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Agenda

Time	Topic / Activity	Faculty
9.00 - 10.00	 Competition on "BEST REHAB QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT"	Quality Improvement Project Presentation – Finalist Slot - 01
		Quality Improvement Project Presentation – Finalist Slot - 02
		Quality Improvement Project Presentation – Finalist Slot - 03
		Quality Improvement Project Presentation – Finalist Slot - 04
		Quality Improvement Project Presentation – Finalist Slot - 05
10.00 - 10.10	Why Quality matters in Rehabilitation Services - Stakeholders' perspectives	Dr Veena Kiran Nambiar Professor, Ramaiah College of Physiotherapy, Chief of Cardiac Rehab Program, Ramaiah Memorial Hospital, Bangalore, Core Team Member, CAHO Global Rehab Quality Forum
10.10 - 10.20	Quality Assurance in Physical Medicine & Rehabilitation	Dr Sanjay Wadhwa Professor & Head, Department of Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation, AIIMS New Delhi, President(2019 -2021) -INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF PHYSICAL MEDICINE & REHABILITATION (IAPMR)
10.20 - 10.30	Quality Assurance in Occupational Therapy	Dr. Joseph Sunny Kunnacherry Secretary - ALL INDIA OCCUPATIONAL THERAPY ASSOCIATION (AIOTA) Founder and Director - Prayatna, Kochi, Kerala, , Core Team Member- CAHO Global Rehab Quality Forum
10.30 - 10.40	Quality Assurance in Physiotherapy	Dr.Ruchi Varshney Treasurer -INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF PHYSIOTHERAPIST (IAP), National Head - INDIAN ASSOCIATION OF PHYSIOTHERAPIST WOMEN CELL(IAPWC)
10.40 - 10.50	Quality Assurance in Speech and Language Pathology	Dr.Prasanna Suresh Hegde President Bangalore Chapter -INDIAN SPEECH-LANGUAGE & HEARING ASSOCIATION (ISHA) Program Director and Clinical lead- Dept. of Deglutology and Speech-Language Pathology, HCG Hospital, Bangalore
10.50 - 11.00	Quality Assurance in Orthotics & Prosthetics	Dr. M. C. Dash National President -ORTHOTICS & PROSTHETICS ASSOCIATION OF INDIA (OPAI)

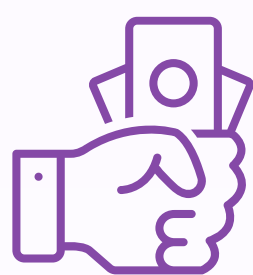
11.00 - 11.15	Tea Break Networking ISIC Museum tour	
11.15 - 12.00	• Inauguration - Lamp lighting • Welcome address • Saraswati vandana/ganesh vandana • Address by chairperson, ISIC	
12.00 - 12.15	Key Performance Indicators in Rehabilitation Services	Dr. Rimsha Siddiqui Asst. professor and Manager Operations, Indian spinal injuries centre (ISIC), New Delhi, Core Team Member- CAHO Global Rehab Quality Forum
12.15 - 12.30	Quality Improvement Projects; from Concept to Completion!	Dr.Saril.V.S Chairperson- CAHO Global Rehab Quality Forum, Deputy General Manager- Sakra Institute of Rehabilitation Sciences, Sakra World Hospital (JV of Secom & Toyota Tsusho, Japan)
12.30 - 12.45	Safety First; Effective strategies for Rehabilitation Services	Dr.Jeba Shakila Chief physiotherapist, Certified Pelvic Floor Rehab Specialist, Meenakshi hospital, Thanjavur, Tamil Nadu, Core Team Member- CAHO Global Rehab Quality Forum
12.45 - 13.00	Quality Beyond Compliance: Impact of CARF accreditation across the network of 16 hospitals in the Emirates Health Services (EHS)	Dr.Salumon Chandrasekaran Co-chair -CAHO Global Rehab Quality Forum, Operations and Quality Specialist, Emirates Health Services (EHS), Ministry Of Health, UAE
13.00 - 14.00	Lunch Break Networking ISIC Facility tour	
14.00 - 14.45	PANEL DISCUSSION: Quality in Rehabilitation; Challenges and way forward	
	Moderator: Dr. Dharam P. Pandey , Director & HOD, Department of Physiotherapy & Rehabilitation Science, Manipal Hospital, Dwarka, Delhi	
	Dr.Ajit Pratap Singh , National Secretary - Orthotics & Prosthetics Association of India (OPAI), P&O-District level state government Hospital, Ayodhya, Uttar Pradesh	
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	Dr Zuhaib , Assistant professor, JAMIA HAMDARD, New Delhi	
	Dr.Sanjeev M Padankatti , Professor & Head of Occupational Therapy, CMC, Vellore, Core team member - CAHO Global Rehab Quality Forum	

14.45 - 15.00	Bringing person-centered rehabilitation into the spotlight	Mr.Terrence Carolan Managing Director, Medical Rehabilitation and Aging Services, Commission on Accreditation of Rehabilitation Facilities (CARF)
15.00 - 15.30	 Quizz Competition THEME: Quality matters? Grand Quizz Masters: Dr.Jeba Shakila and Dr.Saril.V.S	
15.30 - 16.00	 Competition on "BEST REHAB TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION AWARD"	Presentation for Best Rehab Technology Innovator; Finalist Slot -01
		Presentation for Best Rehab Technology Innovator; Finalist Slot -02
		Presentation for Best Rehab Technology Innovator; Finalist Slot -03
		Presentation for Best Rehab Technology Innovator; Finalist Slot -04
		Presentation for Best Rehab Technology Innovator; Finalist Slot -05
16.00 - 16.15	Cultural Performance by ISIC Team	
	Event Group Photo on the stage	
16.15 - 16.30	Tea Break Networking ISIC Museum tour	
16.30 - 17.30	 Valedictory Event Vote of Thanks - Dr. Prashant kulshrestha, CMS ISIC	• Rehab Quality Champion Award • Award for the Best Rehab Quality Improvement Project • Award for Best ePoster Presentation (students & Clinicians) • Award for Best Rehab Technology Innovation



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REHAB QUALITY CHAMPION AWARD

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA :

The nominee must be a healthcare professional working in the field of rehabilitation. Any healthcare professional, including but not limited to, occupational therapists, physical therapists, speech therapists, nurses, and physicians, who have made significant contributions to rehabilitation quality.

NOMINATION CRITERIA

Nominees must demonstrate exceptional leadership, innovation, and commitment to improving rehabilitation quality. The nominee must have made significant contributions to establishing and improving quality in rehabilitation services.

NOMINATION DEADLINE

Nominations must be emailed to globalrehabforum@caho.in by 31st March 2025.

NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS

The nomination email must include a Microsoft Word attachment with Nominee's name, professional title, and contact information. A brief summary (min. 250 words) of the nominee's contributions to rehabilitation quality.

Supporting documents (e.g., CV, letters of recommendation, certificates). A letter of recommendation from a supervisor, colleague, or patient must be included with the nomination form. Additional supporting documents, such as certificates, awards, or publications, may be included to support the nomination. Please scan all supportive documents as a single PDF file and attach in the mail.

EVALUATION CRITERIA

- Leadership and Innovation (30%): Demonstrated leadership in promoting quality improvement in rehabilitation services. Developed and implemented innovative solutions to improve quality.
- Quality Improvement Initiatives (25%): Developed and implemented quality improvement projects that demonstrated significant improvements.
- Patient-Centered Care (20%): Demonstrated a patient-centered approach to care that improved patient satisfaction and engagement
- Collaboration and Teamwork (15%): Demonstrated ability to collaborate with interdisciplinary teams and fostered a culture of teamwork and collaboration to improve quality.
- Sustainability and Impact (10%): Demonstrated sustainability of quality improvement initiatives and showed significant impact

Confidentiality: All nominations and supporting documents will be kept confidential.



BEST REHAB QUALITY IMPROVEMENT PROJECT



NOMINATION DEADLINE

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NOMINATION REQUIREMENTS

The nomination PPT must include a max 7 slides with Author names, professional title, Organization and contact information. Please add details of your Quality Improvement Project implemented in any of the Rehabilitation related areas. It may be a simple project with a change meant to have a good improvement in Quality structure, process or outcome. Subtitles may include Title, background, objective, methods, results and conclusion. You may add supporting photos and videos (Do share the video files separately as well).

Best 5 projects would be permitted to present live on stage. Maximum 5min presentation time, Q & A 2 min.

E POSTER COMPETITION FOR STUDENTS AND CLINICIANS

THEME

Quality and Safety in Rehabilitation Services

An E-Poster is an electronic version / PDF of a poster presentation. The E-Poster may include text, figures, charts, tables, images, and artwork but does not include any audio and web links.

The poster size shall be of 53.2 cm x 93 cm (W x H) (9:16 aspect ratio). The poster will be displayed on a Digital display Unit. Minimum font size of 24pt shall be used. Recommended Font Types: Calibri, Arial, Times New Roman

If you are creating your E-Poster on a PC, please make sure to save your formulas as an image and embed it into your presentation or they may change during display.

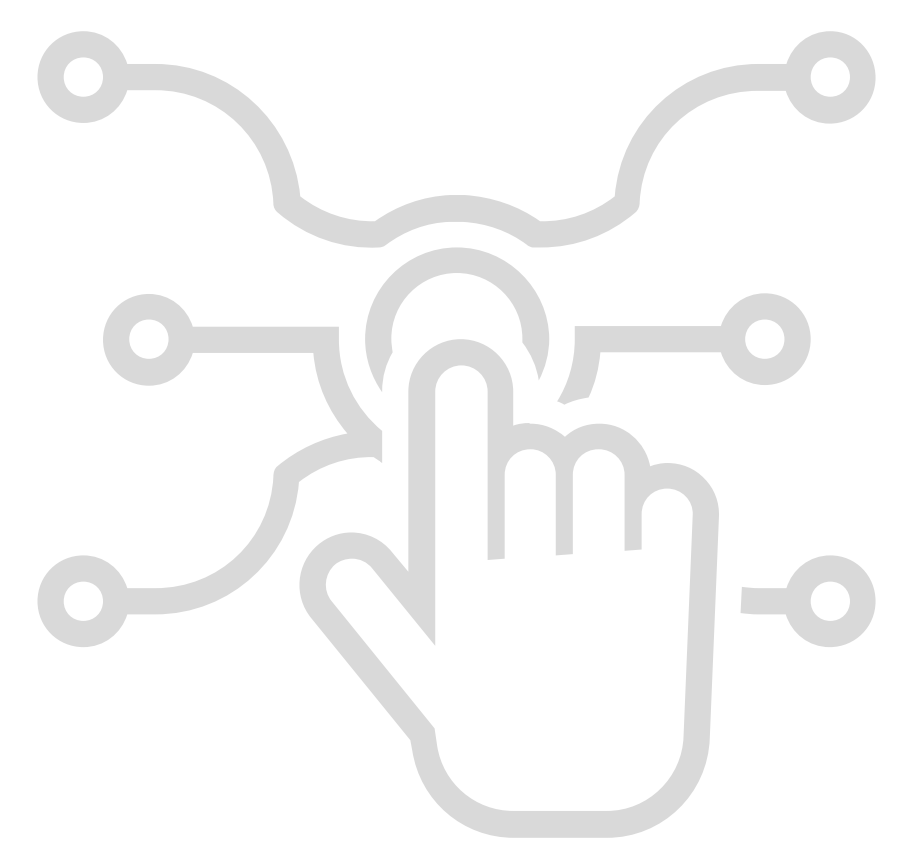
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BEST REHAB TECHNOLOGY INNOVATION AWARD



You are on your way to submitting a competitive entry for the Rehabilitation Technology Innovation Award !

The criteria for winning the award include demonstrating significant advancements in rehabilitation technology that showcases originality, practicality, improved patient outcomes and the potential for widespread adoption within the Rehabilitation healthcare industry. Special weightage for evidence of user-centered design and effectiveness based on real-world applications or trials.

Winning this prestigious award signifies recognition from industry leaders for outstanding contributions to rehabilitation technology. It opens up opportunities for collaboration and visibility within the field.

The competition is open to individuals and teams, including students, researchers, clinicians, and industry professionals.

Submit a PPT which highlights the innovation, including problem statement and solution, technical features, user benefits and impact, safety and regulatory compliance, and Market potential. Include visual aids, such as images or diagrams of the innovation, videos or animations demonstrating the innovation, Infographics highlighting key features and benefits.

Best 5 projects would be permitted to present live on stage. Maximum 5min presentation time.

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