





# Global Initiative of Academic Networks (Kawasaki disease: From Bench to Bedside) and the 6th National Conference of Indian Society of Kawasaki disease

October 4 - 8, 2023

Venue

Advanced Pediatrics Centre, Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh, India



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A training initiative under the aegis of Global Initiative of Academic Networks (GIAN) and World Health Organization (WHO) Collaborating Centre for Pediatric Immunology

### Welcome message

#### Dear Colleagues

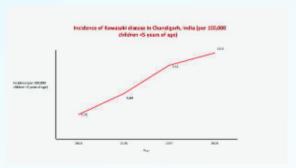
The Allergy Immunology Unit, Department of Pediatrics, Advanced Pediatrics Centre, Postgraduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh would be hosting the Global Initiative of Academic Networks (Kawasaki disease: From Bench to Bedside) and the 6th National Conference of Indian Society of Kawasaki disease. This meeting would provide a unique opportunity to join and share our knowledge and to continue the Indian journey on Kawasaki disease.

Delegates would include residents, research fellows, public health specialists, internists and pediatricians who have a special interest in Kawasaki disease. The faculty include some of the most distinguished names in the field of Kawasaki disease including Dr. Hiromichi Hamada, Japan and Dr. Adriana Tremoulet, USA.

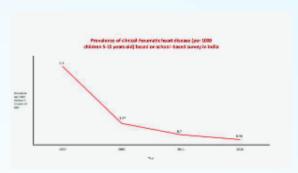
The Scientific programme has been carefully designed to cover all aspects of Kawasaki disease from history, epidemiology, etio-pathogenesis, challenges in diagnosis and management and imaging in Kawasaki disease

## **Background**

Kawasaki disease is a common childhood febrile, multisystemic inflammatory illness that preferentially affects coronary arteries. Kawasaki disease has now replaced rheumatic fever to emerge as the commonest cause of acquired heart disease in children in several countries. Based on the available data, projections for next 10 years are that approximately 1,08,300 young adults in India would be at risk for development of coronary artery disease because of childhood Kawasaki disease. Projections for WHO SEAR are that approximately 26,440 new cases of Kawasaki disease would be diagnosed every year. These data suggest that we are heading towards an epidemic of acquired heart disease related to Kawasaki disease.



Incidence of Kawasaki disease in Chandigarh, India (per 100,000 children <15 years of age) based on hospital-based data from PGIMER, Chandigarh



Prevalence of clinical rheumatic heart disease (per 1000 children 5-15 years old) based on school-based survey from India

# Purpose/objective

To increase awareness about Kawasaki disease in South East Asia Region

Education of health care professionals in South East Asia Region for the diagnosis and management of Kawasaki disease

To provide an update on most recent research in Kawasaki disease including etiopathogenesis, imaging modalities and management

#### HIGHLIGHTS OF THE PROGRAM:

- 6th Dr. Tomisaku Kawasaki Oration
- Prof. Lata Kumar Lecture in Pediatric Immunology
- Free papers
- Challenging cases
- Management issues in Kawasaki disease
- Workshop on point of care echocardiography for coronary arteries

**DETAILS OF REGISTRATION** 

Bank account details for registration:

Registration Fee: INR 2000/-

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