

74th NATCON

74th National Conference of Tuberculosis and Chest Diseases

Date: 20, 21 & 22 December 2019
Venue: The Leela Palace, Chennai, Tamil Nadu.

Jointly organized by:

ANTI TB ASSOCIATION OF TAMIL NADU
UNDER THE AEGIS OF
TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION OF INDIA

&

GOVERNMENT HOSPITAL OF THORACIC MEDICINE, TAMBARAM SANATORIUM, CHENNAI.





Dear Dignitaries and Delegates,

It gives us immense pleasure and pride to invite you to the **74th National conference of TB and Chest diseases** to be held in the vibrant city of **Chennai**, Tamil Nadu, India from **20th to 22nd December 2019**.

This mega event will serve as a platform for various professionals and experts in the field of Tuberculosis and chest diseases to share their knowledge and join hands in the fight against Tuberculosis with goal towards **Eliminating TB from India by 2025**.

This year the conference is being jointly organised by **Anti TB Association of Tamilnadu** under the aegis of **Tuberculosis Association of India & Government Hospital of Thoracic Medicine, Tambaram Sanatorium, Chennai**.

Government Hospital of Thoracic medicine, Tambaram sanatorium is one of the oldest institutions in this country started in 1928 and spearheading the fight against Tuberculosis from the prechemotherapy era and the site where the domiciliary treatment of Tuberculosis originated. Today it is a 760 bedded hospital serving as a nodal centre for treatment of all forms of Tuberculosis including the drug resistant forms and serving as a centre of excellence for TB & HIV care.

The local partners for organising this conference include **Association of Pulmonologists of Tamilnadu** and **Anti TB association of Puducherry**.

Organising Chairman

Prof. Dr. R. Sridhar.

Suptd. GHTM, Tambaram.

Organising Secretary

Dr. K. Senthil Raj, IAS.

STATE TB OFFICER - TN.

SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMME

The three day conference will have a rich feast of academics, focusing on major areas of interest in the field of Tuberculosis and Respiratory disorders. The conference will lay special emphasis on interactive sessions, to improve participation by delegates.

The Main Highlights of Scientific Program are :

Postgraduate Workshops, Orations, Keynote addresses and Guest Lectures, Debates on Current controversies, Panel discussions, Symposia covering a wide range of clinical and research topics, Poster and paper presentation of selected research abstracts.

PRE-CONFERENCE WORKSHOPS

The following workshops are planned:

| Topic | Participants No. | Registration fee (Including GST 18%) |
|---|------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Operational Research Methodology Workshop | 50 | ₹ 1180 |
| Sleep Medicine | 50 | ₹ 1416 |
| Bronchoscopy /EBUS | 40 | ₹ 1770 |
| Medical thoracoscopy | 40 | ₹ 1770 |
| USG in Chest Diseases | 50 | ₹ 1770 |
| Mycobacteriology | 50 | ₹ 1416 |

Workshop seats are limited and is subject to availability of seats.

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION

Scientific abstracts are called for presentation in the conference. Participants who wish to present academic papers/posters in the field of Tuberculosis and chest diseases can forward the same by email to chennainatcon2019@gmail.com or submit online through the website: www.chennainatcon2019.com by 31/10/2019.

REGISTRATION

| Registration fee (Including GST 18%) | Upto 31/08/2019 | Upto 31/10/2019 | Upto 15/12/2019 |
|---|--------------------|--------------------|--------------------|
| Delegates | ₹ 7080 | ₹ 7670 | ₹ 8850 |
| PG Students | ₹ 5900 | ₹ 7080 | ₹ 7080 |
| Foreign Delegates | US\$ 300 | US\$ 350 | US\$ 450 |
| SAARC | US\$ 150 | US\$ 175 | US\$ 200 |
| Accompanying Person | ₹ 7080 | ₹ 7080 | ₹ 7080 |

Please note:

- Registration is mandatory for all delegates and those presenting papers and posters, for participation in the workshops.
- Each delegate can participate in only one workshop.
- For postgraduate students a certificate will be required from the Head of the Department/Institution.
- Registration cannot be transferred.
- Spot Registration will be by cash payment only subject to availability.
- Registration fee does not include travel and accommodation; this should be arranged by the participants themselves. The website have the apps to assist travel and accommodation requirements of the delegates.
- For registration requests after 15th December 2019 and for spot registrations, delegate kit is not guaranteed.
- Delegate kit will also not be given to the accompanying persons including spouse.

PAYMENT DETAILS

1. Demand Draft/Cheque should be in favour of "74th NATCON" payable at Chennai.
2. Bank Transfer (NEFT/RTGS):
Bank Account: **74th NATCON**
Bank Name: **State Bank of India**
Bank Account No: **38380795080**
Bank Branch: **SME Branch, Rajaji Salai, Chennai.**
3. MICR Code: **600002183**
4. RTGS/NEFT/IFSC Code: **SBIN0013241**
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Website: **www.chennainatcon2019.com**

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ABOUT CHENNAI

Chennai is the capital of Tamil Nadu and is India's fourth biggest city. The metropolitan city of Chennai serves as a link between the historical past and vibrant future and has much for everyone who visits. December will be the ideal time to visit the city and enjoy the weather and all it has to offer. The 12-kilometre-long Marina Beach forms the city's east coast and is one of the longest beaches in the world. Chennai's culture reflects its diverse population and is home to a number of classical dance shows and Hindu temples like the heritage temples at Mamallapuram, the Kapaleeshwarar Temple in Mylapore and the Parthasarathy Temple in Triplicane.

About Leela Palace

Where Adyar River joins the Bay of Bengal, stands The Leela Palace, Chennai. It is the first and only seafront five-star hotel in Chennai. The Leela Palace, Chennai is the envy of Chennai's five-star hotels. The design of the building brings to life the art and embellishments seen around the hotel. Drawn from the inspiration of Chettinad Dynasty, the architecture of the hotel exudes a regal opulence and with its wide range of facilities it's easy to see why The Leela Palace, Chennai has earned its lofty reputation.

