

VIRTUAL AGRIM NEUROLOGY UPDATE (VANU) 2020

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAM NEUROMUSCULAR DISORDERS- EPOCH I

DAY 2 SATURDAY 10th October 2020

1800 - 2200 hrs

HALL B - THE PLEXUS HALL

SESSION I - NEUROMUSCULAR DISORDERS

Moderator - Dr Sudesh Prabhakar

Chairpersons - Dr C S Narayanan, Dr Rajinder Bansal

18:00 - 18:40 hours	Pattern recognition approach to neuromuscular disorders	Dr S V Khadilkar
18:40 - 19:20 hours	Expanding Clinical spectrum of chronic immune mediated neuropathies	Dr Mazen Dimachkie
19:20 - 19:50 hours	Nutritional, Metabolic, and Toxic Neuromuscular Disorders	Dr U K Mishra
19:50 - 20:00 hours	DISCUSSION/VIRTUAL TEA BREAK	

SESSION II - NEUROMUSCULAR DISORDERS

Moderator - Dr.Navneet Kumar

Chairpersons - Dr Nirendra Rai, Dr. Siddharth Kaul

20:00 - 20:40 hours	When cells don't connect - Demystifying the antibodies at the Neuromuscular junction	Dr Angela Vincent
20:40 - 21:20 hours	Genetics in Neuromuscular Disorders	Dr Shruti Bajaj
21:20 - 21:50 hours	Rituximab and anti-B cell therapies in the treatment of autoimmune neuromuscular diseases and stiff-person syndrome -	Dr. Marinos C Dalakas
21:45 - 22:00 hours	DISCUSSION	

DAY 3 SUNDAY 11th October 2020

1800 - 2200 hrs

HALL B - THE PLEXUS HALL

SESSION II - NEUROMUSCULAR DISORDERS

Moderator - Dr Saurabh Anand (Gurgaon)

Chairpersons - Dr Sunit Shah, Dr J C Maloo

19:40 - 20:10 hours	LEMS-underrecognized treatable Neuromuscular Disorder -	Dr Mazen Dimachkie
20:10 - 20:40 hours	Immunomodulation in Myasthenia Gravis - Evolving Modalities on the Horizon	Dr Pushpa Narayanaswami
20:40 - 21:10 hours	Myasthenic Crisis Management- Comparative analysis of available Modalities	Dr Mamatha Pasnoor
21:10 - 21:40 hours	Thymectomy for Myasthenia - A surgeon's message for the neurologists	Dr Arvind Kumar
21:40 - 22:00 hours	DISCUSSION	

EPOCH II

DAY 1 FRIDAY 16th October 2020

1800 hrs to 2200 hrs

HALL A - THE NEURONE HALL

SESSION I - NEUROMUSCULAR DISORDERS

Moderator - Dr Vrajesh Udani

Chairpersons - Dr Ashok Uppal, Dr Birinder Singh Paul,

18:00 - 18:30 hours	Inflammatory Myopathies - Issues in diagnosis and management	Dr Oliver Benivesti
18:30 - 19:00 hours	Congenital myasthenic syndrome	Dr J Andoni Urtizberea
19:00 - 19:15 hours	DISCUSSION/VIRTUAL TEA BREAK	
19:15 - 20:00 hours	<i>DEBATE - MODERATED BY DR SUMIT SINGH (GURGAON)</i>	
	Rescue Treatment with IVIG in case of poorly responsive GBS Needed/ Not enough evidence to recommend	Dr Rohit Bhatia For/ Dr Thomas Mathew Against

SESSION II - NEUROMUSCULAR DISORDERS

Moderator - Dr Vinod Puri

Chairpersons - Dr Bhawna Sharma , Dr Y Muralidhar Reddy

20:00 - 20:30 hours	Anti-AchR negative Myasthenia - Clinical and serological aspects	Dr Nils Erik Gilhus
20:30 - 21:00 hours	Immune mediated neuropathies in diabetes mellitus - A conundrum	Dr Simon Rinaldi
21:00 - 21:30 hours	Emerging therapies in Inherited Neuromuscular disorders	Dr Pushpa Narayanaswami
21:30 - 21:45 hours	DISCUSSION	

DAY 3 SUNDAY 18th October 2020

1730 hrs to 2200 hrs

HALL B - THE DENDRITE HALL

CASE-IN-A-BOX SESSION

VIDEO GRAND ROUNDS IN NEUROMUSCULAR DISORDERS (30 min each)

Session Moderators - Dr M Madhusudanan, Dr A Nalini

Case 1 Dr Ajith Sivadasan (CMC) (12+3) min - 2 cases

Case 2 Dr Ritu (PGI) (12+3) min - 2 cases