



6TH SCIENTIFIC CONFERENCE OF THE SRI LANKAN ASSOCIATION OF GERIATRIC MEDICINE – VIRTUAL MEETING

“Advances and Current Trends in Geriatrics”

MARCH 2021

Webcast Live from The Academic Centre of Postgraduate Institute of Medicine, Rodney Street, Colombo 08

PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOP 1 : FRAGILITY FRACTURES (FOR MEDICAL PROFESSIONALS) THURSDAY, 25TH MARCH 2021

9:00 - 9:05 am	Welcome & President's Message	
9:05 - 9:45 am	Current Status, Future & Primary Prevention of Fragility Fractures	Prof. Sarath Lekamwasam
9:45 - 10:15 am	Perioperative Management of Fragility Fractures: Orthogeriatric point of view	Dr. Warsha De Zoysa
10:15 - 10:45 am	Surgical Management of Incident Fragility Fractures	Dr. Chandana Karunatileke
10:45 - 11:15 am	Secondary Prevention	Dr. Chandana Kanakarathne
11:15 - 11:45 am	Rehabilitation of a patient with Fragility Fractures	Dr. Gunendrika Kasturiratne

PRE-CONGRESS WORKSHOP 2 : CARE OF THE OLDER ADULT (FOR MEDICAL, NURSING AND PARAMEDICAL PROFESSIONALS) THURSDAY, 25TH MARCH 2021

8:30 - 8:45 am	Welcome and President's Message	
8:45 - 9:15 am	Falls Risk Assessment	Ms. Kavinda Malwanage
9:15 - 9:45 am	Swallowing and Speech	Ms. Saumya Rathnayake
9:45 - 10:15 am	Bladder and Bowel care	Mr. Sugandi Fernando
10:15 - 10:45 am	Nutrition in older adult	Dr. Renuka Jayatissa
10:45 - 11:00 am	Tea Break	
11:00 - 11:30 am	Management of an Aggressive patient	Mr. Salu Wickramasinghe
11:30 - 12:00 pm	Management of a Delirious patient	Dr. Dilhar Samaraweera
12:00 - 12:30 pm	Depression and Dementia	Dr. Kapila Ranasinghe
12:30 - 1:00 pm	Management and Prevention of Decubitus Ulcers	Dr. Ranjuka Ubeyisiri

INAUGURATION CEREMONY - 25TH MARCH 2021 AT 6:00 PM (By Invitation Only)

❖ Chief Guest - Prof. Shanthi Mendis ❖ Guest of Honour - Dr. Nanda Amarasekera ❖ SLAGM Oration - Dr. Shyama Ranabahu - A Sociospatial Analysis of Active Ageing in Sri Lanka

MAIN CONFERENCE - 26TH AND 27TH MARCH 2021

Day 1 Friday, 26th March 2021

08.00 - 08.30 am	Plenary 1	Digital Inclusiveness	Dr. Ashish Goel
08.30 - 10.00 am	Symposium 1 Genitourinary Problems in Older Adults	Psychosexual problems in older adult Genitourinary problems in older males Genitourinary problems in older females	Dr. Kapila Ranasinghe Dr. B. Balagobi Dr. Dhammika Silva
10.00 - 10.30 am		Tea Break	
10.30 - 11.00 am	Plenary 2	Nutrition in older adults	Prof. Sudheera Kalupahana
11.00 - 11.30 am	Plenary 3	Nutraceuticals in geriatric practice	Prof. Chandani Wanigatunge
11.30 am - 1.00 pm	Panel Discussion 1	Elder Abuse	Dr. Neil Fernando Mr. Kalinga Indatissa Prof. Anurudhi Edirisinghe Dr. Lasantha Ganewatte
1.00 - 2.00 pm		Lunch Break	
2.00 - 2.30 pm	Plenary 4	Grief & Post Traumatic Stress in Older Adults	Prof. Shehan Williams
2.30 - 3.00 pm	Symposium 2 Common Medical Problems in Older Adults	Hypertension Diabetes Mellitus Heart Failure	Prof. Kamani Wanigasuriya Prof. Thilak Weerathna Dr. Naomali Amarasena

Day 2 Saturday 27th March 2021

08.00 - 08.30 am	Plenary 5	Gait & Mobility	Dr. Prasad Mathew
08.30 - 10.00 am	Symposium 3 Endocrine Problems in Older Adults	Postmenopausal Hormone Replacement Therapy in Older Women Testosterone Replacement Thyroid Disorders in older adults	Dr. Dulani Kottahachchi Dr. Dharshani Karuppaiah Dr. Manilka Sumanatileke
10.00 - 10.30 am		Tea Break	
10.30 - 11.00 am	Plenary 6	Complementary & Alternative Medicine in Geriatrics	Dr. Senaka Pilapitiya
11.00 am - 12.30 pm	Panel Discussion 2	End of Life Care	Dr. Udayangani Ramadasa Dr. Dilhar Samaraweera Dr. Clifford Perera Dr. Barana Millawithana
12.30 - 1.00 pm	Plenary 7	Future of Geriatric Medicine	Dr. Duncan Forsyth
1.00 - 2.00 pm		Lunch Break	
2.00 pm - onwards		Free Papers	
4.00 pm - onwards		Award Ceremony of the Photography Competition (by invitation only)	

Registration for Precongress Workshops - Free

Please send an email to slagmprecon2021@gmail.com, requesting clearly the precongress you wish to attend to

Registration for Main Conference - LKR 1500 only

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