

Dr. Jacob Roy Memorial CME

A one-day CME in memory of Dr. Jacob Roy was organized by Alzheimer's and Related Disorders Society of India (ARDSI) Trivandrum Chapter, in collaboration with The Department of Neurology, Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute of Medical Sciences and Technology, Trivandrum on 18th December, 2022 at AMCHSS Auditorium from 8:00 am. The theme of this year was "**Cognitive Assessment in Adults**".

The Programme began with invocation by Mr. Sreekanth K. K (SCTIMST) followed by Lighting of the Lamp by Mr. Greg Jacob (Son of Dr. Jacob Roy), Prof. Thomas Iype (Head of the Department Neurology, Government Medical College, Trivandrum), Prof. Sylaja P N (Head of the Department of Neurology, SCTIMST), Prof. Robert Mathew (President, ARDSI Trivandrum chapter), Mr. Kuttappan (Secretary, ARDSI Trivandrum Chapter), Prof. Ramshekhar N Menon (Department of Neurology, SCTIMST) and Dr. Asish Vijayaraghavan (Assistant Professor, Department of Neurology, SCTIMST). Dr. Robert Mathew and Prof Sylaja P N delivered the Inaugural address and Mr. Greg Jacob, introduced the gathering to late Dr. Jacob Roy and his contribution to the founding of ARDSI.

The CME constituted of an introductory session by Prof. Thomas Iype on '*An overview of Cognitive symptomatology – a differential approach*' which was followed by a session on '*Domains of cognitive assessment: approach to screening and diagnosis*' by Prof. Ramshekhar N Menon. This was followed by sessions on 6 modules dedicated to the detailed assessment of specific cognitive domains – language, behavior and social cognition, attention and memory executive functioning, perception and motor programming and gait, which were lead by Prof. Amitabha Ghosh (Director and Head of the Department of Neurology, Apollo Multispeciality hospital , Kolkata), Prof James Jose (Head of the Department of Neurology Government Medical College, Kozhikode), Prof. Robert Mathew (Head of the Department of Neurology, Mookambika Institute of Medical Sciences Kulasekaram), Dr. Rammohan (Associate Professor, Department of Neurology, Government Medical College Thiruvananthapuram), Prof. S R Chandra (Chief Consultant Neurologist, SK Hospital, Trivandrum), and Prof. Syam K (Department of Neurology, Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute for Medical Sciences & Technology) respectively. Each Module was followed by a case Presentation by Senior Residents from various institutions. Dr. Poornima Nair (Government Medical College, Trivandrum), Dr. Sneha V P (Government Medical College, Kottayam), Dr. Rohit Ram Kumar (Government Medical College , Alappuzha), Dr. Reshma Venugopal

(Government Medical College, Trivandrum), Dr. S M Krishnamohan (SCTIMST), Dr. Nandana J (SCTIMST) presented a case each. The Academic Sessions were chaired by the faculty along with Prof. Anil Prabhakaran (Former Prof. and Head of the Department of Psychiatry, Government Medical College, Trivandrum), Dr. Divya K P (Associate Professor, Department of Neurology , SCTIMST) and Dr. Asish Vijayaraghavan (Assistant Professor, Department of Neurology , SCTIMST). The Program ended with a Musical Sitar Program.



Inaugural Session



Inaugural address and introductory session by Mr. Greg Jacob, Prof. Robert Mathew, Prof. Sylaja PN, Prof. Thomas Iype, and Prof. Ramshekhar N Menon.



Academic Sessions by Prof. Amitabha Ghosh, Prof James Jose, Prof. Robert Mathew, Dr. Rammohan, Prof. S R Chandra and Prof. Syam K



Case Presentation by Senior Residents





Musical Session