



Perinatal Society of Sri Lanka

Annual Conference

5th of November 2022

Hotel Galadari Colombo

Hall A		Hall B	
7.30 – 8.00 am	Registration	7.30 – 8.00 am	Registration
8.00 – 9.00 am	Oral presentations <i>Chairpersons:</i> <i>Dr Sandya Doluweera</i> <i>Dr Himali Herath</i> <i>Judges:</i> <i>Dr Kapilani Withanaarachchi</i> <i>Dr Hemali Jayakodi</i>	8.00 – 9.00 am	Oral presentations <i>Chairpersons:</i> <i>Dr Ruwan Silva</i> <i>Dr Asiri Hewamalage</i> <i>Judges:</i> <i>Prof Rasika Herath,</i> <i>Dr Harendra Dassanayake</i>
9.00 – 9.30 am	Plenary 1: Reducing Neonatal mortality: Sharing experiences from Japan, the country with the lowest neonatal mortality in the region. Professor Mariko Hida	9.00 – 9.30 am	Plenary 4: New frontiers in fetal medicine Prof Tiran Dias
9.30 – 10.15 am	Professor Indrajee Amarasinghe oration Dr Rohana Haththotuwa Caesarian section rates- A global tragedy: What can we do?		
10.15 – 10.30 am	Tea	10.15-10.30 am	Tea
10.30 – 12.00	Symposium 01: Different dimensions of perinatal care <i>Chairpersons: Dr L.P.C. Saman Kumara, Dr Chithramalee de Silva</i> a. Noninvasive monitoring of neonates Prof Meena Garg b. Perinatal mental health in community setting Dr Kaushalya Kasthuriarachchi c. Post-surgical care of a newborn Dr Ananda Lamaheewage	10.30-12.00	Symposium 04: Preterm Labour <i>Chairpersons: Dr Janaki Karunasinghe, Dr Dilani Dehigama</i> a. Monitoring and managing preterm labour Prof Sanath Lanerolle b. Novel strategies in prevention of preterm labour Prof Rasika Herath c. Neonatal perspective of perinatal care of preterm Dr Nishani Lucas
12.00 – 1.00 pm	Panel Discussion: Dilemmas in managing an extreme preterm at limits of viability Prof Hemantha Senanayake / Prof Dominic Wilkinson/ Ms Avanthi Perera	12.00 – 1.00 pm	Panel Discussion: Optimizing perinatal outcomes in current crisis in Sri Lanka Dr U.D.P Rathnasiri/ Dr Surantha Perera/ Dr Sussie Perera
1.00 – 1.45 pm	Lunch and Poster viewing	1.00 – 1.45 pm	Lunch and Poster viewing

1.45 – 3.15 pm	<p>Symposium 02: Growth and development of preterm infants <i>Chairpersons: Dr Kapila Hemantha, Dr Sandya Bandara</i></p> <p>a. Preterm nutrition Dr Nalin Gamaathige</p> <p>b. Metabolic Bone Disease Dr Shyama Basnayake</p> <p>a. Developmental care Dr Asiri Hewamalage</p>	1.45 – 3.15 pm	<p>Symposium 05: Quality improvement in perinatal care <i>Chairpersons: Prof H Senanayake, Dr U.D.P. Rathnasiri</i></p> <p>a. Application of Robson classification in audits and feedback Dr Lubna Hassan</p> <p>b. Maternity dashboard in performance and governance Prof Sir Sabaratnam Arulkumaran</p> <p>c. Reducing iatrogenic prematurity Dr Prabhodana Ranaweera</p>
3.15 – 4.45 pm	<p>Symposium 03: Respiratory care of the preterm infant <i>Chairpersons: Dr Surantha Perera, Dr Kapilani Withanarachchi</i></p> <p>a. Volume Guaranty ventilation Dr LPC Saman Kumara</p> <p>b. Less Invasive Surfactant Administration Dr Nimesha Gamhewage</p> <p>c. Noninvasive respiratory support Dr Amit Gupta</p>	3.15– 4.45 pm	<p>Symposium 06: Genetics in perinatal care <i>Chairpersons: Dr Nishani Lucas, Dr Vindya Subasinghe</i></p> <p>a. Ethical issues in prenatal screening and diagnosis Dr U.D.P. Rathnasiri</p> <p>b. Challenges in preimplantation genetic assessment Dr Padmapani Padeniya</p> <p>c. Neonatal screening for birth defects Dr Deepal Nawarathna</p>
4.45- 5.00 pm	Tea	4.45- 5.00 pm	Tea