch -1994 from Lokmanya Tilak Memorial Medical College and Hospital under Dr R L Thatte. In 1994 he joined same Department as a Lecturer

(1994-2000) and continued there as Associate Professor (2000-2005). He did a Clinical Research Fellowship at the Bernard O'Brien Institute of Microsurgery of St. Vincents Hospital, Melbourne, Australia (1997-98). He started private practice in 2002 and has been attached to Bhatia General Hospital (2002) and later the Dr L H Hiranandani Hospital (2004) where he is presently Clinical Co-ordinator for Plastic, Aesthetic and Reconstructive Surgery. He has co-authored chapters in books including the Grabb's Encyclopedia of Flaps. He has been a Deputy Editor of the Indian Journal of Plastic Surgery since 2006. He is also a reviewer for the Journal of Plastic, Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgery (JPRAS, formerly BJPS) since 2005 as well as a reviewer of the Indian Journal of Plastic Surgery and Indian Journal of Surgery since 2002. His main area of interest has been Cosmetic surgery for the past few years, where he has considerable experience in body contouring, aesthetic surgeries of the breasts and facial aesthetic surgery. He is Partner-Director of Cosmetic Surgery Centre named "Make A Change" in Mumbai.