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### **Silver Jubilee SAFOG Congress**

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"Enhancing Women's Health with Regional & Global Partnership"

### PROGRAMME BOOK

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### MESSAGE FROM THE CHIEF GUEST





Dear Dr. Rohana Haththotuwa, President of SAFOG, Professor Sanath Lanerolle, President of the SLCOG, the office bearers and the Council members of the two organisations and my dearest friends,

My sincere congratulations to the leaders and members of the SAFOG and the SLCOG for convening the joint conference between the SAFOG and the SLCOG to celebrate the silver jubilee of the SAFOG and 55<sup>th</sup> year of the SLCOG. The theme of the conference is 'Enhancing Women's Health with Regional and Global Partnership'. The conference will be an important platform to brainstorm what can be done jointly regionally and globally to tackle the Sustainable Development Goals 3 and 5. The goals of reduction of maternal mortality, reduction of deaths due to NCDs, improvement of women's health and gender equality are essential to enrich families and enhance community's wealth and health. SDG 5 of gender equality to be reached by 2030 rhymes with the Beijing declaration of Planet 50:50 made in 1995. We must strive hard to achieve this goal. If not, our generation of Professional Organisations would have failed the expectation of women.

The younger and senior generation leaders of the SAFOG and the SLCOG and the members of the diaspora from the different SAFOG countries will contribute to this discussion and debate. This meeting should result in strategies that should go a long way to achieve SDG 3 and 5 in the SAFOG countries. Plans to transform various strategies identified to action plans should be finalised at this meeting.

The topics selected for discussion would be very appropriate and the panel discussion would be by experts from different countries. Each panel should come up with working papers on the subject of discussion. Based on these papers SAFOG Country Executives should produce action plans. It is essential to take these plans and resolutions to the respective governments. These action plans could be based on short term (contraception, safe abortion care, emergency obstetric care) or long-term solutions (education, reduction of poverty, eradication of violence against women, equality for women). Government's involvement is necessary to have sustainable improvement in women's health. My humble request to the National Societies involved and individual participants is to undertake a collective and individual resolution as to what they would do differently in their practice on their return to help improve women's health and rights. Every one of us need to be involved in these activities if we want to improve on the current situation.

SAFOG countries have a significant proportion of the Global population and contribute more in absolute numbers to maternal and NCD deaths. There is a lot to be done to bring about gender equality. Please provide your best to the women and new-born's health by carrying out more volunteer work despite your busy schedule. My best wishes for you to have a successful and meaningful meeting. Most importantly plan follow up activities and execute them.

Prof. Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran
Past President of the RCOG, FIGO & BMA

### MESSAGE FROM THE GUEST OF HONOUR





On behalf of the members and executive board of Asia Oceania Federation of Obstetrics and Gynaecology (AOFOG), I would like to extend my congratulations to Silver Jubilee of South Asia Federation of Obstetrics and Gynaecology (SAFOG) Congress in association with 55th Annual Scientific Conference of the Sri Lanka College of Obstetrician and Gynaecologists (SLCOG). I also congratulate chairmen Dr. Rohana Haththotuwa, President of SAFOG and Prof. Sanath Lanerolle, President of SLCOG for for hosting this anniversary event. Founding an academic society is a very significant undertaking. However, it is not an easy task to continue the activities of the society with many countries. On the occasion of the 25th anniversary of the founding, I would like to express my sincere respect to the senior members of SAFOG who have been working energetically toward a common goal.

Now, it has been 65 years since AOFOG was founded, and many of the countries that make up SAFOG are also members of AOFOG. I would highly appreciate the attendance of SAFOG members to the 27<sup>th</sup> AOFOG Congress held in May this year in Bali, Indonesia. We were able to rekindle the excitement of our face-to-face scientific meetings and social programmes, which had been completely interrupted by the Covid-19 pandemic.

As we live with Covid -19, what should be clear is how the great ship SAFOG will sail for the next 25 years until the Golden Jubilee. It is the challenge that you have been given. There will be days when the weather is fine and calm, but there will also be times when the ship is rocked by unexpected storms. But if you are clear about your purpose, your goals, and how you are going to get there, everyone you are sailing with will help you. I am very much looking forward to SAFOG's new departure.

Prof. Kazunori Ochiai MD, PhD Immediate Past President, AOFOG



### MESSAGE FROM THE GUEST OF HONOUR





My congratulations to the South Asian Federation of Obstetrics and Gynecology (SAFOG), its sister national associations, and honourable members of your Silver Jubilee Anniversary.

Over the past three decades, South Asia has achieved an unprecedented 60 per cent reduction in maternal and newborn deaths. The contribution of SAFOG and UNICEF to this feat is immense.

As we celebrate our shared wins, it is equally important to focus on the grave challenges that lie ahead of us. South Asia continues to register 838,000 newborn deaths, 615,000 still births, and estimated 50,000 maternal deaths every year.

A focus on breastfeeding, for example, could save one newborn life every minute in South Asia if initiated within the first hour of birth. Obstetricians play a critical role in supporting breastfeeding through their meaningful and influential contact with mothers at the most critical times.

UNICEF looks forward to catalyzing our new partnership with SAFOG to make tangible advancements in improving the health of children and mothers in South Asia.

Mr. George Laryea-Adjei Regional Director, UNICEF Regional Office for South Asia



### MESSAGE FROM THE SPECIAL GUEST





It is with great pleasure that I send this message on the occasion of Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists hosting the Silver Jubilee SAFOG Congress in association with 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Conference of SLCOG.

The Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists is the pioneer organization working towards women's health in Sri Lanka. I am privileged to participate as the special guest in the inauguration ceremony of this international congress.

I really appreciate the active role SLCOG played during COVID-19 pandemic in introducing vaccine for the pregnant and lactating mothers in the country under the leadership of Professor Pradeep De Silva and Professor Sanath Lanarolle. I am aware that SLCOG is also involved in continuous medical education in Sri Lanka with collaboration of international organizations such as WHO, UNICEF, FIGO, AFOG, SAFOG, RCOG, FOGSI, RANZCOG, OGSM, OGSB, OGSP etc.

I admire the dedication and commitment made by all members of the SLCOG to improve the quality of life of Sri Lankan women in collaboration with the Ministry of Health of Sri Lanka.

The theme which has been selected "Enhancing Women's Health with Regional and Global Partnership" is very appropriate to all countries in our region as we are facing an economic crisis and medical supply chain issues.

I congratulate all the international and national delegates participating in this congress and hope this will be an enjoyable, knowledge-filled experience. I also take this opportunity to warmly welcome all our friends from India, Pakistan, Maldives, Nepal, Bangladesh, United Kingdom, Australia and Malaysia for coming to Sri Lanka. I hope all of you will have a memorable, happy stay in Sri Lanka.

Dr. Asela Gunawardena Director General Health Services, Ministry of Health, Sri Lanka.



### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF SAFOG





Welcome to SAFOG SLCOG Congress 2022!

On behalf of the Executive Board and Council of SAFOG, it is my great pleasure to invite you to the Silver Jubilee SAFOG Congress in association with the 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Congress of the Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists which will be held from 30<sup>th</sup> September 2022 to 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2022 at the Shangri La Hotel, Colombo, Sri Lanka.

SAFOG is celebrating its Silver Jubilee. Initial meeting to form SAFOG was held in Colombo, Sri Lanka in 1995. The inaugural SAFOG conference was held in Lahore, Pakistan in 1995 and Prof. Rashid Latiff Khan was elected as the founder president.

This congress was originally scheduled to be held in 2021, but the unsettled COVID-19 forced us to postpone the congress to 2022. Fortunately, for us the COVID-19 state has settled in all our member countries including Sri Lanka. This has enabled the organizers to plan this congress as a hybrid event. This will allow us to participate in the conference in person and meet each other and renew our friendships after a break of many years.

In keeping with the theme of the congress "Enhancing Women's Health with Regional & Global Partner-ship", the organizers have come up with an excellent scientific programme, not only involving experts and leaders from the region but also from around the globe. In addition, the delegates will be able to enjoy the exciting social programmes which have been planned.

I thank the president, the council and the members of the SLCOG who are working tirelessly to organize the Silver Jubilee congress on a grand scale. I appreciate the guidance and assistance given by the advisors, executive board, council members of SAFOG and our Member National Societies in organizing this mega event at such a short time in spite of the many difficulties we face. I thank in particular our external advisor Prof. Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran for his invaluable services and encouragement.

I invite everyone to participate in large numbers not only to enjoy the memorable conference but also to experience the scenic beauty of Sri Lanka and the warm hospitality of the friendly Sri Lankan people.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the SAFOG Silver Jubilee Congress.

Dr. Rohana Haththotuwa President, SAFOG

### MESSAGE FROM THE PATRON SLCOG





It is a great privilege and pleasure for me to send a message as the current Patron of the Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists on this great occasion when the SLCOG celebrates its 55th Annual Academic Sessions this year, coinciding with the Silver Jubilee celebration of the South Asian Federation of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists. We look back in time when the Obstetricians and Gynaecologists in Sri Lanka felt the need to form an organization together with other countries in the South Asian Region with similar Socio-Economic Status and similar problems with regard to maternal care facilities and thus maternal and perinatal health as well as other aspects of women's health.

With this in mind during the academic sessions of the SLCOG held in Colombo in 1995 the then President of SLCOG late Dr. Lakshman Fernando on the suggestion of late Dr. Rohan Perera put forward the idea of developing an association consisting of the national societies of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists of the South Asian Region. This meeting was attended by senior Obstetricians & Gynaecologists of the region mainly Pakistan, India, and Sri Lanka.

Following discussions, a decision was reached to put forward the idea to other countries in the region. Bangladesh, Bhutan, Maldives and Nepal. These countries were happy to join us and work towards forming such an association. Initially, an organization called FOGSAR was formed, during the 14th AOFOG congress in Bali, Indonesia in 1996. At this meeting, a unanimous decision was reached to change the name of the organization to SAFOG and to have its headquarters in Colombo, Sri Lanka. The formation of the SAFOG provided opportunities for all the countries to discuss their individual problems with respect to maternity and perinatal care facilities as well as other aspects of women's health. From then onwards the hospitality, friendship and warmth shared by the members of the individual countries was memorable with bonds of friendship and unity among the specialists of the individual countries.

The SLCOG has grown both in the sphere of patient management as well as in achieving international recognition over the past 55 years of its existence. This has been a great pride to all of us members of the SLCOG and we hope that this relationship will continue to grow. At this special time, we are greatly honored to welcome members of the SAFOG and other international organizations to which the SLCOG belongs such as FIGO, RCOG, AOFOG to Sri Lanka and thank them very much for their participation in the conference by travelling long distances or by Zoom in order to enhance the knowledge and expertise of all the Obstetricians & Gynaecologists present in the region.

I wish the SLCOG Academic Sessions and the Silver Jubilee Congress of SAFOG every success and hope that everyone present will enjoy their stay in Sri Lanka and the beautiful scenic facilities we have to offer.

Dr. Mrs. Marlene Abeywardena Patron, Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists

### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF SLCOG





I am pleased to send this message on the occasion that SLCOG is hosting the Silver Jubilee Congress of SA-FOG with the 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Academic Session of SLCOG. During the last 55 years, SLCOG has done tremendous work to improve the welfare and uplift women s health in Sri Lanka. Due to the great effort of SLCOG, maternal mortality has been reduced to 29 per 100,000 live births in the year 2021. Today SLCOG is the flag bearer and setting standards for the other professional colleges to follow.

The theme of the congress, "Enhancing Women's Health with Regional & Global Partnership," was carefully chosen to look back at 55 years of SLCOG and 25 years of SAFOG. It is a great pleasure for SLCOG to host the Silver Jubilee of SAFOG. I also take this opportunity to thank FIGO, AOFOG, UNICEF, WHO, and UNFPA, who agreed to participate in this grand congress in various ways to make this congress a historical academic feast.

I would like to extend my special thanks to Prof. Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran and Dr. Rohana Haththotuwa for organizing this event internationally. I extend my sincere thanks to Prof. Pradeep De Silva, Prof. Hemantha Dodampahala, Prof. Rukshan Fernandopulle, Prof. Rasika Herath, Dr. Wasantha Galappaththy, Dr. Mangala Dissnayake and Dr. Ruwan Silva for their outstanding effort in organizing this congress. I'll be failing in my duty if I don't appreciate Dr. Sharada Jayalath for excellent editorial work.

I assure you that you will not be disappointed by the academic atmosphere of the congress, the warm hospitality and the ambience of Colombo. Sri Lanka offers several tourist attractions for those who can spend extra days. Please join the conference and get enriched by the science, culture and friendship of Sri Lanka.

I wish all the success for the congress.

Prof. Sanath Lanerolle President, SLCOG

### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT FIGO





South Asian Federation of Obstetrics and Gynaecology (SAFOG) Silver Jubilee Congress in association with the 55th Annual Scientific Conference of Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists (SLCOG).

On behalf of The International Federation of Gynecology and Obstetrics, our heartfelt congratulations to the South Asian Federation of Obstetrics and Gynaecology (SAFOG) in celebrating your Silver Jubilee. FIGO is comprised of over 130 member societies, and SAFOG has always represented the goals and global interests at its core. FIGO is the Global Voice of Women's Health, but that voice is only as strong as member societies. Within SAFOG you have amplified the FIGO message with shared work, shared goals, shared needs and most certainly an understanding of how to go further to improving women's health across Asia, and, by example, around the world. Shared experiences make for stronger messaging. FIGO believes that change comes most effectively when we share experiences and knowledge, so that we can all grow. Every opportunity I have to join a SAFOG meeting I see the enthusiasm and dedication - I see the love you all have for one another, your communities and, most importantly, the women we serve.

Dr. Jeanne Ann Conry MD, PhD

President, The International Federation of Gynecology and Obstetrics



### MESSAGE FROM THE CEO FIGO





It is my great honour and pleasure to contribute a few words to this Souvenir Brochure, both as an individual and as CEO of FIGO.

SAFOG is an active and productive organisation, and the membership includes many countries that are valuable members of FIGO. I have visited South Asia regularly over the last 10 years and have always been impressed with the standard of care the Obstetricians and Gynaecologists provide for the women they look after. There is dedication and an exemplary work ethic throughout the region in order to achieve the best results even under difficult circumstances.

The many meetings I have attended are full of useful information and everyone will have the opportunity to learn and participate. I am delighted to be present here in person to see many friends old and new.

Prof. Mary Ann Lumsden
FRCOG, FACOG, FCPSB, MD
CEO, FIGO
Prof. of Gynaecology and Medical Education, University of Glasgow



### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT RCOG





Dear Dr. Rohana Haththotuwa, President of SAFOG, Professor Sanath Lanerolle, President of the SLCOG, the Council and the Members of SAFOG and SLCOG,

I would like to extend my sincere congratulations personally, and on behalf of RCOG, to SAFOG on its Silver Jubilee and my warm wishes for the SAFOG Jubilee Congress in association with the 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Scientific Conference of the Royal College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists.

Our thoughts our very much with our Sri Lankan colleagues and we are heartened that through this congress you are able to provide support to doctors in Sri Lanka and the wider region.

We hope that RCOG's work in the region will continue to complement the work of SAFOG and the national organisations, and we look forward to further developing our strong relationship with SAFOG and SLCOG to improve the health of women and girls globally.

Best wishes

Mr. Edward Morris MD, PRCOG President, RCOG



### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT RANZCOG





On behalf of the Royal Australian and New Zealand College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists (RANZ-COG) family, may I extend heartfelt congratulations to the South Asian Federation of Obstetrics and Gynaecology (SAFOG) on the occasion of its Silver Jubilee Congress and to the Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists (SLCOG) for its 55th Annual Scientific Meeting.

Please accept my apology for being unable to attend in person.

Our members across Australia and New Zealand value the opportunity to work with our colleagues in SAFOG and SLCOG and are keen to strengthen ties with the growing community of those working in women's health across Asia and Oceania.

As we come to grips with the post-pandemic world, let's re-emphasise the value of cooperation and exchange. We all benefit from close relationships and strong, combined advocacy for our members and their patients across our part of the world.

Through memoranda of understanding, RANZCOG is progressing closer ties with many societies and associations of obstetrics and gyneacology. We will be working with our immigration authorities to simplify and streamline observership opportunities for overseas fellows and trainees.

We are also considering opening our extensive educational resources, via affiliate membership of our college to members of similar organizations in our region.

To SAFOG and SLCOG Community, please enjoy your meeting and the networking opportunities it provides. Do also consider engaging with your professional organizations to be part of your team and help guide our professions' future in your home countries.

Best wishes from RANZCOG!

Dr. Benjamin Bopp President, RANZCOG.



### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT AOFOG





On behalf of AOFOG, I would like to send my heartfelt welcome to all participants and warmest congratulations to the South Asian Federation of Obstetrics and Gynaecology (SAFOG) Silver Jubilee Congress in association with the 55th Annual Scientific Conference of Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists (SLCOG). I truly wish I could be there to see you all and witness the success of the Congress and the Conference in person. For 25 years, SAFOG has proved to be one of the most active professional federations which has dedicated itself to solve some of the challenges and issues concerning women's health in South Asian countries.

We have an exciting program at this conference that will allow members to reflect upon, strengthen friendships, extend our networks, and jointly explore current and future research directions. I hope that you will have a productive and fun-filled time at this very special conference.

Prof. Pisake Lumbiganon MD, MS (Penn), FRCOG (ad eundem) President, AOFOG



### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT FOGSI





Dear Friends,

It gives me immense pleasure inviting you all to the South Asian Federation of Obstetrics and Gynaecology (SAFOG) silver jubilee congress in Association with 55th Annual Scientific conference of Sri Lanka College of Obstetrician and Gynaecologists (SLCOG), the theme of the conference is 'Enhancing Women's health with regional and global partnership'.

FOGSI as an integral part of SAFOG, with the theme FOGSI For All Always & DHEERA Stop Violence Against Women works towards reaching the SDG goals pertaining to women's health, preparing to face the challenges, concentrating on the specific problems towards women's health, reproductive health issues to reduce the maternal morbidity and mortality by applying innovations and implementation of protocols in clinical practice.

This congress is an excellent academic platform to update knowledge and for strengthening the capacity. The goal is to empower each and every woman by motivating obstetricians and gynaecologists to work towards overall health of women at all stages to provide quality of life. One more important responsibility is to End Violence Against Women and Gender Equality.

Hoping to see you soon!!!

With regards,

Dr. S. Shantha Kumari President, FOGSI Treasurer, FIGO

### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT SOGP, PAKISTAN





I feel honored to write message for Souvenir book of SAFOG Congress Colombo Sri Lanka.

On behalf of SOGP (Society of Obstetricians and Gynecologists) many congratulations to Professor Rohana Haththotuwa, President SAFOG, Professor Sanath Lanerolle, President SLCOG, Chairman organizing committee, Chairman scientific committee and their team for wonderful Congress in Colombo Sri Lanka.

In this congress there are presenters from all over the world, who will share their scientific & research work on the subject of Obstetrics and Gynaecology.

SOGP is the oldest specialists professional body of Pakistan. There are around 4000 life members. It has 30 subchapters all over Pakistan. SOGP is a member organization of SAFOG for the last 25 years. A large number of delegates from Pakistan are attending this congress. There are invited lectures, free papers and SOGP scientific session as part of active representation from SOGP.

Vision of SOGP is to promote excellence in practice of Obstetrics and Gynaecology and to safeguard the health and rights of women and newborn in Pakistan.

MMR and PNMR like other South Asian countries is alarmingly high. Main causes of maternal deaths are PPH and eclampsia. We need to address these issues in collaboration with international organizations.

I wish you all an enjoyable and productive SAFOG Congress in Colombo Sri Lanka.

Prof. Azizunnisa Abbasi FRCOG, MRCOG, FCPS, DGO, MCPS President, SOGP



# MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT, OBSTETRICAL & GYNAECOLOGICAL SOCIETY OF BANGLADESH (OGSB)





South Asia Federation of Obstetrics and Gynaecology (SAFOG) reflects the collective thoughts of South Asia. South Asia is the southern region of Asia, which is meant in both geographical and ethno-cultural terms. The region consists of the countries of Afghanistan, Bangladesh, Bhutan, India, Maldives, Nepal, Pakistan, and Sri Lanka. Topographically, it is defined by the Bay of Bengal, Arabian Sea and Indian Ocean on the south; and the Himalayas, Karakoram, and Pamir mountains on the north. The Amu Darya, which rises north of the Hindu Kush, forms part of the northwestern border. On land (clockwise), South Asia is bounded by Western Asia, Central Asia, East Asia, and Southeast Asia. The socio-cultural environment on the basis of economic status, culture and customs, religion, empowerment of women makes some difference, but the disease profile and provision of medical care services are more or less similar.

As obstetricians and gynaecologists we are responsible for the health and rights of women. It is implied.

We, as SAFOG, may work together consistently, may work with these challenges, so that the women of SAFOG region can live with their heads held high and live-in peace and happiness.

The theme of the Silver Jubilee conference is 'Enhancing Women's Health with Regional and Global Partnership' is inspiring and it will strengthen our aspirations and commitments in celebrating a glorious and successful Golden jubilee after twenty five years from today.

Long live SAFOG!

Prof. Ferdousi Begum President, Obstetrical & Gynaecological Society of Bangladesh (OGSB)



### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT OF NESOG, NEPAL





Dear Distinguished Colleagues,

Warm greetings from the members of NESOG, Nepal.

First of all, I extend my sincere gratitude to all SAFOG family including all previous presidents, office bearers and senior members for taking SAFOG to its height. I extend best wishes to all distinguished international delegates including representatives of FIGO, AOFOG, SAFOG, South Asia and other countries who are attending this Silver Jubilee SAFOG congress in Association with the 55th Annual Conference of SLCOG which is being hosted by SLCOG in Colombo. We also extend best wishes to all national delegates who are participating in this conference. We sincerely hope that everyone will get the opportunity of exchanging academic knowledge and skills through deliberations and presentations during this conference.

SAFOG provides a common platform for all its members to interact and exchange scientific knowledge, share skills and communicate for their professional growth and development. However, SAFOG needs to grow and develop as an institution that can undertake various educational and research projects apart from public health/reproductive health programs.

With warm regards,

Prof. Ganesh Dangal President, Nepal Society of Obs/Gyn



### MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT AFSOG





It gives me great pleasure to send this message to the programme book as the President of the Afghanistan Society of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists of with the theme of "*Enhancing Women's Health with Regional and Global Partnership''*. It is really appropriate to the present scenario of the World Maternity Care.

This will be a unique conference where we celebrate Silver Jubilee of SAFOG in affiliation with 55<sup>th</sup> Annual Academic Session of SLCOG. The huge number of foreign delegates attending this conference indicates the enthusiasm and interest of the Obstetricians & Gynaecologists in our part of the world. I wish for a very successful Silver Jubilee celebration Session.

Dr. Najmussama Shefajo President, AFSOG

### MESSAGE FROM THE SECRETARY SLCOG





It gives me great pleasure to welcome all of you to this academic festival of the Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians & Gynaecologists, which celebrates the golden milestone of the college promoting women's health for the past 55 years.

The SLCOG was established on 15<sup>th</sup> December 1967. Since then, the college has grown in stature, and I am proud to have been associated with its progress.

This indeed is a unique conference where the global fraternity of obstetricians and gynaecologists, namely WHO, ACOG, RCOG, RANZCOG, EBCOG, FOGSI, OGSM, FIGO, AOFOG & SAFOG are participating and sharing their wealth of knowledge.

The large number of delegates attending this conference indicates the enthusiasm and interest that obstetricians and gynaecologists of today have in sharing knowledge. An elaborate and packed scientific programme has been prepared for the conference spanning over three days starting from the 30<sup>th</sup> of September 2022.

The theme of this year's conference is "Enhancing Women's Health with Regional & Global Partnership", and this is the pinnacle of academic activities under the presidency of Prof. Sanath Lanerolle.

We are confident that the delegates and faculty of this conference will both have a pleasant and fruitful interaction.

We will consider the efforts of the organizing team worthwhile if all the participants find the deliberations useful, make new and lasting friendships and have an enjoyable stay in the pearl of the Indian Ocean, Sri Lanka.

May this festival of academics share the light of scientific knowledge!

Dr. Chaminda Mathota

Hon. Secretary, SLCOG



### MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN ORGANIZING COMMITTEE





It gives me great pleasure to convey this message for the Silver Jubilee SAFOG conference in association with 55th Annual Scientific Congress of Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists. I am delighted to welcome all the participants and speakers to this international congress which will be held from 30<sup>th</sup> September to 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2022 in Colombo.

This year the conference focuses on "Enhancing Women's Health with Regional & Global Partnership". The Scientific Congress includes several pre- and post-congress workshops, plenary sessions, symposia, SAFOG and SLCOG Young Gynaecologist Award sessions, orations and free paper presentations. Even though participation of overseas speakers physically will be limited due to the present situation in the country, the scientific committee made all the arrangements to bring the latest knowledge in research and innovation in the field of global women's health into the congress. I am happy to announce that delegates from SAFOG and AOFOG countries have already confirmed their participation for this landmark event.

Organizing committee is very happy to welcome and provide all the local hospitality at a very reasonable rate for the delegates from Asia and other countries. It is probably the best time to travel and enjoy the wonderful Sri Lanka.

Dr. Mangala Dissanayake Chairman, Organizing Committee



### MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE





The Silver jubilee congress of SAFOG and 55th Annual Academic Sessions of SLCOG in partnership plans a gala academic program in the vibrant city of Colombo from 30th September to 2nd October 2022.

A galaxy of eminent resource personnel are attending this gala congress. A wide range of topics addressing key areas on women's health issues are covered. The SAFOG region has many common health issues. The gathering of global and regional experts in the respective subject area will add their valuable strategies to uplift women's health. A platform is thus created to find answers to controversies in the field of Obstetrics and Gynaecology. CPD points will be allocated for participants to enable them to fulfill their academic responsibilities.

It is my privilege to organize the scientific program with global and regional partnership to have a positive impact on enhancing clinical outcomes and health indices of women and offspring. Several pre-congress workshops are lined up and attendance will have a positive impact on quality of health care in the region and country. Hope the delegates reap the maximum benefit to upgrade the professionalism and skills in the specialty. Hope you enjoy your academic and social interactions in Colombo.

Prof. Rukshan C. Fernandopulle Chairman, Scientific Committee



## MESSAGE FROM THE CHAIRMAN OF ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES AND RESEARCH





It is with great pride and honour that I pen this message as the Chairman of Academic Activities and Research of SLCOG on the occasion of 55th Annual Scientific Sessions of the Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists.

As a pioneer organization in empowering clinical excellence in the specialty in the country, we have taken steps to widen our horizon to a global scale by collaborating with South Asian Federation of Obstetricians and Gynecologists (SAFOG) for their silver jubilee scientific conference.

With the theme of "Enhancing Women's Health with Regional & Global Partnership" we apricate the importance of global relationships in achieving scientific excellence and optimal patient care.

The committee on academic activities has prepared an interesting, academic program for the event, including, four orations, guest lectures, symposia and free communications. I sincerely hope this would be a stepping-stone to mold the young minds to be equipped with knowledge in order to win the quest of being a better clinician. Further, I presume the event will be a good platform to showcase findings by both local and international researchers.

Though the Covid-19 pandemic has taken a toll on the field of obstetrics and gynaecology as well as research, I hope these sessions would generate momentum to move forward in dissemination of scientific research.

It is my privilege and pleasure to warmly welcome you all to seize this valuable opportunity to walk with us towards scientific advancement. I am confident that this will be a stimulating and interesting academic event.

Prof. Rasika Herath Chairman, Academic Activities and Research



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### Pre Congress Workshop - 01















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PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOP

### OPTIMIZING SAFETY IN LABOUR





27<sup>th</sup> September ( **\**) 8.30 AM - 3.15 PM



**SLCOG - AUDITORIUM** 

8.00 am - 8.20 am - Registration

8.20 am - 9.00 am - Introduction to the Labour Care Guide (The New Partogram)

9.10 am - 9.50 am - CTG - The evidence-based approach to interpretation

9.50am - 10.10am - Tea

10.10 am - 10.50 am - Instruments - Vacuum delivery

11.00 am - 11.40 am - Instruments - Forceps delivery

11.50 am - 12.30 pm - Respectful maternal care and labour ward Ethics

12.40 pm - 1.20 pm - PPH - Evidence-based management

1.20 pm - 1.50 pm - Lunch

1.50 pm - 3.15 pm - Instruments - Hands on training

### RESOURCE PERSONS



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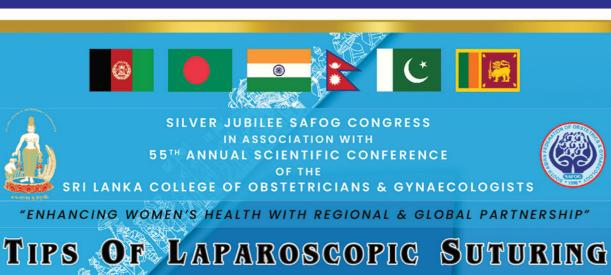












(a) 27th SEPTEMBER (b) 8.30AM - 1.30PM

SURGICAL TRAINING LABORATORY
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Consultants **Senior Registrars** 

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8.30 am - 8.45 am Introduction to the workshop

8.45 am - 9.15 am Basic principles in laparoscopic suturing

- Getting a needle into the abdomen
- Handling the needle
- Knottina
- Selecting suitable instruments for suturing

9.15 am - 9.45 am Laparoscopic suturing - demonstration

9.45 am - 10.00 am Tea break

10.00 am - 1.30 pm Hands on session







DR. SUMUDU **KUMARAGE** (SENIOR LECTURER IN SURGERY, SRI LANKA)



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### NOVEL AVENUES OF ADVANCE GYNAECOLOGICAL LAPAROSCOP





28th September 8.00 AM - 4.00 PM



UNIVERSITY HOSPITAL KDU - THEATRE COMPLEX

8.00 am - 8.30 am Talk - Energy Devices in Laparoscopy

Dr. Madura Jayawardane

8.30 am - 10.00 am Live Surgery – Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy for Frozen Pelvis

10.00 am - 10.30 am Dealing with Complications in Laparoscopy

Dr. R. Modi

10.00 am - 10.30 am Tea Break

Live Surgery – Laparoscopic Adenomyomectomy (Aqua dissection technique) 10.30 am - 12.00 pm

Dr. R. Modi

12.00 pm - 12.30 pm Lunch

Live Surgery – Laparoscopic Ovarian Cystectomy (Endometrioma) without Cautery 12.30 am - 2.00 pm

Dr. R. Modi

Talk - Exploring the Unknown through Keyhole 2.00 am - 2.30 pm

Dr. Kumara Dissanayake

2.30 am - 4.00 pm Live Surgery - Total Laparoscopic Hysterectomy - The Basics

Dr. R. Modi



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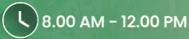
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### ENHANCING RESPECTFUL MATERNITY CARE

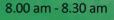


28th September





**SLCOG GROUND FLOOR AUDITORIUM** 



Registration



8.30 am - 8.50 am

Introduction to respectful Maternity Care and current status in Sri Lanka

Dr. Mohamed Rishard - Senior Lecturer in Obs and Gyne, University of Colombo



9.00 am - 9.20 am

Respectful maternity care: Buddhist perspective

Ven Aludeniye Subhodi Thero



9.30 am - 10.00 am

"You can do better: A mother's experience at a state

hospital"

Mrs. Dhananjie Padmaperuma

10.00 am - 10.30 am

Tea Break



10.30 am - 11.00 am

Challenges and barriers faced by the care providers

in improving the quality of care

Mrs. Chamila Ranathunga, Sister-in-charge, ward 03, DMH



11.00 am - 11.30 am

"The way forward"

Prof. Hemantha Senanayake, Emeritus Professor

11.30 am - 12.00 pm

Discussion



- Medical Undergraduates and postgraduates
- Intern Medical Officers/Medical Officers
- Nursing Officers
- Midwifery Officers
- Any other interested party



















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### SAFOG ONCOLOGY COMMITTEE WORKSHOP ON Elimination of Cervical Cancer: Joining the WHO Initiative "Together We Can"







29th SEPTEMBER 8.00 AM - 1.00 PM SLCOG GROUND FLOOR **AUDITORIUM** 

Guest of Honour: Dr. S. Shantakumari Chief Guest: Dr. Rohana Haththotuwa





Dr. Yousouf Latif Khan



**Oncology Committee** 



Dr. Bhagyalaxmi Nayak Co Chairperson **Oncology Committee** 

### Learning objectives:

At the end of the workshop the participant should be able to:

- · Acquire evidence-based knowledge about primary prevention of cervical cancer by HPV vaccination and screening.
- Manage precancerous cervical cancer lesions and make treatment decisions for invasive cervical cancer.
- Should be able to perform LEEP, thermal ablation, cryotherapy and do colposcopy with handheld colposcope.

### **Workshop Program:**

8.00 am - 8.05 am - Welcome address: Dr. Rohana Haththotuwa

8.05 am - 8.15 am - Pretest: Kahoot based

8.15 am - 9.00 am - HPV Vaccination: Recent evidence-based guidelines Dr. Aliya Begum Aziz Panelists - Dr. Krishnendu Gupta, Dr. Niranjan Chavan, Dr. Samanthi Premaratne

9.00 am - 9.45 am - Screening for cervical cancer: New WHO guidelines Dr. Tahira Yasmeen Panelists - Dr. Bhagyalaxmi Nayak, Dr. Sabera Khatoon, Dr. Farhana Dewan

9.45 am - 10.30 am - Management of screen positives

Panelists - Dr. Yapa Wijeratne, Dr. Aliya Begum Aziz, Dr. Uzma Chishti, Dr. Bhagyalaxmi Nayak

10.30 am - 10.45 am - Tea break

10.45 am - 11.30 am - Management of Cervical Cancer

- Step by step Radical Hysterectomy Dr. Bhagyalaxmi Nayak Panelists - Dr. Kanishka Karunaratne, Dr. Ferdousi Begum - Radiotherapy in Cervical Cancer Dr. Sabera Khatoon

Panelists - Dr. Rubina Sohail, Dr. Madhuri Patel - Palliative Care

Dr. Sujeeva Weerasinghe Panelists - Dr. Lubna Hassan, Dr. Ugyen Tshomo

11.30 am - 12.30 pm - Hands on sessions - 4 Stations

- Thermal Ablation - Cryotherapy

- Augmented VIA (Smartscope) Dr. Uzma Chishti, Dr. Ugyen Tshomo

Dr. Bhagyalaxmi Nayak, Dr.Sabera Khatoon Dr. Tahira Yasmeen, Dr. Yapa Wijeratne Dr. Aliya Aziz, Dr. Samanthi Premaratne

12.30 pm - 12.45 pm -Posttest: Kahoot based

12.45 pm - 1.00 pm - Vote of thanks and certificate distribution



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Speaker



### **JEEVANDHARA SRI LANKA**

REDEFINING
POSTPARTUM HAEMMORHAGE MANAGEMENT
FOR FRONTLINEOBSTETRIC
HEALTHCARE PROVIDERS

( ) 8.00 AM - 1.00 PM 📺 29<sup>th</sup> September

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Session 1 - Expert - Dr SP Jaiswar / Dr Lalith Samarawickrama (SLCOG)

Prof Rohana Haththotuwa

Prof Sadiah Ahsan Pal

Address by Chairperson Maternal and Perinatal Committee SAFOG

8.38 am - 8.42 am

8.30 am - 8.35 am 8.35 am - 8.38 am Objective of Workshop

8.42 am - 8.45 am

Blessing by Chief Guest SAFOG President

Dr Achintha Dissanayake

8.28 am – 8.30 am | Welcome by Sri Lanka College of Obstetricians and Gynaecologists

Registration

8:00 am - 8:28 am

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Table 2- Dr Meera/ Dr Vertika / Dr Chinthaka Banagala

Table 1 - Dr SP Jaiswar / Dr Meera

Prof Sadiah Ahsan Pal

Dr Meeta FOGSI

Dr Nivedita, FOGSI

Session 2 – Expert – 2 Dr Chinthaka Banagala / Dr P G Jayasundara (SLCOG)

9.45 am - 10.00 am Non-Clinical Components of PPH EMC

10.00 am - 10.15 am Use of NASG

10.15 am - 10.30 am | QUIZ 2

Hands On Training

NASG (2 Tables)

10.30 am - 12.00 pm

9.15 am - 9.35 am | PPH EMC using Bundle Approach

QUIZ 1

9.35 am - 9.45 am

8.45 am - 9.00 am Prediction & Prevention of PPH

Identification of PPH

9.00 am - 9.15 am

Dr Priti Kumar, FOGSI

Dr Anupam, FOGSI

Dr Achintha, SLCOG

Dr Meera, FOGSI

Dr Nivedita/ Dr Anupam/ Dr P G Jayasundara

Bimanual Uterine Compression and Aortic Compression

Dr Priti Kumar/ Dr Lalith Samarawickrama

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### TAL MEDICINE WORKSHOP

29th September ( 8.00AM - 1.30PM ( SLCOG Auditorium Time Importance of first trimester ultrasound 8.00 am - 8.45 am

scan 8.15 am - 9.15 am Live demonstration 1 9.15 am - 10.00 am Prediction of late pregnancy complications during first trimester

10.00 am - 10.30 am

10.30 am - 11.15 am Common fetal anomalies 11.15 am - 11.45 am Live demonstration 2 11.45 am - 12.45 pm Disease specific fetal surveillance - Rhesus isoimmuniztion

Fetal growth restrictionDiabetes mellitus

10:52:31

12.45 pm - 1.30 pm Disease specific fetal surveillance

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### Silver Jubilee SAFOG Congress in association with Inauguration of the 55th Annual Scientific Congress

### 30<sup>th</sup> September 2022 at 5:30 p.m. at Lotus Ballroom, Shangri-La Hotel

### **INAUGURATION**

5.35 p.m.	Arrival of Guests of Honour
5.40 p.m.	Arrival of the Chief Guest
5:45 p.m.	Ceremonial Procession
5.50 p.m.	Traditional lighting of the oil lamp
6.00 p.m.	National Anthem
6.05 p.m.	Welcome address - Prof. Sanath Lanerolle President - SLCOG
6.10 p.m.	Presentation of SAFOG President Medal
	Presentation of SAFOG Past President Medal
6.15 p.m.	Address by the President SAFOG - Dr. Rohana Haththotuwa
6.25 p.m.	Report by the Secretary General, SAFOG - Prof. Yousaf Latif
6.35 p.m.	Address by the Special Guest - Dr. Asela Gunawardena
6.45 p.m.	Address by the Guest of Honour - <i>Prof. Kazunori Ochiai</i>
6.55 p.m.	Address by the Guest of Honour - Dr. George Laryea-Adjei
7.05 p.m.	Message by Prof. Neena Raina, Director FGL, SEARO - WHO
7.15 p.m.	Address by the Chief Guest - Prof. Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran
7.30 p.m.	Awarding of Fellowships
8.10 p.m.	Dr. Rohana Haththotuwa Inaugural Oration
	Prof. Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran
8.55 p.m.	Vote of Thanks
	Dr. Chaminda Mathota, Hony. Secretary, SLCOG
9.00 p.m.	Procession leaves the hall

### Detailed Programme - 2022

# DAY 01 | SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME | 30TH SEPTEMBER 2022

HALL - D	"FREE PAPERS 24"		£_			SAFOG	COUNCIL MEETING		FREE PAPERS 30
HALL – C (LOTUS BALLROOM)	"FREE PAPERS 18"	"From radical to conservative; a decade of evolution of surgical management of placenta accreta" By Dr U D P Ratnasiri"	"KEY NOTE ADDRESS"  Enhancing Partnerships for Universal Health Coverage, Primary Health Care and the SDGs in South Asia"  By Dr. Rene Ekpini ,Regional Advisor Health,	"PLENARY LECTURE 1" De Silva (Immediate Past President SLCOG)	r Viewing	SLCOG – YGA (5)	SAFOG – YGA (6)	Viewing	SYMPOSIUM O & G Society of Malaysia - ICOG Virtual Training of Trainers for SAFOG: The background and lessons learnt? - Dr Thaneemalai Jeganathan Analysis of Virtual Training of Trainers - Dr Yong Soon Leong, Dr Zaridah Bt Shaffie Panel Discussion; Open access and collaboration - the impetus for Obstetric training
HALL-B (LOTUS BALLROOM)	"FREE PAPERS 12"	"D. A. RANASINGHE ORATION" s of evolution of surgical management of placenta acci	"KEY NOTE ADDRESS" erships for Universal Health Coverage, Primary Health Car By Dr. Rene Ekpini, Regional Advisor Health,	"PLENARY LECTURE 1" "Molecular basis of Diabetes." by Prof Pradeep De Silva (Immediate Past President SLCOG)	Tea break & Poster Viewing	GUEST LECTURE 4,5,6 Late onset FGR Diagnostic Dilemmas - Dr. Ayesha Malik Novel concepts in pre term labour - Prof. Dr. Mahbuba Akter Banu Practices and possibilities of Evidence Based Medicine in Obstetrics and Gynaecology Dr. Shabeen Naz	GUEST LECTURE 10,11,12 Postpartum Intrauterine Contraceptive Uptake - Dr. Azra Ahsan Maternity care to minimise future NCD - Prof. Kohinoor Begum Novel concepts in Pre eclampsia - Prof. Dr Sohana Siddique	Lunch & Poster Viewing	GUEST LECTURE 13,14,15 Environmental factors in Infertility - Prof. Rashida Begum Fertility Preservation - Prof. Mariam Faruqui Revisiting recurrent Pregnancy loss - Prof. Sehereen Farhad Siddiqua
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GUEST LECTURE 16,17,18 Menopause, breast cancer and HRT - Dr. Edward Morris (Virtual) Understanding chronic unexplained pelvic pain - Dr Suchitra Pandit Perimenopausal bleeding-Role of Hysteroscoy - Dr Parul Kotadawala	Tea break & Poster Viewing	DAY 02   SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME   1ST OCTOBER 2022	HALL – B (LOTUS BALLROOM)	FREE PAPERS 42	PLENARY LECTURE 2 VID-19 pandemic and what should we do next?" - B	PLENARY LECTURE 3 s In South Asia- A tragedy; What can SAFOG do? -	PROF RASHID LATIF KHAN O	Tea break & Poster Viewing	GUEST LECTURE 22,23,24 Aesthetic & Regenerative Gynaecology - Dr Narendra Malhotra Tranexemic Acid & PPH: Alternative Routes - Prof. Muhundhan Non-Clinical Component of PPH Bundle: An innovation to improve the Outcome - Dr Farhana Dewan	GUEST LECTURE 28,29,30 Damage- Control surgery for major Obstetric Hemorrhage - Prof. Dr. Tazeen Abbas -Secretary General SOGP PPH: Role of UBT - Prof. Syeba Akhter Placenta Adhesive Spectrum Disorder - Prof. Fatema Rahman
SYMPOSIUM - UNICER Session "THINK NUTRITION FIRST" Preparing adolescents for wellness; think nutrition first - Dr Rowshan Ara Begum Managing GDM with Medical nutrition therapy - Dr Hema Divakar Post-delivery advice on Nutrition; new mom new baby - Dr Farhana Deewan new baby - Dr Farhana & Gynaecologists; Think nutrition first - Dr Abner Elkan Daniel		DAY 02   SCI	HALL – A (LOTUS BALLROOM)	FREE PAPERS 36	"What have we learned from the CO	"Cesarean Section rate			GUEST LECTURE 19,20,21 Endocrine Disruptors & Fertility - Dr Jaideep Malhotra Challenges in management of GDM - Dr. Sheuli Kamrunnahar Uncommonectopic pregnancies- Challenges in the management - Dr. Hiralal Konar	SYMPOSIUM - UNFPA Session "Intimate Partner Violence in Pregnancy" Intimate partner Violence (IPV): An Overview - Dr Lakshmen Senanayake IPV in pregnancy: Devastating consequences - Dr. Sarada Hemapriya Lessons learnt in addressing IPV: Experiences from India - Dr. Shantha Kumari, President FOGSI Lessons learnt in addressing IPV: Experiences from Thailand - Prof. Unnop Jaisamrarn Lessons learnt in addressing IPV: Experiences from Sri Lanka - Dr. Nettanjali Mapitigama
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GUEST LECTURE 46, 47, 48 Electronic Fetal Monitoring- beyond conventional interpretation - Prof Lanka Dasanayaka Early Management of Miscarriages - Dr. Rajiv Vithanage Optimising the outcome SLE - Dr. Punsiri Gunathilaka	SYMPOSIUM - "FIGO SAFOG Session - "Women's Health in Crisis Situations" Moderator; Dr Asifa Noreen Pakistan floods, Climate change and women in crises - Prof Rubina Sohail Protecting autonomy of Rohingya women in sexual & reproductive health - Prof Samina Chowdhry Devastating effects of Srilankan economic crises on vulnerable populations - Prof Sanath Lanerolle	SYMPOSIUM - WHO Session  "Accelerating the climination of cervical cancer as a public health problem:  Towards achieving	Are we on track to deliver 2030 targets?  Global targets & Regional actions in reaching 90-70-90 targets by 2030 in post COVID era - Dr Anoma JAYATHILAKA, Virtual)  WHO recommendation on screening and treatment of pre cancerous lesions in cervical cancer - Dr. Neerja Bhatta  WHO framework for strengthening and scaling-up services for the management	of invasive cervical cancer and providing palliative care - Dr. Cherian Varghese Practical constraints on achieving elimination of cervical cancer 90-70-90 targets by 2030; practical implications in a country situation - Dr. Surraj Perera	Menopause Society Cardiovascular Health & Menopause - Prof Zinnat Nasreen Prophylactic Oopherectomy - Dr. Harsha Atapattu Prescribing Hormones in Menopause - Dr. Diluk Senadeera		
SYMPOSIUM UNICEF Session  "Can improvements in maternal nutrition lead to reductions in LBW in Sri Lanka?"  Trends in Low birthweight and programmatic approaches to LBW reduction—  Dr Sanjeeva S.P.Godakandage,  NPM Maternal Care, FHB  Evidence on programmatic pathways to address the issue of stagnant LBW; role of maternal nutrition—Dr Abner Daniel,  Chief of Health and Nutrition, UNICEF Sri Lanka Role of the obstetrician in LBW reduction—Prof Tiran D Dias Chairpersons; Deputy Representative    (Tentative: Dr. Ananda Ranatunga)	SYMPOSIUM - WHO SESSION  "Countdown to 2030: tracking progress towards reaching SDG targets in maternal mortality reduction" Are we on track? Global & Regional targets and actions in reducing maternal mortality- Dr Anoma Jayathilaka Country Progress & Challenges in achieving SDG targets in maternal mortality and Still Births in a Low mortality setting -Sri Lankan perspective - Harendra DasanayakaFHB, MOH  Role of obstetricians in reaching maternal and newborn health targets in a country - Dr Harsha Atapattu	Changing scenario in C-section in Sri Lanka - Dr. Apputhurai Sridharan Robsons TGCS - Prof. Shahanara Chowdhury	Triad of PCOS - Dr Champika Gihan		Menop Cardiovascular Health & Drophylactic Oopherec Prescribing Hormones in M		
GUEST LECTURE 43, 44, 45 Prenatal Diagnosis - Prof. S H Dodampahala Anaemia in Pregnancy - Prof Chaminda Kandauda Adenomyosis: A challenge to fertility treatment - Dr. S.Raguraman	Gestosis society Clinical Risk assessment for HDP Gestosis - Dr. Girija Wagh Genetics and Gene engineering Focus Gestosis - Dr. Sanjay Gupte Critical care in HDP Gestosis - Dr Alpesh Gandhi	dence	Dr. Kajendran Jogarasan Pelvic Floor dysfunction; Impact on quality of life - Dr. J B Sharma Updates of management of Isthmocele/ Caesarean scar defects - Dr Prabhath Jayanga Randombage		Perinatal society Preterm Birth - Current Stratergies and way forward - Dr Himali Herath Management of the newborn delivered at threshold of viability - Dr Nimesha Gamhewage Navizating through the crisis with	strategic planning to relieve burden of prematurity - Dr Surantha Perera	Valedictory & Conclusion
GUEST LECTURE 40, 41, 42 Adolescent Endometriosis in South Asian region- Prof Sameena Chouwdry Island nation challenges around maternal & new born care- Dr. Aseel Jaleel SRH:Bangaladesh Perspective - Dr. Joysree Saha	GUEST LECTURE 49, 50, 51 Outcome assessments in Obstetrics & Gynaecology - Dr. Chanil Ekanayaka Ventral suspension, an innovative operation for uterine prolapse in young women - Prof Azizunnisa Abbasi (Video presentation of the procedure) "Adolescent TB future cause of Infertility" - Prof Sangeeta Sharma	SYMPOSIUM - SOGP Session Moderator; Prof Tazeen Abbas "Strategies to reduce MMR in the region" Prevention and management of PPH a leading	Prof. General Shehla Baqai Practices and possibilities of Evidence Based Medicine in Obstetricsand Gynecology - Prof. Shabeen Naz Strategies to prevent and treat placenta increta, can we save the uterus? - Prof. Arshad Chohan Sociodemographic characteristics and Three Delays of Maternal Mortality	- Frot. Kubuna Sonati Panelists; Prof Aisha Siddiqua   Prof Aisha Malik   Prof Ros han Ara Qazi   Prof Shahida Sheikh   Prof Sadia Pal   Prof Zahida Parveen	SYMPOSIUM - RANZCOG Session (Virtual) Coordinator on behalf of RANZCOG & SLCOG; Dr Hasthika Ellepola - Dr Benjamin Bopp (President RANZCOG) "The National Pretern Birth Prevention Program in Australia" - Dr. Christoph Lehner		
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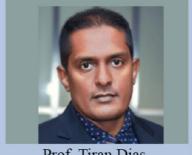
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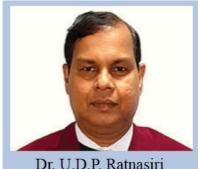
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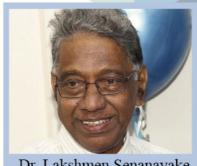
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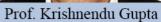
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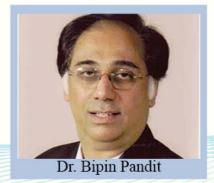
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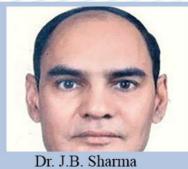
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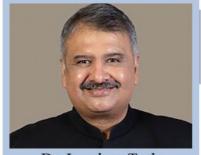
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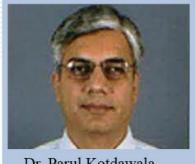
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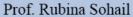
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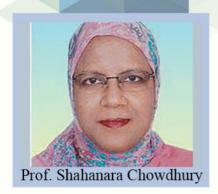
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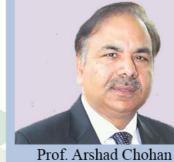


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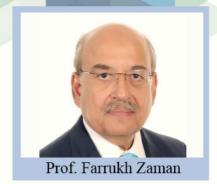
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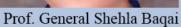






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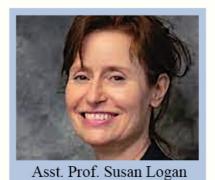




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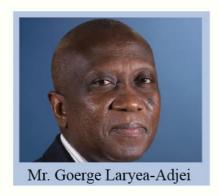
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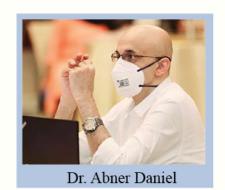




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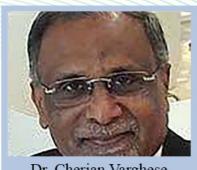




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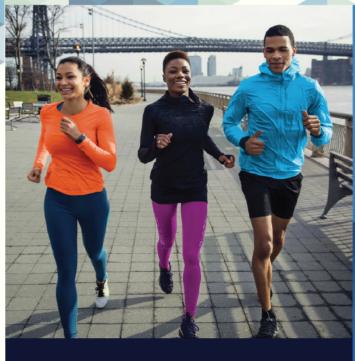
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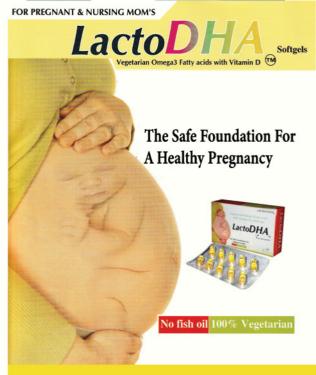
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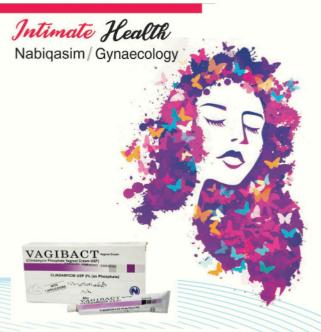
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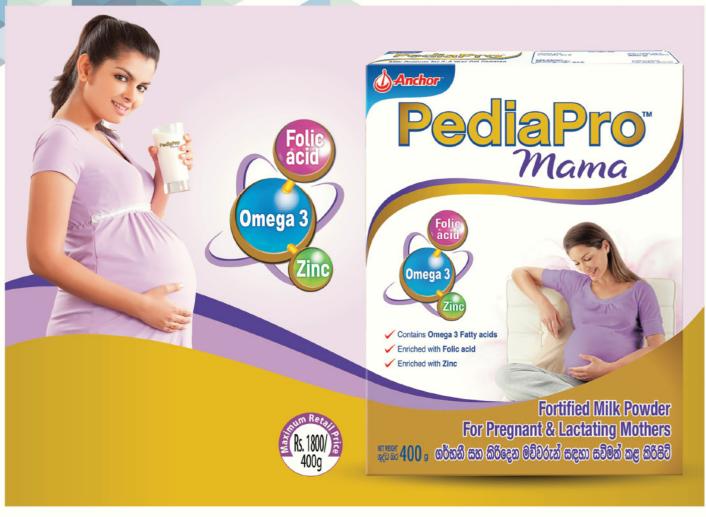
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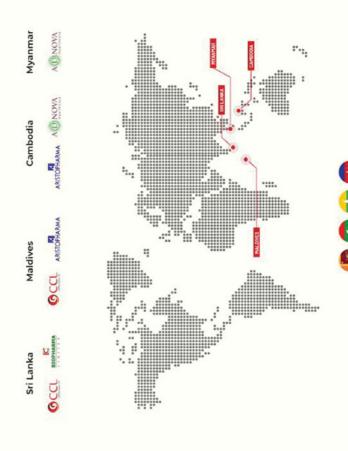
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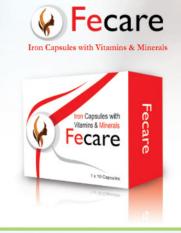






















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