# Top heart doctors in India

The following table summarises ten leading cardiologists in India. Each entry lists a small photo, key qualifications, approximate years of experience, principal areas of expertise and the main hospital or centre with which they are associated. Citations from reliable sources are provided to support the information.

| Photo | Name | Qualifications\* | Approx. experience | Areas of expertise | Hospital / centre |
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| Dr Naresh Trehan | **Dr Naresh Trehan** | MBBS (King George’s Medical College); board‑certified in surgery & cardiothoracic surgery (American boards); fellowships of several international surgical colleges[[1]](https://hindmeditour.com/en/dr-naresh-trehan.php#:~:text=Qualifications) | ≈ 40 yrs[[2]](https://arogyajivan.com/cardiology/blog/best-cardiologists-in-india#:~:text=cardiology%20services) | Cardiac surgery; minimally‑invasive & robotic procedures; heart‑lung transplants[[1]](https://hindmeditour.com/en/dr-naresh-trehan.php#:~:text=Qualifications) | Founder & Chairman, Medanta – The Medicity, Gurgaon[[2]](https://arogyajivan.com/cardiology/blog/best-cardiologists-in-india#:~:text=cardiology%20services) |
| Dr Devi Prasad Shetty | **Dr Devi Prasad Shetty** | MBBS (Kasturba Medical College, 1979); MS in general surgery (1982); Fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons (England)[[3]](https://www.hbs.edu/creating-emerging-markets/interviews/Pages/profile.aspx#:~:text=Born%20Mangalore%2C%20India%2C%201953,1989) | ≈ 40 yrs[[4]](https://arogyajivan.com/cardiology/blog/best-cardiologists-in-india#:~:text=Dr,Affordable%20%26%20Advanced%20Heart%20Care) | Coronary artery bypass, paediatric cardiac surgery, heart transplantation & affordable cardiac care[[4]](https://arogyajivan.com/cardiology/blog/best-cardiologists-in-india#:~:text=Dr,Affordable%20%26%20Advanced%20Heart%20Care) | Chairman, Narayana Health (Bengaluru)[[4]](https://arogyajivan.com/cardiology/blog/best-cardiologists-in-india#:~:text=Dr,Affordable%20%26%20Advanced%20Heart%20Care) |
| Dr Ashok Seth | **Dr Ashok Seth** | MBBS (Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College); MRCP (U.K.); Fellowships – FESC, FACC etc.[[5]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ashok_Seth#:~:text=Biography)[[6]](https://www.medijourney.co.in/doctors/cardiology/interventional-cardiologist/india#:~:text=Dr) | ≈ 46 yrs[[6]](https://www.medijourney.co.in/doctors/cardiology/interventional-cardiologist/india#:~:text=Dr) | Interventional cardiology: complex angioplasty, trans‑catheter aortic‑valve replacement (TAVR), ablation & structural heart interventions[[6]](https://www.medijourney.co.in/doctors/cardiology/interventional-cardiologist/india#:~:text=Dr) | Chairman, Fortis Escorts Heart Institute, New Delhi[[6]](https://www.medijourney.co.in/doctors/cardiology/interventional-cardiologist/india#:~:text=Dr) |
| Dr Balbir Singh | **Dr Balbir Singh** | MBBS (Maulana Azad Medical College); MD (Internal Medicine); DM (Cardiology, GB Pant Hospital); Fellowship of the American College of Cardiology[[7]](https://getwellgo.com/doctor/dr-balbir-singh-cardiologist-in-india#:~:text=,Pant%20Hospital%2C%20New%20Delhi%2C%201992) | ≈ 33 yrs[[7]](https://getwellgo.com/doctor/dr-balbir-singh-cardiologist-in-india#:~:text=,Pant%20Hospital%2C%20New%20Delhi%2C%201992) | Electrophysiology, heart‑rhythm disorders, pacemaker & device implantation, TAVR[[7]](https://getwellgo.com/doctor/dr-balbir-singh-cardiologist-in-india#:~:text=,Pant%20Hospital%2C%20New%20Delhi%2C%201992) | Chairman – Max Super Specialty Hospital, Saket (New Delhi)[[7]](https://getwellgo.com/doctor/dr-balbir-singh-cardiologist-in-india#:~:text=,Pant%20Hospital%2C%20New%20Delhi%2C%201992) |
| Dr Ramakanta Panda | **Dr Ramakanta Panda** | MBBS (SCB Medical College, Cuttack); MS & MCh (AIIMS Delhi); fellowships at Cleveland Clinic & Harefield Hospital[[8]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ramakanta_Panda#:~:text=Ramakanta%20Panda%2C%20MCh%2C%20is%20a,2)[[9]](https://safemedtrip.com/doctors/heart-and-cardiac-care-specialists/dr-ramakanta-panda.html#:~:text=A%20Padma%20Bhushan%20awardee%2C%20Dr,cardiac%20surgeons%20in%20the%20world) | ≥ 30 yrs (performed ≈20 000–30 000 cardiac surgeries)[[9]](https://safemedtrip.com/doctors/heart-and-cardiac-care-specialists/dr-ramakanta-panda.html#:~:text=A%20Padma%20Bhushan%20awardee%2C%20Dr,cardiac%20surgeons%20in%20the%20world)[[10]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ramakanta_Panda#:~:text=Panda%20was%20born%20at%20Damodarpur,73%20in%20the%20UK) | Coronary artery bypass grafting (CABG), beating‑heart & redo bypass surgery, valve repair, complex aneurysm repair[[9]](https://safemedtrip.com/doctors/heart-and-cardiac-care-specialists/dr-ramakanta-panda.html#:~:text=A%20Padma%20Bhushan%20awardee%2C%20Dr,cardiac%20surgeons%20in%20the%20world) | Founder & Vice‑chairman, Asian Heart Institute, Mumbai[[10]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ramakanta_Panda#:~:text=Panda%20was%20born%20at%20Damodarpur,73%20in%20the%20UK) |
| Dr Purshotam Lal | **Dr Purshotam Lal** | Internationally‑trained interventional cardiologist; fellow of multiple cardiology societies (USA, Europe)[[11]](https://www.globalcarehealth.com/doctor_profile#:~:text=Dr) | ≈ 35 yrs[[11]](https://www.globalcarehealth.com/doctor_profile#:~:text=Dr) | Pioneering interventional procedures such as non‑surgical closure of holes in the heart and peripheral angioplasty[[11]](https://www.globalcarehealth.com/doctor_profile#:~:text=Dr) | Chairman, Metro Hospitals & Heart Institute, Noida[[12]](https://arogyajivan.com/cardiology/blog/best-cardiologists-in-india#:~:text=Dr,of%20Interventional%20Cardiology%20in%20India) |
| Dr Ashwin B. Mehta | **Dr Ashwin B. Mehta** | MD; Fellowships: FACC, FICP, FNAMS[[13]](https://hospidio.com/doctor/dr-ashwin-b-mehta-cardiologist#:~:text=,Centre%2C%20Mumbai) | > 50 yrs[[13]](https://hospidio.com/doctor/dr-ashwin-b-mehta-cardiologist#:~:text=,Centre%2C%20Mumbai) | Interventional cardiology – coronary interventions, valvotomy, trans‑catheter aortic‑valve implantation (TAVI); performed ≈100 000 angiographies & ≈20 000 angioplasties[[13]](https://hospidio.com/doctor/dr-ashwin-b-mehta-cardiologist#:~:text=,Centre%2C%20Mumbai) | Director of Cardiology, Jaslok Hospital & Research Centre, Mumbai[[13]](https://hospidio.com/doctor/dr-ashwin-b-mehta-cardiologist#:~:text=,Centre%2C%20Mumbai) |
| Prof. Dorairaj Prabhakaran | **Prof. Dorairaj Prabhakaran** | MBBS (Bangalore Medical College); MD (Internal Medicine) & DM (Cardiology) – AIIMS New Delhi; MSc in health‑research methodology (McMaster University, Canada)[[14]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dorairaj_Prabhakaran#:~:text=Nationality%20Indian%20Alma%C2%A0materAll%20India%20Institute,41%2C%20author%2C%20researcher) | ≈ 30 yrs (cardiologist & epidemiologist) | Cardiovascular epidemiology, prevention & control of chronic diseases, implementation science[[14]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dorairaj_Prabhakaran#:~:text=Nationality%20Indian%20Alma%C2%A0materAll%20India%20Institute,41%2C%20author%2C%20researcher) | Executive Director, Centre for Chronic Disease Control (CCDC) & Distinguished Professor, Public Health Foundation of India[[14]](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Dorairaj_Prabhakaran#:~:text=Nationality%20Indian%20Alma%C2%A0materAll%20India%20Institute,41%2C%20author%2C%20researcher) |
| Dr Upendra Kaul | **Dr Upendra Kaul** | MBBS, MD (Medicine) & DM (Cardiology) – Maulana Azad Medical College (1978)[[15]](https://safemedtrip.com/doctors/heart-and-cardiac-care-specialists/dr-upendra-kaul.html#:~:text=Interventional%20Cardiologist) | ≈ 36 yrs[[15]](https://safemedtrip.com/doctors/heart-and-cardiac-care-specialists/dr-upendra-kaul.html#:~:text=Interventional%20Cardiologist) | Pioneer of coronary angioplasty in India; expertise in percutaneous cardiopulmonary bypass, rotational & directional atherectomy, stenting & laser myocardial revascularisation[[15]](https://safemedtrip.com/doctors/heart-and-cardiac-care-specialists/dr-upendra-kaul.html#:~:text=Interventional%20Cardiologist) | Chairman & Dean (Academics & Research), Batra Heart Centre/BHMRC, New Delhi[[15]](https://safemedtrip.com/doctors/heart-and-cardiac-care-specialists/dr-upendra-kaul.html#:~:text=Interventional%20Cardiologist) |
| Dr Ashok Kumar Omar | **Dr Ashok Kumar Omar** | MBBS (GSVM Medical College, Kanpur, 1976); MD (Medicine, 1981); training in cardiology at National Heart Institute, New Delhi (1982‑87)[[16]](https://treatmenttraveller.com/speciality/cardiology-1#:~:text=Dr,as%20Consultant%20Cardiology%20in%201988) | ≈ 33 yrs[[17]](https://arogyajivan.com/cardiology/blog/best-cardiologists-in-india#:~:text=Dr,in%20Advanced%20Cardiac%20Interventions) | Non‑invasive cardiology; echocardiography, preventive cardiology; author of > 100 scientific papers[[16]](https://treatmenttraveller.com/speciality/cardiology-1#:~:text=Dr,as%20Consultant%20Cardiology%20in%201988) | Senior consultant – Fortis Escorts Heart Institute (New Delhi)[[16]](https://treatmenttraveller.com/speciality/cardiology-1#:~:text=Dr,as%20Consultant%20Cardiology%20in%201988) |

\*Qualifications are summarised; many of these doctors hold numerous fellowships and honorary doctorates in addition to the main degrees listed.

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<https://getwellgo.com/doctor/dr-balbir-singh-cardiologist-in-india>

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