REPORT OF THE CONTINUING MEDICAL EDUCATION PROGRAMME-2017 ON

SURGICAL MANAGEMENT OF HEPATO-BILIARY DISEASES

ORGANIZED BY:

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Hepato-biliary diseases encompasses a heterogeneous group of diseases caused by a wide range of aetiological factors which falls under the interests of medical practitioners of various specialities and hepato-biliary surgery is now firmly established within the repertoire of modern general surgery and optimal management of patients with hepatic or biliary diseases requires a thorough understanding and practical application of anatomy, pathophysiology, diagnostic and imaging tools, surgical techniques and multidisciplinary treatment options.

Considering this the Department of General Surgery of Kodagu Institute of Medical Sciences, Madikeri conducted a Continuing Medical Education on SURGICAL MANAGEMENT OF HEPATO-BILIARY DISEASES, on 21-01-2017. The CME program was awarded 2 Credit Hours by the Karnataka Medical Council for a program schedule lasting eight hours which included Lectures and a panel discussion on the above mentioned topics.

Details of the participants:

The CME program was attended by a total of 100 delegates from Kodagu, Mysore, Mangalore and Bangalore. The delegates included General Surgeons, Post Graduate students from various medical colleges, General Practitioners and Medical Officers at Primary Health Care Centres and Community Health Centres, who frequently encountered the hepato-biliary diseases in day to day practice.

Morning Session:

The CME program started with Registration and a brief welcoming of delegates. The morning session began with a talk by two Speakers who spoke on the Anatomy and Physiology of the liver and the Biliary system.

The first talk was by Dr. Vishal Kumar, Prof and Head of the Dept of Anatomy, KoIMS, Madikeri who gave a detailed descriptive view on the Surgical anatomy of the Liver and the biliary system and the clinical correlations.

The second speaker of the day, Dr. Narasimha Rai, Prof and Head of the Dept of Physiology, KoIMS, Madikeri enlightened the gathering about the physiological functions of the hepato-biliary system and the various derangements seen in various diseases.

This was followed by the inaugural ceremony. The inaugural ceremomy was presided by the Dr. Cariappa. K. B, I/C Director, KoIMS Madikeri,

The function was graced by Mrs. Mary Nanaiah, Chief Administrative Officer, KoIMS Madikeri, Dr. Praveen Kumar, Organising Chairman, Dr. Naveen N.S, Organising Secretary and Dr. Nagesh, KMC observer.

The inaugural function began with the lighting of the ceremonial lamp and invoking the Almighty’s blessings. This was followed by a welcome address by Dr. Praveen Kumar, Professor and HOD, Dept of General Surgery, KoIMS, Madikeri who welcomed the guests and all the delegates and also stressed upon the need for doctors to stay updated on the recent advances in medical field.

Dr. Cariappa. K. B, I/C director, KoIMS, Madikeri, congratulated the Dept of General Surgery for conducting the CME and stressed upon the need for conducting CME on regular basis for updating the knowledge and providing better healthcare facilities.
Mrs. Mary Nanaiah, Chief Administrative Officer, KoIMS, Madikeri spoke and expressed appreciation towards the arrangements made for CME and wished good luck for grand success of CME.

The inaugural function concluded with the vote of thanks by Dr. Naveen. N. S, Senior Specialist, Dept of General Surgery, KoIMS, Madikeri.

The inaugural ceremony was followed by the third lecture of the day, by Dr. Praveen Kumar, Professor and Head of the Dept of General Surgery, KoIMS Madikeri on liver trauma where he highlighted upon the recent advancements in diagnostic modalities and the optimal management strategies of the most commonly injured organ in abdominal trauma.

The final lecture of the morning session was on liver tumors, by Dr. Anand. I. P, Associate Professor, Dept of General Surgery, A. J Institute of Medical Sciences, Mangalore. He threw light on the various types of liver cancers and their diagnostic and therapeutic modalities in early and advanced stages of liver tumors.

With this the morning session concluded with participants breaking for lunch.

**Afternoon Session:**

The post lunch session of the CME resumed with a talk on liver resection by Dr. Erel A I Diaz, Professor, Dept of Surgery, Father Muller Medical College, Mangalore, where he highlighted the various approaches and techniques of hepatic resections and the advances which has revolutionized the aspects of patient care.

Next Dr. Kalpana Sridhar, Professor, Dept. of Surgery, A. J. Institute of Medical Sciences, Mangalore spoke on the diagnostic modalities for detection of gall stones the various medical and surgical treatment options available for the management of gall stones in different stages of the disease.

The final lecture of the day was delivered by Dr. Gopinath Pai, Professor, Dept of General Surgery, K. V. G. Medical College, Sullia on the management of CBD stones where he spoke in detail about the endoscopic and minimally invasive techniques available for the diagnosis and treatment of common bile duct stones thereby achieving ductal clearance with the fewest number of interventions thereby improving standards of patient care.

Finally the scientific session concluded with a panel discussion on obstructive jaundice where the guest faculty answered the queries by the delegates.

This was followed by the valedictory function and distribution of certificates, thereby concluding the CME function.