

ORGAN DONATION WORKSHOP

The first of series of 2018 of National deceased organ donation simulation workshop was organised under aegis of NOTTO and NZUSI at Venkateshwara Hospital, Dwarka, New Delhi on 21 April 2018. Dr Vimal Bhandari, Director NOTTO, was the organising Chairman. Dr MS Jha, consultant Urology Venkateshwara Hospital, was the organising secretary. Dr SP Yadav, President NZUSI, was the Chief Guest. Prof(Dr) Shivam Priyadarshi, Honorary secretary NZUSI, was one of the esteemed faculty. Dr Anup Kumar, Prof and HOD Urology and Renal Transplant was the National Convenor and the Course Director. This event was actively participated by more than 100 delegates including Urologists, Nephrologists, Intensivist, Neurologist, Neurosurgeons, Cardiologist, Physicians and transplant coordinators. There were didactic lectures by the esteemed faculties on role of NOTTO, capacity building /medico-legal aspects of cadaveric renal transplant, how to certify brain stem death?, how to maintain brain dead patients for donation?, Quiz on diagnosis of Brain Death, Role of Transplant coordinators and a panel discussion on challenging scenarios of cadaveric organ donation. The delegates also signed pledges for organ donation.



INDO MAURITIAN UROLOGY CONCLAVE

After a successful trip to Philippines last year, NZUSI is continuing with its annual joint scientific program with another country. This year, Indo Mauritian Urology Conclave is being held from 5th to 11th August at Radisson Blu Azuri, Mauritius.

94 member delegation comprising 38 Urologists from our zone shall be participating. The Group includes Dr SP Yadav, President NZUSI, Dr Shivam Priyadarshi, Secretary NSUSI and Dr MS Agarwal, President Elect USI. The scientific program is expected to be inaugurated by the Prime Minister of Mauritius. The Minister Mentor and the Health Minister shall also grace the occasion. The event is been accredited by the Mauritian Medical Council and all attendees shall be given credit points since a large number of Mauritian doctors shall attend this event. 20 talks shall be delivered during this conclave.

The group shall travel together on Air Mauritius which has a direct flight from New Delhi and has been kind enough to give us a special fare. The venue also has been chosen after great thought to provide our members a memorable trip. A host of activities are lined up after the scientific sessions to foster bonding and camaraderie among the members and their families. These include a day long catamaran cruise; visit to natural wonders like multi colored earth, volcanoes, forests and wild life sanctuaries; visit to Rum factory and Extreme sports on land, water and air. There shall be a few fun competitions also among the urologists and their families.

Intend to provide live updates during our visit to our members who were unable to accompany this year.

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