Department of Anaesthesiology & Critical Care

Courses offered

1. Fellowship in Hepatobiliary and Solid Organ Transplantation
   - 1 year (4 seats)

2. Fellowship in Paediatric Anaesthesiology
   - 1 year (1 seat)

3. Fellowship – Neuro & Ortho Anaesthesia
   - 1 year (2 seats)

4. In house training in:
   * Ultrasound Guided Regional Anaesthesia
   * Difficult Airway & Fiberoptic Intubation
   - (2 seats and 4 seats)

5. Indian Diploma in Critical Care Medicine IDCCM – (Recognized by ISCCM)
   - 1 year (4 seats)

Venue:
AMRITA
Institute of Medical Sciences
Kochi

Time:
8 am to 4.30 pm

Organised by:
Department of Anaesthesiology and Critical Care
Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences and Research Centre
Ponekkara, Kochi – 682 041
Dear Colleagues,

It is with great pleasure we announce “AARC 2017” (Amrita Anaesthesia Refresher Course) on 1st October (Sunday) 2017 at Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences & Research Centre, Kochi. We are grateful for the support you have shown for the last 3 years. This year we are back with topics relevant for postgraduate students and practicing anaesthesiologists. Our speakers are well known teachers who will share their knowledge and experience with you.

We propose to have a CME on “Updates in Transplant Anaesthesia Care” this time along with the AARC 2017 on 2nd October (Monday) 2017. We request you all to actively participate and make the events a grand success.

CME credit points will be awarded to the delegates by the Travancore Cochin Medical Council.

For any queries kindly contact us at 0484 2856162 (8am to 5pm) or email to:
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With warm regards,

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### Programme Schedule

**Venue: Amriteshwari Hall**

#### Neuro Anaesthesiology

- **8.30 - 9 am**
  - Traumatic Brain Injury
  - Dr. Ramanan Rajagopal
  - Assistant Professor
  - Christian Medical College, Vellore

- **9 - 9.30 am**
  - Intraoperative Neuro Monitoring
  - Dr. Ponnilah Vanamurthy
  - Consultant, Global Hospitals, Chennai

- **9.30 - 9.45 am**
  - Inauguration & lamp lighting

- **9.45 - 10 am**
  - Tea break

#### Anaesthesia for Vascular Surgery

- **10 - 10.30 am**
  - Anaesthesia for Ruptured Abdominal Aortic Aneurysm
  - Dr. Krishna H M
  - Professor
  - Kasturba Medical College, Manipal

- **10.30 - 11 am**
  - Anaesthesia for Emergent Ischaemic Limb Revascularisation
  - Dr. Linette J Morris
  - HOD, Dept. of Anaesthesia
  - Govt. Medical College, Thiruvananthapuram

#### Advances in Anaesthesia

- **11 - 11.30 am**
  - Regional Anaesthesia for Breast Surgery
  - Dr. Mary Thomas
  - Additional Professor
  - Regional Cancer Centre
  - Thiruvananthapuram

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**2nd Tower – 5th Floor, Main Block**

#### Anaesthesia for ERCP/Endoscopy

- **11.30 - 12 Noon**
  - Dr. Kusuma R Hameeni
  - Consultant, KIMS Hospital
  - Thiruvananthapuram

#### Anaesthesia for Robotic Surgery

- **12 - 12.30 pm**
  - Dr. Rekha Varghese
  - Professor
  - AIMs, Kochi

#### Lunch break

- **12.30 - 1.15 pm**

#### VIVA – Case Discussion

- **1.15 - 2.15 pm**
  - **CASE 1:** Cirrhotic Patient for Non Transplant Surgery
  - Dr. Baburaj C Chakrapani
  - Professor
  - Govt. Medical College, Kollam

- **2.15 - 3.15 pm**
  - **CASE 2:** Mitral Stenosis with Pregnancy
  - Dr. Krishna H M
  - Professor
  - Kasturba Medical College, Manipal

#### Tea break

- **3.15 - 3.30 pm**

#### Coagulation and Anaesthesia

- **3.30 - 4.00 pm**
  - Newer Anticoagulants
  - Dr. Suresh G Nair
  - Lead Consultant, Aster Medcity, Kochi

- **4 - 4.30 pm**
  - Point of Care Coagulation Testing
  - Dr. Lakshmi Kumar
  - Professor & HOD, AIMs, Kochi

- **4.30 pm**
  - Conclusion