

# Newsletter

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## Bharat Gaurav Award conferred

The Sanskriti Yuva Sanstha, Rajasthan, conferred the Bharat Gaurav Award on Dr Partap Midha, trustee and medical director, J Watumull Global Hospital & Research Centre, Mt Abu, in honour of

his distinguished services to the nation and in leading the delivery of health services to society. The award was presented on July 23, 2022, in Paris, France.

## Visiting specialists

Fifty patients consulted Dr Swapan Gupta, associate neurologist at the GB Pant Hospital, Delhi, in August.

Dermatologist Dr Mankul Goyal from Delhi saw 118 patients in July and August.

Visiting dermatologist Dr Sunil Mishra from Mumbai saw 76 patients in September.

Five patients consulted Dr Anandnarayan Malu, a nephrologist from Solapur, in September.

Dr Ashish Kumar Agarwal, a cardiologist visiting from Ajmer, was consulted by 26 patients over August and September.

Oncosurgeon Dr Sushil Kumar from Rohtak saw nine patients in September.

## Conference participation by staff

Eyecare manager Sandeep Singh attended a national conference on community ophthalmology organised by Vision 2020 at Siliguri, West Bengal, from September 2 to 4.

Oral & maxillofacial surgeon Dr Keyur Mevada attended the 2nd joint state (Gujarat and Rajasthan) conference of the Association of Oral & Maxillofacial Surgery India, at Udaipur, on August 27-28.

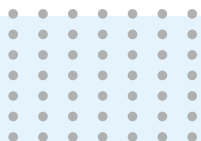


**New urology equipment:** Trustee Rashmikant Acharya covered the cost of a surgical laser system for urology, commissioned in August. Trustee Acharya and trustee-medical director Dr Partap Midha are seen with urologist, uro-oncologist and renal transplant surgeon Dr Vaibhav Vishal and OT technician Haldhar Bag.

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**Felicitating service to the nation:** The Medical Wing of the Rajyoga Education & Research Foundation felicitated medical and nursing professionals across India. Business person from

Ludhiana Yash Batra joined trustee Dr Banarsilal Sah in acknowledging Covid-19 warriors in Global Hospital. Batra is seen garlanding physician Dr Sachin Sukhsohale.



**Employee awards:** On Independence Day, trustee and medical director Dr Partap Midha felicitated a few high performing employees.





## Blood banking

The Rotary International Global Hospital Blood Bank was extremely active from July to September. Of 1859 units of blood collected, 57% or 1058 units came from 11 blood donation drives. Four initiatives yielded more than 100 units each. A drive organised by the Agarwal Samaj of Abu Road yielded 250 units, one by the North Western Railway Employees Union and the Lions Club Aravali, Abu Road, yielded 175 units, the Inner Wheel Club of

Mount Abu inspired the collection of 163 units and another 103 units were collected at a drive organised by the Bharatiya Janata Yuva Morcha, Abu Road.

During the quarter, the blood bank issued 19 units of whole blood, 1649 units of packed cells, 1884 units of fresh frozen plasma, 44 units of platelets and 10 units of cryoprecipitate. The number of beneficiaries was 213.

## Training in patient care skills

On July 31, Ramnath Dixit, consultant facilitator and founder at Squirrel Interventions, conducted one day's training in patient care skills.



The team behind the eye donation fortnight events

## Marking National Eye Donation Fortnight

Global Hospital Institute of Ophthalmology held several events to mark the National Eye Donation Fortnight, which is held every year from August 25 to September 8.

On September 1, a series of lectures on eye donation were organised for the optometry students and staff. DNB ophthalmology candidate Dr Ekansh Bansal, spoke on the structure and function of an eye bank. DNB ophthalmology candidate Dr Ravinshu Hooda delivered a lecture on the indications and contraindications for tissue retrieval. DNB ophthalmology candidate Dr Pooja Kumari spoke on the examination of donor tissues and grading. DNB ophthalmology candidate Dr Akanksha Kumari conducted a session on storage guidelines during Covid-19. Consultant ophthalmologist Dr Seema Laad delivered a session on protocols for eye collection. Dr VC Bhatnagar, medical superintendent, delivered the closing lecture.

On September 2, Dr Laad delivered a lecture on "Aapka Swasthya Aapke Hath" (your health in your hands) that was transmitted on Madhuban Radio 90.4 FM, from Abu Road.

On September 5, Dr Laad participated in the "Ashiyana" (resting place) programme on Madhuban Radio 90.4 FM, Abu Road. She answered participants' queries on general questions such as the reasons for eye injury while performing household chores, etc.

On September 7, Dr Laad delivered a speech on eye donation in Godlywood Studio, Shantivan, Abu Road.

On September 8, Dr Laad emphasised the importance of creating awareness about eye donation among people. She encouraged the optometry students and health professionals to take forward this message.

## Nursing education update



Students Nursing Association elections were held in July 2022

World Breastfeeding Week that lasts from August 1 to 7 every year was commemorated on August 8. Graduate students presented skits in the Community Health Centre (Akrabhatta) and in a Primary Health Centre (Bharja).



Creating awareness of the importance of breastfeeding

Block development officer of Abu Road Navila Ram, director of the Brahma Kumaris Dr Nirmala Kajaria, trustee and medical director Dr Partap Midha and deputy director Dr Roja Tumma attended the freshers' lamp lighting and oath taking on July 8.

Rupa Upadhye, chief of nursing services, Shrinidhi K, deputy manager, training & development, and Manisha Ligade, deputy manager, human resources, offered training in communication skills on July 28.

September 2022 was observed as "National Nutrition Month" on the directives of the government. On September 6, the diploma students avidly participated in a nutrition competition that was judged by the principal Mamatha S, Shashi Bala Gupta, the principal of the Saroj Lalji Mehrotra Global Nursing College, and Shruti Budhia, dietician, Radha Mohan Mehrotra Global Hospital Trauma Centre.



The ESIC combined an awareness drive with health checks

## Creating awareness of medical services

The Employees' State Insurance Corporation (ESIC) arranged an open house on July 20. The ESIC invited Global Hospital to arrange general medicine, ophthalmic and orthopaedic checks. Sixty patients consulted Dr Anisha, medical officer, Dr Rajiv Jain, orthopedic surgeon, and Dr Ekansh Bansal, DNB ophthalmology candidate. In the same hall, representatives of the ESIC shared information about the medical facilities available to employees covered by that state sponsored social security scheme.

## Specialist's travel afar

On September 17, the opportunity to seek advice from the consultant orthopaedics & joint replacement surgeon Dr Kailash Kadel at a physiotherapy centre in Sirohi attracted 107 patients.

Visiting oncologist Dr Sushil Kumar offered consultations on breast cancer in Bhinmal, Jalore, and in the base hospital in Mt Abu on September 26 and 27 respectively. Nineteen patients approached him.

Dr Jayanta Bhowmick, consultant general & laparoscopic surgeon saw 27 patients at an outreach consultation event in Reodar on November 24.



Visiting oncologist Dr Sushil Kumar sees patients

## Reporting from adopted villages

Dr Murlidhar Sharma who sees patients in the villages adopted by the Village Outreach Programme saw 1927 patients in the field while another 718 patients walked into the hospital to consult the panel of specialists and 46 patients were admitted.

Field workers attached to the Village Outreach Programme collected 65 sputum samples between July and September, of which 28 tested positive and three patients were found to have extra pulmonary tuberculosis. Twenty-seven patients recovered during this time, while 14 were referred.