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The hot summer is becoming hotter with the IMA Headquarters!

Call for DILLI CHALO on June 6th at Rajghat. It is to press our demands to retain MCI, abolish NEXT, changes in the WB CEA to weed out the draconian clauses, central law to curb assault on Doctors and hospitals and need for an approval from the State /Central medical council before filing a criminal case. Numbers only speak volumes in any agitation. IMA Tamilnadu is sponsoring one way fare for the first 50 members. The return fare shall have to be borne either by the individual or the local branch. Delhi stay and hospitality will be taken care by the Headquarters. Let’s show that Tamilnadu will always fight of our rights.

The ongoing struggle for reservation in PG selection has opened the Pandora box. The early trend after the court order shows that more Government Doctors in PHC’s has got an advantage compared with the DMS and DME side. This can wove the young graduates to Government service but at the same time the other sector more so the Private Practitioners are at a great disadvantage. This can only push for more people seeking the courts to meet their demands. It’s become the order of the day that judicial power decides most of the day to day events. It’s a clear sign of high level of dissatisfaction on the existing system and the demanding nature of the citizens.

IMA web site has been revamped and you can get most of the information and day to day events also. Please down load the apps and use it so that we can get more revenue out of it. Inter active session and weekly quiz are to be implemented from June 2017 onwards. Every member must have our IMATNapp in future.

The request to inform the mobile and email id of all the members for the election process is put up in this issue of TIMA. We request the individual members as well the branch office bearers to respond immediately. I am requesting for the past one year and this is going to be the final call.

The next SCM is at the cool foot hills at Thenkasi. We expect an increase in the attendance at Thenkasi for useful deliberation and recreation.

May is the Month to celebrate Nurses day. I request all branches to organize competition and events for the Nurses as a mark of our recognition to their service to the ailing patients and for being the back bone of the hospitals and share our burden.

WISHING ALL HAPPY HOLIDAYS WITH YOUR FAMILY!
Dear Branch Presidents and Secretaries

1) Kindly send your Branch President, Secretary, State Council Members List with Name, Cell Number, e.mail id, updated address on or before 25.05.2017 (cell & e.mail ids are mandatory)

2) Please send all the branch members cell number, e.mail id of total members in your branch.

3) Kindly send your list to the New Email ID – election@imatn.com

4) Those who are not sending details of above list that concern members will not have their voting rights.

5) Branch President / Secretary send your mail to election@imatn.com and not to any other IMA mail.

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State President, IMA TNSB

Dr. N. Muthurajan
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Dear Colleagues,

Warm greetings. The summer is getting hotter and gets prepared to combat it by both physical and mental cool perspectives. I am sure May will also enable you to plan relaxing visit with family to cooler paradies and enhance family fastenings.

On 6th June, National IMA is organizing Delhi Chalo movement in India Gate Delhi to impress upon the Government to act to restore safety of healthcare professionals and other mounting issues like NMC, NEXT Exam, crossopathy and CEA all for which IMA is opposing. It is expected minimum 20000 medical personnel will assemble at Delhi for this movement and IMA TN is also getting prepared for it.

The new CMCHIS scheme in TN has further reduced the tariff and it is beyond its reach of any medium level hospital to carry on these procedure with this stipulated rates. Our repeated requests were set aside by the high power team. Now IMA has given an ultimate call to the Government to look into this issues and come for negotiations. IMA will take strong view on this and hope we will get a positive reply. There is hope on the uniformity and merit in the forthcoming MBBS admissions. NEET is definitely a setback for rural students. I wish and hope our students will be able to face this ordeals and come out successfully. It is a welcome move to have 50% seats are going to be filled on merit basis in deemed universities too. It was IMA which initiated this case 4 years back.

I congratulate the new team of officers for PPLSSS and FSS working hard to set new directions and target for them.

In all our CME meet most often the knowledge and skill components are only taught. However the attitude competency is the most vital for our noble profession, which is not given priority. The new modal proposed by MCI ATCOM (Attitude and Communication) module, demands every CME topic shall be incorporated with this attitude competency. As IMA is speculating towards zero tolerance on unethical events, I urge all our branch leaders to emphasize on the merit and need of this attitude component including Bioethics and therapeutic communications. Communication is an art. It we do not spare time in the OP with the patients and relatives, we may end up sparing much time in the court room. Both verbal and non-verbal communications like our look, posture, and distance, facial expression all plays a major role. Through IMACGP we are working out a module on communication to be taught to all our colleagues.

IMA expects every member to write generic name along with Brand name more so make legible and rational prescription. My humble request for our branches to have your own land and building. Please motivate your members and aim for it. I assure you will achieve. It is my privilege to invite you all to our District for the 72nd state conference to be held on 9th and 10th December in Ganga Grandeur. It will be an academic feast with 5 different full day CME events and workshops. Please keep the days free Waiting to meet you all and my best wishes and fervent prayers to all our NEET aspirants and do hope many of our Kids will enter in to Medical profession with flying colors.

Dr. K. Rajasekar
State Finance Secretary, IMA TNSB 98402 23414
drrajasekark@yahoo.com

Dear IMA Brothers & Sisters,

Temperatures are soaring all around us. Ozone depletion and global warming is showing us very disheartening Max temperatures across the country.

Amidst this sultry & sweaty environment Doctors across the state are fuming with Disruptive Developments in selection for Post Graduate Medical Courses.

Any time tested system, especially awarding service marks & deciding on Merit / Rank over the years Tamilnadu Medical PG selection can take minor corrections and modifications to align it in tune with the changing scenario. But the essential framework should stay unchanged for the sake of continuity and uniformity.

Wish and Pray that the present issues yield to a solution which takes care of the needs and aspirations of our young doctors who choose to serve in the rural areas.
The profession of nursing has been one of the most respected ones in this world and are often revered for their real commitment and selfless hard work, and a lot of love, passion and perseverance their jobs involve.

Florence Nightingale fondly remembered as the “LADY WITH A LAMP” when she provided selfless care to the Crimean warriors. During her tenure of service her analytical mind felt the need to establish a formal education for the nurses and thus became the founder of MODERN NURSING. In recognition of her contribution to the nursing profession the International Council of Nurses (ICN) has celebrated May 12th since 1965 as NURSES DAY. Every year a theme suitable to all the global nurses is declared for the nurses to of all the nations to speak in one voice. The theme chosen for the year 2017 is, “Nursing: A voice to lead – Achieving the Sustainable Development Goals” (SDG).

The theme rightly reflects the contribution that nurses can make in global health by their proactive contributions and participation at all levels of the healthcare system. Nurses are both the front lines of health care, as well as the backbone of health care delivery. Today we see nurses as innovators in health care who are competent and committed in their service. Indian Nursing Council statistics states there are 24 lakh nurses available in the country and only 40% of the nurses are stated to be active in Nursing service, education, administration and research both in public and private sector. The optimum service utilization of the nurses will ensure quality patient care both locally and globally.

Globally it is an undeniable fact that it is only the nurses are always accessible even where doctors are not available, and provide health care at the doorstep. Nurses have an important role in providing access and equity in health services to individual, family and community. Never has there been a time when the voices of nurses are more urgently needed at high levels of policy formation and decision-making than they are now’, said Dr Judith Shamian, ICN President. ‘To ensure the achievement of the SDGs and make health a reality for billions of people across the globe, we need confident, well-informed nursing leaders who understand their critical role and contribution’.

International Council of Nurses aims to encourage nurses to lead, to inspire others to take on the SDGs challenge, to inform colleagues, governments and the public about how to leverage nursing knowledge, and to celebrate the work that nurses do every day to advance global health agendas.

The SDGs are a roadmap, laying out the vision for a healthy, peaceful and prosperous world. They can only be achieved if things are done differently, and, as nurses, we have an especially important part to play. Our voice is the voice of the individuals, families, groups and communities with whom we work. Our voice is the voice of the more than 16 million nurses around the globe. It is the voice to lead in the transformation of our world. Every nurse can make a contribution to these goals.

International Nurses Day is an excellent opportunity for nurses and their associations to inform and remind the public and policy makers about how they influence their surroundings and communities to create a healthier world. Before I conclude I just wanted to share a strong message to all my fellow nurses,

Yes, be proud to be a Nurse

Happy INTERNATIONAL NURSES DAY!
Every Year on 14th June, countries around the world celebrate World Blood Donor Day (WBDD). As doctors we know the need for blood and its importance. The WBDD is celebrated every year on the day of birth of Karl Landsteiner (Birth Date - 14th July 1868), a great scientist who won the Nobel Prize for his great discovery of the ABO blood group system.

The World Health Organisation, The International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies initiated and established to celebrate WBDD annually on 14th June in the year 2004.

WHO officially established WBDD with its 192 members states in 2005 at the 58th World Health assembly to motivate all the countries worldwide to thank the blood donors. Almost 92 million people donate blood every year. Only 62 countries are getting sufficient blood supplies from the voluntary blood donors. 73 countries still depend on relative donors and paid donors.

The theme of WBDD for 2017 is “Blood Connects us all” it focuses on thanking blood donors and highlights the dimension of sharing and connection between the blood donors and patients.

The slogan for 2017 campaign is “What can you do? Give Blood. Give Now. Give Often”. Another slogan is “Give the gift of Life: Donate Blood”.

Host for this year’s World Blood Donor Day Events – VIETNAM through its National Institute of Haematology and Blood Transfusion (NHBT). The Global Event will be held on 14th June 2017 in HANOI. The best ways to celebrate WBDD is to go to the blood bank and donate blood and make others donate blood. International society of Blood Donation, International Federation of Blood donor organisations (FIODS) and International Federation of Red Cross Red Crescent Societies (IFRC) also take part in WBDD celebrations.

National Blood Donation Day – India

Our National Blood Donation Day is celebrated in India on October 1st. It was first started in the year 1975, through the Indian Society of Blood Transfusion and Immunohaematology (Estd. 22.10.1971 under the leadership of Mrs. K. Swaroop Krishan and Dr. J. G. Jolly).

The States like Tirupura, Tamil Nadu, West Bengal and Maharashtra are considered as National level voluntary blood donors. Tirupura, the north eastern state of the country is considered as the highest level voluntary blood donor (93%) in India whereas Manipur is considered as lowest in the country. It is necessary to celebrate the World Blood Donor Day on 14.06.2017 and National Blood donation day – (India) on 01.10.2017 at a grant level to remove the ignorance, fear and misconceptions of the general public towards the voluntary Blood Donation.

In our State, Coimbatore IMA Branch, Udumalpet IMA Branch and Sathyamangalam IMA Branches are running blood banks.

In this connection IMA H.Q is involving all IMA Branches in India in Voluntary Blood Donation. Tamil Nadu IMA Branch received Head Quarters Award 2 years back for maximum no units blood collected.

This Year also Blood Donation camps are to be arranged between June 1st and July 1st (or up to any Date extended by IMA H.Q.).

Our IMA TNSB is also giving awards
1. Maximum No of Blood Donation Camps – 1st and 2nd
2. Maximum No of Units Collected – 1st and 2nd
3. Maximum No of IMA Members Donated Blood – 1st and 2nd

We request all our state IMA Branches and Members to take part in the noble voluntary blood donation themselves and also in arranging camps so that we collect maximum number of Units of Blood this year.
Prestigious Award. IMA TNSB invites nomination forms its constituent’s branches for choosing Doctors Day Awardees 2017. The nomination for the eligible candidates must be submitted on behalf the branches, **on or before 12th June to the State Secretary.** 14 Eminent persons will be honoured on the eve of IMA Doctors Day with Best Doctor Day Award by IMA TNSB.

12 Awards for Medical Professional. All nominations must have 10 years of IMA Life Membership and exemplary character and fulfill minimum criteria for each category.

### BEST DOCTOR AWARDS – IMA TNSB 2017

We have given the criteria for various categories in this News Letter and I request all the branch Presidents and Secretaries recommend our deserving colleagues for this Prestigious Award. IMA TNSB invites nomination forms its constituent’s branches for choosing Doctors Day Awardees 2017. The nomination for the eligible candidates must be submitted on behalf the branches, **on or before 12th June to the State Secretary.** 14 Eminent persons will be honoured on the eve of IMA Doctors Day with Best Doctor Day Award by IMA TNSB.

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**Two Awards for Non Medical Professional**

1. Allied Health Professional – 1 (Good Leadership, Academic)
2. Non Medical Professional – 1 (Out Standing Humanity and Contribution of medical fraternity and profession.)

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*State President, IMA TNSB*

**Dr. N. Muthurajan**  
*State Secretary, IMA TNSB*
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Day 2 CITY TOUR AND TABLE MOUNTAIN TOUR: (breakfast/dinner) Today, after a hearty breakfast, proceed on a guided orientation City tour of Cape Town. Visit Bo-Kaap, the Malay Quarter, so full of atmosphere with its narrow cobblestone streets, mosques notable for their distinctive architectural style and houses that date back more than two centuries. Continue to Signal Hill, winding uphill to Lion’s Head past the domed ‘kramat’ (tomb) of a revered Muslim saint. Drive to the unforgettable Table Mountain, taking a cable car to the top (weather permitting) for sweeping views of the city of Cape Town, ‘The fairest Cape in the whole circumference of the world’. Descend from Upper cableway station and drive to the Houses of Parliament and Company Gardens. Overnight at the hotel

Day 3 FULL DAY CAPE PENINSULA: (breakfast/dinner) Today is for fun and adventure, as you proceed on a full day guided Cape Peninsula tour. First, we drive down to Hout Bay a picturesque fishing village renowned for its arts and crafts, and for being the centre of the Snoek (fish) industry. Next, cruise to Seal Island (weather permitting) to see the several thousand Cape Fur Seals that inhabit the area alongside the rare Black Cormorant. Then, visit Cape Point, the most southwesterly point of Africa. Then stop at Boulder’s Beach, where a thriving colony of 700 jackass penguins will win you over with their charm. Finally, we visit Kirstenbosch National Botanical Gardens, regarded as one of the best seven botanical gardens in the world. Overnight at the hotel

Day 4 CAPE TOWN AIRPORT – KRUGER NATIONAL PARK: (breakfast/dinner) Enjoy your hearty breakfast at the hotel; and transfer to Cape Town International airport for your connecting flight to Johannesburg to Kruger airport. Upon arrival at Kruger airport meet and greet by our representative and transfer to your pre-booked lodge. Check in, and spend the rest of the day at leisure. Overnight at the lodge

Day 5 FULL DAY SAFARI EXPERIENCE: (breakfast/dinner) After your breakfast depart for full day safari experience on an ‘Open Vehicle’ Safari in the Kruger National park, get up close and personal with the Big Five family. Kruger National Park is home to impressive archaeological sites, bushman rock paintings and an abundance of wildlife. Experience the unmatched diversity of its life forms-creating a wildlife experience ranking with the best in the world. Overnight at the lodge

Day 6 KRUGER NATIONAL PARK - JOHANNESBURG: (breakfast) Enjoy your hearty breakfast at the hotel; and depart for Kruger airport for your connecting flight back home with wonderful memories.
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1) For A & B – Fees to be paid by Cheque/DD in favour of “IMA CGP HQRS” Payable at CHENNAI. 2) Candidates should be Member of IMA and IMA CGP. 3) Service Tax and Convocation Fees Extra. 4) Courses commence from APRIL 2017. 5) Hands-on training with Clinical Rotation for all Courses.

Filled-in Application form along with enclosures should be forwarded to

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Dear Colleagues, Greetings.

**IMA NHB FIRST EVER STATE CONFERENCE**

As you all know that Indian Medical Association Nursing Home Board is conducting First Ever State Level Conference on 10th and 11th June, 2017 at Club Melaange, Erode. All the relevant activities are going on in full swing. The following topics are to be discussed by Eminent Personalities from State Level and National Level during this Conference.

- **All about Insurance** (IRDA, CMCHIS Scheme and Private Insurance)
- **Patient Satisfaction**
- **NABH Accreditation**
- **Bio-Medical Waste Management – Tamil Nadu State Faculty**
- **Ramp Related Issues (CMDA)**
- **Patient Safety**

- **Private Nursing Homes, Yesterday-Today-Tomorrow**
- **How to make Hospital Viable**
- **Panel Discussion on Current & Burning Issues**

Members are requested to attend this conference in large number.

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Medicall Scientific Exhibition has also been organised by Indian Medical Association – Nursing Home Board during the State Level Conference on 10th and 11th June, 2017. Well Known Hospital Related Products Manufacturing Companies from all over India will participate in this conference and they are going to exhibit their products in the Stall. Hence, it is a great opportunity for all our members to have a good knowledge about the new products and buy at reasonable price.

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**IMA NHB FIRST EVER STATE CONFERENCE - TENTATIVE PROGRAMME DETAILS**

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FIRST NHB STATE LEVEL CONFERENCE
NHB - MEDICALL SCIENTIFIC EXHIBITION

Date: 10th & 11th June, 2017. Venue: Hotel Club Melaange, Perundurai Road, Erode

Registration Form

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**Contact Class**: Chennai & Madurai

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Course Co-ordinator: Prof. Dr. Chenniappan, Trichy
Course Fee 30,000/-
Duration: One Year
**Terms**: Eight contact classes (Each one day)
* 5 days hands on Training
* ICU
* Final Exam - Theory / VIVA
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291st – STATE COUNCIL MEETING

The 291st State Council Meeting of IMA Tamil Nadu State Branch will be held on 18.06.2017 at 9.30 a.m. organised by IMA TNSB and hosted by IMA Courtallam Branch. All the State Council Members are cordially invited to attend the Meeting.

Date : 18.06.2017 – Sunday, 9.30 a.m. Venue : Courtallam IMA Hall, Tenkasi

Dr. T.N. Ravisankar
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Dr. N. Muthurajan
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IMA CGP sub faculty meeting held on 30/04/2017 at Ambasamudram, We thank our past National President Dr. K. Vijayakumar, President Elect Dr. J.A. Jayalal, State Secy and NHB Secy Dr. C.N. Raja Past for the participation and usual contribution. Prof. Dr. Ramola, Obstetrics and gynecology Dr. Nirmala Secretary IMATVL, Dr. Ramesh Lalgudi, Dr. CN. Raja and Dr. Loganathan of IMA Ambasamudram enlightened the audience on GPs approach to various common problems. The highlight was “Skype” conference with beloved state president Dr.TN. Ravisankar and past state president Dr. M. Balasubramanian. The two eminent leaders answered the queries of the audience and also had a useful interaction with office bearers present.

We are proud to say this is first of its kind in the history of Tamilnadu IMA.

We plan to improve this method to a multi sharing video conference involving various leaders of state with the local branch audience. We also plan to web cast live the CGP meeting in future. We thank the “all ladies office bearers “of IMA Ambasumudram and the senior leader Dr. Padmanaban for excellent arrangement and hospitality.

Future programs include:

1) Sub faculty meeting at Ramnad on 07/05/2017
2) Sub faculty meeting Srivilliputhur on 14/05/2017
3) Sub faculty meeting at Tiruvurur on 3/6/2017
4) Zonal [South]meeting at Tirunelveli on 04/06/17

Members from each area are requested to note down the date and participate the meet. The eco-cardiology class starts on 7/5/2017 9am. at Hotel PLA Krishna, near central busstand Trichy. other courses will be announced in due course of time.

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Dear Dr.Saravanan Lakshmanan,

Greetings from Cyto Access! Hope you are doing good.

I have gone through your academic accomplishments and achievements in the field of Obstetrics Gynaecology which is highly informative.

I am taking the liberty to invite you to be a Plenary Speaker at our summit on Obstetrics and Gynaecology during 14-15 September 2017 in San Diego, USA.

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For more information about the conference please do visit here: [http://cytoaccess.com/international-conference-obstetrics-and-gynaecology](http://cytoaccess.com/international-conference-obstetrics-and-gynaecology)

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Dear Esteemed Members, Greetings from AMS Wing.

2nd module of Critical Care Medicine Course in VIMS Hospital, Salem is completed. There was a good response for the course and there was also active interaction in the class. There is also a Whatsapp Group for Critical Care Medicine Course in which Doctors actively participate if they having any problems in managing the Emergency Cases and also doubts about the case, ECG, Blood Value.

Last year we conducted National Conference in Madurai. This year we are planning to have IMA AMS State Conference in Tamilnadu. Those branches interested in conducting the IMA AMS State Conference can contact myself or Dr.Babu, Secretary, AMS Wing. A new Course of Endoscopy Training is also planned to be conducted from July 2017 and the modalities are being worked out.

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Greetings from Paramedical Wing.

IMA Paramedical wing has completed another batch of training for the year 2016-17. The students have been trained to cope up the requirements of the NHB hospitals and other private hospitals. NHB Hospitals and other Private Nursing home can make use of the staff trained out from our institutions.

The institutions should have proper accreditation to conduct trainings. The following points to be kept in the mind and intimate the students and the parents and get consent from them.

- The passed out students are eligible for appointment in IMA NHB Hospitals and other Private Hospitals only.
- Not eligible for appointment in Government Hospitals.
- Not eligible to register in Nursing Council.

I am happy to intimate that the text book for the Paramedical Students are getting ready. The 2017-18th year batch would be benefited by these books.

I request IMA branch Presidents & Secretaries to visit the nearest Paramedical institutions for proper functioning.

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Please accept my sincere thanks for electing me as Chairman for FSS for this term.
We took over from Chairman Dr. P. Ramakrishnan, Secretary Dr. P.K. Kesavan & Treasurer Dr. Ravichandran Sankaran on the 06th April 2017 at Vellore IMA Hall, in the presence of the State President Dr. T.N. Ravisankar and galaxy of State Past President Dr. S. Damodaran, Dr. T. Sadagopan and Dr. T. Kumaraguru & Dr. R. Gunasekaran. The formal inauguration of the office at the new premises was inaugurated on the 29th April 2017 where State President Elect Dr. J.A. Jayalal, NHB Secretary Dr. C.N. Raja and Team Marthadam were present.

FSS is the only scheme of IMA that cares for our families. This is the only scheme where you share your contribution to “HELP OUR FAMILIES” Hence I request you all to enroll eligible members in Tamil Nadu in the scheme.

Thanking you, Dr. L.V.K. Moorthy, FSS Chairman

From the Secretary’s desk………

Dear FSS members! Warm Greetings….. Thank you all for the great responsibility given to me to serve you through this noble scheme. Our new FSS Office is officially inaugurated on 29.04.2017 by our State President Elect Dr. J.A. Jayalal and FSS Chairman Dr. L.V.K. Moorthy. Office staffs are ready to clarify your enquiries at office hours. I request you to co-operate fully to make this scheme more viable and defaulters free by this year.

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CLAIM PAID - TUTICORIN IMA BRANCH
Tuticorin Branch President Dr. P. Kumaran, Branch Fin. Secretary Dr. Mumoothry giving the DD of Rs. 17 Lakhs to the nominee Dr. Jayrubi W/o Late Dr. Chandrasekaran (FSS # 6193) member of IMA Tuticorin. DOD - 21.07.2016. (22nd Due)
FSS paid for 12 Families (12 deaths) to Tuticorin IMA Branch to the tune of Rs. 1,66,00,000. Arrears 22nd due - 13 members pending. Total arrears amount Rs. 1,56,000.

CLAIM PAID - TRICHY IMA BRANCH
Trichy Branch Dr. M.S. Ashraf, Dr. P. Ramakrishnan, Dr. Prabhu Elango, Dr. R. Gunasekaran, Dr. Gnanathilakan giving the DD of Rs. 17 Lakhs to the nominee Dr. Z. Mohamed Ghousekhan S/o Late Dr. Zafer Alikhan (FSS # 798) member of IMA Trichy . DOD - 14.02.2017. (22nd Due)
FSS paid for 16 Families (16 deaths) to Trichy IMA Branch to the tune of Rs. 2,44,00,470. Arrears 22nd due - 44 members pending. Total arrears amount Rs. 5,28,000.

*Please Pay 22nd Due (2017) Rs. 12,200/- Before 31st June 2017. with Late fee Rs.200/-

PLEASE SEND YOUR PAYMENTS & COMMUNICATIONS TO
Dr. S. BALAGAN RAJA, Hony. Secretary, Family Security Scheme of IMA TNSB
St. Mary’s Hospital Campus, College Road, NITHIRAVILAI - 629 154, K.K. Dist.
Ph : 04651 - 242345, Cell : 98405 37178. e.mail : imatnsbfss@gmail.com

May 2017  TIMA News Letter  27
Dear Members! Greetings from PPLSSS.

After the new team assumed office, we are taking steps for enrolling more members for the scheme. The failure of renewal of members should be analyzed by the District Coordinators and the Branch Secretary. Every month list of renewal of members may be published in TIMA and also in the Journal of Local Branches, in addition to reminder letter by the Secretary. Inspite of our effort, the number of cases against the Doctors are increasing. So membership drive is more important. Each Co-ordinator has to enroll at least 5 members for every month.

The whole medical fraternity Government Doctors in particular are badly affected by the recent Judgment of Madras High Court striking 50% Quota for Service Doctors. To my knowledge nearly the reservation is existing for more than 35 years. Initially it was 40% then increased to 50% by following agitation by Assistant Surgeons Association led by me. We fought for 60% reservation but no reservation can be more than 50% as per Supreme Court order. The Govt. issued a GO for 50% for Service Doctors and they are also eligible for open Quota. Nearly 15% of Service Doctors will be selected in open quota. This benefit is not only for Govt. Doctors but more beneficial to Govt. for getting faculties as you cannot appoint Readers/ Professor directly. Moreover during the period of Late Hon’ble Chief Minister MGR was sanctioned 20 marks for Service Doctors (one mark per year) following the agitation by Private Post Graduates it is reduced to 10 mark 1 mark per year for both private and service doctors.

IMA of Tamilnadu including National Leaders from Tamilnadu whole heartedly supporting the agitation of Service Doctors and Post Graduates. The State Government is also fully support the 50% reservation. Whom to fight only to fight with Government of India not to interfere in Reservation system of any states. Unless Health and Education are brought under State control nothing will happen. Unless the Central Government passes an ordinance restoring the 50% quota it will be long legal fight to achieve the Justice.

Dear members I request all of you to utilize our Guest Houses and whoever stayed should get the receipt for the room and the food to maintain the transparency.

Justice could be delayed but not denied.

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**PPLSSS NEW MEMBERS**

**SUBSCRIPTION (Block of Five Years)**

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DD should be send in the name of “PPLSSS of IMA TN” Payable at Nagercoil
Greetings from PPLSSS team of IMATN

With all your good wishes and blessings, I took charge as your Secretary for PPLSSS of IMA TN on 10.04.17, from our beloved Immediate Past Secretary, Dr.T.Senthamil Pari in the benign presence of our Chairman Dr.K.Prakasam and our Hony Secretary IMA TNSB Dr.N.Muthurajan. Keeping in tune with the hallowed traditions of IMA, both the transfer of power and transition were smooth.

I am happy to state that, our work started immediately afterwards and all the documents were shifted to our new PPLSSS office at Nagercoil the very next day. On 13 and 14 of April 2017, our Past Office secretary cum Manager Mr.Meenaakshi Sundaram visited our new Office premises to impart training to our staff.

The session was both informative and educative. On the whole, the session served a vital need by giving ideas and practical suggestions on administrative & other issues like that are likely to crop up in future. I am sure the session did justice to it’s assigned task and felt that it has eased the way for our staff’s future effective functioning. The medico legal workshop and training was the need of the hour and our recently held session proved to be a very useful one. It highlighted the dictum “Ignorance of Law is not an Excuse ??. Survival & Success in our profession implies -Continuous learning constant Upgradation of skills & their timely application compliance with all the extant rules & regulations etc.

All these with a wealth of commonsense, compassion, proper record keeping, informed consent etc, are primary prerequisites which will help prevent doctors from getting unnecessarily entangled in endless Litigations at enormous cost.

So kindly Help us to help yourselves by becoming members of PPLSSS early. Assure you that, We would be there at all times when you need us to help you tackle any unwanted, unexpected professional litigations expertly.

So I invite you all to get involved and please do invite your friends to be part of IMA PPLSSS. Unity is Strength & Together let us surmount & overcome our unwelcome litigations.

With regards
Dr.M.Thiraviam Mohan,
Hony.Secretary PPLSSS.

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**FROM 01.03.2015 AS PER 15.02.2015 MCM MEETING RESOLUTION**

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### IMA PPLSSS GUEST HOUSE

**Address:**  Sankaralaya, Sankara Heritage Apartment, Flat No.11 &12, No.64, Spur tank Road, Chetpet, Chennai-600 031.

**Contact:** 044 28361866, 9444832139 / 9500032139

(Reservation only from 10 am to 6 pm)

**Email:** pplsssguesthouse@gmail.com

secretarypplsss@gmail.com

DD should be send in the name of **“PPLSSS Guest House” Payable at Nagercoil**

### JVL Plaza GUEST HOUSE

**Address:**  JVL Plaza, No.626/501, Anna Salai, Mount Road, Teynampet, Chennai – 600 018.

**Contact:** 044 24348475, 9444832139 / 9500032139

(Reservation only from 10 am to 6 pm)

**Email:** pplsssguesthouse@gmail.com

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**Payment Mode:** DD only Accepted. DD should be send to the following address:

**Dr. M. THIRAVIAM MOHAN,** Hony.Secretary, PPLSSS of IMA TN.

**Thiraviam Clinic, 85/ Old 54, 56, Asambo Road, Vadasery, Nagercoil - 629 001.**

**Email:** secretarypplsss@gmail.com Mob: 94872 72627. Ph : 04652 - 272627 (Office)

For Case related enquires contact Secretary : 94421 23649 (or) Legal Committee chairman

Dr. E. Pari : 9443136532, 9488129723 / 04182 - 222432, 222532. Other enquiries contact PPLSSS office : 04652 - 272627

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May 2017  TIMA News Letter  30
Dear friends, Greetings to all,

We request you to carry out follow the following suggestions when you receive a letter from a dissatisfied patient.

The letter may be from a patient, relative, NGO, consumer groups, Human rights commission, legal notice from a lawyer or notice from consumer forum / State Commission or Civil courts.

1. Acknowledge the receipt of the letter with a note of time and date on which you receive it. Keep the envelope and the letter. Immediately send a reply to the party concerned that you will send the written statement (your version) within 30 days time or the period mentioned in the complaint. **Don’t mention that the PPLSSS Secretary or Chairman office will send the reply.**

2. Inform the Secretary PPLSSS of IMA TNSB, Chairman and Legal committee chairman about the complaint for necessary guidance.

3. Prepare your case notes with detailed case history, OP record, IP records, Doctors notes, Specialized consultation, Nurses notes. All investigations -Pathological, X-ray, imaging reports Anesthetic fitness in case of operations, Informed consent, Informed Refusals, Surgeons notes on operative procedure, Pharmacy, Ambulance services, Referral slips, Discharge Summary everything about the patient. All are considered as Medical Records and Documentary evidences. Good medical records-very good defense to win the case.


5. Call for a confidential action committee meeting in your hospital to face the situation. Discuss and get opinions of the doctors, nurses and the paramedical staffs involved in the case. Prepare them to appear if there is personal or oral / witness examination and cross examination. Ensure that there is no difference of opinion among your members / team.

6. Keep in touch with the PPLSSS office Secretary and Legal Committee Chairman over telephone and email to update the status of your case.

7. Personal interview to explain the exact situation in which you handled the case will have more beneficial effects.

What the consumer Disputes Redressal forum or Commission expects is the standard of skill and care. The standard of the ordinary skilled man, exercising and professing to have that special skill. A man need not possess the highest expert skill; it is well established law that it is sufficient if he exercises the ordinary skill of an ordinary competent man exercising that particular art…. Negligence means failure to act in accordance with the standards of reasonably competent medical men at that time. *(Bolam Vs. Friern Hospital Management Committee - 1957 - 2All ER 118)*

Keep on updating your knowledge by attending CMEs, conferences, workshops and keep record of your activities. You need to submit your credentials-medical registration certificates, specialist qualification, experience, awards, achievements and distinctions gained during your medical service. Negligence has been defined by Alderson B as “The omission to do something which a reasonable man, guided upon those considerations which ordinarily regulate the conduct of human affairs, would do or doing something which a prudent and reasonable man would not do”.

In the words of Thiruvalluvar,

**Doing What is forbidden as well as not doing the obligatory Are both equally ruinous courses. Crimes, according to law and sins, as laid down by religious tenets, can be both due to commission as well as omission.**

We assure confidentiality of the cases registered.

Wish you all a litigation free practice

Dr. E. Pari, M.Sc., M.B.B.S., D.F.M., PGDMLE., PGDCLP.,
Chairman, Legal Committee PPLSSS of IMA TNSB
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