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Editorial

From the Desk of
Dr. Anitha D.



Greetings from Editorial committee IMA Focus 2026!!!

!!! Happy Shivaratri to all !!!

World Cancer Day is an international day marked on 4th February to raise awareness of cancer and to encourage it's prevention, detection and treatment.

The Theme for World Cancer Day 2025-2027 is UNITED by UNIQUE.

Key Aspects of UNITED by UNIQUE

Personalized care

Shared humanity

Voice amplification

Action oriented

Sexual and Reproductive Health awareness day is observed on February 12 it's about educating people about sexual and Reproductive health issues like prevention of STDs, Menopause, unsafe abortions and Infertility.

The five components of Sexual health, Physical, Emotional, Mental, Social and Intellectual.

Medico legal issues : Medico legal issues encompass the intersection of Medicine and law, highlighting the legal with the increasing Complexity of health care and evolving patient expectations, legal awareness has become more crucial than ever before.

Congratulations to all the IMA Leaders, senior and Esteemed members for the sustained efforts and well planned execution to get the Fire safety order I thank all the office bearers of current year and previous year for the achievements

Jai Hind

Jai Karnataka

Long Live IMA



President's Desk



Dr. Veerabhadraiah T.A.

Warm greetings from the chair of the President of IMA Karnataka State Branch. At the outset I would like to thank the IMA-KSSS office-bearers headed by Dr.Y.C.Yogananda Reddy and IMA-KPPS office-bearers headed by Dr.Madhusudhana Kariganur for generously contributing 5 lakh rupees each for the National IMA Headquarters Building Fund.

I would like to congratulate and thank the leaders for getting the order from Home Department regarding Fire safety. I whole heartedly thank Hon' ble Minister for Home, Hon' ble Minister for Health, Officers of Home and Health Department.

Very special thank to Dr.Srinivasa.N.T, M.L.A, Kudligi and Dr.Dhananjaya Sarji, MLC Shimoga without whose help, the order would have not come out.

I would like to congratulate Dr.Anilkumar J. Nayak for being sworn as National President, IMA Headquarters.

Congratulate all the National IMA awardees from the state, once again.

Appreciate the activities done by MSN group and getting participated in South Zone Conference and winning some prizes.

IMA Academy of Medical Specialities signed in MOU with Kushi Fertility and IVF Center, Bengaluru for fellowship programme.

Conducted a special Sub-Committees and Divisional Co-Ordinators Meeting in IMA-KSB Dr.M.A.Narasimhachar Auditorium, Bengaluru and discussed the latest issues of Government in depth and drafted letters and submitted to Government for needful action.

Attended a Blood Donation camp organized by veteran Army personnel and NCC at Tumkur along with Hon'ble Home Minister. I thank him for necessary G.O.

Inaugurated an L.E.D screen near IMA Blood Bank in Gadag which displays health education materials, in connection with centenary year celebration of IMA Gadag. Congratulate IMA Gadag Branch for doing many social works during this year. Inaugurated the preliminary meeting.

Visited IMA Mundargi, Ron Branches of Gadag District.

Attended inauguration of Cricket Tournament at Mangaluru and visited IMA Surathkal, Mulki, Belthangadi and Bantwal of Dakshina Kannada.

Attended first M.C.Meeting of IMA-KSSS in Hubli and had meeting with Hubli Branch also.

During all these visits, I have emphasized on membership drive, unity and various schemes of IMA.

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Secretary's Desk

Dr. Suriraju V.



77th Republic Day was celebrated with great pride, honour, and a deep sense of oneness, as we remembered Dr. B. R. Ambedkar and all our freedom fighters who laid the strong foundation of our Constitution.

The Indian Medical Association (IMA) continues to uphold constitutional values by serving, protecting, and uniting the medical fraternity with commitment and responsibility.

The coordination meeting of the Medico-Legal, Hospital Board, Anti-Quackery, and Atrocities Against Doctors Committees held on the 4th was truly exceptional and unique. The depth of knowledge, clarity of thought, and the learning-and-teaching approach demonstrated by the respective committee chairpersons were highly appreciable. Several important and constructive resolutions were passed during the meeting.

Regarding the Fire NOC issue, the President Dr. Veerabhadraiah, Dr. Pavan Patil, and I personally met Shri Sharathchandra, IAS, principal secretary to Govt. of Karnataka at Vidhana Soudha, followed by a meeting with Shri H. K. Patil, Hon'ble Law Minister. The extension of Fire NOC validity from two years to five years is a very welcome and positive step.

Further, the clarification that Fire NOC is not mandatory for clinics and polyclinics is highly reassuring. I sincerely thank the Government for responding positively to the genuine concerns of doctors and hospitals. The Fire NOC guidelines are now nearing finalisation, and the credit goes to all IMA leaders and members who have consistently worked and fought for this cause over the past four years.

We are now awaiting clarity on the fee structure, and we are hopeful that the report will be released within the next few days.

I also had the opportunity to participate in the book release programme organised by Vaidyabarahagara Samithi- "Syringe Hidida Kai, Pen Hididaga" by Dr. Annayakullal. The book was excellent, insightful, and thought-provoking.

The recent incident in Mysore is extremely disturbing. IMA strongly condemns such atrocities and reiterates that violence against doctors will not be tolerated under any circumstances. I congratulate IMA Mysore for their prompt response and for standing firmly in support of the medical fraternity during this crisis.

It is a matter of great pride and honour for Karnataka that Dr. Suresh Haganawadi has been conferred the Padma Shri Award by the Hon'ble President of India. He has brought immense recognition to our state and profession. His lifelong service to poor haemophilia patients reflects true compassion, commitment, and selfless dedication, and stands as an inspiration to the entire medical fraternity.

COVID Martyrs' Day was observed on 30th January by all branches of Indian Medical Association Karnataka, in memory of our COVID warriors.

Nearly 1,700 doctors lost their lives while serving patients during the pandemic.

IMA KSSS extended exceptional support by releasing insurance benefits to bereaved families—without enforcing the two-year lock-in period—a true reflection of IMA's care and commitment to the medical fraternity.

The IMA Golf Tournament scheduled for this month is another exciting initiative. I encourage all enthusiasts and players to participate actively and make this event a grand success.

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Vice-President's Message

Dr. Vijayakumar Kappikeri



Warm greetings to you all at the beginning of January 2026. A new year brings new responsibilities, renewed energy, and a shared resolve to serve our profession.

It is an honour and a responsibility to serve as Vice-President of IMA-KSB under the able leadership of Dr. T. A. Veerabhadraiah, along with a committed and experienced team of office bearers.

Fire Safety – A Priority, Not a Formality

One of the key focus areas for this year would be Fire Safety in healthcare facilities. Hospitals and clinics are places of healing, but without preparedness, even a small lapse can lead to catastrophic consequences. Fire safety is not merely a compliance issue—it is a moral and professional responsibility.

Awareness about risk-based fire safety norms, staff training, and simple preventive measures can protect:

- Our patients
- Our healthcare workers

- Our institutions and reputation
- IMA-KSB will actively work to educate, guide, and support members so that safety becomes a culture, not a checklist.

Medico-Legal Awareness in Clinical Practice:

Medico-legal awareness has become an essential part of modern medical practice, safeguarding both patient rights and the professional integrity of doctors. It is heartening to see various districts actively conducting CMEs on medico-legal issues, reflecting a growing sense of responsibility and preparedness within our fraternity.

Teamwork – Our Real Strength

IMA is not built by individuals; it is built by teams. Along with professional protection, workplace safety, and healthcare advocacy, we must also stand by our members through IMA welfare and security schemes, ensuring care for doctors and their families.

Congratulations to all IMA members on receiving award at National IMA conference.

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IMA Hq. Building Fund Contribution

We have received E-mail letter from IMA Headquarters regarding Re-Building of IMA Headquarters existing Building situated at I.P. Marg, New Delhi. As discussed and deliberated in the 882nd State Working Committee Meeting held on 10.11.2024 it is decided to contribute from IMA Karnataka State Branch for the same.

In this regard we kindly request you to contribute from Local Branches of IMA in Karnataka and we will send all Local Branches contributed amount to IMA Headquarters for Re-Building of existing Building IMA Headquarters, New Delhi. You can transfer or pay your contribution amount to the following Account Number or use herewith attached QR Code to transfer the amount and let us know the Transaction details. Please collect fee from members and send the list of contributed members..

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BRANCH ACTIVITIES

Branch : Belagavi
President : Dr. Hemanth Koujalgi
Secretary : Dr. Raghavendra Sagar

On 07.01.2026 IMA WORKING COMMITTEE MEET was conducted. Collaring the Medallion to IMA President Dr Hemant koujalgi by Dr SB Kulkarni, IMA Prayer and Flag Salutation was done by IMA Secretary Dr Raghavendra sagar- A distinguished ceremonial moment featured the collared medallion presentation to the IMA President, followed by a solemn IMA prayer and flag salutation, underscoring the branch's respect for values, service, and national dignity. Awareness Camp by IMA Members to General Public: IMA Belagavi planning to organise an awareness camp inviting the general public to engage with healthcare professionals on preventive health, vaccination, lifestyle modification, and early disease detection. On 18.01.2026 Upcoming CME Discussion: An upcoming CME discussion is slated to explore emerging guidelines, telemedicine integration, and evolving care pathways to sustain ongoing medical education beyond the current event planned. On Association of Medical Establishment Act plan to give Legal Notice to Concerned Members: A legal notice to outline compliance expectations and avenues for redress, in alignment with regulatory requirements and professional standards. Vote of Thanks and National Anthem : The event concluded with a formal vote of thanks and National Anthem rendered by the Secretary, Dr Raghavendra Sagar, marking a respectful closing to the proceedings. On 18.01.2026 The Indian Medical Association Belagavi Branch, proudly conducted a high-profile Continuing Medical Education program at Fairfield by Marriott, Belagavi. The event, attended by over 200 IMA members, showcased a powerful theme "Medicine in Transition: Advancing Care, Communication, and Compassion." It was a day dedicated to bridging clinical excellence with patient-centered care, underlining the evolving landscape of modern medicine. Highlights of Workshops: The morning sessions featured hands-on workshops focusing on life-saving skills, including Basic Life Support, Advanced Life Support, and intubation techniques, conducted at the IMA Hall, Belagavi. Attended by over 100 participants. In the after noon: The CME brought together 8 distinguished speakers who shared insights on the latest advances in patient care, care pathways, and effective physician-patient communication. The program emphasized compassionate care, transparent communication, and the adaptation of practice patterns to meet contemporary medical challenges. The Belagavi IMA branch reaffirmed its commitment to continuous medical education and excellence in patient care. By integrating advanced clinical skills with compassionate communication, the event highlighted how medicine is in

transition driven by innovation, better teamwork, and patient empowerment. The IMA Belagavi team expresses gratitude to all participants, volunteers, sponsors, and speakers for their invaluable contributions and impactful CME.

Branch : Bengaluru
President : Dr. Bharath Raju.G
Secretary : Dr. Pradeep Kumar.K.N

On 18.01.26-Public Health Guest Lecture A public health lecture was delivered by Dr. Darshan Krishnappa on the topic Insight into the heart rhythm and electrical system.lecture was delivered by Dr. Deepak Kumar Ron the topic COPD-Chronic Obstructive Pulmonary Disease" on 18/01/26 at IMA House Auditorium. The session was attended by Dr.Anantharamaiah T, Dr.Rakshith.S.C, Dr.Sathyavathi. K, Dr.Rajasree M B, Dr.Chethana. R and 80 participants. on the 23.01.26 the 5 Years Anniversary Celebration and Brand Launch of Purent India Global Pvt Ltd. selected as a speaker -Dr.Ramesh H C for Topic:- "Importance of water" On 23.01.2026 at Manandi Nanjunda Setty Sabhangana, Bengaluru. On 25.01.26 A Voluntary Blood Donation Camp was organized at Punya Hospital, Basaveshwaranagar, Bengaluru, on the occasion of Youth Day and the birth anniversary of Swami Vivekananda. The programme was organized by Naipunya Foundation in association with Basaveshwara Blood Centre and the Indian Medical Association. The camp was attended by our Secretary, Dr. Pradeep Kumar K N and Dr.Sathyavathi .K donated Blood. The event witnessed good participation from donors and volunteers, contributing to the noble cause of saving lives. On 25.01.2026 The Physicians Association for Nutrition (PAN) India is organizing its Annual Signature CME 2026, marking the 50th CME event at Taj Vivanta Yeshwantpur, Bengaluru. The Continuing Medical Education (CME) program will focus on "Evidence-Based Nutrition in Clinical Practice", with the central theme "Optimizing the Management of Obesity & Pre-Diabetes". The event aims to empower healthcare professionals with the latest scientific insights and practical strategies to address the growing burden of metabolic disorders. The CME will feature expert-led sessions by leading doctors and researchers, covering contemporary topics such as obesity, pre-diabetes, longevity, health span, and the role of nutrition in transforming healthcare delivery. The program also includes interactive sessions with hands-on learning, fostering meaningful academic discussions and clinical application. Panellists - Dr. Suvetha Kannappan (Moderator), Dr. Vithal D Bagi, Dr. Nithin Kumar, Dr.Nirmala B. M., Dr.K.J.Irfan, Dr Pradeep Kumar K.N., Dr.H.S.Ramya, Dr.Anita Varma, Dr. Mahesh Mylarappa, Dr. Akshay Kudpaje. PAN India's Annual Signature CME 2026

is expected to bring together physicians, clinicians, and healthcare professionals from across the country, reinforcing PAN India's commitment to advancing nutrition-focused, evidence-based medical practice. Speakers -Dr.Swaminathan, Dr.Balaji Jaganmohan, Dr.ArundasHaridasan, Dr. Girish Mood, Dr. Divyaprakash. M., Dr.Rajneea Shahin, Dr.Anoop Misra, Dr. Mahesh. D.M, Dr. Agatha Betsy, Dr. Srinath Aswathiah, Dr. G. Rajendiran, Dr. Prathima Kini, Dr. Sharang Wartikar, Dr. Lokesh, Dr. Priya Chinnappa, Dr. Naveen Kini, Dr. Ananth Ram, Dr. Veena Acharya, Dr. Sandhya Ravi, Dr. Anil Bilimale, Dr. Mahesh K. Mahadevappa, Dr.Palaniyamma Durairaj, Ms. Edwina Raj, Mr. Karthik Pulugurtha . on 25.01.2026 Khushi Fertility & IVF Centre Launches Fellowship in Reproductive Medicine and Khushi Research & Academics Bengaluru, on 25.01.2026 Khushi Fertility & IVF Centre, under the guidance and medical expertise of Dr. Rashmi Yogish (Clinical Director & Lead Consultant), successfully hosted a landmark academic event in association with the Indian Medical Association (IMA), Bangalore Branch, and the Academy of Medical Specialties (AMS).The programme marked the induction of the Fellowship in Reproductive Medicine and the official launch of Khushi Research & Academics, envisioned to promote ethical, evidence-based, and patient-centred reproductive healthcare. The inauguration was graced by eminent medical leaders Dr. Pradeep Kumar K N, Honorary Secretary, IMA – Radiation Oncologist Dr. Parimala Devi, Senior Obstetrician & Past President, BSOG Dr. Chaya Patil, Senior Obstetrician & Laparoscopic Surgeon Dr. Indukala, Retired Professor & HOD, OBG, BMC – Senior Gynaecologist Dr. Chandrika, Senior Obstetrician & Gynaecologist Speaking on the occasion, Dr. Rashmi Yogish emphasized the centre's commitment to integrating advanced technology, academic excellence, and compassionate care to shape the future of reproductive medicine.The event witnessed active participation from IMA members, academicians, and clinicians, reaffirming IMA Bangalore Branch's dedication to fostering continuing. on 26.01.26 -The Indian Medical Association (IMA), Bangalore Branch, in association with KSB, proudly celebrated the 76th Republic Day of India with great patriotism and enthusiasm.The programme was graced by the presence of office bearers and members of IMA Bangalore Branch and KSB, whose participation added significance to the occasion. The national flag was unfurled, followed by the rendition of the National Anthem, paying tribute to the Constitution of India and the sacrifices of our freedom fighters .The celebration highlighted the values of unity, integrity, and commitment to the nation. Members reaffirmed their dedication to serving society through ethical medical practice and community service. Dr.Veerabhadraiah, President, IMA KSB, followed by the National Anthem and remembrance of B. R. Ambedkar.Dr. Suriraju V. spoke on the immense contributions of Dr.

Ambedkar and freedom fighters like Subhas Chandra Bose, highlighting our constitutional rights, roles, and responsibilities.Dr.Sureshwariah, Past President, and Dr. Bharath Raju G, Dr.Pradeep Kumar KN Dr.Ananthramaiah, Dr. Mahesh.K.M, Dr.Venugopal, Dr.Anuradha Paramesh, Dr.Rajashree.M.B, Dr.Sathyavathi, Dr.Hemalatha.B.C, Dr.Mamathaand Dr. Prakash Reddy emphasized the duty of doctors to serve the nation and patients with ethics, compassion, and responsibility. A common reflection was on not only what the nation has given us, but what we have given back to the nation. IMA President Dr.Veerabhadraiah delivered a detailed and inspiring address on the formation of the Indian Constitution, its values, and India's identity as a secular nation. Many IMA members were also present, adding strength to the spirit of unity. The programme concluded with a group photograph, expressing gratitude to Mother India. Ladies Wing: On 28.12.2025 Participation in IMA HQs Programs: Meeting with Honourable Union Home Minister of India Sri Amit Shah. on 3.01.2026 Cancer Awareness & Prevention: Awareness talk on HPV vaccination. On 04.01.2026 Participation in IMA Activities: IMAKSB Sub Committees meeting. On 9.01.2026 Free Health Camp: NCD Camp-conducted a free Non Communicable Disease screening camp at Ramachandrapuram Slum Bangalore. On 11.01.2026 Achievements/Recognitions: Office bearer & EC members, FPAB. On 12.01.2026 IMA Nadige Shaleyakadege: National Road Safety Week. on 13.01.2026 Participation in IMA Activities: Webinar on Road Safety Awareness. on 17.01.2026 IMA Nadige Shaleyakadege: Public Awareness Activity: Awareness on Gender sensitivity ladies wing programs by Dr.Satyavathi K & Dr.Rajasree MB.

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Secretary : Dr. Satish Ramana.K.S.

On 03.01.2026 CME Programme was conducted at IMA Bhavana, Chikkabanavara. Topic: "Advances in HPB Surgeries and Liver Transplant" by Dr Jagadeesh Krishnamurthy, Senior Consultant HPB Surgery and Multi organ transplant. On 23.01.2026 CME programme was conducted at IMA Bhavana, Chikkabanavara. In association with Prakriya Hospitals. Topic 1 – "Recent advances in Neurosurgery" by Dr Sumana B Pallegar, Senior Consultant Neurosurgeon and (2). "TIA and Stroke" by Dr Sreedhara Raja Urs, Senior Consultant Emergency Medicine.

Branch : Challakere
President : Dr. T.M.Nataraja.
Secretary : Dr. Arunkumar.Kuna

A CME Programme was successfully conducted on 17.12.2025 in association with Sahyadri Narayana

Hospital, Shivamogga. The CME was organized with the objective of updating medical professionals on recent advances in oncology and fostering academic discussion. Dr.Arunkumar Kuna, Secretary welcomed the doctors and introduced the speakers. Topics were :Recent updates in systemic therapy of stage 4 cancer ,Soft tissue sarcoma of extremity, Contemporary management ,principles of surgery and updates by Dr.Vivek MA and ERCT in carcinoma Cervix by Dr.Nadahalli Ravi. Around fifty doctors participated in the CME .The program witnessed active participation from members .There was a very good interaction between the participants and the speakers . Senior doctors of Challakere felicitated the guest speakers with a Momento. Dr.Nataraja.TM ,President thanked the speakers, doctors and concluded the programme.

Branch : Coorg
President : Dr. Sham Appanna
Secretary : Dr. Prashanth C.R.

On 23.01.2026 CME Programme was conducted at Coorg International Hotel, Coorg. In association with Syrus Hospital, Kushalanagar, Madikeri. Expert Insights and Knowledge Sharing The program featured high-level academic sessions led by renowned specialists, providing attendees with updated protocols for managing cardiac emergencies: Dr. Harsha M.M (Cardiologist): Delivered a comprehensive lecture on the management of Acute Coronary Syndrome and practical approaches to diagnosing chest pain and heart failure. Dr. Dev Lakshmeesh (Critical Care Specialist): Provided vital insights into the technical and clinical monitoring requirements for patients suffering from acute cardiac events. The event was graced by Dr. Mohan Appaji (Senior Vice President, KSB IMA), Dr. Shyam Appanna (President, IMA Madikeri) and Dr. Prashanth (Secretary, IMA Madikeri).

Branch : Chikkaballapur
President : Dr. G.Siddalingappa
Secretary : Dr. Mohan babu KN

IMA Chikkaballapur in Association with Sri Rajiv Gandhi college of Dental Sciences and Hospital, Dr. Mohan's eye hospital and Dr. Rakesh Medicare had conducted a camp on 04.01.2026 from 9 am to 4 pm. Checked Dental, Eye, general checkup, Free BP and Blood sugar test and medicines were offered Medical companies like Dr morepen, juggat pharmaceuticals were a part of camp. Camp is conducted at Alkalam English school, Islampur, Chikkaballapur Examined 365 pateints. 35+ saliva samples of predicted oral cancer patients was collected and sent for lab. Doctors present were Dr. Mohanbabu K. N.(Ophthalmologist), Dr. Rakesh(GP), Dr Jyothi(GP) , Dr Ramesh(GP),Dr. Nagapriya(GP), Dr Pooja and Dr vaishnavi(oral cancer specialist), Dr ummai kulsum. (General dentist). We the team IMA

Chikkaballapur under the guidance of Dr. Siddalingappa G, Dr. Mohan Babu K N, and others had done bore well digging for upcoming IMA building in IMA land at chikkaballapur. god blessed us with more than 4000 gallons of water at just 480 feet depth. IMA Chikkaballapur in association w, had conducted a free health checkup for all the prisoners in Chickaballapur Jail on 24th December 2025. and examined more than 150 prisoners and given free medicines to the needy. most of the prisoners had skin diseases due to poor hygiene especially scabies for which treatment given to them. Doctors attended are Dr. Siddalingappa G., Dr. Mohanbabu K N, Dr. Mahesh Kumar SS (DHO), Dr. Manjula (THO), Dr. Venkatachalapathy, Dr. Anitha, Dr. Adinarayana, Dr. Meghana, Dr. Uma were present.

Branch : Gadag
President : Dr. Shridhar Kuradagi
Secretary : Dr. Rahul Shirol

The month of December and jan 2025 was a highly active and eventful period for the Indian Medical Association (IMA), Gadag Branch, featuring a blend of cultural, academic and social activities. A series of programmes were successfully organized throughout the month, promoting professional development, community service and fellowship among members. Health Check Up On 21.12.2025 Health check up and cancer awareness program was held at Ashraya Colony,Gadag. In association with IMA and IMA ladies wing. Many doctors participated. On 24.12.2025 Diabetes detection and awareness camp: IMA Gadag with ladies wing in association with Shirol health care , Gadag was conducted. With Ln. Dr. J. C. Shirol giving a talk on awareness and lifestyle changes needed in diabetes.50 patients were screened for diabetes. On 30.12.2025 Talk on PPH: GOGS in association with IMA Gadag and ladies wing successfully conducted a talk on Post partum hemorrhage which was well attended by local doctors. Dr Hanumanth Nipanal, Dr Shruti Patil and Dr Shilpa Pawadshettar gave talks on various aspects and advances in management of PPH. On 26.12.2025 Board Meeting: A Board Meeting was conducted at Dr Prabha and Dr. Dhanesh Desai's farm house. Key matters related to ongoing activities and upcoming programs were discussed and plans were streamlined. On 08.01.2026 General Body Meeting (GBM): The GBM was successfully conducted. With members participating and reviewing association updates, progress, and forthcoming initiatives. On 08.01.2026 CPR Training Program: A CPR training session for 9th and 10th standard students was conducted at CDO Jain School. The program was led by Dr. Shwetha Sankanur along with the Chirayu Hospital team, creating awareness and building basic life-saving skills among students. On 16.01.2026 CPR Training Program: CPR training was conducted for students of Gadag Public School by Dr. Shwetha Sankanur and the Chirayu hospital team, focusing on emergency response and practical demonstrations. On 12.01.2026 Adoption and

maintenance of the road from Zenda circle till Gandhi circle: As a part of IMA Gadag's centenary celebrations, IMA team approached Gadag municipal commissioner and district collector regarding the adoption and maintenance of the road from Zenda circle to Gandhi circle. On 16.01.2026 CPR Training Program: On the same day, another CPR training session was held at Loyola High School, Gadag, by Dr. Swetha Sankanur and team, benefiting students through hands-on guidance and awareness on first response. On 16.01.2026 Visit Of Deaf And Dumb Children To IMA Blood Bank: Visit of deaf and dumb children from Naregal to IMA blood bank for educational purpose. On 17.01.2026 VISIT TO PAPANASHI TANDA as part of AAO GAAO CHALE: IMA GADAG branch visited Papanashitanda for village adoption for seeking their willingness and marking an important step towards improved healthcare in rural areas. Dr Shridhar Kuradagi and Dr Pavankumar Patil interacted with the public to make them aware about the programme and its benefits for them. On 18.01.2026 Inauguration of LED Wall: A LED Wall was inaugurated on 18 January 2026 by Dr. Veerbhadraiah, Karnataka state president of IMA, marking an important step towards improved communication and visibility for association activities. It was installed in association with IMA blood bank in its premises to help create health awareness among public regarding blood donation and other diseases. On 18.01.2026 Centenary Vibes — Centenary Year Launch: The Centenary Year celebrations of IMA Gadag were formally inaugurated under "Centenary Vibes" on 18 January 2026. Dr S R Naganur, president of the centenary celebration committee welcomed the gathering while Dr Shridhar Kuradagi informed the IMA members about all the social activities planned for the year. Chief guest, Dr. Veerabhadraiah, President, IMAKSB, inaugurated the centenary year programs, released the centenary logo, distribution of the centenary lapel pin and addressed the gathering about history of Gadag IMA, National IMA, encouraging more youngsters to join IMA and strengthen it. He appreciated our plan of action for the centenary year Dr Pavan Kumar Patil delivered the vote of thanks. The celebrations were made vibrant with active participation from IMA members, members Ladies Wing and their families

Branch : Gangavaathi
President : Dr. Mallanagouda Police Patil
Secretary : Dr. Nagaraj. Lokre

On 31.12.2025 Recreational activities were organized on New Year evening for all IMA members and their families. The program included dance performances by childrens, couples, young doctors, and senior doctors, singing sessions, and games specially arranged for senior doctors. The celebration concluded with a musical night by the professional Rathaat Band (Mr Bharath and Team). The event fostered camaraderie and provided a

refreshing and joyful start to the New Year for all participants. On 08.01.2026 IMA Gangavathi, IMA maitri ladies wing along with Indian Dental Association organised a General health check up camp at KGBV girls school, Siddapur. Dental, eye, skin, hair, Gynaec and general check up was done for more than 200 girls. Free medicines were distributed to the girls. On 24.01.2026 IMA Maitri and IMA Gangavathi jointly celebrated National Girl Child Day on 24th January 2026 at RSVR Central School, Karatgi. On this occasion, an Adolescent Triumph Programme was also conducted, benefiting around 200 girl students. The programme focused on empowering adolescent girls through awareness on health, education, self-confidence, and life skills. Dr. Anitha Shashidhar, Dr. Veena Satish, Dr. Sindhu, Mrs. Shilpa Diwatar, and Dr. Akshatha Chiniwalar addressed the students and interacted with them, clearing doubts and motivating them to face future challenges with confidence. The session was highly interactive and well received by the students, making the event meaningful and impactful.

Branch : Gulbarga
President : Dr. Gurulingappa Patil
Secretary : Dr. Lavkumar Loya

The Indian Medical Association – Kalaburagi Branch, in collaboration with the Gulbarga Obstetrics and Gynaecological Society, successfully conducted a CME on Medico-Legal Issues, highlighting the growing legal challenges faced by healthcare professionals on 28.12.2025. The academic program covered crucial aspects such as legal issues in clinical practice, informed consent, medico-legal implications of death on the table, and professional handling of mob situations, followed by an engaging Moot Court Session by doctors. The CME emphasized the importance of legal awareness, preparedness, and ethical practice to safeguard both patients and medical professionals, reinforcing IMA's commitment to professional protection and continuous medical education.

Branch : Gokak
President : Dr. Vishwanath Shindholimath
Secretary : Dr. Umesh Nipani

Land Grant Representation: On 22.12.2025 members of the Indian Medical Association, Gokak Branch met the District In-charge Minister Shri. Satish Jarkiholi and submitted a request for the grant of 20 guntas of land for construction of an IMA Hall. The Honorable Minister gave an assurance and agreed to meet again after one month for further discussion. Health Education Programme: On 21.01.2026 as part of the Health Education Drive for college students, Dr. Vishwanath V. Shindholimath, President, IMA Gokak, delivered a lecture on health education at Government ex Municipal College, Gokak.

The programme was presided over by Dr. Umesh Nippani, Secretary, IMA Gokak, in the presence of the College Principal Shri Annapura Kurbet.

Branch : Hassan
President : Dr. Sreeranga
Secretary : Dr. Vivekananda Ittigi

Indian Medical Association Renewal: The Indian Medical Association (IMA) annual renewal for the branch was successfully done during the month of December 2025, ensuring uninterrupted administrative functioning and compliance with organizational requirements. **Income Tax Filing:** The Income Tax returns of IMA Hassan Branch were duly filed up to the current financial year, maintaining statutory compliance and financial transparency. **Polio Immunization Drive:** IMA Hassan Branch actively participated in the Polio Immunization Drive conducted on 21st & 24th December 2025. Members of the association contributed to the national public health initiative by supporting vaccination efforts and spreading awareness about polio eradication among the community. **New Year Celebration & Family Get-Together:** The New Year Celebration 2025-26 was organized in a grand and joyful manner by IMA Hassan Branch. Around 100 couples along with their families participated in the program. The event provided an excellent platform for social interaction, strengthening bonds among members and their families. The celebration included cultural activities, entertainment, and fellowship, making it a memorable family get-together. **Conclusion:** December 2025 was marked by important administrative compliance, active participation in national health programs, and a successful social gathering that fostered unity and camaraderie among IMA Hassan Branch members.

Branch : Harapanahalli
President : Dr. K.M.N.Khan
Secretary : Dr. Harsha G V

An IMA-CME programme was successfully conducted on 19th December at Sukhibhavan Restaurant, with active participation from IMA members. The academic session commenced at 7.00 pm and focused on clinically relevant topics across multiple specialties, making it an enriching learning experience for the attendees. The first session was delivered by Dr Anusha S, Consultant Obstetrician and Gynecologist, who spoke on HPV Vaccination. She highlighted the importance of HPV vaccination in the prevention of cervical cancer, discussed current guidelines, age indications, dosing schedules, and addressed common myths and concerns related to vaccination. The session generated meaningful discussion among members. This was followed by an insightful talk by Dr Vishwanathan LG on Acute Abdomen. He emphasized a systematic clinical approach, red flag

signs, differential diagnosis, and timely decision-making to reduce morbidity and mortality in emergency situations. Dr Hanumanth Naik, Consultant Surgical Gastroenterologist, along with Dr S S Narayana from Davangere, presented a session on Complex Medical Conditions and Their Surgical Solutions. The speakers discussed challenging cases, multidisciplinary management, and advances in surgical care. The programme was graced by IMA President Dr KMN Khan, Secretary Dr Harsha G V, Vice President Dr Jayashree Patil, Treasurer Dr Prashanth Baddannanavar, Joint Secretary Dr Nandeesh H, and other esteemed IMA members. The CME concluded with interactive discussions and fellowship, reinforcing IMA's commitment to continuous medical education.

Branch : Holalkere
President : Dr. H.S.Shivanna
Secretary : Dr. Veerabhadrash

On 18.01.2026 IMA Holalkere conducted general checkup camp at Basveswara physically challenged hostel for 16 students and health education and first Aid awareness given by Dr. Manjunath and later Dr. Sangeetha gave awareness about spiritual importance awareness to students.

Branch : Hubli
President : Dr. Basavaraj Sajjan
Secretary : Dr. Mahesh Kurugodiyavar

On 21.12. 2025 IMA Hubballi in association with Rotary Club of Hubballi organized Pulse Polio programme at KMCRI (OPD) Vidyanagar, Hubballi with the objective of administering oral polio vaccine to all children below five years of age and creating awareness about polio eradication. The organisers expressed their gratitude to all healthcare workers, volunteers, parents, and authorities for their cooperation and support. President Dr. Basavaraj Sajjan and office bearers of Rotary Club of Hubballi attended the programme. On 21.12.2025 IMA Hubballi in association with IMA ladies wing and art of living organised live meditation with shreshri Ravishankar guruji on account of world meditation day. More than 60 people meditated under one dharmasiri hall and online more than thousand people meditated and made event impactful. On 06.01.2026 Third IMA Hubballi Monthly CME for the year 2025-2026 was held at Denissions Hotel, Gokul Road Hubballi. Dr. G.B. Sattur Senior Physician & Diabetologist Former President, IMA Hubballi spoke on "Management of Diabetes 2026" and Mr. Pushkar Jauhari, MD & Head - Private Equity, Value Quest Group spoke on Building Wealth by Investing In Innovation. Around 145 members attended the CME. On 06.01.2026 The 3rd Monthly meeting of IMA Hubballi branch for the year 2025-2026 was held at Denissions Hotel, Gokul Road Hubballi. Around 90 members attended the meeting. On

10.01.2026 Sankranti was celebrated at IMA Hall in traditional way .Ladies were dressed up in black or green saree depicting Kari or suggi. IMA Ladies Wing members actively participated in event by singing songs, dance and participated in traditional games like sugarcane eating, tug of war. On 12.01.2026 IMA Hubballi in association with NMO, Hubballi Unit and IMA AMS organized a guest lecture by Dr.JagadishBaragi Ret. Professor JSS College Dharwad who spoke on National Youth Day (Swamy Vivekananda Jayanti). President Dr.Basavaraj Sajjan, IMA AMS KSB Chairman Dr.S.Y.Mulkipatil, Secretary Dr.Mahesh D.K., Dr.ManjunathNekar, and other members attended the porgrammee. 150 students from various schools participated in this programmee. On 16.01.2026 The 2nd Managing Committee meeting of IMA Hubballi branch for the year 2025-2026 was held at IMA House , Hubballi. Around 45 members attended the meeting. On 16.01.2026 IMA Hubballi in association with Youth Red Cross and KMCRI blood bank organized Health education programme for government polytechnic students at Kamadolli village. Dr Manjunath Nekar spoke on Health and hygiene and Dr Anil spoke on importance of Blood donation. On 12.01.2026 - 19.01.2026 IMA Hubballi in Association with Jaypriya Hospital organized Free Diabetic Retinopathy Screening camp. Early Detection, Vision Protection and Diabetic Eye Care. A total of 700 beneficiaries were screened during the camp. Several new cases of diabetes and pre-diabetes were identified and advised for further evaluation and treatment at nearby health facilities. Informational pamphlets were distributed to create long-term awareness President Dr.Basavaraj Sajjan, Dr.Venkatraman Katti, and the Staff of Jaypriya Hospital participated in this awareness programmee.

Branch : Jamkhandi
President : Dr.H.G.Daddi
Secretary : Dr. Biradar

On 29.12.2025 Diabetes awareness talk at Government High School at Albal. On 04.01.2026 Childhood Cancer awareness talk at Local Orphanagar. On 12.01.2026 Participation in preliminary meeting on Republic Day at Tahsildar Office. On 26.01.2026 Participation in Republic Day was Celebrated.

Branch : Mangaluru
President : Dr. Sadananda Poojari
Secretary : Dr. Prakash Harishchandra

Indian Medical Association Mangaluru Branch organised a very interesting talk on “ಮಂಜುತಿಮ್ಮ ಹೇಳಿದ ಜೀವನದ ಸತ್ಯಗಳು”. Dr. C N Patil, HOD and Lead Consultant Medical Oncology and Hemato Oncology, Aster Hospital, Bangalore on December 05th 2025 at Hotel Ocean Pearl, Mangalore Dr. Prashanth Marla, HOD, Dept of Urology, AJ Hospital, Mangalore and Dr. Hansaraj Alva, Director, Vinay Hospital, Mangalore were the Guests of Honour. Dr. Sadanand

Poojary, President IMA Mangaluru Branch gave the welcome address and Dr. Prakash Harishchandra, Secretary IMA Mangaluru gave a Vote of Thanks and Dr. Julian Saldanha, Treasurer IMA Mangaluru Branch started a program with IMA Prayer. More than 100 IMA members were attended the programme. Indian Medical Association Mangaluru Branch in association with Association of Medical Consultants and AMC Trust Mangalore organised informal meeting on “LEGAL CHALLENGES FACED DUE TO FIRE COMPLIANCE, ENVIRONMENT” by Dr. Sandeep Prabhu, Hubli IMA KSB Hospital Committee member on December 12th 2025 at IMA Trust Hall, IMA House, Mangalore. On 18th December 2025 Indian Medical Association Mangaluru Branch organised a CME on “STROKE - EVOLVING TRENDS” by Dr. Salma Suhana, Associate Professor & Head (I/C) Dept of Neurology, Yenepoya Medical College and Hospital Yenepoya (Deemed to be University), Mangalore. Dr. Prabha Adhikari, Professor & HOD, Dept of Geriatrics, MD Radiology (JIPMER), DM Interventional Neuroradiology (JIPMER), Associate Prof & Neurointervention Incharge was the moderator for this session. And also talk on “STROKE - LARGE VESSEL OCCLUSION” by Dr. Ariharan K, DM Interventional Neuroradiology (JIPMER) Neurointervention Incharge, Dept of Intervention Radiology, Fr. Muller Medical college Mangalore. Dr. Smitha Bhat, Professor & HOD, Dept of General Medicine, Fr. Muller Medical College, Mangalore was the Moderator for this session. Also followed by 'KBL Home Loans, Car loans and privilege Accounts" by Shri. Venkateswarulu Mallineni, General Manager, Head of liabilities Sales and TPP". Dr. Sadanand Poojary, President IMA Mangaluru Branch gave the welcome address and Dr. Prakash Harishchandra, Secretary IMA Mangaluru gave a Vote of Thanks and Dr. Julian Saldanha, Treasurer IMA Mangaluru Branch started a program with IMA Prayer.

Branch : Mandya
President : Dr. T.N.Marigowda
Secretary : Dr. M.Vinay

On 21.12. 2025 Pulse Polio program was arranged in association with MIMS, Mandya. Children were vaccinated with Polio vaccine. MIMS Director, Dr Narasimhaswamy inaugurated the program. Dr Jagadish Kumar (senior pediatrician), Dr GopalkrishnaGuptha (senior pediatrician), were present. It was well organized. On 22-23-24 Dec 2025 IMA Mandya Branch arranged food facilities for health workers who were going house to house for Pulse Polio vaccination. On 28.12.2025 Dr.B.D.Krishnappa (senior ENT surgeon) issued free hearing aids to 46 patients at Sunkathanoor village, Pandavapura taluk. IMA Mandya Branch appreciates Dr BD Krishnappa and his family. On 29.12.2025 IMA Mandya Branch released the new year calendar 2026. Dr TN Marigowda, President IMA Mandya Branch, Dr Vinay M, Secretary, IMA Mandya Branch, Dr Narasimhaswamy,

Dr Jagadish Kumar, Dr GopalkrishnaGuptha, Dr Jahnavi, Dr Bindiyaand others were present. On 07.12.2026 Dr TN Marigowda, President IMA Mandya Branch attended the Maternal Death Audit meeting at DHO office Mandya. Dr Ashwath, District RCH Officer chaired the meeting. Dr Vasumathi Rao and Dr Manohar (senior gynecologists) participated in the meeting. Discussions regarding antenatal check-ups and other preventive measures to control maternal deaths were held. On 09.01.2026 President, Secretary & Office bearers of IMA Mandya Branch congratulated the state IMA office team for acquiring the fire safety concessions for clinics and small nursing homes. On 13.01.2026 IMA Mandya branch has newly constructed IMA Bhavan in Bangaluru-Mysuru Expressway. Electric Vehicle Charging station was installed at IMA Bhavan. Dr VL Nandish (senior surgeon) inaugurated the charging station. Dr Jagadish Kumar, Dr GopalkrishnaGuptha, Dr BD Krishnappa, Dr Siddegowda, Dr Kakkilaya, etc were present On 16.01.2026 President, Secretary & Office bearers of IMA Mandya Branch congratulated DHO Dr Mohan and Dr Ashwath DRCHO, for decreasing maternal and infant deaths since last 3 years by ensuring maternal nutrition, regular check-ups and increasing health facilities at the rural areas. Health education to anganwadi and asha workers regarding ANC check-ups. On 17.01.2026 IMA Mandya Branch, Manini (Womens wing) President Dr Jahnavi and Secretary Dr Bindiya organized health camp for sericulture workers in Chottanahalli, Srirangapatna taluk, Mandya. Dr Subhas Babu P arranged for specialists from Medicine, Surgery, Orthopedics, Pediatrics, OBG, Ophthalmology, ENT, Psychiatry, Dermatology, etc. General health examination, blood pressure, Blood glucose, Hb%, etc was screened and treatment given. Health education regarding prevention of diseases and appropriate treatment was given to the people. On 20.01.2026 Dr.T.N.Marigowda, President IMA Mandya Branch attended the DC meeting regarding vaccination of measles-rubella and other vaccinations to achieve 100% vaccination in Mandya district. Health education to anganwadi and asha workers regarding 100% vaccination.

Branch : Nelamangala
President : Dr. Jayaprasad.M
Secretary : Dr. Rajendra Prasad S.

On 26.12.2025 CME programme was conducted. Topic: "Facial Nerve De animation" by Dr. Kiran J, Consultant Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeon, JP Hospital and Amrutha Super Speciality Hospital, Nelamangala.

Branch : Raichur
President : Dr. ShriShailesh S. Amarkhed
Secretary : Dr. Sushrit A. Neelopant

On 19.12.2025 IMA Raichur, in association with the IMA Ladies Wing, conducted a Hands-on BLS Workshop

for police personnel at the SP Office, Raichur. About 60–70 police personnel participated actively. The workshop was led by Dr. Ramesh Babu, Dr. Goutham, Dr. Shreelatha, Dr. Balapraveena, Dr. Rajeshwari, and Dr. Shilpa. Participants received practical training on mannequins covering cardiac arrest recognition, chest compressions, airway management and other life-saving techniques. The session highlighted the vital role of police as first responders and concluded with an interactive Q&A. The program was highly appreciated for enhancing confidence and emergency response skills. Workshop on Infection Prevention and Control in Hospitals: The IMA Raichur, in association with RIMACT, organized a workshop on "Infection Prevention and Control in Hospitals" on 21 December 2025 at the IMA Hall, Raichur. More than 120 participants from various hospitals, including nursing staff, ward boys, and ayahs, actively attended the program. The session was conducted by Mr. Vadiraj Udapi, who delivered lectures and practical demonstrations on biomedical waste management, infection control practices, and OT and ward safety. The interactive and hands-on training enhanced participants' understanding and confidence in implementing infection prevention protocols. All registered participants received certificates, and the workshop was widely appreciated for strengthening awareness and improving hospital infection control practices, contributing to better patient safety and quality healthcare. Pulse Polio Activity Participation: On 21 December 2025, the doctors of the IMA Ladies Wing, Raichur, actively participated in the Pulse Polio Immunization Programme at various booths across Raichur city. The doctors contributed by supervising immunization activities, guiding parents, and ensuring safe and effective administration of oral polio vaccine to children. Their presence strengthened public confidence in the program and encouraged greater community participation. CME: Cornea Update – Keratoconus and Contact Lens: A CME program titled "Cornea Update: Keratoconus and Contact Lens" was successfully conducted on 28 December 2025. The CME focused on recent updates in keratoconus and contact lens practice, covering key aspects such as early diagnosis, clinical evaluation, management strategies, and the latest treatment modalities for keratoconus. Advancements in contact lens technology and their role in visual rehabilitation were also discussed in detail. Women's Health Checkup Camp: A Women's Health Checkup Camp was successfully conducted on 29 December 2025 at SSRG Women's PU College, Raichur with the objective of creating awareness about the importance of regular health screening and self-care among young girls. Around 200 students were screened during the camp. The program emphasized early detection of health issues, healthy lifestyle practices, and the significance of preventive healthcare. Students were also educated on maintaining physical and mental well-being. Physicians' Day Celebration: The Physicians' Day Celebration was

held on 10 January 2026 with great enthusiasm. The occasion was marked by the prestigious Shankargouda Oration Programme, delivered by Dr. Ashok Kumar Taneja, National President of the Association of Physicians of India (API). The oration was presented on the topic "Organ Transplantation in India - Current Status." Dr. Taneja highlighted recent advancements, challenges, legal aspects, and future prospects of organ transplantation in the country. Organic Mela 2026: The Organic Mela was successfully held on January 11, 2026, at the IMA Hall, Raichur, with the theme "Step Into the New Year the Organic Way," promoting organic living, environmental conservation, and sustainable lifestyles. Around 150 participants attended the event. The highlight was an inspiring talk by Sri Umapati Gajanana Bhat K.V., environmental activist from Sirsi, who stressed the importance of pure air and water, reducing plastic use, organic farming, and conservation of natural resources. The mela featured exhibitions on organic farming, natural products, and multiple organic food stalls by reputed vendors. The presence of special invitees including Mr. Rajendra, Smt. Saraswati Kilkile, Mr. Shankar Reddy, and Dr. Mallareddy added value to the program.

Branch : Saundatti
President : Dr. Danagoudar
Secretary : Dr. Hemanth

Join us for a refreshing morning walk! Whether you want to get active or just enjoy some fresh air with the community, everyone is welcome.

Branch : Shimoga
President : Dr. KR Ravish
Secretary : Dr. KS Shubrata

On 21.12.2025 IMA Shivamogga Ladies wing observed International Meditation Day. The resource persons were Mr Karthik Krishna, Mr Prashanth Pai & Dr Anusha GK. Sudarshan Kriya was also taught. Around 60 members participated. On 22.12.2025 Talk on Child development was broadcast in Akashavani by Dr Yathisha B L. On 23.12.2025 Youtube video by Dr. Satvik P.G on Trigeminal Neuralgia was released. On 24.12.2025 School Health Program at Rotary school, Shimoga. Dr Shreya Mallesh spoke on Menstrual Hygiene & Dr Pooja Shah spoke on First Aid. Students interacted well. On 24.12.2025- A Free HLA Typing Camp was successfully conducted by HCG Hospital in association with IAP Shimoga and IMA Shimoga. The camp was led by renowned haematologist Dr. Intezar Mehdi and his dedicated team. During the program, 25 children with thalassemia were thoroughly evaluated, and free HLA typing was performed for 13 children. The families were counselled regarding curative Bone Marrow Transplantation (BMT), with treatment support made available through Coal India CSR funding.

Importantly, matched donor BMT will be provided completely free of cost, offering new hope for these children and their families. On 26.12.2025 Health article on the topic of Allergic Conjunctivitis by Dr Ratnamma in Shimoga times newspaper. On 26.12.2025 IMA Shivamogga conducted a Health check up camp for the inmates of State Home for Women. 59 of the inmates were examined and advised by our president IMA Shimoga Dr Ravish K R along with Dr Raksha Rao & Dr Anvitha Omprakash. Breast self-examination was demonstrated and taught to the inmates by Dr Kousthubha Arun. Honorable judge, Smt Deepa-principal magistrate, Juvenile Justice Board, Dr Pavitra K S, Mrs Rekha - members, Juvenile Justice Board, Dr Shubrata K S - member, State Women Home, Shivamogga & IMA Shivamogga Secretary were present. On 26.12.2026 IMA Shivamogga health articles series in Shimoga Times newspaper- Article by Dr J Rathnamma on Allergic Conjunctivitis. On 26.12.2025 - IMA Shivamogga- College Mental Health program in association with Shimoga Obstetrics & Gynaecological Society at Sri Aurobindo PU College. Psychiatrist, Dr Sai Komal & Obs- Gynaec Surgeon Dr Madhurya Swamy were resource persons. On 27.12.2025. - CME on "Newer therapeutic options in Cardiovascular disorders" by Dr Manjunath Kini was organized. On 27.12.2025- Youtube talk on PCPNDT act by Dr Akhila D in IMA Shivamogga youtube channel. On 29.12.2025 Talk by Dr Yatheesha B Lon the topic of Epilepsy in Akashavani Bhadravathi. On 31.12.2025 - New year celebration was done at IMA premises. Music club, Photography club & Stargazers' club engaged the audience in a meaningful way. On 03.01.2026 "How to take care of Skin?" Talk by Dr Prerana R in IMA Shivamogga youtube channel. On 03.01.2026- IMA Shivamogga health articles series in Shimoga Times newspaper- Article by Dr Krishna S Bhat on Holistic Health. On 04.01.2026- President Dr K R Ravish attended State IMA meeting and also spoke on MEDICON 26. On 05.01.2026 Talk by Dr Shreya Mallesh on Antenatal Care in Akashavani Bhadravathi. On 09.01.2026 Popular Lecture on "How to lead a happy life?" by Dr K P Putturaya. On 09.01.2026-Release of IMA Shivamogga Pulse magazine. On 09.01.2026 Inauguration of Environment club, wing of IMA Shivamogga. On 10.01.2026 Article by Dr Rashmi Vaidya on Spiritual Health in Shimoga Times newspaper. On 10.01.2026 Health camp for residents of Government Girls' Home, Shivamogga. Dr Vijayalakshmi Ravish, Dr Shantala R M & Dr Lakshmi Chandraprakash conducted the health camp. On 11.01.2026 - Cyclothon & Marathon done in association with Round table Association of Shivamogga. On 11.01.2026 HPV Vaccine drive for SIMS medical students. 67 students were given HPV vaccine. On 12.01.2026 Akashavani, Bhadravathi talk by Dr Shreya Mallesh. On 13.01.2026 School Health Program at Kommanaalu Govt School. Dr K S Pavitra gave talk on "Facing exams". On 13.01.2026 -IMA MSN Shivamogga,

Branch Activity Gallery



Belagavi



Bengaluru North



Bengaluru



Gadag



Chikkaballapura



Gangavathi



Gokak



Harapanahalli



Branch Activity Gallery



Hassan



Holkere



Hubli



Jamkhandi



Mandya



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Nelamangala



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Branch Activity Gallery



Saundaddi



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Sirsi



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Vijayapur



Yelahanka



President attend KSSS Meeting

Republic Day Celebration at Various Branches



Belgaum



Bijapur



Chikkaballapur



Chikkamagaluru



Dharwad



Gangavathi



Hassan



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Republic Day Celebration at Various Branches



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President Met Law Minister H. K. Patil

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COVID MARTYRS' DAY OBSERVED ON IMA CALL - HOMAGE PAID TO DEPARTED COVID WARRIORS

COVID Martyrs' Day was solemnly observed following the call given by the Indian Medical Association Karnataka State Branch, and heartfelt homage was paid to doctors who lost their lives during the COVID-19 pandemic.

Addressing the gathering, Dr. Suriraju V, Honorary State Secretary, IMA KSB, told that doctors not only saved countless lives during the COVID crisis but also sacrificed their own lives while serving patients in the line of duty. He emphasized that the pandemic proved beyond doubt that doctors are always prepared to give their lives to save the lives of others.

More than 100 people were present at the event. public expressed deep gratitude and appreciation for the services rendered by doctors and healthcare workers during the COVID pandemic. The staff of Regal Hospital actively participated in the programme.

A one-minute silence was observed in memory of the departed doctors as a mark of respect. A

candlelight vigil was held at 6:00 PM to honour the COVID martyrs and to symbolically remember their supreme sacrifice. Several speakers and patients emotionally expressed that although the doctors may no longer be physically present, they continue to live forever in the hearts, prayers, and gratitude of millions whose lives they touched.

A great and heartfelt gesture by all in honour of our COVID warriors, responding to the call given by IMA. Thank you everyone for standing together in respect and solidarity

- Dr. Suriraju V.
Honorary Secretary, IMA KSB

IMA Karnataka State Branch



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CPR awareness program for SIMS medical students at IMA hall. Dr K Anup Rao & Dr Shravya D S were resource persons. On 13.01.2026 CPR program at Rotary club North - Dr Shashidhara.H.L & Dr.Swetha Badami were resource persons. On 14.01.2026 YouTube video by SR Shashidhara.H.L on the topic of 'Hypochondriasis'. On 15.01.2026- School Health Program at Govt High School, Navile Basapura. Dr K S Shubrata addressed the 10th students about facing exams.On the same occasion, Stationary items like Geometry boxes & pens were distributed to all students. On 15.01.2026- Article by Dr Raghavendra Vailaya on NICU care in IMA Shivamogga health articles series column in Shimoga times newspaper. On 16.01.2026- School Health Program at Govt Highschool, B H Road, Shivamogga. Dr Swathi, Psychiatrist addressed 10th standard students about facing exams. On 19.01.2026- Akashavani talk by Dr Raksha Rao on Menopause. On 20.01.2026 World Youth Day 2026 was celebrated at IMA Hall for Medical students. Sri Pattabhiraman spoke on the contributions by Swamy Vivekananda. On 20.01.2026- Talk by Dr Sreenivas Revankar on "Antibiotics" in IMA Shivamogga youtube channel.

Branch : Sirsi
President : Dr. Mukund Marathe
Secretary : Dr. Harsha Nadgir

On 24.12.2025 Cancer screening camp was conducted at Landakannli in association with Indian cancer society. The team was led by Dr. Mamata Hegde, Consultant pathologist at Marikamba hospital, Sirsi. Dr. T. Narayan Bhat memorial oration lecture was held on 27.12.2025. The lecture was delivered by Dr. Malhar Deshpande and Dr. Ujwal Kapadnis on life style management at IMA hall and at TRC hall for general public. Over 500 people attended the program for 2 days and was very well appreciated by the attendees. New year 2026 was welcomed at IMA sirsi by our members with a fun filled evening on 31.12.2025. Individual achievements Dr. Vinayak Subramaniam stood first in district level backstroke swimming competition in the category of Men above 45 years. Dr. Spoorthi Raviraj stood first in freestyle breaststroke and backstroke at district level swimming competition. On going projects There were 75 new admissions in Rotary IMA PGH NICU from December 20th to January 19th. Total 12 women underwent screening for CA Breast mammography at Sirsi scan centre. premature, low birth weight babies were screened and 02 follow up baby were examined under the project BIRDY- a joint venture of Ganesh Netralaya and IMA Sirsi. A total of 275 units of blood issued from PGH Blood bank which is run in collaboration with Sirsi IMA. Total of 162 were donated by the donors. Social activities IMA extended its support in the movement against the Aghanashini and Bedti River connecting project which could have

devastating effect on the western ghats, animal flora, underground water table, livestock and human migration and may others.

Branch : Sullia
President : Dr. Aishwarya K.Chidananda
Secretary : Dr. Geetha J. Doppa

On 21.12.2025 One-day training for Kishori Sangha office bearers under the Beti Bachao Beti Padhao scheme was held at Taluk Panchayat Hall, Sullia, focusing on adolescent health, menstrual hygiene, nutrition, and common gynecological issues, with an expert session by Dr. Veena, Obstetrician and Gynecologist. On 22.12.2025 Dr Apoorva Dore - Ladies wing chairman of IMA SULLIA was awarded the Indian medical award 2025 for the Best Community Health Initiative. This honour awarded at Prabhatha Kala Soudha, recognises her impactful work on the Continuum of Care Approach, inspiring excellence in public health and community. On 05.01.2026 A health camp was organised at Markanja by KVG Medical college in association with the IMA Sullia branch promoting health awareness and providing basic medical services to the community. On 06.01.2026 Dr Geeta Doppa -Secretary IMA Sullia and Dr Ravikanth GO - Chairman IMA AMS Sullia, we're felicitated by the Cultural Society of Sullia on the occasion of the Sullia fest in recognition of their outstanding contributions in Sullia town for advancing maternal and Women's health that have significantly benefited the community. On 17.01.2026 A CME was held in the Department of Radiodiagnosis, KVG MCH, Sullia on Scope of Physiotherapy taping in modern Pain Management with Dr Vybhav as the speaker. The program was a grand success and enthusiastic participation and meaningful discussion helped enrich the knowledge of everyone present. On 17.01.2026 Dr Geeta Doppa Hon Secretary IMA Sullia has been nominated as - Woman Nominated Managing Committee Member of the IMA Karnataka State Social Security Scheme (IMA-KSSS) for the tenure 2025-2028. IMA-KSSS is a prestigious state-level body under the Indian Medical Association, with its headquarters located in Hubballi. This nomination recognizes her professional commitment and contributions to the medical fraternity."

Branch : Udupi-Karavali
President : Dr. Ashok Kumar
Secretary : Dr. Manas. E.R.

On 21.12.2025 Dr Shruti Ballal, diabetologist, Udupi gave talk at mahilamandali, at Narasimha Swami temple, saligrama. Topic was Importance of timely food among women. On 23.12.2025 Dr Shruti Ballal ,Diabetologist gave talk on Prayer, meditation and habits forming ' at Annual day function of Ananteswara English medium school, Udupi. On 25.12.2025 Dr Shruti Ballal,

Diabetologist gave talk at Fitness zone gym, Udupi. Topic was Regular exercise, weight training for strength. On 26.12. 2025 Dr Rajalaxmi released her self written educational book "Vatsalyadaosage". On 27.12.2025 Our esteemed member DrDevdasKamath was honoured with Vajpayee SadhanaPrashasti. On 28.12. 2025 Dr ShrutiBallal, Diabetologist, gave speech on "cultivation of good hobbies" at Govinda das college, Suratkal. On 28.12. 2025 Monthly CME was held . More than 60 members attended the programme. On 01.01. 2026 35th De-addiction camp inaugural programme at Dr. A.V. Baliga Memorial Hospital,Udupi. Dr. Ashok Kumar , President IMA UK , DR P V Bhandary, Medical Director of the hospital, Dr Virupaksha, Devarumane, Dr Deepak Mallya, Dr Manas E R , and social worker Mr VishuShetty were present during the programme.It is 10 day free camp organised in the hospital. Around 45 patients were treated. On 03.01. 2026 Dr Rajalakshmi , Gyneacologist - Spoke on nutrition in adolescents in a program organised by Lion's Manipl along with IMA – UK at Government High School , Manipl. On 09.01.2026 An educational video by Dr Rajalaxmi and well-known cardiologist Dr VijayalakshmiBalekundri on women health. On 09.01.2026 Dr Rajalakshmi Attended PMSMA at PHC Hoode and spoke on Pre pregnancy preparation, breast feeding and contraception. On 10.01.2026 Walkathon as part of World Hunger Relief program was organised along with Lions Club Manipl and IMA UK. Nursing students from various colleges attended the event. Around 150 members were present. On 10.01.2026 Educational TV talk by Dr Ranjita. On 11.01.2026 An enriching academic evening at Adarsha Hospital Connect, in association with Life Care Specialty Hospital, Bhatkal. Delighted to speak on "The Leaky Filter – Understanding Glomerular Disease" alongside esteemed colleagues.

Branch	: Vijayapur
President	: Dr. Girish Kullolli
Secretary	: Dr. Vijayakumar Patil

On the eve of Swami Vivekananda Jayanti was celebrated. The Youth Festival was successfully organized by the IMA Vijayapura Branch, in association with the IMA Junior Doctor Wing and Shri B. M. Patil Medical College Hospital and Research Center, Vijayapura. The program aimed to commemorate the ideals of Swami Vivekananda and to inspire young doctors towards physical fitness, discipline, and service to society. The event was held on 12 December 2025, from 5:00 PM to 6:00 PM, at the BLDE Grounds, Vijayapura. As part of the Youth Festival celebrations, sports activities were organized, with a running race conducted for junior doctors, which witnessed enthusiastic participation and vibrant energy. The program was formally inaugurated by Dr. Teshwini Vallabha, Principal of Shri B. M. Patil Medical College. The

event was presided over by Dr. Girish Kullolli, President, IMA Vijayapura Branch. The occasion was graced by Dr. Vijaykumar Patil, Dr. Santosh Nandi, Dr. Suresh Kagalkar, and Dr. Prakash Sasnur, along with a large number of junior doctors from the Vijayapura Branch. The sports staff of BLDE Medical College extended full cooperation, ensuring the smooth and disciplined conduct of the event. The Youth Festival concluded on a high and positive note, reflecting the teachings of Swami Vivekananda on strength, unity, and youthful enthusiasm. The program was widely appreciated by all participants and served as a source of motivation and inspiration for the young medical fraternity.

Branch:	Yelahanka
President:	Dr. Nalina. D
Secretary:	Dr. Kiran Nidagundi

On 11.01.2026 "ROAD SAFETY AWARENESS & SOCIAL RESPONSIBILITY RALLY" aimed at preventing road traffic accidents (RTAs) and promoting civic sense among the public. Rally received appreciation from both the public and the traffic police. The event witnessed enthusiastic participation from many doctors, highlighting the medical fraternity's commitment to community welfare. Traffic police personnel were honoured for their dedicated service in maintaining road safety under challenging conditions. Public awareness focused on preventive measures such as avoiding drink-and-drive, mobile phone use while driving, and responsible road behaviour. The Harley Davidson, Hayabusa & Royal Enfield bikes owned by our active IMA members were a key attraction, drawing public attention and strengthening the safety message. Suggestions were also made to involve volunteers and private participation through public-private partnership for improved traffic control and civic discipline. The event commenced with a welcome speech by Dr. Kiran Nidagundi. Sub inspector Mr. Sakarappa briefed about traffic rules & regulations, followed by a keynote awareness talk delivered by our Dynamic IMA KSB Secretary Dr. Suriraju. President Dr. Nalina, Dr. Venkatesh, Dr. Farooq, Dr. Shanthala Girish, and Dr. Sowmya Naveen also addressed the gathering, emphasizing the critical importance of adhering to road safety rules to prevent accidents. The rally was officially flagged off by Mr. Sakarappa, Sub-inspector of the Yelahanka Traffic Police. IMA YELAHANKA conducted CME in Association with Sparsh hospital, Hennur. Talk was given by Dr. Chandrakala. S (Senior Consultant - Haematology & Bone Marrow Transplant) about "Approach to common Hematological Disorder". Dr. Sunil Udaire Consultant Haematologist Paediatric Oncologist and BMT Physician, gave a talk about "Approach to Child with Thrombocytopenia".

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IMA MSN



IMA MSN CMCRI, CHITRADURGA MEMBERSHIP DRIVE



Following this, **Chandan BV**, **Abhishek SA** and **Shlok B** interacted with students, creating awareness about the role of the Indian Medical Association and the importance of student involvement in professional medical bodies. Their interactive approach helped students clearly understand the structure, opportunities, and future prospects within IMA-MSN.

CMCRI CHITRADURGA

A promotional event of the Indian Medical Association - Medical Students Network (IMA-MSN) was successfully conducted on 16th January with active participation from faculty members and students. The session began with

Dr. Gaurav Jaydev and **Shrinidhi S** (IMA MSN STATE CO - CONVENOR), who delivered a concise and informative talk highlighting the vision, objectives, and benefits of the IMA-MSN network, inspiring students to actively engage with the association from the early stages of their medical career.



The event was graced by the presence and support of **Dean Dr. Yuvraj B.Y.** and the **Principal Dr Chandrika N**, who were extremely cooperative, supportive, and encouraging throughout the program, motivating students to participate in professional and academic activities. Several students actively contributed to the promotion of the event. **Rushab Rajesh Sajjanar** and **Prathamesh Gubache** (2023 batch), **Navdeep V** and **Diya Biswas** (2024 batch), and **Thrisha Vijaykumar** (2025 batch) showed great enthusiasm and played a key role in spreading awareness and encouraging fellow students to join IMA-MSN for academic, cultural and sports activities.



The event concluded on a highly positive note, reinforcing the spirit of unity, leadership, and professional growth among medical students. IMA-MSN continues to stand as a strong platform that nurtures future doctors, empowering them to lead, learn, and serve the medical fraternity with dedication and excellence.



1 & 2. IMA KSB MSN activity done by MNS Mangaluru blood donation camp & women's health camp at Besant Women's College Mangalore by Dr Avin Alva, Coordinator MSN.

3 & 4. Awareness campaign of lung and breast cancer done by MSN leaders at Anjanadri High school, Bangalore by Dr Aditi, Convener & Dr Srinidhi Co convener IMA MSN KSB.

5- Dr.Gaurav and Dr.Sreenidhi took initiative in Membership drive program organised in Chitradurga Medical college.

6 & 7. Representatives of MSN IMA KSB Participation in south zonal conclave and winning awards.

IMA KSB MSN ACTIVITIES REPORT RECEIVED FROM - Dr Jaspalsingh Chairman IMA MSN.



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IMA-KSB Ladies Wing Activities

Ballari: On 04.01.2026 IMA BELLARY ladies wing conducted a programme where Dr.Renuka Manjunath delivered a talk on women empowerment & role of IMA ladies.

Bengaluru: On 12.01.2026 IMA KSB ladies wing of Bangalore branch in association with Bangalore adolescent health academy celebrated national youth Day at Gandhi Sevashrama School Srirampur Bengaluru.

Gangavathi: Free health check up was conducted by IMA ladies wing GANGAVATHI at SIDDAPUR girls high school.

Hospete: On 10.01.2026 IMA KSB ladies wing of HOSPETE delivered talk menstrual hygiene by Dr.Chaitra Shankar, HPV vaccination by Dr.Tulasipriya, adolescent health by Dr.Priyanka gugri, digital well being for adolescence by Dr Lakshmi Devi and patil.

Hubli: Four artificial limbs were donated to needy people by Dr. VARSHA BANGARSHETTAR on her beloved husband's birthday on 09.01.2026.

Raichur: On 14.01.2026 sankranti sambrama by IMA ladies wing RAICHUR.

Ranebennur: Free health camp of cancer screening by IMA ladies wing RANEBENNUR. 110 people were benefited by the camp.

Shimoga: On 12.01.2026 Dr.Shreya Mallesh gave a radio talk on cervical cancer which was aired in Akashavani, Bhadravathi and on 19.01.2026 Dr.Raksha Rao Gave a talk on "Menopause which was aired in Akashavani, Bhadravathi.

Sullia: On 17.01.2026 IMA ladies wing SULLIA organised guest talk by Dr.Vybhav "Physiotherapy tapping in modern pain management".

Tumakuru: On 04.01.2026 IMA ladies wing TUMAKURU organised MILLETS AWARENESS WALKATHON & 300 public & 50 doctors participated.

Udupi-Karavali: Dr.Renjith nayak from IMA ladies wing udupi karavali gave TV programme on cervical Cancer in the month of January.

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4	Below 41 to 45 Years	200	500	18000	3000	15000	36700
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Below age of 55 Yrs But above 45Yrs	Rs. 1650.00	Rs.500.00	Rs.5500.00	Rs. 7650.00 + 1377 = 9027/-	6000 + 1080 = 7080/-
Below age of 65 Yrs But above 55Yrs.	Rs. 2350.00	Rs.500.00	Rs.6500.00	Rs. 9350.00 + 1683 = 11033/-	7000 + 1260 = 8260/-
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Dr. T.A. Veerabhadraiah, President, IMA-KSB Inaugurated Medico legal CME at Basaveshwara Medical College, Chitradurga on 01.02.2026. President and President elect Dr. Harish Delanthabettu were honoured, Dr. Pavankumar Patil spoke on KPME Act.



IMA KSB Appreciates



Dr. S.Y. Mulkipatil

for his exemplary performance and outstanding contribution to IMA-AMS during the year 2024-2025. This appreciation is presented during IMA AMS AMSCON 2025, held on 29th & 30th November 2025 at Chandigarh.

Dr. Suresh Hanagavadi

on being conferred with the prestigious Padma Shri Award, bringing honour to the medical fraternity and the IMA Karnataka



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