

# Minutes of AHPI State Chapter office bearer's monthly meeting held at 3:00 PM on 24<sup>th</sup> Feb 2021

# **Participants**

- Dr. J A Jayalal National President IMA
- Dr. Alexander Thomas President AHPI
- Dr. Girdhar Gyani Director General AHPI
- Dr. V C Shanmuganandan Advisor AHPI
- Dr. Santosh Kumar Secretary AHPI Bihar
- Dr. Rakesh Gupta Vice President AHPI Chhattisgarh
- Dr. Anil Jain Secretary AHPI Chhattisgarh
- Dr. C M Bhagat President AHPI Delhi NCR
- Dr. Sanjeev K Singh Secretary AHPI Delhi NCR
- Dr. Narin Sehgal Joint Secretary AHPI Delhi NCR
- Dr. Nirmal Choraria President AHPI Gujarat
- Mr. Jogesh Gambhir President AHPI Jharkhand
- Dr. Naresh Shetty President AHPI Karnataka
- Dr. M I Sahadulla President AHPI Kerala
- Dr. Anoop Hajela President AHPI Madhya Pradesh
- Dr. Rahul Khare Secretary AHPI Madhya Pradesh
- Dr. Sujit Chatterjee President AHPI Maharashtra and Goa
- Dr. Ashwini Jogade Secretary AHPI Maharashtra and Goa
- Mr. Rohit Upadhyay Secretary AHPI North East 1
- Dr. James Elangbam Secretary AHPI North East 2
- Dr. Amandeep Kaur President AHPI North Zone
- Mr. Joy Das Gupta Secretary AHPI North Zone
- Mr. Adel Bennet Joint Secretary Tamil Nadu
- Dr. Vishnu Reddy Secretary AHPI Telangana
- Dr. Saumitra Bharadwaj President AHPI West Bengal
- Ms. Suparna Sengupta Secretary AHPI West Bengal
- Dr. Sandeep Bhalla Principal Advisor AHPI Education and Training Committee
- Dr. Naveen Chitkara Member AHPI Education and Training Committee
- Dr. Sam Mehtha Vice President Association of Health Care Providers India TN
- Dr. Deepak Baid Member CGHS Tariff Revision Committee
- Dr. Sunil Khetrapal Convenor AHPI Legal cell committee
- Dr. Ramesh Billimaga Member AHPI Legal cell committee
- Ms. Suganthi Iyer Member AHPI Legal cell committee
- Dr. Ashok Gupta CGHS Eye Hospital Coordinator North

# Meeting Started by welcoming all State Office bearers by President and DG-AHPI

Dr Alex Presented the fortnightly report and update on AHPI Activities such as;

- CGHS working group formed with IMA, NATHEALTH, FICCI, CII and ASSOCHAM for govt schemes rates revision
- Meeting with Dr Meena of NHA for CGHS MOU, scheduled with CEO
- Advisory for protecting vision and health with AIOS
- Consumption of gloves-Pricing study with FICCI
- Pvt hospitals to help in Vaccination drive
- Star insurance to come up with app
- AHPI participated in protest against govt decision on Mixopathy
- Working with ANEI-Nurse Martyrs
- Update on AHPI Conclave

#### **State Presentations**

## Andhra Pradesh - Dr Mohan Maharaj

- Informing members for Registrations of conclave
- Cases are rising
- 50% hospital workers vaccinated

# Delhi NCR - Dr CM Bhagat

- No of covid cases down
- 50% medical fraternity vaccinated
- Messages to nursing home members sent to participate in Conclave
- Meeting held with Nursing homes where Dr Meena from NHA participated for discussion on new platform registration

## **Karnataka-Dr Naresh Shetty**

- Mask rules enforced again
- Slight increase in cases due to neighbouring states
- Vaccination drive is going on

#### West Bengal -Dr Saumitra Bharadwaj

 Healthcare workers who do not show up for vaccination, govt will remove the name form vaccination list

- BPL scheme extended to whole population of 10 crores at CGHS or below rates to avail healthcare services
- Sponsorship for Conclave being arranged from members
- Conclave details circulated to all members for registrations

#### Uttar Pradesh- Dr Zainab Zaidi

- Covid cases reduced
- Vaccination started at 1500 centres, about 1 crore have been vaccinated
- Mandatory testing started for people visiting from MH, Karnataka and Kerala states
- Co-morbid people covered in vaccination drive
- Conclave details circulated to all members for registrations

# Telangana - Dr Satish Reddy

- Cases slightly increasing
- 52% healthcare workers vaccinated
- Worried about efficacy
- Conclave details circulated to all members
- Sponsorship for conclave being collected from members

## Tamil Nadu-Dr Raju Sivasamy

- Vaccination 12 lakh already given
- Conclave details circulated to all members

#### North East 1- Dr Peter Sailo

- Covid numbers increased in past few days
- Vaccination started but centres and doses not enough

#### North East 2-Dr Palin KH

- Manipur-Cases receding
- Vaccination started in both Pvt and Govt Hospitals
- People coming from Kerala and Mh are being tested at Airports
- Conclave details circulated to all members
- Central govt forces to be provided care with PMJAY scheme?

## Odisha-Ms. Nilanjana Mukherjee

- Active cases very low
- Vaccination started with Covaxin and Covishield both
- Letter written to HS-Pvt hospitals would like to join hands for vaccination
- Conclave details circulated to all members

# Madhya Pradesh -Dr Rahul Khare

- Covid cases increasing
- Masking instructions enforced
- Vaccination is going on
- Pvt Hospitals also involved in Vaccination
- Taxation and Tariff committee preamble created; inputs required from other state chapter
- Conclave details circulated to all members

# Jharkhand-Mr Jogesh Gambhir

- Covid is on decline
- Need to pace up vaccination drive in state
- Met with Health Secretary to discuss role of Pvt hospitals to speed up vaccination
- Conclave details circulated to all members
- Star insurance approached and asked for early payment discount
- Hesitancy for vaccination to some extent

## **Gujarat-Dr Nirmal**

- Vaccination going at full pace
- Need to involve more Pvt sector
- Conclave details circulated to Gujarat members

Meeting ended with concluding remarks by Dr Gyani. He also informed about State chapter awards and requirements.