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MEMBERSHIP BENEFITS

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2. Discounted Course fee for NCCP(I) Comprehensive Pulmonary Medicine E-Course (CPMeC) and NCCP(I) Interventional Pulmonology E-Course (IPeC) [ Course Website : https://chestcourses.org ].
3. Opportunity to participate and present your original research work at national conference (NAPCON) with travel grant for NCCP(I) - Prof. Dr. S. N. Gaur young scientist award.
4. Travel Grant for International Conferences (Rs. 80,000/- for U.S. & Canada & Rs. 60,000/- for other countries) and National Conferences (Rs. 20,000/-) each year.
5. Lifelong subscription to quarterly issues of Indian Journal of Chest Diseases and Allied Sciences, one of the top rated and cited indexed journals of Respiratory Medicine.
7. Lifelong subscription to Directory of Chest Physicians (updated every 5 years).
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Send both Membership Form and the Directory Entry Form (see overleaf), completed and signed along with supporting documents (Degree & Medical Council Registration Certificate), photograph and payment by DD/Cheque for Rs. 7080/- in favour of "National College of Chest Physicians (India)" by post to :

Dr. S. N. Gaur, Gaur Clinic, 130-A, Patparganj Village, Delhi - 110091.

Instructions :
1. Entries in Boxes should be in Capital letters Only.
2. Information in Cols 1 to 5 and Cols 15, 16 are Mandatory and should be in Capital Letters only.
3. DD/Cheque should be drawn in favour of “National College of Chest Physicians (India)” payable at Delhi.
4. All correspondence and the IJCDAS (Journal) will be dispatched at your Mailing address.
5. Filled applications to be sent to Prof. S. N. Gaur, GAUR Clinic, 130-A, Patparganj Village, Delhi – 110091.

To ,

The Secretary,
National College of Chest Physicians (India)

Dear Sir,

I request that I may be enrolled as a Member of National College of Chest Physicians (India). The Annual Subscription of Rs. 7080/-, Life Membership fee Rs.5000/- and Enrolment fee of Rs. 1000/- + GST 18% (Rs.1080) (Total Rs.7080/-) is enclosed herewith by Cash / Cheque / Demand Draft.

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8. Medical Education : (ENCLOSE COPIES OF DEGREE / DIPLOMA)

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For any difficulties encountered while filling up Membership form, write to ncsarangdhar@rocketmail.com
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COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

► CPMcC has been meticulously prepared by National College of Chest Physicians (India) with the help of Eminent National and International Pulmonology Experts

► CPMcC is useful for Students as well as Practising Pulmonologists for updating themselves with latest recommendations and standards of care for the management of various respiratory diseases

► CPMcC consists of 50 online modules to cover all aspects of Pulmonary Medicine over a span of 150 days

► Each module contains Master Class, Take Home Points, Suggested Reading and Feedback

► More than 1400 Doctors have successfully enrolled in CPMcC accredited by National Board of Examinations, New Delhi (II-A)

► NCCP (I) E-Courses will issue online certificate after successful completion of the course

Website - https://chestcourses.org  Support - https://support.chestcourses.org , +91 - 84540 94444

Course Fee :  NCCP(I) Members - 4000 INR ; Non-NCCP(I) Members - 6000 INR ; Foreign Nationals - 149 USD

COURSE HIGHLIGHTS

► Nowadays, Interventional Pulmonology has progressed from simple Bronchoscopy to highly advanced diagnostic and therapeutic Bronchoscopy and Thoracoscopic procedures

► IPeC has been meticulously prepared by National College of Chest Physicians (India) with the help of Eminent National and International Experts in International Pulmonology

► IPeC is useful for Students as well as Practising Pulmonologists for to acquaint and update themselves with the skills required to perform a variety of diagnostic and therapeutic procedures including Bronchoscopy, Endobronchial Ultrasound (EBUS), Medical Thoracoscopy, Cryobiopsy, Airway Stenting, Management of Air Leaks and Hemoptysis and Percutaneous Tracheostomy

► IPeC consists of 30 online modules to cover all aspects of Interventional Pulmonology over a span of 180 days

► Each module contains Master Class, Take Home Points, Suggested Reading and Feedback

► NCCP (I) E-Courses will issue online certificate after successful completion of the course

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Course Fee :  NCCP(I) Members - 4100 INR ; Non-NCCP(I) Members - 6100 INR ; Foreign Nationals - 137 USD
The American Thoracic Society (ATS) and American College of Chest Physicians (ACCP) have agreed to the nomination of 2 delegates as representatives of the National College of Chest Physicians (India) to attend and participate in their annual conferences. These NCCP(I) nominees (Fellows only) will be provided complimentary registration and local accommodation by the Organizers. Travel has to be arranged by the nominees themselves.

In addition, NCCP(I) is providing travel grant worth a fixed amount to its Members and Fellows for participation in national* and international conferences* as follows:

- Rs. 20,000/- for national conferences in India*
- Rs. 80,000/- for international conferences in U.S. & Canada
- Rs. 60,000/- for international conferences in other countries

Those NCCP(I) Fellows or Members interested, can apply to Hon. Secretary, NCCP(I), preferably before March each year (as ATS conference is usually held in May and ACCP annual meeting in October of the calendar year) for consideration providing details on a request letter as follows:

**CHECK-LIST**

1. Name, Dates and Venue of conference
2. Details of Participation in the concerned conference (Delegate/Faculty)
3. Letter of Abstract Acceptance or Invitation at the concerned conference
4. Applicant Particulars
   (Full name, age in years, gender, Postal address, E-mail ID & Mobile number for communication)
5. Present designation/affiliation
6. NCCP(I) Life Fellowship (LF) or Life Membership (LM) number
7. Number of NAPCONs attended in last 5 years
8. Number of total conferences (national + international) attended in last 5 years
9. Number of publications in last 5 years (attach list)
10. Forwarding letter preferably signed by Head of Department or Institution or a Fellow of NCCP(I)
11. Hard copies of receipts for reimbursement (Registration, Travel, Stay) with breakup of expenses
12. Disclaimer or statement whether availing travel grant/other monetary assistance from any other source for the same

The grant applications should be sent by post addressed to Hon. Secretary, NCCP(I) at the following address:
Dr. S. N. Gaur, Gaur Clinic, 130-A, Patparganj Village, Delhi – 110091. Phone: +91- 9811271916
E-mail: sngaur9@gmail.com

All applicant requests will be scrutinized by a Credential committee at NCCP(I) Governing Council meeting, for those selected, expenses as per norms will be reimbursed by postal cheque in the name of the applicant only.

NCCP(I) – Prof. S. N. Gaur Young Scientist Award at NAPCON*

- The applicant should not be more than 35 years of age and first author of the abstract submitted for oral presentation at NAPCON mentioning selection for NCCP(I) – Prof. S. N. Gaur Young Scientist award.
- All abstracts forwarded by the NAPCON for NCCP(I) – Prof. S. N. Gaur Young Scientist Award will be scrutinized by an Academic Committee specially constituted by NCCP(I) for this purpose. A maximum of 9 abstracts will be selected for presentation in this award session and the presenters informed accordingly prior to the conference.
- All selected presenters will receive Rs. 5000/- as travel grant by cheque and a certificate of presentation, in addition to certificates and award adjudged for the First, Second and Third prizes.

* For NAPCON, NCCP(I) - Prof. Dr. S. N. Gaur Young Scientist Award is available for Young Scientists. NAPCON Registration is Discounted for All Life Members and Fellows of NCCP(I) and ICS.
National College of Chest Physicians (India) published Textbook of Respiratory Medicine as part of its continuing educational activities. NCCP(I) Textbook of Respiratory Medicine has been edited by Prof. Dr. D. Behera who has been assisted by five associate editors Prof. Dr. S. N. Gaur, Prof. Dr. S. K. Katiyar, Prof. Dr. S. K. Luhadia, Prof. Dr. K. B. Gupta and Dr. Bharat Gopal. This multi-authored textbook contains 41 chapters contributed by senior and experienced authors, both from India and abroad which have been compiled in a single volume so as to provide comprehensive yet concise information on the ever expanding field of respiratory medicine, with special emphasis on the respiratory disorders prevalent in our country. The objective of this book is to address the needs of a diverse audience and become a par-excellent source of information and references for the post-graduate as well as undergraduate medical students as well as serve as a guide to busy practitioners for management of common respiratory illnesses.

NCCP(I) Textbook of Respiratory Medicine begins with an overall review of the respiratory system, including clinical examination, respiratory symptomatology and physiology, followed by a wide array of chapters on diverse topics, taking care to cover all respiratory diseases common to our country. The text is well referenced and lucid in style for better language flow and adequately supplemented by tables, figures and diagrams. Respiratory disorders have been covered according to their prevalence in our country and relevance in clinical practice. Chapters have been well compiled and edited in order to provide updated and relevant information, keeping in mind that the textbook is meant for a diverse readership comprising of post-graduate, undergraduate and post-doctoral medical students of Respiratory and Internal Medicine as well as practicing Chest Physicians. Overall the textbook is well illustrated and informative, a much sought-after valuable addition to the libraries of medical colleges and teaching institutions and has evolved into a highly popular publication as it highlights the current status and updates on various respiratory diseases and their diagnosis and management.

### TEXTBOOK CHAPTERS

1. Physical Examination of Respiratory System  
2. Common Clinical Symptoms  
3. Growth, Development and Morphology of the Respiratory System  
4. Normal Respiratory Physiology  
5. Defense Mechanisms of the Respiratory System  
6. Diagnostic Methods in Respiratory System  
7. Interventional Pulmonology & Electromagnetic Navigation  
8. Antimicrobials in Respiratory Medicine  
9. Pneumonias  
10. Anaerobic Pleuropulmonary Infections  
11. Parasitic Lung Diseases  
12. Tropical Pulmonary Eosinophilia  
13. Lung Abscess  
14. Bronchiectasis  
15. Tuberculosis  
16. Non-tubercular Mycobacterial Diseases  
17. Bronchial Asthma  
18A. Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease  
18B. Rehabilitation in Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease  
19. Aerosol Therapy  
20. Respiratory Failure  
21. Cor Pulmonale  
22. Oxygen Therapy  
23. Pulmonary Embolism  
24. Acute Respiratory Distress Syndrome  
25. Lung Cancer  
26. Pulmonary Neoplasms other than Bronchogenic Carcinoma  
27. Smoking and Lung Diseases  
28. Air Pollution and Respiratory Diseases  
29. Essentials of Polysomnography and Recommendations in Adults  
30. Sarcoidosis  
31. Lungs in Collagen Vascular Diseases and other Systemic Diseases  
32. Vasculitis and the Lungs  
33. Interstitial Lung Diseases  
34. Occupational Lung Diseases  
35. Hypersensitivity Pneumonitis  
36. Disorders of the Diaphragm and Chest Wall  
37. Congenital Anomalies of the Respiratory System  
38. HIV and Respiratory Diseases  
39. Lung Transplantation  
40. Non-invasive Ventilation in Acute Respiratory Failure  
41. Pleural Diseases
Dear Colleagues,

You are very well aware that National College of Chest Physicians (India) publishes a National Directory of Chest Physicians in India every five years, with the objective of providing contact details of all Chest Physicians across the country. The last NCCP(I) Directory was published in 2016. We thank all members and fellows of NCCP(I) and request You to inform us in case of any change of residential, official or postal address, mobile number and E-mail ID in order for us to prepare the forthcoming Directory, for which You can fill up the Directory Entry Form in this Newsletter and send by post to the NCCP(I) secretariat address below (or download from our website www.nccpindia.org and send by E-mail to sngaur9@gmail.com).

We also welcome all to submit their plans for events and activities for the forthcoming year. In addition, we would like to ensure You are aware of all your NCCP(I) membership benefits, which include:

▶ Electronic Voting for Yearly Elections to NCCP(I) Governing Council through E-voting form sent to Your E-mail ID
▶ Subscription to Indian Journal of Chest Diseases and Allied Sciences (Quarterly issues)
▶ NCCP(I) National Directory of Chest Physicians (Every 5 years)
▶ Discounts in Registration for NCCP(I) E-Courses (CPMeC & IPeC)
▶ Discounts in Registration for participating at National Conferences (including NAPCON), International Conferences (Gulf-Thoracic and others), State Conferences and Workshops and other educational activities under the aegis of NCCP(I)
▶ Travel Grants for National & International Conferences
▶ Communications through E-mail and Invitation to attend NCCP(I) Annual General Body Meeting
▶ Access to NCCP(I) Newsletter – Lung Bulletin (Biennial issues starting from this year)

Should You need any assistance or have any queries regarding Your NCCP(I) Membership or Benefits, please feel free to contact us, our support is always available to help You.

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For all medical students, continuing medical education (CME) programmes, seminars, updates, workshops and conferences form an integral part of their training apart from the bedside clinical teaching, ward rounds and lectures imparted at medical colleges or teaching institutions. Quiz competition comes as a refreshing change from all these academic activities to enhance and fine-tune their learning and it is something they look forward to with excitement and enthusiasm. To encourage and recognize the budding potential in our Chest Physicians of tomorrow, National College of Chest Physicians (India) undertook the initiative to conduct Post-graduate Quiz Competition in Respiratory diseases with the objective to promote scientific temper in PG students of Pulmonary medicine in India, state-wise as well as nationally.

The NCCP(I) State PG quiz in Respiratory diseases was organised in 15 states at medical colleges/teaching institutions, keeping nationally renowned faculty in Pulmonary medicine as state PG quiz anchors. The first two winners in order of merit in each state were awarded NCCP(I) prize certificate and a cash award of Rs. 5000/- each, with a certificate of participation distributed to all participants. The NCCP(I) State PG quiz programme was a grand success, with a record participation of 290 PG students from different states across the country.

To keep up and carry forward this scientific temper, it was necessary to create a national academic platform to acknowledge and reward this young talent identified among PG students of Pulmonology at state level. Keeping this objective in mind, National College of Chest Physicians (India) organised an All-India PG quiz competition in Respiratory diseases for the first time in our country. Members of the winning team (2 students) from each state were provided a scholarship to participate in the All-India PG quiz with arrangements for accommodation and air travel. All 30 students confirmed their participation and attended the NCCP(I) All-India PG quiz.

The NCCP(I) All-India PG quiz was conducted on Saturday, 21st December 2019 during the 74th National Conference of TB & Chest diseases from 5:00 to 7:15 p.m. at Hotel Leela Palace, Chennai. Dr. Vishnu Sharma, Professor & Head, Department of Respiratory medicine, A J institute of medical sciences, Mangalore was invited to be the National Quiz Master. The PG quiz was inaugurated by Dr. S. N. Gaur (Secretary), Dr. S. K. Katiyar (Chairman, Academic Forum) and Dr. Nikhil Sarangdhar (Coordinator) from NCCP(I) who welcomed all PG students and congratulated them for standing first in the PG quiz in their respective states. After wishing all success, the quiz programme was outlined by Dr. Vishnu Sharma. The preliminary round consisted of 42 multiple choice questions (MCQs) given to all participants to be answered within 20 minutes, at the end of which all answer sheets were collected and each question transparently discussed along with the answer by powerpoint presentation through on-screen display. The individual scores of both students in each team in the preliminary round were combined to compute the final score of each team. The team members from Delhi, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka and Kerala scored the highest in the preliminary round and were selected to participate in the grand round on stage with a buzzer in front. Coordination of each team and functioning of audio-visuals were cross-checked twice and verified with each team before the grand round commenced. 9 rounds of question-answer sessions with first-best answer type pattern were conducted, the answers being discussed at the end of each session. A maximum interval of 5 seconds between pressing the buzzer to answering the question by the respective team was permitted. 10 marks were awarded for correct answers, with negative marking of 5 marks for wrong answers to the respective team. The teams from Delhi, Tamil Nadu, Karnataka and Kerala scored 55, 25, 10 and 35 marks respectively and were congratulated for their performance in the grand round.

For the award ceremony Dr. V. K. Arora, Vice-Chairman, TB association of India and Past-President of NCCP(I) was invited to the dias along with Dr. S. N. Gaur, Dr. S. K. Katiyar, Dr. Nikhil Sarangdhar and Dr. Vishnu Sharma. The first prize carried NCCP(I) prize certificate, cheque of Rs. 25000/- each and plaque of “D.B. Gupta budding talent award” and was awarded to Dr. Tanmay Jain and Dr. Arunachalam from Delhi. The second prize carried NCCP(I) prize certificate and cheque of Rs. 15000/- each and was awarded to Dr. Mahrooja EV and Dr. Archana LP from Kerala. The third prize carried NCCP(I) prize certificate and cheque of Rs. 10000/- each and was awarded to Dr. Amal Johnson and Dr. Vaseema Tabassum from Tamil Nadu. All winners and participants were congratulated.

As a token of appreciation, a certificate of participation from NCCP(I) was personally awarded to all 30 PG students, with congratulations for their efforts and best wishes for their future. A special certificate of appreciation was awarded to Dr. Vishnu Sharma on behalf of NCCP(I) for his efforts towards conducting the NCCP(I) All-India PG quiz in a highly transparent and professional manner.
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**Report of NCCP(I) State PG Quiz in Respiratory Diseases**

Quiz is basically a form of mind sport, in which the players (as individuals or in teams) attempt to answer questions correctly. The word “Quiz” may have originated in student slang and it means to “test knowledge”. Quiz is used in education to test knowledge, abilities or skills of individuals. I have been conducting quiz for respiratory medicine post-graduate students since the last ten years. Post-graduate quiz during a conference with provision of scholarship to meritorious students always generates a lot of excitement, with all students participating enthusiastically. While compiling quiz questions emphasis is laid on must-know facts for the students. A properly conducted quiz with academic focus helps to enhance post-graduate learning. It was a great honour for me to be invited by the National College of Chest Physicians (India) as the Quiz Master to conduct their All-India level quiz for PG students of respiratory medicine. The NCCP(I) All-India PG quiz programme at Chennai was a grand academic success and succeeded in achieving its objective of promoting scientific temper and identifying young talent from the budding post-graduates, who are one day going to be the future of Pulmonary Medicine in our country.
PHOTOGRAHS OF NCCP(I) STATE PG QUIZ

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UTTARAKHAND

WEST BENGAL
PHOTOGRAPHS OF NCCP(I) ALL – INDIA PG QUIZ

A. Dr. Vishnu Sharma (Quiz Master) addressing all participants
B & C. Teams qualifying for Grand Round
B. Dr. Arunachalam & Dr. Tanmay Jain (Delhi), Dr. Amal Johnson & Dr. Vaseema Thabassum (Tamil Nadu)
C. Dr. Parvathy Pillai & Dr. Rashmitha MT (Karnataka), Dr. Archana EV & Dr. Mahroofa LP (Kerala)
D. Award of 1st Prize to Dr. Arunachalam & Dr. Tanmay Jain
E. Award of 2nd Prize to Dr. Archana EV & Dr. Mahroofa LP
F. Award of 3rd Prize to Dr. Amal Johnson & Dr. Vaseema Thabassum
G. Group photograph of All participants, Quiz Master – Dr. Vishnu Sharma, Dr. V. K. Arora, and NCCP(I) team – Dr. S. N. Gaur (Secretary), Dr. S. K. Katiyar (Chair, Scientific Committee) and Dr. Nikhil Sarangdhar (Coordinator)
Dear Colleagues,

You will be happy to know that we are soon going to publish ‘Indian Guidelines on Nebulization Therapy’ under the aegis of the National College of Chest Physicians (India). These guidelines are the first of their kind in our country and their compilation a pioneering achievement by the College in the field of Medical Education.

To formulate, compile and publish the Indian Guidelines on Nebulization Therapy under the aegis of the National College of Chest Physicians (India) was the brainchild of Prof. Dr. S. K. Katiyar. The Meeting of Experts for the Indian Guidelines on Nebulization Therapy was convened at Delhi on 3rd and 4th November 2018. A total of 67 Experts in Pulmonary Medicine across India, including members from states like Jammu & Kashmir and Assam were invited to ensure unique pan-Indian representation of ideas, expertise and opinion. Dr. S. K. Katiyar planned and convened the meeting, which was chaired by Dr. Rajesh Solanki [President, NCCP(I), in chair] and Dr. S. N. Gaur [Secretary, NCCP(I), in chair] and coordinated by Dr. Nikhil Sarangdhar.

The expert members were allocated into five groups consisting of a Group Convener, Chairpersons, Advisor and Expert Members to cover different aspects of Nebulization therapy as follows:

1. Group A - Introduction, basic principles and technical aspects of nebulizers, types of equipment, their choice and maintenance.
2. Group B - Nebulization therapy in obstructive airway diseases
3. Group C - Nebulization therapy in the intensive care unit
4. Group D - Use of various drugs (other than bronchodilators & inhaled corticosteroids) by nebulized route and miscellaneous uses of nebulization therapy
5. Group E - Domiciliary nebulization therapy, public and healthcare workers education and future research

Five groups were constituted originally, but looking at the present global crisis created due to the pandemic of COVID-19 and consequently the apprehensions and concerns raised by spread of infection through nebulization it was thought to include a sixth group in the expert panel to provide guidance to caregivers while nebulizing patients, as follows:

6. Group F - Nebulization Therapy during COVID-19 pandemic and in patients of other contagious viral respiratory infections

Each group discussed the review of scientific evidence by members with intra-group discussions. Evidence and recommendations were presented by individual groups in the final meeting, for deliberations on the recommendations and arrival of consensus. After the meeting concluded, the guidelines were compiled subsequently groupwise and sent to the Convenor for editing. The edited and refined versions of each group draft was circulated to group members for their final comments prior to publication.

The final document of the Indian Guidelines on Nebulization Therapy under the aegis of NCCP(I) consists of six group drafts compiled after systematic review of evidence in order to cover each and every aspect of Nebulization therapy. The guideline document is meticulously compiled and edited with text, level of evidence and grade of recommendation, abbreviations and references.

It gives us immense pleasure to announce to this effect that the compilation of the Indian Guidelines on Nebulization Therapy under the aegis of NCCP(I) is complete and its publication is under progress. We are sure it will be immensely useful as a source of academic knowledge as well as a reference guide for practitioners, teachers, post-graduate medical students, researchers and healthcare workers in the field of Respiratory Medicine, Internal Medicine and other allied sciences which everyone would like to keep ready on their desk.
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