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Day 1, Thursday, 26th February 2026

Workshop: Paediatric Orthopaedic PG teaching Course: Mastering the fundamentals

Coordinators: Dr Prateek Behera, Dr Karthick Rangasamy

Time	Description	Speaker	Moderators
10:00 – 10:05	Welcome – PG course objectives and Faculty Introduction	Dr Prateek Behera Dr Karthick Rangasamy	Dr Anil Mehtani, Dr Sunil Wijayasinghe
10:05 – 10:15	Children are not miniature adults. Examination of a child	Dr Thomas Palocaren	
10:15 – 10:30	Gait Examination in a Child: Know the essentials	Dr Alok Sud	
10:30 – 10:45	What does the examiner want in these cases? VIC/ Madelung/ MHE and Sprengel's	Dr VVJ Somaraju	
10:45 – 11:00	Tea/Coffee Break		
11:00 – 11:40	Case Presentation by Residents: Elbow/ Forearm Case	PG/ Mch students	Dr Gopinath Menon Dr Jagdish Menon Dr Suresh Uprety
11:40 – 12:20	Case Presentation by Residents: Swelling/ tumour		Dr Thomas Palocaren Dr Sunil Wijayasinghe
12:20 – 12:40	Examination of a Peripheral Nerve Injury case	Dr. Anil Mehtani	
12:40 – 01:00	Examination of Patellar Instability	Dr. Sourabh Sinha	
01:00 – 02:00	Lunch		
02:00 – 03:00	Case Presentation by resident: Long Case – Hip	PG/ Mch students	Dr Mathew Varghese Dr B. Pasupathy Dr Hitesh Shah Dr Alok Sud
03:00 – 03:10	Examination of a child with clubfoot	Dr Gopinath Menon	Dr Suresh Uprety Dr Arulmozhi Rajan
03:10 – 03:20	Essentials of Tumor Radiology	Dr Jagdish Menon	
03:20 – 03:30	Tea/Coffee Break		
03:30 – 04:00	Case Presentation: Angular deformity around the knee	PG/ Mch students	Dr Anil Mehtani Dr Shobha Arora
04:00 – 04:30	Case Presentation: Clubfoot in an older child		Dr Mathew Varghese Dr Manish Rajpoot Dr Suresh Uprety
04:30 – 04:55	Essentials of Orthotics and Prosthetics in Children	Dr Sitanshu Barik	
04:55 – 05:00	Summary and Remarks	Dr Prateek Behera Dr Karthick Rangasamy	

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Workshop: Straightening the Path: Surgical Techniques for Lower Limb Deformity Correction

Coordinators: Dr Vikas Gupta, Dr Ritesh Pandey

Time	Topic	Faculty
11:00 – 11:02	Welcome, workshop objectives, faculty introduction	Dr Vikas Gupta

Part 1 – Deformity Planning

Moderators – Dr Ashish Ranade, Dr Dimuthu Tennekoon, Dr Vishal Chandak

11:02 – 11:10	What is normal? (definitions, axis, MAD, joint orientation angles)	Dr Vikas Gupta
11:10 – 11:18	Scannogram : How to get it right?	Dr Ritesh Pandey
11:18 – 11:33	Paper planning – Hands on (Normal alignment)	5 tables with 2 faculties on each table
11:33 – 11:41	CORA concept & osteotomy rules	Dr Cherian Kovoov
11:41 – 11:49	Steps in deformity analysis & finding CORA – Tibial Diaphyseal & Metaphyseal	Dr Jaswinder Singh
11:49 – 11:57	Steps in deformity analysis & finding CORA – Femur Diaphyseal & Metaphyseal	Dr J P Khatri
11:57 – 12:12	Paper planning – Hands on (tibial diaphyseal & Metaphyseal)	5 tables with 2 faculties on each table
12:12 – 12:27	Paper planning – Hands on (femur diaphyseal & Metaphyseal)	5 tables with 2 faculties on each table
12:27 – 12:35	Steps in deformity analysis & finding CORA – Tibia & femur Sagittal plane	Dr Sayim Wani
12:35 – 12:50	Paper planning – Hands on (sagittal plane – Femur & Tibia)	5 tables with 2 faculties on each table
12:50 – 01:00	Q & A	

01:00 – 02:00 Lunch

Part 2 – Deformity around knee

Moderators – Dr Altaf Kawoosa, Dr JP Khatri, Dr Pritish Singh

02:00 – 02:08	Coronal plane deformities around knee – Introduction & Etiology	Dr Vishal Chandak
02:08 – 02:16	Growth modulation – Indications & surgical technique	Dr Ashish Ranade
02:16 – 02:24	Management after maturity – Osteotomies and fixation methods	Dr Viranchi Vaidya
02:24 – 02:32	Deformity correction – Acute vs gradual correction	Dr Dimuthu Tennekoon
02:32 – 02:40	Q & A	
02:40 – 03:00	Case based discussion (3 Cases, 5 minutes each)	Dr Vidyasagar Dr Nikhil Challawar Dr Pratik Rastogi

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Time	Topic	Faculty
Part 3 – Role of external fixators		
Moderator – Dr Cherian Kovoov, Dr Vishal Chandak, Dr Jaswinder		
03:00 – 03:10	Frame construction for diaphyseal deformity tibia – hinges & distractors	Dr Altaf Kawoosa
03:10 – 03:40	Hands-on saw bone – Tibial diaphyseal deformity	5 tables with 2 faculties on each table
03:40 – 03:50	Genu Valgum – acute correction with “V” osteotomy (video)	Dr Vikas Gupta
03:50 – 04:00	Virtual planning & patient specific instrumentation for deformity correction	Dr Siddharth Sharma
04:00 – 04:30	Hands-on saw bone – Virtual Planning	5 tables with 2 faculties on each table
04:30 – 04:40	Introduction to multiplanar deformity and its correction with hexapod	Dr Pritish Singh
04:40 – 5:00	Case based discussion (3 Cases, 5 minutes each)	Dr Vikas Basa Dr Akash Makadia Dr Bhushan Sagade
Table faculties – Dr Kumar Shashikant, Dr Kishmita, Dr Abilash Shrivastav, Dr Arul		

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Workshop: Mastering the Art of Common Pediatric Orthopaedic Trauma: Surgical Approaches and Techniques

Conveners – Dr Himanshu Kanwat / Dr Manoj Padman

Time	Topic	Faculty
10:45 – 11:00	Introduction to the workshop and faculty	Dr Manoj Padman
11:00 – 12:00	Session on Lower Limb trauma	Moderators Dr Guy Atherton Dr John Mukhopadhyay Dr Sandeep Patwardhan
11:00 – 11:10	Principles of Femoral and Tibial elastic nailing – how to stay out of trouble	Dr Shital Parikh
11:10 – 11:20	Femoral Shaft Fractures – Management options	Dr Ravi Chauhan
11:20 – 11:30	Adolescent Femoral Shaft Fracture – Nail or Plate?	Dr John Mukhopadhyay
11:30 – 11:40	Stabilising the weak bone – Telescopic nails	Dr Manoj Padman
11:40 – 12:00	Case Discussion Lower Limb Trauma / Long bone fractures	Dr Suresh Babu Dr Harish
12:00 – 13:00	Workshop 1: Elastic Nailing of Femur	
	12:00 – 12:15 Demo (Dr Shital Parikh)	Table faculty Table 1 – Dr Bhaskar Chokalingum Table 2 – Dr Aravinth Table 3 – Dr Senthil Table 4 – Dr Nitish Bikram Deo Table 5 – Dr Himanshu Kanwat Table 6 – Dr Sumit Gupta
12:45 – 13:40	Lunch	
13:45 – 14:30	Workshop 2: Lateral entry nail for Femur	
	13:45 – 14:00 Demo (Dr John Mukhopadhyay)	Table faculty Table 1 – Dr Tariq Mir Table 2 – Dr Gourav Jandial Table 3 – Dr Abhishek Saha Table 4 – Dr Chintan Doshi Table 5 – Dr Jaideep Dhamele Table 6 – Dr Gopi Manohar

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Time	Topic	Faculty
14:30 - 15:15	Session on Upper Limb trauma	Moderators Dr Shital Parikh Dr Sandeep Patwardhan Dr Manoj Padman
14:30 - 14:40	Principles of Forearm elastic nailing – how to stay out of trouble	Dr Guy Atherton
14:40 - 14:50	Humeral shaft fractures – do we need to operate them	Dr Sandeep Patwardhan
14:50 - 15:15	Case Discussion Upper Limb Trauma / Long bone fractures	Dr Rudraprasad Dr Sankar
15:15 - 15:30	Coffee Break	
15:30 - 16:15	Workshop 3: Elastic Nailing of Humerus	
	15:30 – 15:45 Demo (Mr Guy Atherton)	Table faculty Table 1 – Dr Bhaskar Chokalingum Table 2 – Dr Aravinth Table 3 – Dr Senthil Table 4 – Dr Nitish Bikram – Deo Table 5 – Dr Himanshu Kanwat Table 6 – Dr Sumit Gupta
16:15 - 17:00	Workshop 4: Telescopic nailing of Tibia	
	16:15 – 16:30 Demo (Dr Manoj Padman)	Table faculty Table 1 – Dr Tariq Mir Table 2 – Dr Gourav Jandial Table 3 – Dr Abhishek Saha Table 4 – Dr Chintan Doshi Table 5 – Dr Jaideep Dhamele Table 6 – Dr Gopi Manohar

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Workshop: Pelvic and Proximal Femoral Osteotomies: Techniques, Challenges, and Clinical Applications

Coordinators: Dr Parmanand Gupta, Dr Vivek Singh

Time	Topic	Faculty
10:55 - 11:00	Introduction to Workshop and Faculty	Dr Parmanand Gupta Dr Vivek Singh
11:00 - 11:10	3D Anatomy & Orientation of Pelvis & Proximal Femur	Dr Mandar Agashe
11:10 - 11:20	Proximal Femur Varus Osteotomy- Principles & Technique	Dr Jayanth Sampath
11:20 - 11:50 Workshop Module-1	Proximal Femur Varus Osteotomy using PHP-Saw Bone Workshop	Dr Pebam Sudesh Dr Jayanth Sampath
11:50 - 12:00	Proximal Femur Valgus Osteotomy- Principles & Technique	Dr Sanjay Sarup
12:00 - 12:30 Workshop Module-2	Proximal Femur Valgus Osteotomy using PHP-Saw Bone Workshop	Dr SP Das Dr Somesh Virmani
12:30 - 01:00	Case Discussion- Proximal Femur Osteotomies	Dr Vivek Singh Dr Gaurav Gupta
01:00 - 01:45	Lunch	
1:45-1:55	Salter's Osteotomy – When & How?	Dr Vineet Aggarwal
1:55-2:05	Dega's Osteotomy – When & How?	Dr Alaric Aroojis
2:05-2:45 Workshop Module-3	Salter's & Dega's Osteotomy- Saw Bone Workshop	Dr Kishore Mulpuri Dr Sanjay Sarup Dr Vivek Singh
2:45-3:00	Case Discussion-Salter & Dega Osteotomy	Dr Vivek Singh
3:00-3:10	Triple Innominate Osteotomy(TIO)- with Open Triradiate Cartilage- Indications & Technique	Dr Somesh Virmani
3:10-3:20	Ganz Bernese -PAO Indications & Technique	Dr Parmanand Gupta
3:20- 3:40	Video Demonstration- PAO	Dr Travis Matheney
3:40- 4:40 Workshop Module-4	PAO+/- TIO Saw Bone Workshop	Dr Travis Matheney Dr Parmanand Gupta
4:40-5:00	Case Discussion- PAO	Dr Travis Matheney

TABLE FACULTIES

Abhay Gaukhamble	Karan Singla
Avi Shah	Mohit Dua
Chetan Peshin	Sudhanshu Bansal
Curie Sharma	Sudhir Rana
Durga Nagaraju	Swapnil Keny
Gaurav Gupta	Tarang Khaimar
Kamlesh Devmurari	

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Workshop: Rediscovering the Lost Art of Casting: Mastering Traditional Techniques for Modern Practice

Coordinators: Dr. Dhiren Ganjwala, Dr. Anil Agarwal

Time	Topic	Faculty
11:00-11:05	Introduction	Dr Dhiren Ganjwala
11:06-11:15	Characteristics of a good cast	Dr Sukhdeep Dulai
11:16-11:25	How to remove a cast Video	Dr Easwar
11:26-11:35	Complications and Mx	Dr Patrick Thornley
11:36-11:45	Forearm cast indices	Dr Akalanka Jayasinghe
11:46-11:55	Measuring indices on x-rays	Dr Akalanka Jayasinghe
12:01-12:40	Forearm casting Demo + hands on	Dr Viraj Shingade Dr KC Sreekanth Dr Syed Faizal Afaque Dr Ankur Agarwal
12:41-13:00	Case presentation	Dr Amarendra Singh Dr Sukalyan Dey Dr Jitendra Jain
Lunch		
14:01-15:00	Hip spica Types Demo and Hands on Post-spica care, stroller	Dr Dhiren Ganjwala Dr Anil Agarwal Dr Soumya Paik Dr Rashid Anjum
15:01-16:00	Casting technique- CVT and atypical clubfoot	Dr Anil Agarwal Dr Dhiren Ganjwala
16:01-16:20	Cast for scoliosis (Mehta cast) Demo by faculty	Dr Arjun Dhawale Dr Akash Ghosh
16:21-16:35	Total contact cast Demo by faculty	Dr Binu Kuriyan Dr Varun Garg
16:36-16:50	Function cast bracing Demo by faculty	Dr Vineet Arora Dr Sudhir Mahapatra
16.51	Vote of thanks	Dr Anil Agarwal

Day 2, Friday, 27th February 2026

Time	Topic	Faculty
Symposium: Musculoskeletal Infections		
Moderators: Dr Shobha Arora, Dr Premal Naik		
Panelist: Dr Viraj Shingade, Dr Alok Sud, Dr Sanjay Sarup, Dr Sunil Wijayasinghe, Dr Ranjit Deshmukh		
08:00–08:06	Case 1-Sequestrum and sinus without sufficient involucrum	Dr Bansi Khaunte
08:07–08:13	Case 2-Late presenting/ partially treated septic arthritis of hip	Dr Karthick SR
08:14–08:20	Case 3- Pathological fracture in osteomyelitis	Dr Prateek Behera
08:21–08:30	Q & A, Discussion	
08:31–08:37	Antibiotic strategies for Chronic Osteomyelitis	Dr Anil Agarwal
08:38–08:44	Adolescent Post Septic Sequelae- not the same as infants	Dr Sandeep Patwardhan
08:45–08:51	Mimics of osteomyelitis	Dr John Mukhopadhyay
08:52–09:00	Q & A, Discussion	All Faculties
Symposium: Paediatric Hip		
Moderators/ Chairpersons : Dr Ajai Singh, Dr Ramesh Sen		
09:05–09:11	"Painful subluxated/ dislocated hips in non-ambulatory CP kids - to contain or to excise"	Dr Sukhdeep Dulai
09:12–09:18	Medial growth modulation proximal femur: myth or magic?	Dr Kishore Mulpuri
09:19–09:25	Hips that don't bend in AMC – Management strategies	Dr Harold van Bosse
09:26–09:32	Idiopathic Chondrolysis of hip - management through the stages	Dr Parmanand Gupta
09:33–09:39	Intraoperative imaging for infant hip reductions – contrast enhanced ultrasound of the hip to assess vascularity	Dr Travis Matheney
09:40–09:46	Osteochondroplasty in SCFE - When and How?	Dr Mandar Agashe
09:47–09:50	Q & A, Discussion	
09:55–10:10	POSICON Debate – Deformed, misshapen, pre-arthritis femoral head in an adolescent – attempt hip preservation Vs Wait and replace	Dr Manoj Padman Vs Dr Ramesh Sen
10:15–10:30	Tea Break	

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Main Conference

Time	Topic	Faculty
10:31–11:00	POSI Oration – Ikigai and Orthopaedics: Finding purpose and leading with impact Moderators: Dr Alaric Aroojis, Dr Viraj Shingade Orator: Dr Kishore Mulpuri	
11:10–12:40	POSI Best Paper Session Moderators/ Chairperson: Dr Ramani Narasimhan , Dr Pebam Sudesh	
Time	Topic	Presenter
11:10– 11:19	The role of growth modulation in coronal knee deformities secondary to Chronic Kidney Disease, are they different from Idiopathic Genu valgum?	Dr Kunal Singla
11:19–11:28	Outcomes of Staged Multilevel Surgeries in Brachial Plexus Birth Injury (BPBI) patients with positive Elbow Block Test	Dr Maulin Mahendrakumar Shah
11:28–11:37	Role of systemic inflammatory markers in predicting complications in children with major musculoskeletal injuries – A prospective cohort study	Dr Sourabh Kumar Sinha
11:37–11:46	Clinical correlates and treatment outcomes in amniotic band syndrome associated clubfoot	Dr Anil Agarwal
11:46–11:55	Ulnarization Of The Wrist: A Successful And Complication-Free Approach For Radial Club Hand Deformity Correction	Dr Sakti Prasad Das
11:55–12:04	Valgus Intertrochanteric Osteotomy without Fibular Strut Grafting for Femoral Neck Non-union in Children: A Retrospective Case Series	Dr Rahul
12:04–12:13	Prevalence and Determinants of Proximal Femoral Growth Alterations in Developmental Dysplasia of the Hip: A Prospective Analysis Study	Dr Aditya KS Gowda
12:13–12:22	Long bone deformities in Osteogenesis Imperfecta treated with a combination of Intramedullary nail and a supplementary plate fixation	Dr Nishant Amarnath Jagdale
12:22–12:31	Mid-term Outcomes and Predictors of Deformity in a Comprehensive Tibio-fibular Cross-Union Protocol for Congenital Pseudarthrosis of the Tibia	Dr Ankita Kanchinadka Sripathy
12:31–12:40	Factors determining union and implant breakage in the management of Congenital Pseudoarthrosis of Tibia: A retrospective analysis of 54 cases	Dr Vikaas Ethanur Thupalle
12:45–13:40	Lunch and Spotlight session on OrthoPediatrics (Coordinator – Dr Alaric Aroojis)	

Day 2, Friday, 27th February 2026

13:45–14:25

POSI Free Papers in parallel halls A and B

Hall A

Chairpersons: Dr VVJ Somaraju, Dr Vivek Shrivastava

Time	Topic	Presenter
13:45–13:52	Effect of Local Infiltration of Tranexamic Acid and Adrenaline on Reduction of Intraoperative Blood Loss in Paediatric Scoliosis Surgery: A Randomised Controlled Trial	Dr Peramunugamage Don Oliver Seneeth Dilanka
13:52–13:59	Outcomes of Foramen magnum Decompression and Occipito Cervical Fusion for Craniocervical Pathology in Morquio Syndrome – A Single Center's Experience Over 20 years	Dr Jayaoviya N P
13:59–14:06	Novel management algorithm of forearm Supination deformity in children with residual Brachial Plexus Birth Injury (BPBI)	Dr Shashank V A
14:06–14:13	Outcomes of Combined Primary Brachial Plexus reconstruction followed by secondary orthopaedic surgeries in children affected by Brachial Plexus Birth Injury (BPBI)	Dr Joyance James Mammen
14:13–14:20	Pre-Operative Halo Gravity Traction in Severe Pediatric Scoliosis and Kyphoscoliosis	Dr Atif Naseem
14:20–14:27	Functional evaluation of Pollicization in young children with radial longitudinal deficiency- beneficial results despite presence of finger anomalies	Dr Rujuta Mehta

Hall B

Chairpersons: Dr Sharat Agarwal, Dr Sameer Aggarwal

Time	Topic	Presenter
13:45–13:52	Which radiological measurements correlate best with patient-perceived post-operative shoulder imbalance and patient-reported outcomes following posterior spinal fusion for Adolescent Idiopathic Scoliosis?	Dr Anand kumar Anand Ramalingam
13:52–13:59	Ultrasonographic assessment of Tendoachilles regeneration following complete tenotomy in clubfeet treated by the Ponseti method in children older than 1 year of age- a Prospective study	Dr Nandhini Vishwanath Iyer
13:59–14:06	Effectiveness of Growth modulation in paediatric knee deformities with sick physis compared to normal physis	Dr Akash Vishwakarma
14:06–14:13	Functional Outcomes and Quality of Life Following Sengupta Quadricepsplasty in Children with Quadriceps Fibrosis : A Cohort study	Dr Gavin D Tharayil

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14:13-14:20	Are problem fractures problematic in children? – an analysis of paediatric femoral neck fractures treated over past 15 years	Dr. Pooja Pradeep Suratwala
14:20-14:27	Do children <3years at index surgery for DDH have a better outcome at mid-term follow-up in comparison to children >3years at index surgery? A prospective comparative study	Dr Vivek Singh

Symposium (Hall A) Paediatric Spine Academy of India (Congenital Scoliosis)

Moderators: Dr Ashok Johari, Dr Ramani Narasimhan, Dr Rohit Jindal

14:31-14:38	Antenatal diagnosis and counselling	Dr Hriday Acharya
14:38-14:46	Clinical Examination	Dr Patrick Thornley
14:46-14:54	Radiological evaluation	Dr Ashish Ranade
14:54-15:02	Casting	Dr Arjun Dhawale
15:02-15:10	Growth rods	Dr Abhay Nene
15:10-15:18	Rigid scoliosis – Osteotomy and fusion	Dr Pankaj Kandwal
15:18-15:26	Syndromic scoliosis	Dr Viral Jain
15:26-15:30	Q & A, Discussion	

POSI free paper (Hall B) Chairpersons: Dr Ravjit Singh, Dr Sumit Bhandari

Time	Topic	Presenter
14:30-14:37	Concealed deformities in congenital posteromedial bowing of the tibia	Dr Siddarth Kamath
14:37-14:44	The clinical and radiological outcome of children with Gartland type 3 and 4 supracondylar humerus treated by closed percutaneous pinning in lateral vs conventional supine position. A retrospective cohort study	Dr Raghavendra K
14:44-14:51	Clinical and Radiological Outcomes of a Modified Woodward Procedure for Sprengel Shoulder	Dr Bhushan Sharad Sagade
14:51-14:58	Re-cycled Autograft following Extracorporeal Radiation for Limb salvage in Pediatric Bone Sarcoma – A retrospective analysis from a tertiary referral centre	Dr Love Kapoor
14:58-15:05	Cost effective options of limb salvage in pediatric bone sarcomas: minding the problem and finding solutions in developing countries	Dr Venkatesan Sampath Kumar
15:05-15:12	Normal patellar values in children and their comparison in different age groups	Dr Ritesh Arvind Pandey

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Time	Topic	Faculty
15:12–15:19	Correlation of clinical , sagittal and gait parameters in management of crouch gait in cerebral palsy	Dr Sushant Sudhir Srivastava
15:19–15:26	Outcomes of Trochanteric Entry Rigid Intramedullary Nailing for Adolescent Femoral Shaft Fractures: A Retrospective Indian Cohort Study	Dr Vivek Manoharlal Sodhai
15:30 – 15:55	Tea/Coffee Break and Trade Exhibition	
Symposium: Neuromuscular disorders SMA and Spina Bifida		
Moderator – Dr Alaric Aroojis, Dr Naveen Sankhyan		
16:01–16:10	What after gene therapy - functional levels and longevity	Dr Renu Suthar
16:11–16:17	Orthopaedic lecture 1 (Extremities)	Dr Guy Atherton
16:18–16:24	Orthopaedic lecture 2 (Spine)	Dr Patrick
16:25–16:40	Holistic care of children with spina bifida	Dr Santosh Karmakar
16:41–16:45	Q & A, Discussion	
Symposium: Demystifying cystic lesions in bone		
Moderators – Dr Ashish Gulia, Dr Pebam Sudesh		
16:51–16:57	UBC - Steroid or Surgery	Dr Venkatesan Sampath
16:58–17:04	Success rate with Polidocanol - TMH experience	Dr Manish Pruthi
17:05–17:11	Osteofibrous dysplasia – Management intricacies	Dr Thomas Palocaren
17:12–17:15	Q & A, Discussion	All faculties
17:16–17:30	POSI CON Debate - Do all cystic lesions need MRI and biopsy before intervention	Against – Dr Ashish Gulia For – Manish Pruthi
17:31 – 18:00	Tea/Coffee Break and Trade Exhibition	
18:00 – 19:35	POSI GBM	
20:00 onward	Gala Dinner	

Day 3, Saturday, 28th February 2026

Main Conference

Time

Topic

Faculty

Symposium: Decoding Management of Traumatic Physeal Arrests through Consensus

Moderators- Dr Ashok Johari, Dr Dhiren Ganjwala

Panelists: Dr. Shital Parikh, Dr. Sandeep Patwardhan, Dr. Venkatadass K, Dr Gopinath Menon

08:00-08:05	Introduction to structure of session	Moderators
08:06-08:15	<p>Case 1</p> <p>Case presentation – 2 minutes Live Poll- 4 Questions – 1 minute Experts Panel Discussion- 4 minutes Repeat live Poll- 1minute (display shift in results) Summary and Consensus points-2 minutes</p>	<p>Dr Suresh Chand</p> <p>Panelist</p> <p>Moderators</p>
08:16-08:25	<p>Case 2</p> <p>Case presentation – 2 minutes Live Poll- 4 Questions – 1 minute Experts Panel Discussion- 4 minutes Repeat live Poll- 1minute (display shift in results) Summary and Consensus points-2 minutes</p>	<p>Dr Vivek Sodhai</p> <p>Panelist</p> <p>Moderators</p>
08:26-08:35	<p>Case 3</p> <p>Case presentation – 2 minutes Live Poll- 4 Questions – 1 minute Experts Panel Discussion- 4 minutes Repeat live Poll- 1minute (display shift in results) Summary and Consensus points-2 minutes</p>	<p>Dr Kailash Sarathy</p> <p>Panelist</p> <p>Moderators</p>
08:36-08:43	Rapid fire Polls on controversial questions (Age/ percentage of bar/ imaging modality of choice/growth estimation method /3D planning/ contralateral epiphysiodesis / influence of etiology on decision /interposition material)	
08:44-08:48	Expert panel reactions to rapid fire	Panelist
08:49-08:55	Consensus Summary: convergence points/ divergence points / Direction of future research	Moderators
09:01-09:15	<p>Kameshita forum award paper Chairperson: Dr Anil Pandey, Dr Ashok Johari Title: Shoulder Girdle Deformation Score: A Novel Plain Radiographic Tool for assessing Gleno-humeral Dysplasia in Brachial Plexus Birth Plasty</p>	<p>Presenter: Dr Rujuta Mehta</p>

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09:20-10:00

Parallel Halls A and B – POSI Free papers and Best Poster presentations

Free Papers Presentation | Hall A

Time	Topic	Presenter
09:20-09:27	Mid-Term Outcomes of Pediatric Pelvic Fractures: Insights from a Tertiary Care Center	Dr Aravindasabari Purushothaman
09:28-09:35	Epidemiology of Brachial Plexus Birth Palsy: A Single-Center Study of 1160 Patients from India	Dr Vaibhav Mittal
09:36-09:43	Comparison of Intra- and Interobserver Reliability Analysis of Orientation Proximal Femur Physis Parameters on Radiographs	Dr Varun Garg
09:44-09:51	Technique for Implant-Free Medial Patello-femoral Ligament Reconstruction Using Tensor Fascia Lata Graft in Pediatric Patellar Instability	Dr Rudraprasad M S
09:52-09:59	Efficacy of the Ponseti Method in Non-idiopathic Clubfoot	Dr Anisha Rao

Free Papers Presentation | Hall B

Time	Topic	Presenter
09:20-09:27	Outcomes of the two-stage induced membrane (Masquelet) technique in children with long-bone infection and defects: a single-centre cohort	Dr Sanika Srinand Rapole
09:28-09:35	Corrective Strategies for Idiopathic Genu Valgum in Growing Children: A Randomized Trial of Two Osteotomy Techniques	Dr Jai Prakash Khatri
09:36-09:43	Comparison of clinical, radiological and functional outcomes between children younger than 2 years of age and those older than 2 years of age with post septic hip dislocation treated with reconstructive surgery: a minimum 5 year follow-up study	Dr Moka Siddardha
09:44-09:51	Does Vitamin D Decide Perthes Pace? Prospective Data from 50 Children	Dr Udit Agrawal
09:52-09:59	Paediatric Orthopaedics in Postgraduate Training: An Underrepresented Subspecialty in India	Dr Abhishek S Bhasme

10:00 – 10:30

Tea and Trade Exhibition

Day 3, Saturday, 28th February 2026

Main Conference

Time	Topic	Faculty
Symposium: Late presenting congenital upper limb anomalies		
Moderators- Dr SS Tripathy, Dr NK Das		
10:31-10:37	Late presenting torticollis – management intricacies	Dr Vikas Gupta
10:38-10:44	Late presenting Sprengel's shoulder – Decision making	Dr Premal Naik
10:45-10:52	Madelung's deformity – Long term outcome after operative intervention	Dr Hitesh Shah
10:53-11:00	Forearm Osteochondromatosis- Enigma of the dislocated Radial Head	Dr Maulin Shah
11:01-11:05	Q & A, Discussion	
11:05-11:20	Radial clubhand in an older child – Intervene vs Leave it POSICON Debate 3	Dr Rujuta Mehta Vs Dr Jayanth Sampath

Symposium: Social Paediatric Orthopaedics

Moderators- Dr Dhiren Ganjwala, Dr Bhavneet Bharti		
11:21-11:28	Supporting families of bedridden non-ambulant kids through their growth	Dr Mathew Varghese
11:29-11:35	Making schools disability friendly	Dr Bhavneet Bharti
11:36-11:42	'Hip screening programs in India – how to make them a reality'	Dr Alaric Aroojis
11:43-11:50	Rehab in osteogenesis imperfecta- The patient view	Master Harjot Singh
11:56-12:15	Panel discussion on comprehensive affordable rehabilitation to all	Moderator – Dr Dhiren Ganjwala Panelists – Dr Bhavneet Bharti Dr Sukhdeep Dulai Dr Mathew Varghese Dr Ashok Johari Dr Santosh George

Day 3, Saturday, 28th February 2026

Main Conference

Time	Topic	Faculty
Symposium: Osteogenesis Imperfecta		
Moderators – Dr Suhas Ranjan Bala, Dr Easwar T		
Panelists: Dr Ramani Narasimhan, Dr Atul Bhaskar, Dr Premal Naik, Dr Rudra Prasad, Dr Jayanth Sampath		
12:25-12:31	Case 1- Migrated implant/ Implant cut-out with recurrent deformity	Dr Ashok Kumar
12:32-12:38	Case 2 – Coxa Vara in OI	Dr Ravi Chauhan
12:39-12:45	Case 3- ST femur nonunion with implant in situ in OI	Dr Sandeep Vaidya
12:46-12:53	Telescopic nail exchange - challenges and how to address them	Dr Atul Bhaskar
12:54-13:01	Spinal Deformities in OI	Dr Ashok Johari
13:02-13:10	Upper limb deformities in OI	Dr Nirmal Raj Gopinathan
13:11-13:15	Q & A, Discussion	
13:15 – 13:30	Valedictory function	
13:30 onwards	Lunch and Spotlight session on RISE BIONICS	

Post Conference Workshop on Arthrogryposis Multiplex Congenita

14:30 – 14:40	Introduction and outline of the workshop –	Dr Nirmal Raj Gopinathan Dr Harold Van Bosse
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Module 1: Revisiting basics

14:40-14:48	Overview of AMC	Dr Anupriya Kaur
14:49-14:56	Epidemiology, etiology, genetics and classification	Dr Anupriya Kaur
14:57-15:05	Common clinical presentations	Dr Prateek Behera
15:06-15:14	Investigations/ evaluation	Dr Karthick SR
15:16-15:20	Q & A, Discussion	
15:30-15:55	Tea Break	

Module 2: Management of lower limb deformities/ contractures

Panelists: Dr Harold Van Bosse, Dr Premal Naik, Dr Jayanth Sampath, Dr Parmanand Gupta, Dr Viraj Shingade, Dr Sandeep Patwardhan, Dr Hitesh Shah, Dr Sanjay Sarup, Dr Venkatadass

16:01-16:05	Relevant Clinical examination	Dr Easwar TR
16:06-16:14	Case 1 Hip	Dr Parmanand Gupta
16:15-16:23	Case 2 Hip	Dr Venkatadass K
16:24-16:32	Case 3 Knee	Dr Nirmal Raj Gopinathan
16:33-16:41	Case 4 Knee	Dr Premal Naik
16:42-16:50	Case 5 Foot and ankle	Dr Viraj Shingade
16:51-16:58	Case 6 Foot and ankle	Dr Cherian Kovoor
17:00-17:30	Summarizing lower limb management in AMC	Dr Harold Van Bosse
17:30-18:15	Q & A, Discussion	

Day 4, Sunday, 01st March 2026

Post Conference Workshop: Arthrogryposis Multiplex Congenita

Time	Topic	Faculty
Module 3: Management of upper limb contractures/ deformities		
Panelists: Dr Scott Oishi, Dr Rujuta Mehta, Dr Vivek Singh, Dr SS Tripathy, Dr Terrence Jose Jerome, Dr Maulin Shah		
8:00 – 8:10	Relevant Clinical examination	Dr Terrence Jose Jerome
8:11 – 8:18	Case 1	Dr Rujuta Mehta
8:19 – 8:27	Case 2	Dr Abhay Gaukhambale
8:28 – 8:36	Case 3	Dr Kapil Gangwal
8:37 – 8:45	Case 4	Dr Akash Ghosh
8:46 – 8:54	Case 5	Dr SP Das
9:00 – 9:30	Summarizing upper limb management in AMC	Dr Scott Oishi
9:31–10:00	Q & A, Discussion	
10:00 – 10:20	Tea Break	
Module 4: Management of Spinal deformities		
10:30 – 10:45	Spinal deformities	Dr Harold van Bosse
10:46–10:50	Q & A, Discussion	
10:51–11:20	Module 5: Answering the big question: Overall management of the child for all musculoskeletal deformities	Dr Harold Van Bosse Dr Scott Oishi and all faculties
Module 6: Rehabilitation		
11.21 – 11.35	Physiotherapy and occupational therapy protocols	Dr Tejas Patel
11.36 – 11.45	Home care strategies	Dr Tejas Patel
11.51 – 12.05	Role of assistive devices and splints	Prof Virinder Singh Gogia
12.06 – 12.15	Navigating into adulthood/ Societal inclusion and occupational rehabilitation	Prof Virinder Singh Gogia
12.16 – 12.30	Q & A, Discussion	
12.31 – 12.40	AMC support group establishment	
12.41 – 13.00	Final remarks	
13:01 – 13:10	Vote of Thanks	
13:15 onwards	Lunch	