



64th National Conference of Indian Academy of Pediatrics

# PEDICON 2027 COIMBATORE

Theme: Transforming Young Lives: Digital to Bedside Pediatric Care



January 27th - 31st 2027 | Codissia Trade Fair Complex, Coimbatore, Tamil Nadu

## INFANT AND YOUNG CHILD FEEDING WORKSHOP

### HIGHLIGHTS:

- Mastering optimal infant and young child feeding practices for a healthier tomorrow.
- To master skills on supporting breastfeeding, to develop strategies to tackle feeding issues.
- To gain evidence based nutritional guidance on early initiation of breastfeeding, complementary feeding and feeding in special circumstances.
- Enhance counselling and communication skills.

### WHO SHOULD ATTEND?

- Practising paediatricians and neonatologists
- Doctors and nurses from maternity hospitals
- Post graduates (paediatrics, obstetrics and gynaecology, community medicine)
- Dietician, Nutritionist



**VENUE:** Karpagam Faculty of Medical Sciences and Research  
**Date-** 27th Jan 2027 | **Time-** 9 am to 4:30 pm

### CO-ORDINATORS:

**National Co-ordinator:** Dr. CR Banapurmath

**State Co-ordinator:** Dr. R Somasekar | **Local Co-ordinators:** Dr. Arunkumar T | Dr. Aishvarya R

**FACULTIES:** Dr. C R Banapurmath | Dr. Roopa Bellad | Dr. K E Elizabeth | Dr. R Somasekar | Dr. Arun Kumar T  
Dr. H B Mallikarjuna | Dr. Prashanth Saboth | Dr. Kristin Indumathi



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## SCHEDULE:

Time	Topic	Faculty
9:00 - 9:30 am	REGISTRATION	
9:30 - 9:50 am	"MILK TRANSFER-A CRUCIAL STEP, NEEDS SKILL TRANSFER"	Dr.H B MALLIKARJUNA
9:50 - 10:20 am	"ASK,LOOK AND ANALYSE" -DECODING THE NUANCES OF OBSERVING AND ASSESING A BREAST FEED.	Dr. C R BANAPURMATH
10:20 - 10:40 am	"GETTING READY BEFORE THE BUMP BECOMES A BABY" ANTENATAL PREPARATION FOR BREASTFEEDING	Dr.ARUN KUMAR T
10.40 - 11 am	"A FRESH LOOK AT 10 STEPS OF BFHI"	Dr. ROOPA BELLAD
11 - 11.30 am	TEA BREAK	
11:30 am - 12	"COUNSELLING SKILLS" - THE BACKBONE TO SUCCESSFUL BREASTFEEDING.	Dr.R SOMASEKAR
12:00 - 12:30 pm	COMPLEMENTARY FEEDING. "WHEN, WHAT AND HOW"	Dr.K E ELIZABETH
12:30 pm - 1 pm	INAUGRATION	
1:00 - 2:00 pm	LUNCH BREAK	

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SKILL STATION 1		
2:00 - 3:00 pm	SKILLS OF POSITIONING AND ATTACHMENT, PREPARING BREAST MODEL AND EXPRESSING BREAST MILK, CUP FEEDING DEMONSTRATION	Dr.H B MALLIKARJUNA Dr.PRASHANTH SABOTH Dr.ARUN KUMAR T Dr.C R BANAPURMATH
SKILL STATION 2		
3:00 - 4:00 pm	COMPLEMENTARY FEEDING, SUITABLE AND UNSUITABLE COMPLEMENTARY FEEDING HANDS ON PREPARATION OF COMPLEMENTARY FEEDING FOR 7, 10 AND 15 MONTHS OLD BABY.	Dr.K E ELIZABETH Dr.ROOPA BELLAD Dr.R SOMASEKAR Dr.KRISTIN INDUMATHI
4:00 - 4:30 pm	SUMMARY OF 30 SKILLS	ALL RESOURCE PERSONS
	QUESTION AND ANSWER.	

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