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# BEST DOCTORS SOUTH 2024

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Nebkar Media and Research is pleased to present the annual listing of "Best Doctors South" for 2024. This Special feature showcases the top names in the diverse fields of medicine. This listing is derived on the basis of a peer survey of consultant doctors in the south conducted by us; which is then reviewed by the staff of NebMedia and a final listing is generated and presented here. An overwhelming response was received but due to several constraints 7-8 doctors were picked in each category. Our apologies to the other top doctors who were selected but could not be featured here this time. We would like to highlight that an extensive nomination survey is the backbone of this feature, so we would request all the Doctors who received the mail for 2024 survey issue to please respond and fill up the questionnaire so that a more inclusive list is generated and presented.

# TAMIL NADU



## Dr. A R Raghuram

Senior Consultant- Cardiothoracic Surgery,  
Kauvery Hospital Alwarpet, Chennai

Over a span of 32 years, has performed more than 10000 cardiovascular and thoracic surgeries. Pioneer in coronary artery bypass grafting, Valve repair and replacement, minimally invasive cardiac surgery, complex Aortic Surgery to name a few. With an extensive background in cardiothoracic surgery, Dr. Raghuram has acquired comprehensive skills and knowledge to provide excellent care to his patients. His vast experience has honed his surgical techniques and allowed him to deliver exceptional outcomes in complex cardiac and vascular procedures.



## Dr. Deep Chandh Raja S

Consultant Cardiologist and Clinical  
Lead - Cardiac Electrophysiology,  
Kauvery Hospital Chennai

Dr. Deep Chandh Raja is a renowned Cardiologist in India. Trained in a niche field of Cardiac Electrophysiology & Pacemakers at the prestigious Australian National University, he is the clinical lead of the unit at Kauvery Hospital, Chennai. His passion in his field and dedication to work have earned him the reputation of a skillful "Heart's Electrician". Having performed more than 5000 procedures and 50 international publications, he is expected to emerge as one of the leading Cardiac Electrophysiologists worldwide.



## Prof. P Manokar

Clinical Lead - Heart Failure &  
Transplant Program, Kauvery Hospital Vadapalani

Prof. P. Manokar is an accomplished cardiologist, having trained under Padma Vibhushan B. K. Goyal and Prof. William Tober Abraham. He holds multiple prestigious fellowships and has performed over 4,000 therapeutic procedures.

As the youngest Professor of Cardiology in India, he has contributed significantly to academic and clinical cardiology. Prof. Manokar was honored with the Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam Excellence Award in 2017 and "The Most Trusted Cardiologist in Tamil Nadu" in 2023.

### Anesthesiology

Dr. Nand Kishore Senathi-Chennai

Dr. S. Ramesh – Chennai  
Dr. Kannan D. – Madurai

Dr. Sajan Philip George – Vellore  
Dr. Madhurima Vaitheeshwaran – Chennai

Dr. Prabha Udayakumar – Coimbatore

### Critical Care Medicine

Dr Ebor Jacob James – Vellore  
Dr Ram Rajagopal – Chennai

Dr. N. Sridhar – Chennai  
Dr Nagarajan Ramakrishnan – Chennai

Dr. Chandra Sekar – Vellore  
Dr V. P. Rajavel – Chennai

### Cardiology Paediatrics

Dr. Muthukumaran C. S. – Chennai  
Dr K. Suresh Kumar – Vellore

Dr. Anuradha Sridhar – Chennai  
Dr. Prem Sekar – Chennai

Dr Vivek Bose – Madurai

### Cardiology General

Dr. George Joseph – Vellore

Dr. J. K. Periasamy – Madurai

Dr. J. S. M. Murthy – Chennai

Dr Deep Chandh Raja S. – Chennai

Dr. Sujith Thomas Chako – Vellore  
Dr. S. Nagendra Boopathy – Chennai

Dr. Robert Mao – Chennai  
Dr. Anandraja Subramanian – Pondicherry

### Cardiology Interventional

Dr. A. B. Gopalamurugan – Chennai  
Dr Ananthraman R. – Chennai

Dr. S. Rajan – Chennai  
Dr K. P. Suresh Kumar – Chennai

Dr Gobu P. – Chennai  
Dr Vigi Samuel Thompson – Vellore

Dr P Manokar – Chennai

### Dermatology

Dr. Maya Vedamurthy – Chennai  
Dr. Murugusundaram – Chennai

Dr. Renu George – Vellore  
Dr. B. Shanker – Coimbatore

Dr. K. Senthil Kumar - Madurai

### ENT General

Dr. Venkata Karthikeyan – Chennai

Dr. Rajan Sundaresan – Vellore



## Dr. Ananthraman R

Senior Consultant Interventional Cardiologist  
Kauvery Hospital, Alwarpet, Chennai

Dr. Rajaram Ananthraman is a Senior Consultant Interventional Cardiologist, with Kauvery Hospital Chennai. Having published multiple papers in reputed peer reviewed journals and pioneering many unique interventions, he comes with an expertise of over 25 years in Hypertrophic Cardiomyopathy, Trans catheter Heart Valve therapy, Advanced Heart Failure and Transplantation, Stem Cell therapy and complex coronary intervention. He is an expert in performing Coronary Laser Angioplasties, a latest advancement in Angioplasty.

Dr. P. G. Visvanathan – Coimbatore

Dr. K. Krishnakumar – Chennai  
Dr. Arun Prabhu Ganesan – Madurai

### Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism

Dr. Usha Sriram – Chennai

Dr. V. Seshiah – Chennai

Dr. V. Mohan – Chennai

Dr. Thomas V. Paul – Vellore

Dr. Nitin Kapoor – Vellore

Dr. R. M. Manikandan – Madurai

### Gastroenterology

Dr. R. Ravi – Chennai

Dr. Joy Varghese – Chennai

Dr. Ebby George Simon – Vellore  
Dr. Sudipta Dar Chowdhury – Vellore

Dr. M. Kannan – Madurai

### Gynecology – General

Dr. Lakshmi Ashwathaman – Chennai

Dr. Anita Thomas – Vellore

Dr. Padmapriya Vivek – Chennai

Dr. S. Padma – Madurai

Dr. Babu Rani – Coimbatore



## Dr. Priya Kannappan

M.S (OBG), D.G.O, DNB, FRM,  
MNAMS, MRCOG, FICOG

Senior Consultant OB/Gyn and Fertility Expert  
Dr. Mehta's hospitals, Chetpet, Chennai  
Priyanila Clinic, T. nagar, Chennai  
GFC fertility centre, Chennai.

- Best outgoing & Best Resident award from Manipal university with fellowships in ultrasound, IVF & laparoscopy.

• She is trustworthy, well-known gynecologist with overall 18 years of experience, capable of handling advanced procedure related to obstetrics, gynecology and fertility.  
• Her compassion and commitment to her patients are inspiring.

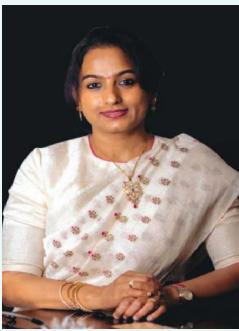


## Dr. CNB Harisankar

A product of the prestigious Stanley medical college, Chennai, Tamil Nadu.

Received his MD (Nuclear Medicine) from PGIMER, Chandigarh. Is presently heading the Department of Nuclear Medicine, Meenakshi Mission.

Hospital and Research Centre, Madurai, Tamil Nadu Special interests include Thyroid cancer, PET Mammography, Nuclear Oncology and Gamma camera imaging.



## Dr. Mala Raj

MBBS, DGO, FICOG,  
Dip. In Advanced Lap Surg (Germany),  
Dip. In Reprod Med(Germany)

- Founder & Managing Director, Firm Hospitals
- Endoscopic Surgeon, Fertility Specialist, Cosmetic Gynaecologist
- Founder Secretary - IAGE Tamil Nadu Chapter
- Managing Council Member - IAGE
- Executive Committee Member - OGSSI
- Past Secretary of IMS - Chennai Chapter (2010-2012)
- Trained in Advanced Endoscopic Surgery in Strasbourg (France) and China Medical University (Taiwan), Cadaver Course (Verona)
- Trained in Aesthetic Gynaecology under Prof Red Alinsod, California
- Conducts FOGSI & ICOG Recognised Endoscopy Training Courses
- Accredited Menopause Practitioner - IMS
- Best Doctor Award from Tamil Nadu M.G.R University
- Best Video Award in IAGE 2018, Lucknow
- Silver Medal - Best Clinical meeting paper presentation - OGSSI
- The Rising Star Award from TN Health Minister, 2020
- Stalwart in Obstetrics & Gynaecology Award from TN Health Secretary, 2018
- GEM MEMBER AWARD - Best Managing council Member, IAGE
- Operating faculty in various Conferences
- Dr. Siuli Rudra Sinha Award - AICOG, 2006
- Authored chapters in various Textbooks & Published various papers in Journals

### Obstetrics & Gynecology

Dr Priya Kannappan – Chennai

Dr Jayashree Gajaraj – Chennai

Dr Jiji Elizabeth Mathew – Vellore

Dr. Sumana Manohar – Chennai

Dr M. Banumathy – Vellore

### Gynecology – IVF

Dr. Mala Raj – Chennai

Dr Geetha Haripriya – Chennai

Dr. Mirudhubashini Govindarajan – Coimbatore

Dr. Samundi Sankari – Chennai

Dr. S. Pradeepa – Chennai

### Hematology

Dr. Biju George – Vellore

Dr. Revati Raj – Chennai

Dr. Prabhu P- Chennai

Dr. K. Raghu – Coimbatore

Dr. Rohini Sridhar S – Madurai

Dr. Ponni S. – Chennai

### Infectious Disease

Dr. Subramanian Swaminathan – Chennai

Dr Ram Gopalakrishnan – Chennai

Dr Priscilla Rupali – Vellore

Dr V. Ramasubramanian – Chennai

Dr Abdul Gafoor – Chennai

### Internal Medicine

Dr Jayanthi Rangarajan

Dr P. Sivaraj – Chennai

Dr Adithi – Chennai

Dr Swamikannu – Chennai

Dr N. Raja – Madurai

### Medical Oncology

Dr V Subramanian – Chennai

Dr Ram Abhinav – Coimbatore

Dr Anitha Thomas – Vellore

Dr M A Raja – Chennai

Dr J Jebasingh – Madurai

Dr Suresh Kumar B. – Chennai

### Nuclear Medicine

Dr CNB. Harisankar – Madurai

Dr Sumathi – Chennai

Dr Lokeshwaran M K – Chennai

Dr Anirudhan N – Coimbatore

Dr Indirani M – Chennai

### Nephrology

Dr Vinoi George David – Vellore

Dr Muthukumar P. – Chennai

Dr Santosh Varughese – Vellore

Dr V. Chandrasekharan – Chennai

Dr Krishnaswamy Sampathkumar – Madurai

Dr N. Balakrishnan – Coimbatore

Dr Balaji Kirushnan – Chennai

### Neurology – General

Dr Bhuvaneshwari Rajendran – Chennai

Dr. Satish Kumar V. – Chennai

Dr Dinesh Nayak – Chennai

Dr Krishna Prabhu R. – Vellore



## Dr. Suresh Kumar B

Consultant - Medical Oncology, Kauvery Hospital Alwarpet Chennai

Dr. Suresh is a Medical Oncologist with extensive expertise in Malignancies of Head and Neck, Breast, Thoracic, Gastrointestinal, Gynecology, and Urological. He is adept in Precision and Molecular Oncology,

Immunotherapy, Targeted Therapy, Hormonal Therapy, and Chemotherapy. Dr. Suresh is actively involved in Clinical Trials and Research, and he has significant experience in Bone Marrow and Stem Cell Transplantation, as well as Palliative Therapy. His comprehensive approach to cancer treatment and commitment to advancing oncology through research ensures that his patients receive the most effective and personalized care.



## Dr. Balaji Kirushnan

Senior Consultant - Nephrologist,  
Kauvery Hospital Alwarpet

Dr. Balaji Kirushnan is a well known nephrologist in South India. A compassionate and empathic doctor, who has more than 10 years of practise in Nephrology. His areas of expertise include Renal transplantation (compatible and ABO incompatible), critical care nephrology, hemodialysis and peritoneal dialysis. He has been a consistent teacher as a part of DNB Nephrology teaching program for more than 5 years. He has been awarded the health care excellence award in Nephrology in 23'–24'.



## Prof. Ranganathan Jothi

Director of Neurosciences,  
Kauvery Hospital Chennai

Prof. Ranganthan Jothi is a distinguished neurosurgeon renowned for his expertise in Brain Surgeries, Spinal Surgeries, Functional Neurosurgery, Peripheral Nerve Surgeries, Vascular Neurosurgeries, Trauma Surgeries, Pediatric Neurosurgeries, Pain Management Surgeries, Tumor Surgeries, and Cranial Nerve Surgeries. With a dedication to advancing neurosurgical care, he combines extensive surgical experience with a compassionate approach, ensuring superior outcomes for his patients.

Dr. K. Asokan – Coimbatore

Dr Venkatraman Karthikeyan – Chennai

### Neurology – Stroke

Dr Sivarajan Thandeeswaran – Chennai



## Dr. Roopesh Kumar

Director of Neurosurgery  
MGM health care  
Chennai.

Dr. Roopesh Kumar is currently the director of Neurosurgery at MGM Hospitals in Chennai, bringing with him over 20 years of expertise. His practice specialises in managing complex brain and spine tumours, minimally invasive cranial surgeries, and cerebrovascular surgeries.

He is a sought-after faculty member for various national and international conferences and has contributed to numerous research papers in reputable journals. In addition, Dr Kumar holds several important positions in professional organisations. He has been honoured with multiple awards and was recently recognised as one of the top 50 influential doctors on social media in India, as per the list released by SPAG FINN partners.



## Dr. M J Arunkumar M.Ch, D.N.B.

Dr. M. J. Arunkumar serves as the Director & Head of Neurosurgery/Neurosciences at Hannah Joseph Hospital Ltd., Madurai. A distinguished alumnus of CMC, Vellore, with over 25 years of expertise in Brain & Spine surgeries, he specializes in Cerebrovascular & Skull Base Tumor surgeries. Dr. Arunkumar is the Founder Chairman & Managing Director of the hospital and a former President of Tamilnadu Association of Neurological Surgeons (TANS). A trailblazer, he pioneered Brain & Spine Navigation (Brain-Lab) and Fluorescence/ICG guidance for Tumors & Aneurysms in South Tamilnadu for almost a decade.



## Dr. J. K. B. C. Parthiban

Neurosurgeon,  
MCh (Neuro), FNS(Japan),  
Senior Consultant and HOD Neurosurgery

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Renowned and respected neurosurgeon in India, teaching faculty for young neurosurgeons and students. Expertise in microsurgery and spinal instrumentation made him a complete neurospinal surgeon in early 90s. Awarded "Ansyz award of excellence" in 2004 for custom cranioplasty, "Leading spine surgeon award" in 2007 at India spine vision and honoured by Brazilian Spine Society in 2022. Authored 4 books in spinal surgery, published more than 70 scientific articles and many chapters in text books, released operative spinal surgery videos.



## Dr. Ebor Jacob James

DNB (Pediatrics), DCH, MBA, FIAP, FICCM, FCCM,  
Professor & Senior consultant ,Pediatric Critical Care,  
Christian Medical College, Vellore

He is a well renowned senior Pediatric Intensivist and Simulation Educator. He is currently the Vice-Chancellor of Indian Academy of Pediatrics Intensive Care Chapter College and Chief advisor of the Evaluation & Examination Committee of the Indian College of Pediatrics. He serves as regional faculty with the American Heart Association. He is a reviewer in many reputed journals and has authored multiple articles in peer reviewed journals and chapters in Critical Care textbooks.



## Dr. Venkatraman Karthikeayan

Consultant – Neurologist,  
Kauvery Hospital Alwarpet Chennai

Dr. Venkatraman Karthikeayan as a trained medical student completed his post-graduation in MD General Medicine from Kilpauk Medical College, Chennai. Following his passion in Neurology, he completed DM Neurology from Madras Medical College. Dr Venkatraman did his fellowship at one of the most reputed institutes for Neurosciences, The Walton Centre in Liverpool, UK. Apart from his subspecialty areas of Neuroimmunology and Parkinson disease, he also has a rich clinical experience in Stroke, Epilepsy, headaches, neuromuscular disorders, peripheral neuropathy, tremors, giddiness and dementia.

Dr. Manivasakan – Coimbatore  
Dr. S. N. Karthik – Madurai  
Dr U Meenakshisundaram – Chennai

Dr K. Sankara Subramanian – Chennai

### Neurology – Paediatrics

Dr. Arul Mozhi – Chennai

Dr Lakshminarayanan – Chennai

Dr. V. Viswanathan – Chennai

Dr Padma Balaji – Chennai

Dr. Sanjit Aaron – Vellore

### Neurosurgery

Dr J. K. B. C. Parthiban – Coimbatore

Dr M J Arunkumar – Madurai

Dr Suresh Bapu- Chennai

Dr Krishna Prabhu R – Vellore

Dr Prithika Chary- Chennai

Dr Ranjith K Moorthy – Vellore

Dr Nigel Symms – Chennai

Dr Sridhar K – Chennai

Dr Rupesh V R - Chennai

Dr Roopesh Kumar – Chennai

Prof Ranganathan Jothi – Chennai

### Ophthalmology – General

Dr. E. Ravindra Mohan – Chennai

Dr Likha Mary Abraham – Vellore

Dr. Rajinikantha Narendranath

Dr. Vijay Ananth – Madurai

Dr. Uma Ramesh – Chennai

### Ophthalmology – Retinal

Dr N. Kasinathan – Chennai

Dr Pratik Ranjan Sen- Chennai

Dr Pramod Bhende – Chennai

Dr S. Visalakshi – Madurai

Dr. V. R. Saravanan – Coimbatore

### Ophthalmology – Paediatrics

Dr. Ram Prakash M. – Chennai

Dr Meenakshi Swaminathan -Chennai

Dr T. S. Surendran – Chennai

Dr. A. Srinivasan – Coimbatore

Dr. Janaki Balasubramanian – Madurai

### Organ Transplant

Dr K. R. Balakrishnan – Chennai

Dr Mohamed Rela – Chennai

Dr Muthu Veeramani- Chennai

Dr. Sreenivas Reddy – Chennai

Dr. Paari Vijayaragavan – Coimbatore

Dr. M. Senthil – Maduri

### Orthopedic – General & Fracture

Dr. Bharani Kumar D – Chennai

Dr. Ajit Yadav – Chennai

Dr Keshvan R. – Chennai

Dr. Dan Barnabas Inja – Vellore

Dr. Vinu Cherian – Vellore

Dr. Muthuvel Rajan – Madurai

### Orthopedic – Paediatrics

Dr. D. Shankar – Chennai



**Dr. Bharani Kumar D**  
AFRCSE, FRCS (Tr & Orth), D.Orth Eng (UK)

Consultant Arthroplasty and  
Arthroscopic Surgeon  
Apollo Hospitals,  
Chennai  
[chennaiorthopaedics.com](http://chennaiorthopaedics.com)



**Dr. Jackin Moses R**

Prof. Dr. Jackin Moses R  
Consultant & Interventional  
Pulmonologist  
Lung Specialty Clinic,  
Virugambakkam, Chennai



**Dr. P. Amal Johnson**

MBBS, DNB(Respiratory diseases)  
European Diploma in Respiratory Medicine

Consultant interventional pulmonologist, critical care and sleep medicine in Billroth hospitals, shenoy nagar, chennai. Special interests includes obstructive airway disease, lung infections and interstitial lung disease. Life member of ICS and WABIP with numerous recognitions and research publications in major journals.



**Dr. Soumitra Sinha Roy**

MD, DTCL, MRCP (UK), FCCP (USA), MRCGP (UK)  
(Resp Med), Fellow (Pulmonology), Fellow (Interventional Pulmonology), Fellow (Lung Transplant) (Toronto), FRCP (Glasgow).

Dr. Soumitra Sinha Roy is Senior Consultant of Interventional Pulmonology & Lung Transplant Program, at MGM Healthcare, Chennai a 400 bedded tertiary care hospital in Southern India. He is a highly respected intensivist & interventional Pulmonologist with an impressive track record of nearly 15 years in treating advanced pulmonary diseases including end stage lung disease needing Lung Transplantation.

He has multiple publications in various peer reviewed national and international journals & is an invited speaker in national & international conferences. He has recently become examiner for coveted MRCP - PACES examination. He also is a mentor & he trains DNB students, Interventional Pulmonology & Lung transplant fellows from across the country. He has started Fellowship in Lung Transplant program at MGM Healthcare, being first such course in India. Winning Governor's medal in 2014 & prestigious Railway Minister award in 2021 are few testaments to his exceptional contribution to medical field & exemplary community service. Throughout his career, he has cultivated a range of special interest & expertise, including Lung Transplant, ECMO support for critical lung conditions, Bronchoscopic & EBUS interventions, using Laser & Cryo therapy, Bronchial Thermoplasty and Lung Cancer management with focus to early detection. Contact no: 89393 98856, 044 4524 2407.



**Dr. A. Suresh**

DTCD, DNB(Respiratory Diseases)  
FRCP(Glasgow)

Comprehensive Pulmonologist with more than 25 years of experience, an alumni of MMC (Chennai) and prestigious CMC (Vellore). Practicing in Chennai at SIMS Hospital, Vadapalani

Dr. Rela Institute and Medical Centre, Chrompet and Chennai Respiratory Centre, K K Nagar.



**DR. R. P. ILANGHO**

MD FRCP[Glasg] DTRD  
Senior Consultant Pulmonologist

Dr. Ilangho RP is a renowned Pulmonologist in Chennai with over 37 of experience- at Apollo Hospitals-[Main] Chennai. He has been the Coordinator of India's earliest Respiratory Medicine Department, & is the Academic Coordinator for Respiratory PG students since inception in 2005. He specializes in the treatment of **Asthma, Bronchitis, COPD, Pneumonia, Sleep diseases, Interstitial lung Diseases, Occupational and Smoking problems, Cancer, Pollution, TB, Lung Transplant etc.** He is also an expert in Bronchoscopy and Interventional Pulmonology procedures- including Critical Care - Ventilator Management.

He has publications in Medical journals -India & International.

Dr. Ilangho holds many significant positions like: President of Indian Medical Association Apollo Hospitals TL, and Vice-President of the FIRST-Association of Pulmonologists of Tamilnadu. He has given various talks over the Radio, TV and You-Tube. He is affiliated to many Organisations-National & International. Dr. Ilangho has also reviewed various international and national journals. He has a special interest in conducting **Research in Medicine and Life**- On an ongoing basis.

**Awards & Achievements:** • State University First Rank in Diploma in Tuberculosis & Respiratory Diseases (1990) Tamilnadu, India. || • Served as Vice-President (Medical) - BreathingEasy Clinic Asthma-COPD, for Apollo Hospitals Group, India,s First Disease Management Programme || • FRCP [Glasgl]-Fellow of the Royal College-Glasgow-UK.

**Prestigious Honors:** • Economic Times: "Inspiring Doctors of India-2023" || • Outlook Magazine: "Best Doctors South -2023" || India Today-Eminent Doctors South 2023

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**Dr. S. Jayaraman**

MBBS, DTCD, DNB, FCCP

Senior Consultant Pulmonologist MGM Health Care, Billroth & Apollo First Med Hospitals, Chennai. Sri Jayam Chest & Sleep Clinic, Chennai. Special interest in Interventional Pulmonology and Sleep Disordered Breathing.

- Chairperson MGM Academics - Academic Committee of Indian Medical Association, Tamil Nadu State Branch. (IMA TNSB)
- Emirius Chairman, Academic Committee of IMA TNSB.
- Secretary IMA Academy of Medical Specialities (AMS) TNSB.

Dr. Thomas Palocaren – Vellore

Dr. Vrisha Madhuri -Vellore

Dr. Vijay Sriram – Chennai

Dr. Ashok Kumar – Madurai

Dr. Vighneshwaran – Chennai

**Orthopedic – Spine**

Dr. Vijayaraghavan – Chennai

Dr. Phanikiran – Chennai

Dr Rohit Amritanand – Vellore

Dr. Subbiah – Madurai

Dr. (Prof.) S. Rajasekaran – Coimbatore

**Orthopedic – Joints**

Dr Prithvi Mohandas – Chennai

Dr. A. B. Govindaraj - Chennai

Dr Clement Joseph – Chennai

Dr. Ajoy Prasad Shetty –

Coimbatore

Dr. M. Mithran – Madurai

Dr. C. Sugavanam – Salem

**Pathology – General**

Dr Mallikarjuna V S – Chennai

Dr Muleeswaran – Chennai

Dr Mukul Vij – Chennai

Dr S Krishnakumar – Chennai

Dr. Susy Kurian – Vellore

**Paediatrics – General**

Dr. Janani Shankar – Chennai

Dr. Jayanti Viswanathan – Chennai

Dr. Ashwath D. – Coimbatore

Dr. Kala Ranjini Sundaravalli – Vellore

Dr. Siva Bharathi – Coimbatore

**Paediatric – Neonatology**

Dr. Binu Ninan – Chennai

Dr. Chandra Kumar – Chennai

Dr. Debasis Das Adhikari – Vellore

Dr. Karthik Balasubramanian – Coimbatore

Dr. M. Saravanan – Madurai

**Paediatric – Surgery**

Dr. John Mathai – Vellore

Dr. Priya Ramachandran – Chennai

Dr. Ravi Kishore – Vellore

Dr. C. Vijay Anand – Madurai

Dr. Balamourougane P. – Chennai

**Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery**

Dr. Selva Seetharam – Chennai

Dr. S. Aram – Madurai

Dr. Vikram Kumar – Coimbatore

Dr. V. B. Narayananmurthy – Chennai

Dr. Jayanthi Ravindran – Chennai

**Pulmonary/ Chest – Medicine**

Dr. R. P. Ilangho – Chennai

Dr Soumitra Sinha Roy – Chennai

Dr Jackin Moses R – Chennai

Dr P. Amal Johnson – Chennai

Dr Apar Jindal – Chennai

Dr S Jayaraman- Chennai

Dr. Balamugesh T. – Vellore

Dr. A. Suresh – Chennai

**Psychiatry**

Dr. Deepa Ramaswamy – Vellore

Dr. R. K. Rudhran – Chennai



## Dr. A N Aswin

Senior Consultant - Radiation Oncology,  
Kauvery Hospital Alwarpet Chennai

Dr. A. N. Aswin is a distinguished Radiation Oncologist with 10 years of experience. He has specialized in cutting edge radiation techniques like IMRT, IGRT, VMAT, SBRT, SRS & SRT. He received best speaker award in Young Radiation Oncologists Conference, Thalassery, Kerala. He received award from Tamil Nadu Dr. MGR Medical University for first rank in Forensic Medicine. He has contributed to many National and International publications. He did Observership in SBRT, SRS & SRT at various Hospitals in UK.



## Dr. Joyner Abraham

Associate Consultant - Minimal Access  
Surgery, Kauvery Hospital Alwarpet

Dr. Joyner Abraham is a distinguished surgeon with extensive qualifications - MBBS, MS (General Surgery), DNB (General Surgery), MCh -AIIMS, New Delhi (Minimal Access Surgery), and MRCS(England).

Specializing in General & Minimal Access Surgery, he has successfully completed more than 5000 complex minimal access & robotic procedures with a spectrum including Hernia and Abdominal Wall Reconstruction, Thyroid, Breast & Endocrine Surgeries, Bariatric Surgeries, Gallbladder, Hepato-Pancreato-Biliary, Upper & Lower GI surgeries, Laser proctology & Thoracic Procedures. Dr Joyner combines advanced surgical skills with a commitment to provide compassionate care to achieve optimal outcomes for his patients.



## Dr E. Ravindra Mohan

Director, Gleneagles Eye Centre at Gleneagles HealthCity, Chennai. Founder Director Trinethra Eye & Oculoplasty Care. Senior Consultant at Pammal Sankara, a charitable eye hospital. Honorary Professor, TN Dr MGR Medical University. Former Director at Sankara Nethralaya, Chennai. Advisor appointments to Government of India.

As an Oculoplastic and Orbital Surgeon, pioneering initiatives include first dedicated comprehensive Ocular Trauma Service, Minimally Invasive Orbital Surgery Clinic, Thyroid Eye Disease Clinic, Minimally Invasive Lacrimal Clinic. He is a graduate and post graduate from All India Institute of Medical Sciences, New Delhi and a fellow of the Royal College of Surgeons, Edinburgh. An acclaimed expert in Minimally Invasive Orbital Surgery, he is credited with successful surgery on a neonate with an orbital tumour diagnosed on pregnancy ultrasound scan, one of the first in the world.



## Dr. V Balaji

MS FRCS FRCSEd  
FRCS Gen FICS CCT UK

Vascular and Endo vascular surgeon  
Apollo hospitals Chennai

Dr Balaji started his undergraduate training in medicine in one of world's premier institute Madras Medical College then continued his postgraduate surgical training in the same institute passing out

in flying colours and obtaining many gold medals. For his super specialty training he went to United Kingdom and obtained Fellowships from Royal college of surgeons of England And Edinburgh. After his higher surgical training he got Fellowship from Inter Collegiate Board a unique privilege as first overseas Indian. He was also trained in Germany USA and Australia in various aspects of vascular surgery. He came back to India in 1999 to set up a dedicated 24/7 vascular surgical unit which changed the face of private care for complex vascular diseases. Today he performs nearly 1000 vascular and Endo vascular cases per year. His academic performance includes being part of various national and international faculties and part of various research projects.

**Dr. Rajesh Gopalakrishnan –  
Vellore**

**Dr. K. Selvaraj – Coimbatore**

**Dr. U Gautham Das – Chennai**

**Radiology – Diagnostic**

**Dr. Veena Noronha – Chennai**

**Dr. Anand Thiagrajan – Chennai**

**Dr. Ravikumar R. – Chennai**

**Dr. Sabareesh Suresh –  
Coimbatore**

**Dr. R. Rajasekaran – Salem**

**Radiology – Interventional**

**Dr. Gibkote Sridhar – Vellore**

**Dr. Murali – Chennai**

**Dr. G. Sateesh – Chennai**

**Dr. Pritam Chatterjee – Chennai**

**Dr. Mathew Cherian –  
Coimbatore**

**Radiation – Oncology**

**Dr. Anbarasi K. – Chennai**

**Dr. N. Krishnapriya – Coimbatore**

**Dr K S Kirushna Kumar –  
Madurai**

**Dr Thomas Samuel Ram – Vellore**

**Dr. K. Satish Srinivas – Chennai**

**Dr A N Aswin – Chennai**

**Rheumatologist**

**Dr. Ramakrishnan S. – Chennai**

**Dr. Sham S. – Chennai**

**Dr. John Mathew – Vellore**

**Dr. Venugopal B. – Coimbatore**

**Dr. Seeralaa Boopathi – Madurai**

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**Dr N Ragavan – Chennai**

**Dr Vishnu Prasath – Salem**

**Dr Pinak Dasgupta – Chennai**

**Dr Ananthakrishnan Sivaraman –  
Chennai**

**Dr S Srivatsan Gurumurthy**

**Surgery – General**

**Dr. A. P. Prem – Chennai**

**Dr. Bennet Rajmohan – Madurai**

**Dr. Sathy Deepa – Coimbatore**

**Dr. S. Saravanan – Chennai**

**Dr. R. S. Rengan – Chennai**

**Dr Joyner Abraham – Chennai**

**Surgery – Cardiothoracic**

**Dr A R Raghuram – Chennai**

**Dr Anto Sahayaraj – Chennai**

**Dr Kailash Jain – Chennai**

**Dr Prashanth Shah – Chennai**

**Dr. Bashi V V – Chennai**

**Dr. Alpha Kavunkal – Vellore**

**Surgery - Gastroenterology**

**Dr. Balashanmugam – Chennai**

**Dr. Anand Bharathan –**

**Coimbatore**

**Dr. Ahmed Ali – Chennai**

**Dr Shameem Ahmed – Madurai**

**Dr G Gopalakrishnan – Salem**

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**Dr. S. Raja Sundaram – Chennai**

**Dr Saravanan Periasamy –**

**Chennai**

**Dr. Vijayabhaskara – Madurai**

**Dr R. Subramaniam – Coimbatore**

**Dr G Prasanna – Salem**

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**Dr Thirumalai Ganeshan – Chennai**

**Dr Muruganandham K – Chennai**

**Dr Antony Devasia – Vellore**

**Dr S V Kandasami – Coimbatore**

**Dr R M Sathish Kumar – Madurai**

**Urology**

**Dr M V Rameshababu – Madurai**

**Dr. Santosh Kumar – Vellore**

**Dr M Ramalingam – Coimbatore**

**Dr S Prabhakar – Salem**

**Dr P B Sivaraman – Chennai**

**Vascular Surgery**

**Dr V. Balaji – Chennai**

**Dr N Sekar – Chennai**

**Dr S Rajarajan – Chennai**

**Dr Hari Hara Jothi – Coimbatore**

**Dr M Balaji – Salem**

# KARNATAKA



**Dr. Ajith Kumar A. K.**  
MD, DNB, FRCP, EDIC, FICCM

Dr Ajith Kumar is a renowned clinician & leading intensive care specialist at Aster Whitefield Hospital in Bengaluru.

He is the Vice - Chancellor Elect of Indian College of Critical Care Medicine & is a well-known critical care educationist across India.



**Dr. K. S. Kishore**  
MBBS, MD, FACC, FICC  
Fellowship in Intervention Cardiology,  
Tel Aviv University, Israel

- Chief Intervention Cardiologist at Sagar Hospitals, Bangalore.
- Has over 25 years of Vast experience in Coronary / Structural and Peripheral Vascular Interventions.
- Conferred Prestigious fellow of American College of Cardiology in 2014.
- Has Performed more than 15000 invasive Cardiac Procedures
- Recipient of Best Challenging case award at TCT, San Francisco in 2013.
- Faculty for National and International Conferences with International Publications to his Credit.



**Dr. Adil Sadiq**  
Director and Head - Cardio Thoracic & Vascular Surgery  
(CTVS), MS (General Surgery), M.Ch (CTVS),  
FACS (USA), FMICS (USA)  
Department - Institute of Cardiac Sciences

One of the pioneers of minimally invasive and robotic heart surgery in India. An alumnus of Bangalore Medical College and Kasturba Medical College, Manipal. He completed his MCh from Sree Chitra Tirunal Institute at Trivandrum, before pursuing his fellowship at Emory university, USA.

He also trained at the Children's Hospital of Atlanta. In 2012 he became one of the first surgeons from India to be certified in Robotic heart surgery. He caters to a diverse spectrum of cardiothoracic surgery, with a the experience of over 12000 procedures, including 65 heart and lung transplants. He is credited with running not only the busiest Robotic Cardiac surgical program in the country , but also one of the busiest in Asia. He is the recipient of the Time of India award for Excellence in cardiac surgery in 2018 for his pioneering work with the Ozaki procedure in India.

## Anesthesiology

Dr B Ananthapadmanaban –

Bangalore

Dr Alka Deo – Bangalore

Dr Subramanyam S Mahankali – Bangalore

Dr Harish Prasad B. R. –

Bangalore

Dr Mohandas B. S. –

Mangalore

## Critical Care Medicine

Dr Narayana Swamy Moola –

Bangalore

Dr Ajith Kumar A. K. –

Bangalore

Dr Mahadeva K – Mysore

Dr Sujit Ravindra Raj –

Bangalore

Dr Sunil Karanth – Bangalore

## Cardiology Paediatrics

Dr Maitri Chaudhuri –

Bangalore

Dr Vinod Revankar –

Bangalore

Dr Yusuf A. Kumble –

Mangalore



**Dr. Narayana Swamy Moola**  
DA, DNB(Anaesth), IDCCM  
Instructor-American Heart Association

Consultant - Critical Care,  
Lead Advisor - Organ Transplant,  
Manipal Hospital, Bangalore

Dr. Narayana Swamy is an empathetic and passionate intensivist with expertise in polytrauma, sepsis and multi organ failure. He was instrumental in planning and commissioning multiple level 3 ICUs in Bangalore. He is well known for his communication skills and strong connection with the patients and their families.



**Dr Sreekanth Shetty**  
Director and Head of Cardiology, Sakra  
World Hospital, Bengaluru.

He received his undergraduate medical training at JJMMC , Davanagere followed by postgraduation and Superspecialisation at KEM HOSPITAL, Mumbai and Grant Medical College, Mumbai respectively with honours. He has been practising as an interventional cardiologist at Bengaluru since 20 years.

He has vast experience in cutting edge procedures like Complex angioplasties (CTO, left main, calcified lesions), intra coronary imaging & physiology (IVUS, OCT, iFR), TAVI and Mitra Clip amongst others. He has received training in advanced techniques at prestigious institutions like National Heart Hospital, Singapore, Asan Medical Center, Seoul, New Tokyo Hospital, Tokyo and Karolinska University Hospital, Stockholm. He is academically accomplished and regularly presents in prestigious meetings.



**Dr. Sheelu Srinivas**  
M.S ENT-Head & Neck Surgery  
DLO (Royal College of Surgeons, London)  
DCH (Ireland)

Dr. Sheelu introduced outpatient based and bedside airway diagnosis in babies and children. She is a Cochlear implant surgeon known for her work in the field of Pediatric disabilities. She has worked with Spastics Society of Karnataka and Indira Gandhi Institute of Child Health, Bangalore. She ran the first 'universal' hearing screening pilot project in Bangalore and worked as advisor to the National program for prevention and control of deafness, Karnataka. She is also one of the founder members of Karnataka State Cochlear Implant Committee. Dr. Sheelu Srinivas is a regular prolific speaker and member of various prestigious national and international ENT societies. Her scientific work is also published in Cochrane review, national and international journals. Apart from surgical and clinical expertise, she is also keen in bringing quality in healthcare services and simulation training in medicine.

Dr Arun Srinivas – Mysore

Dr Benedict Raj – Bangalore

## Cardiology General

Dr Vivek Babubojjawar –

Bangalore

Dr Ramnath Kamath –

Mangalore

Prof. Dr. Nagamalesh U M –

Bangalore

Dr (Brig) Nagi – Bangalore



## Dr. H. K. Susheen Dutt

**Senior consultant ENT,  
skullbase & cochlear implant  
surgeon.**

**Datta's speciality ENT centre  
& fortis hospitals, Bangalore.**

**Specialist in endoscopic sinus surgery, minimal access Endonasal and lateral skullbase Tumor surgery.**

**Specialist in middle ear hearing restoration, cochlear implant and bone conduction hearing implant surgery.**

## Dr. Shanthala Thuppanna

Senior Consultant & HOD- Gynaecology  
MBBS, MS (Obstetrics & Gynaecology)  
Department - Gynaecology

**Senior Consultant & Head of  
Obstetrics & Gynaecology at Sakra  
World Hospital, Bangalore.**

Consultant gynaecological laparoscopic and robotic surgeon at Sakra World Hospital, Bangalore.

MBBS from Mysore Medical College, MS from Kasturba Medical College, and fellowships from Rajiv Gandhi University, University of Kiel, and McGill University. Awarded the Kempe Gowda Award (2016) and IGCS scholarship (2014). Holds a Guinness World Record for removing 236 fibroids from a single patient and received the Women Achiever Award (2023) from the National Press Council of India and Karnataka Newspaper Association.



## Dr. Poornachandra KS.

MD (Internal Medicine) DM (Gastro),  
PGIMER Chandigarh  
Chief Gastroenterology & Hepatology

Dr. Poorna Chandra K S heads the department of Medical Gastroenterology & Hepatology at Sagar Group of Hospitals, Bangalore. Dr Poorna Chandra completed his post-graduate degree in Medicine (MD) and Doctorate (DM) in Gastroenterology, and Hepatology from the prestigious Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh. He has acquired 13 gold medals and 7 certificates of merit during his education. He stood first in his final year of MBBS in Mysore University and also won a medal of merit during his postgraduate courses. He is well trained in the management of gastrointestinal and liver diseases including emergencies and performing gastrointestinal endoscopic procedures. He is well versed in all diagnostic and therapeutic upper gastrointestinal and colonoscopy procedures as well as therapeutic ERCP. He is an expert in capsule endoscopy, small bowel enteroscopy, Cholangio-pancreaticoscopy (endoscopy of bile duct and pancreatic duct), endoscopic ultrasound (EUS), manometry (motility disorders), pH impedancemetry (refractory GERD) and bariatric procedures (intragastric balloon placement for obesity). He has research interest and has published in international journals on pancreatitis, gallbladder cancer, oesophageal strictures, toxic ingestion and malabsorption disorders.

Dr Murali Manohar –  
Bangalore

**Cardiology Interventional**

Dr. K S Kishore – Bangalore

Dr. Sreekanth Shetty -

Bangalore

Dr Purushotham R. –

Mangalore

Dr Keshava Murthy - Mysore

Dr Ranjan Shetty - Bangalore

Dr Sanjay Bhat - Bangalore

Dr Sasirekha D – Mysore

Dr B Ramesh – Bangalore

**Dermatology**

Dr Shireen Furtado –

Bangalore

Dr Sudhir Gowda – Mysore

Dr Vindhya Pai – Mangalore

Dr Rasya Dixit – Bangalore

Dr Mary Augustine –

Bangalore

**ENT General**

Dr H. K. Susheen Dutt –

Bangalore

Dr Navisha Latheef –

Mangalore

Dr Srinivas Kunku M S –

Bangalore

Dr Chandrakiran C. –

Bangalore

Dr Shantanu Tandon –

Bangalore

Dr Sheelu Srinivas – Bangalore

**Endocrinology, Diabetes and**

**Metabolism**

Dr Anantharaman

Ramakrishnan – Bangalore

Dr Mahesh D M – Bangalore

Dr Anish Behl – Mysore

Dr Ganapathi Bantwal –

Bangalore

Dr Ganesh H K – Mangalore

**Gastroenterology**

Dr Poornachandra K S. –

Bangalore

Dr Raghavendra Prasada –

Mangalore

Dr B S Satyaprakash –

Bangalore

Dr Yogananda Reddy –

Bangalore

Dr Harish K C – Bangalore

Dr Rajkumar P. Wadhwa –

Mysore

**Gynecology & Obstetrics**

Dr Anusha K S – Bangalore

Dr Sriprada Vinekar –

Bangalore

Dr. Shanthala Thuppanna –

Bangalore

Dr Premlatha T S – Bangalore

Dr Vidyashri Kamath –

Mangalore

Dr. Meeta Chawhan –

Bangalore

Dr L V Vanitha – Mysore

**Gynecology – IVF**

Dr Sreeja Rani V. R. –

Bangalore

Dr Sowmya Dinesh H R –

Mysore

Dr Kishan Sullia – Mangalore

Dr Vijay Kumar P. K. –

Bangalore

Dr Usha B. R. – Bangalore

**Hematology**

Dr Anoop P – Bangalore

Dr Prashanth Balanthimogru –

Mangalore

Dr Aditya Murali – Bangalore

Dr Mahesh Rajashekaraiah –

Mysore

Dr Neema Bhat – Bangalore



**Dr. S. Padmanabhan**  
MBBS, DNB (Gen. Med.), DM (Nephrology),  
FISN, FISN

- Chief Nephrologist & Transplant Physician at Sagar Hospitals - DSi, Bengaluru.
- Conferred prestigious Fellow of International Society of Nephrology (FISN) in 2022.
- Conferred prestigious Fellow of Indian Society of Nephrology (FISN) in 2023.
- Providing state of the art Nephrology Care for 25 years.
- Teacher par excellence & mentored many students in Nephrology.
- Faculty for National and International conferences.
- Has over 50 publications including chapters in books.
- Peer Reviewer and editorial board member for many journals in nephrology.
- Has an experience of about 1000 kidney transplants over 25 years in India and abroad.



**Dr. Gowri Chinthalapalli**

Dr. Gowri Chinthalapalli an expert in Family Medicine trained in the UK, integrates her skills with a Fellowship in Child Development to support children and families at Aster CMI Hospital and Canara Diagnostic Centre, Bengaluru.

For details,  
visit - [drgowri.in](http://drgowri.in)



**Dr. C. P. Ravi Kumar**  
MRCPCH, CCT in Paediatrics (U.K.)  
Fellow in Paediatric Epilepsy & Neurology (London)

Dr. C. P. Ravi Kumar is a Pediatric Neurologist with over 20 years of experience, focusing on early intervention and multidisciplinary approach to treating neurological issues in children. He practices at multiple locations in Bengaluru and other parts of Karnataka.

For details, visit:  
[cpravikumar.com](http://cpravikumar.com)

#### Infectious Disease

Dr Suvarna Biradar –  
Bangalore

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Dr Ramesh Chandra Sahoo –  
Mangalore

Dr Neha Mishra – Bangalore

Dr Vinay D – Bangalore

#### Internal Medicine

Dr (Col) R D Holla –  
Bangalore

Dr Vatsala Ramaiyengar Kashi –  
Bangalore

Dr Pankaj Singhai – Bangalore

Dr Ravi Puranik – Mysore

Dr Basavaprabhu Achappa –  
Mangalore

#### Liver Transplant

Dr Olithselvan – Bangalore

Dr Nikhil Nanjappa – Mysore

Dr Rajiv Lochan – Bangalore

Dr Nikhil Shellagi – Bangalore

Dr Mahesh Gopasetty –  
Bangalore

Dr Jayanth Reddy – Bangalore  
Medical Oncology

Dr Rohit Ranade – Bangalore

Dr Krishna Prasad –

Mangalore

Dr Vishwanath Satyanarayanan –  
Bangalore

Dr Srinivas K. G. – Mysore

Dr Ravi B. Diwakar –

Bangalore

Dr Manjunath Nandennavar –

Bangalore

Dr Mansi Khanderia –

Bangalore

Nephrology

Dr S. Padmanabhan –

Bangalore

Dr Anoop M – Bangalore

Dr Vidyashankar P. –

Bangalore

Dr Mayoor V Prabhu –

Mangalore

Dr Srinivas Nalloor – Mysore

Dr Kiran K. K. – Mysore



**Dr. Amit Kulkarni**

Senior Consultant & Lead - Neurology & Stroke  
MBBS, MD (General Medicine), DM (Neurology)  
Department - Neurology

Dr. Amit Kulkarni completed his DM Neurology training at G B Pant hospital (MAMC), New Delhi. He went on to complete his fellowship in Stroke & Neurosonology at NUH, Singapore.

He is comprehensively certified in Neurosonology by American Society of Neuroimaging. He is the current Secretary of Bangalore Stroke Support Group & one of the Founder Trustees of Karnataka Stroke Foundation. He is serving EC member of Indian Stroke Association and Society of Neurosonology, India. He is one of the pioneers and a National proctor of Neurosonology in the country. With a vast experience in Neurology & Stroke practice, he believes in giving back to the society.



**Dr. Keni Ravish Rajiv**

MBBS, MD, DM (Neurology), Fellowship in Epilepsy  
Senior Consultant Neurologist and Epileptologist  
Aster Hospitals Bengaluru and Aster MIMS Calicut

Dr. Keni Ravish has vast experience in treating various complex and difficult-to-manage adult and pediatric patients with epilepsy. He is one of the few certified epileptologists in India.

Under his guidance epilepsy surgery has been successfully carried out for more than 100 patients with refractory epilepsy so far.



**Dr. B. K. Madhusudhan**

MBBS, MD (Gen. Med),  
DM (Neurology) Epileptology

(University of Toronto, Canada)Lead Consultant

Dr. B. K. Madhusudhan is a distinguished HOD and Senior consultant neurologist and incharge stroke services at Sagar hospital, Bangalore. He finished his MBBS from AIMS in 2002, followed by MD in General Medicine and DM in Neurology from M.S. Ramaiah Medical College. He honed his skills through diverse experiences, including a fellowship in epilepsy at Toronto Western Hospital, Canada and Stroke CASTLE program. Currently leading stroke services at Sagar Hospital, Banashankari, Bangalore, and having served as a Professor in Neurology, he boasts a robust career. Dr. Madhusudhan's expertise spans stroke, neurosonology, epilepsy, Parkinsons disease, Headache, spondylosis, migraine, multiple sclerosis and neurorehabilitation. His contributions include independent neuro procedures, authoring numerous publications in national and international journals and pivotal roles in clinical research trials.

Dr Garima Aggarwal –  
Bangalore

Neurology – General

Dr B K Madhusudhan –  
Bangalore

Dr Srinivas Raju D – Bangalore

Dr Aumir Moin – Mysore

Dr Zulkifli Misri – Mangalore

Dr Keni Ravish Rajiv –

Bangalore

Amit Kulkarni – Bangalore

Neurology – Stroke

Dr Nikhil C Hiremath –

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Dr Sujit Kumar – Bangalore

Dr Shankar N. – Mangalore

Dr Ratnavalli Ellajosyula –

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Dr Mahendra J. V. – Bangalore

Neurology – Paediatrics

Dr C. P. Ravi Kumar –

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Dr Gowri Chinthalapalli –

Bangalore

Dr Anusha Raj K. – Mysore

Dr Rajesh Shetty – Mangalore

Dr Minal V Kekatpure –

Bangalore

Dr Rashmi Devraj – Bangalore



## Dr. Arjun Srivatsa

Director & HOD - Institute of Neurosciences  
MBBS, DNB Neurosurgery  
Department - Neurosurgery.

Dr. Arjun Srivatsa graduated from KMC Hubli and went on to do his post graduation in neurosurgery from VHS hospital, Chennai. Over the last 30 years of practice he has over 10000 surgeries under his belt with a special emphasis on cutting edge technology to use in spinal surgery. He was one of the first surgeons to embrace minimal access methods for spinal surgery in Bangalore since 2000. He regularly caters to foreign patients since 15 years and a regular surgeon at corporate hospitals in Iraq. He has been instrumental in being involved in setting up department of neurosurgery at many corporate hospitals in Bangalore.



## Dr. (Prof) Dwarakanath Srinivas

MS, MCH, IFAANS, FACS  
Professor and Unit Head, Neurosurgery,  
NIMHANS

An Alumnus of PGIMER, Chandigarh and AIIMS, New Delhi. Also, the Best outgoing student from BMC for MBBS winning 12 Gold medals and prizes. He has done pioneering work on Deep Brain Stimulation, Pediatric neurosurgery, Cerebrovascular and Skull Base surgery. Has published more than 225 peer reviewed papers and has been awarded multiple research grants including DBS of OCD and Development of Robotics for Neurosurgery. He currently is on the EC of NSI and WFNS (Cerebrovascular subdivision). He is also the Hon Secretary, ISSFN as well as the Founder Member, Indian Society of Neuromodulation.



## Dr. Yogishwar A. V.

MBBS, DNB Ortho, MNAMS

**He Joint Replacement Fellow (Buffalo, New York),  
Fellow in Arthroplasty & Arthroscopy (Chuncheon, South Korea),  
Consultant Orthopaedic & Joint Replacement Surgeon.**

Dr. Yogishwar A.V. is a reputed name in the field of Orthopaedic surgery, with over 17 yrs of experience and over 5000 Orthopaedic surgical procedures to his credit. MBBS degree from Bangalore Medical College in 1997. Post Graduation in Orthopedics from Jubilee Mission Medical College, Thrissur in 2006. Fellowship in Joint Replacement Surgery at Max Hospital 2010, New Delhi. Fellowship in Adult Joint Replacement Surgery at Buffalo General hospital, New York under Kenneth A Krackow in 2012. Clinical Fellowship in Arthroplasty and Arthroscopy at Hallym Medical Centre, Chuncheon, South Korea for 6 months in 2014.



## Dr. Kiran M

MBBS, MS, DNB, M.Ch (Neurosurgery)  
Senior Consultant, Neurosurgery and Spine Surgery  
HOD, Chinmay Neurosciences

Has experience from Bombay Hospital, NIMHANS, Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences, and Narayana Health City. Interests include Spine surgery-Cranivertebral surgery, Endoscopic surgery, Paediatric neurosurgery, and Skull base. Member of societies such as BNS, Editorial Board-Neurology India journal, Walter Dandy Society, and Congress of Neurological Surgeons, USA. Other interests include spirituality, spreading Vedantic values, sketching, and trekking.

### Neurosurgery

Dr. (Prof) Dwarakanath

Srinivas – Bengaluru

Dr. Arjun Srivatsa – Bengaluru

Dr. Kiran M – Bengaluru

Dr Sharan Srinivasan –

Bangalore

Dr Karthikeyan Y. R. –

Bangalore

Dr Muralidhar Pai –

Mangalore

Dr Vinayak Kadlimatti –

Mysore

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Dr Y L Rajshekhar – Bangalore

Dr Sirish Nelivigi – Bangalore

Dr Bhanumati M – Bangalore

Dr Sanket Bhatnagar –

Bangalore

Dr Sneha S M – Mysore

Dr Sharan Shetty – Mangalore

Dr Sandeep Suresh Patil –

Bangalore

Dr Sireesha Shailja – Bangalore

**Ophthalmology – Retinal**

Dr Naren Shetty – Bangalore

Dr Srinivas Rao. V.K –

Bangalore

Dr Sudhir Hegde – Mangalore

Dr Sri Ganesh – Mysore

Dr Sanghamitra Burman –

Bangalore

Dr Veerabhadra Rao –

Bangalore

Dr Krishna Prasad- Mangalore

Dr Nikita Pathare – Mangalore

**Orthopedic – General &**

**Fracture**

Dr Sharan Shivaraj Patil –

Bangalore

Dr Deepak Rai - Mangalore

Dr Ajay Hegde - Mysore

Dr Sharath Kumar Shetty –

Bangalore

Dr Rahul Nagraj – Bangalore

Dr Harsha C M – Mysore

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Dr Girish Kumar AM –

Bangalore

Dr Prashanth Inna – Bangalore

**Pathology – General**

Dr Imthiaz Ahammad –

Mangalore

Dr Shravan Y. C. – Bangalore

Dr H K Bharat Bhushan –

Mysore

Dr M N Kumar – Bangalore

Dr Kannan Karuppiyah Kumar

– Bangalore

Dr Suchitha S. – Mysore

**Paediatric – General**

Dr Thomas J Kishen –

Bangalore

Dr Ishwar Keerthi – Mangalore

Dr Vikram L – Mysore

Dr Prashanth Nagaraj –

Bangalore

Dr Shashidhar B K – Bangalore

Dr Vijay Girish – Bangalore

**Orthopedic – Joints**

Dr. Thomas Chandy –

Bangalore

Dr Shantaram Shetty –

Mangalore

Dr Thirumalesh K Reddy –

Bangalore

Dr Yogishwar A. V. – Bangalore

Dr Vasuki – Mysore

Dr Pradyumna R – Bangalore

Dr Nithin Vadlamudi –

Bangalore

Dr Seema Sivasankran –

Bangalore

Dr Haritha Raja- Mangalore

Dr Pallavi Rao- Bangalore

Dr N. Kannan- Mysore

Dr Prathima K M –

Bangalore

Dr Suchitha S. – Mysore

**Paediatric – General**

Dr Gunda Srinivas – Bangalore

Dr Parimala V Thirumalesh –

Bangalore

Dr Ishwar Keerthi – Mangalore

Dr Yogesh Kumar Gupta –

Bangalore

Dr Manjunatha – Mysore

Dr Dhananjaya Sarji –

Shivamogga

Dr Paras Kumar J – Bangalore

Dr Mario Bukelo – Mangalore



## Dr. Gunda Srinivas

DCH, DNB(Pediatrics), PGDDN, FPEM  
Consultant Pediatrician and Pediatric Emergency Medicine Specialist  
at Aster RV Hospital & Shree Akshaya Clinic, Bangalore

Dr. Gunda Srinivas is a Pediatrician with more than 15 years of clinical experience. He brings a unique approach of Positive Health Experience to child health care which is very family-centric. He is trained in Pediatric Emergencies and is keen to bring newer innovations into clinical care and healthcare systems. His follow-up-based care has been well received for handholding families till recovery.



## Dr. Manjunath B G

MD, DM (PCCM), EDRM

Consultant, Pulmonology, Critical Care & Sleep Medicine, Medicover Hospitals, Bengaluru. He brought Interventional Pulmonology services to Whitefield area in 2022 after extensive training under Prof. Dr. Dhruva Chaudhry.

He has multiple publications in reputed International/National Journals & involved in training medicos across the nation. ERS-young-scientist- sponsorship for research on OSA at Paris-2018.

### Notable Roles:

Member, Empowered group 3, NTF for Adult-Covid-Care-Training-Module by GoI  
Member of the committee forming National guidelines on EBUS.  
Member of the committee forming National guidelines on Use of procalcitonin to guide antibiotic usage.  
Invited faculty at multiple national conferences.  
Course Coordinator for RCCM course by ICS.



## Dr. Sandeepa H. S.

Dr. Sandeepa H. S. completed his MBBS from JJMMC, Davanagere. After that he pursued his post graduation in the field of respiratory medicine from JNMC Belgaum. After the completion of his post graduation he went on to undergo training in Interventional Pulmonology at Fortis hospital, Mumbai.

He completed his DM in Pulmonary and sleep medicine at St John's medical college Bangalore. He started his professional career as an interventional pulmonologist in the year 2015. Soon after that he went on to complete his short term clinical fellowship in Lung Transplantation at Freeman hospital, New castle, UK. He was involved in the first ever successful lung transplantation of Karnataka. Dr. Sandeepa H. S. has proficiency in clinical and Interventional Pulmonology . He has performed more than 500 bronchoscopies and other pulmonary interventions. He has been awarded as one of the "Inspiring Pulmonologists of India- 2023" by The Economic Times for his selfless service during COVID pandemic.

### Paediatric – Surgery

Dr Manjiri Somashekhar – Bangalore  
Dr Arvind K L – Mysore  
Dr Kochikar Ganesh Pai – Mangalore  
Dr Ravi Kiran CS – Bangalore

Dr Antony Robert Charles – Bangalore

Dr Dhiraj Balaji – Bangalore  
Dr Jeevak Shetty – Bangalore  
**Plastic & Reconstructive Surgery**  
Dr Prashantha Kesari – Bangalore



## Dr. Prashantha Kesari

Dr. Prashantha Kesari is one of the most versatile and sought-after plastic surgeons in south India. His excellent results in cosmetic plastic surgery is based on his extensive experience in reconstructive microsurgery. He practices top end cosmetic surgery from his state-of-the-art clinic NYPUNYA Aesthetic Clinic which is run by Dr. Prashanth Kesari and his dermatologist wife Dr. Shubha Kesari. Dr. Prashanth Kesari gives reconstructive plastic surgery services to more than twenty major hospitals in Bangalore with the help of his team NYPUNYA PRS Team. They perform a huge number of complex micro vascular surgeries with international standard results. His area of interest and focus are ultrasonic rhinoplasty and face lift along with all other regular aesthetic surgical procedures.



## Dr. Sachin Kumar

Senior Consultant - Pulmonology & Critical Care Medicine MD (General Medicine), DM (Pulmonary & Critical Care Medicine), FCCP (USA) European Diploma in Adult Respiratory Medicine

Dr. Sachin Kumar is Senior Consultant - Pulmonology & Critical Care Medicine at Sakra World Hospital, Bangalore with more than 17 years of rich and varied

experience. His quest for excellence continued as training in Interventional Pulmonology at Lausanne (Switzerland), Copenhagen(Denmark), Amsterdam(Netherlands), and Italy. He has more than 40 publications in international peer-reviewed journals. His areas of expertise include management of asthma, interstitial lung disease, Interventional Pulmonology, and sleep medicine.

Dr Satish Chandra B K – Mangalore

Dr Satish H V- Mysore

Dr Madhusudan G. – Bangalore

Dr N Jitendran – Bangalore

Dr Sandhya Balasubramanian – Bngalore

Dr Karishma Kagodu – Bangalore

**Pulmonary/ Chest – Medicine Radiology – Diagnostic**

Dr Manjunath B G – Bangalore Dr Sunil Kumar G S – Bangalore

Dr R. Chaitanya Sravanthi – Bangalore

Dr R G Srinivas – Mysore Dr Srikanth Narayanaswamy – Dr Vishwanath V Bellad – Ban-Bangalore

galore Dr Vinayaka U S – Mangalore Dr Suresh Kumar – Bangalore

Dr Madhu K – Mysore Dr Ravindra M Mehta – Ban-galore

Dr. Manu Mohan K. - Bangalore Dr M C Uthappa – Bangalore



### Dr. Vishwanath V. Bellad

Dr. Vishwanath V. Bellad, currently serving as Consultant Pulmonology and Sleep medicine, has completed MBBS from Jawaharlal Nehru Medical College, Belagavi, in 1993.

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## Dr. Sudhakar Prasad

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Dr. Pratap Duggirala –

Vijayawada

Dr. Y V Rao – Visakhapatnam

Dr G S Satish Kumar –

Guntur



## Dr. N. Hemanth Kumar

MBBS, MS, Mch

Consultant Plastic Surgeon KIMS  
Secunderabad

Dr. N. Hemanth Kumar is a senior plastic surgeon with more than 30 years of experience in the field. He has an edge because of his holistic approach, experience in various subspecialties and cutting edge technique.

Having a special interest in Aesthetic surgery he followed the clinical work of then world famous aesthetic surgeon Dr. Ricardo Baroudi (Brazil) and his associates during early stages of this career.

- Association of Plastic Surgeons of India
- Association of Breast Surgeons of India
- Breast Reconstructive and Aesthetic Surgeon's Association
- Association of Surgeons of India
- Cosmetic Dermatology Society India
- Indian Society for Surgery of Hand
- Association of Microvascular Surgeons of India



## Dr. Suma Sandhyala

MBBS, MS (General Surgery),  
M.Ch (Plastic Surgery)

Dr. Suma Sandhyala has a special interest in a complete range of breast enhancement procedures and body contouring including tummy tuck, liposuction, natural-looking facial rejuvenation, facelifts, neck lifts, eyelid surgeries, fat grafting, and facial implants. Dr. Suma Sandhyala has special expertise in these categories and offers you the best 'Plastic' as well as 'Cosmetic' treatments in Hyderabad, Telangana.

- Worked with highly reputed and internationally acclaimed Hospitals.
- The master brain behind PrettyU aesthetic and Cosmetic Clinic in Hyderabad.



## Dr. Keshavan V.

MBBS (CMC, Vellore),MD (CMC,Vellore),  
DNB, EDARM (France),  
SCE (RCP, UK), MRCPS (Glasgow),  
FCCP (USA), FAPSR (Japan)

- He is currently working as a Consultant in the Department of Pulmonology, Apollo Hospital, Hyderabad, Hyderabad.
- He has completed both his undergraduate training(MBBS)

and postgraduate training in Pulmonology (MD) at one of the premier medical institutes in India, Christian Medical College and Hospital, Vellore.

- He has more than 10 years of experience in the field of pulmonology.

- His areas of interest include Lung Infections & Interstitial Lung Disease.



## Dr. V. Nagarjuna Maturu

Dr. V. Nagarjuna Maturu, heads the department of Pulmonology, at Yashoda hospitals, Hitec city, Hyderabad. With a vision to improve patient outcomes, he has started "Pulmonology Precision Clinics" for severe asthma, COPD, ILD and Bronchiectasis. A holistic approach focusing on preventive, rehabilitative and therapeutic aspects is the focus in these clinics.

Interventional Pulmonology is one of his key areas of interest. He has introduced several new technologies (Navigational bronchoscopy, Bronchoscopic thermal vapour ablation, Biodegradable airway stents, Bronchoscopic trans parenchymal Nodule access) for the first time to India. He has started India's first "Lung Nodule Clinic" in 2024 with an aim to diagnose diseases at an early stage and treat them better.

He has > 70 publications in research journals/textbooks of pulmonary medicine. He authored the text book "Clinical Pearls in Pulmonary Medicine", which gives a case based approach to several important clinical scenarios. Contact No: +918247538967, 04069444444



## Dr. Viswesvaran Balasubramanian

MD, DM (Pulmonary and Critical care- Gold Medalist)  
European diploma in Adult Respiratory  
Medicine (Switzerland)  
Fellowship in Interventional Pulmonology (Malaysia)  
& Sleep Medicine (Gold Medalist)

Dr. Viswesvaran is a Senior Consultant Interventional Pulmonology & Sleep medicine specialist at Yashoda Hospitals, Somajiguda, Hyderabad.

He has secured Gold medal in DM (Pulmonary & Critical Care) and has done his fellowship in Advanced Interventional Pulmonology from Malaysia. He has to his credit more than 30 publications in leading national and international journals. He is also the recipient of the 'Inspiring Pulmonologist of India' award. He is an invited expert faculty at numerous national and international conferences. He is also the course director for advanced interventional pulmonology fellowship at Yashoda Hospitals, Somajiguda and trains numerous fellows from India and abroad. His special areas of interest include treatment of advanced chronic respiratory disorders, bronchoscopic interventions and sleep Medicine. Special areas of interest - Asthma & allergies, ILD, Bronchoscopic Procedures, ECMO and Lung Transplantation.



## Dr. M. S. Gopala Krishna

DNB DTCD FCCP

Dr. M. S. Gopala Krishna is a renowned expert in Interventional Pulmonology and Sleep Disorders at Aayush Hospital's Lung Care Centre in Vijayawada.

He has pioneered Interventional Pulmonology in Andhra Pradesh, excelling in both adult and pediatric care. Dr. Gopala Krishna is noted for performing the highest number of bronchoscopies, EBUS procedures, airway foreign body removals, airway stents, and thoracoscopic surgeries in the state. Known for his compassionate patient care, he has advanced the field with cost-effective, minimally invasive procedures. He is a respected speaker at national and international conferences and has received numerous awards for his contributions to pulmonary medicine.



## Dr. Lokesh Gutta

- Dr. Gutta Lokesh is a lead consultant interventional pulmonologist at Manipal Hospitals, Vijayawada.
- Expert in doing complex bronchoscopic procedures like airway stenting and tumour ablation for benign and malignant diseases.
- His areas of interest are interventional pulmonology and respiratory critical care.



## Dr. Nagendra Parvataneni

MS, MCh (Surgical Oncology),  
Robotic Surgery (USA) Oncoplastic Breast Surgery (Taiwan)  
Consultant and Head of the Department of Surgical Oncology  
KIMS Hospitals, Hyderabad.

Dr. Nagendra Parvataneni is a leading robotic cancer surgeon in South India working at KIMS Hospitals Hyderabad, specializes in thyroid and colorectal cancer surgeries. Known for tackling complex cases, he has garnered multiple national awards for his dedication in cancer care.

### Psychiatry

Dr. Naresh Vadlamani –  
Hyderabad

Dr. Indla Rama Subba Reddy – Dr Sindhoora Rawul –  
Vijayawada

Dr. GVS Murthy –  
Visakhapatnam

Dr. Ashok K. Alimchandani – Dr Lokesh Gutta – Vijayawada  
Hyderabad

Dr. Gautami Nagabhirava –  
Hyderabad

Dr Ibrahim Khaleel – Guntur Dr Madhuri H Radhakrishna –  
Dr K. Srinivas – Hyderabad

**Pulmonary/ Chest – Medicine** Dr Keerthi Talari – Hyderabad  
Dr. Nagarjuna Maturu – Dr Touseef Raza Mohammed –

Hyderabad Dr N. Kavya Devi –

Dr Viswesvaran  
Balasubramanian – Hyderabad

Dr Gopalakrishna M. S. –  
Vijayawada

Dr Keshavan V – Hyderabad

Dr Kadli Shirish Kumar –

Hyderabad

Dr. Swetha Kastur – Hyderabad

Dr Sindhoora Rawul –

Hyderabad

Dr. Kanumuri Srinivasa Rao –  
Guntur

Dr. Lokesh Gutta – Vijayawada  
Dr G. Anil Kumar Gandham –

Vishakhapatnam  
**Rheumatologist**

Dr Madhuri H Radhakrishna –  
Hyderabad

Dr Roma Sinha- Hyderabad

Dr Praveen Reddy P- Vijayawada

Dr UmaSankar Tantravahi –  
Visakhapatnam

Dr Sanjai Addla - Hyderabad

**Radiation – Oncology**  
Dr Dunga Sai Kumar –

Visakhapatnam

Dr Sarat Chandra Mouli –  
Hyderabad

Dr Manukonda Murali  
Krishna – Guntur

### Robotic Surgery

Dr Nagendra Parvataneni –  
Hyderabad

Dr Roma Sinha- Hyderabad

Dr Praveen Reddy P- Vijayawada

Dr UmaSankar Tantravahi –  
Visakhapatnam

Dr Sanjai Addla - Hyderabad

**Dr. Vasundhara –**  
Dr E. Vasundhara –  
Hyderabad

Dr A Krishnam Raju –  
Hyderabad

Dr Vijay Karan Reddy –  
Vijayawada

Dr Suman Das –  
Visakhapatnam

Dr Pavan Raghava Reddy –  
Kalluri – Guntur

Dr Raja Naidu D. S. – Guntur

Dr. Amit Jotwani – Hyderabad

### Radiology – Interventional

Dr S. Rammurti – Hyderabad

Dr Venkateswarlu Jampala –

Hyderabad



### Dr. S. Rammurti

MD, MAMS, FICR  
Sr. Professor (Interventional Radiology),  
Former Head (Radiology) & Former Dean of Faculty  
Nizam's Institute of Medical Sciences, Hyderabad

Dr. Rammurti carries more than three decades of experience including 27 years of dedicated practice of Interventional Radiology (IR). He specializes in the endovascular treatment of diseases and disorders related to the blood vessels with core competence in interventions related to the head & neck, body and peripheral vasculature. Recipient of many awards and honours, he is instrumental in propagating the specialty of IR and recognized for his contribution to radiology education.



### Dr. M Gopichand

Dr. M Gopichand is a Consultant Urologist based in Hyderabad. He is an expert par excellence in kidney stone treatment by advanced endourology methods, prostate diseases by Laser, Cancer of prostate, kidney by advanced methods like Robotic surgery. His area of interest is Men's health. He is an expert in Robotic urology. He is attached to KIMS Hospital, Secunderabad, a 1000 bedded quaternary care superspeciality hospital in the heart of Hyderabad as head of the department for last 15 years. Phone +918985325177 Email - urologydoctor2@gmail.com



### Dr. Somnath Gupta

Sr consultant physician and diabetologist  
Dnb-Internal medicine, FIID (infectious diseases,Australia),  
ccrd (rheumatology), Mhsc (diabetology)  
Yashoda hospitals-hitech city

Dr. Somnath Gupta is a senior consultant physician and diabetologist in Yashoda Hospital-hitech city. Specialised in the field of infectious diseases, diabetes, metabolic diseases, htn, thyroid related disorders, adult vaccination, allergy and immunological disorders, obesity, anemia and blood disorders.



### Dr. Francis Sridhar Katumalla

MS, MCH Urology & Renal Transplant,  
Senior consultant & Head of the Department,  
KIMS Hospitals, Kondapur,  
Hyderabad.

Dr. Francis - Dedicated and accomplished Urologist and Renal Transplant Surgeon with a passion for providing comprehensive care to patients. With a solid foundation from CMC Ludhiana and Vellore, and Gold Medalist in Urology, he brings over two decades of experience to his work. These accolades underscore his commitment to excellence in patient care and research.

Dr Arjun Somireddy –  
Hyderabad

Dr Rajesh Poosarla –  
Visakhapatnam

Dr M Bhavani Shankar –  
Vijayawada

Dr Pradyumna Reddy –  
Hyderabad

Dr Suresh Giragani –  
Hyderabad

**Surgery – Cardiothoracic**

Dr B Bhaskar Rao – Hyderabad  
Dr Sandeep Attawar –

Hyderabad

Dr Gopichand Mannam –  
Hyderabad

Dr P V Naresh Kumar –  
Hyderabad

Dr Rajashekham. N. S. –  
Vishakhapatnam

Dr K Srinivas Sai – Vijayawada  
Dr J Ramakrishna Reddy –

Guntur

Dr Alla Gopala Krishna  
Gokhale – Hyderabad

**Surgery - Gastroenterology**

Dr B. Narsaiah – Hyderabad  
Dr Baipalli Ramesh –

Visakhapatnam

Dr Vivek R. – Hyderabad

Dr Javvaji Sateesh –  
Vijayawada

Dr Rajasekhar Reddy –  
Hyderabad

Dr G. V. Rao – Hyderabad  
Dr N S Babu – Hyderabad

**Surgery – Oncology**

Dr Subramanyeshwar Rao –  
Hyderabad

Dr K Sreekanth - Vijayawada

Dr Sridhar Dasu – Hyderabad  
Dr Vipin Goel – Hyderabad

Dr Karthik Chandra Vallam –  
Visakhapatnam

Dr Avinash Chaitanya S. –  
Hyderabad

Dr L M Chandrashekara Rao  
S. – Hyderabad

Dr Hemanth Makineni –

Guntur

**Urology**

Dr Francis Sridhar  
Katumalla – Hyderabad

Dr Bipin Chandra Pal –  
Hyderabad

Dr Guntapalalli China  
Malakondaiah – Hyderabad

### Dr. Johann Christopher

MD DM FACC  
Senior Consultant Cardiologist-Care Hospitals Hyderabad

He has over a decade experience with cutting edge cardiac imaging including cardiac CTA, Cardiac MRI, Nuclear Cardiology. He is a principal investigator of a no of international trials involving heart failure and atherosclerosis.

He is a National Board certified teacher and examiner for Cardiology post graduate students. He is also involved in a number of philanthropic projects.

Dr Purna Chandra Reddy –  
Hyderabad

Dr G. Ajay Kumar –  
Vijayawada

Dr Moj jada Prasada Rao –  
Visakhapatnam

Dr Puvvada T. Ravichander  
– Guntur

Dr M Gopichand – Hyderabad  
**Vascular Surgery**

Dr. Nihar Ranjan Pradhan –  
Hyderabad

Dr Narendra nad Meda –  
Hyderabad

Dr Siba Sankar Dalai  
–Vijayawada

Dr Venugopal Kulkarni –  
Hyderabad

Dr G V Praveen Kumar –  
Hyderabad

Dr. Harivadan Lukka –  
Visakhapatnam

Dr Sridhar Reddy Baddam –  
Guntur

# KERALA



## Dr. Shameem K. U.

MBBS, MD, DNB (Emergency Medicine), MRCEM (UK), FACEE

Dr. Shameem K U is a highly skilled and experienced Consultant Emergency Physician at KIMSHEALTH, Trivandrum, with a strong passion for delivering exceptional patient care in high-pressure situations. With over 10 years of experience in Emergency Medicine, he has developed a unique blend of clinical expertise, leadership skills, and compassion. He has received numerous healthcare excellence awards, including the Best Outgoing and Best Resident Award from RGUHS in 2017. His areas of expertise include emergency care, advanced life support skills, trauma care, pediatric and geriatric emergency, and toxicology.



## Dr. Ajit Thomas

MBBS, MD (Gen.Medicine)-Kuvempu University, MRCP (UK)-Royal College of Physicians of the United Kingdom, FRCP(London), Speciality Certificate in Acute Medicine

Dr. Ajit Thomas is an internist. He obtained higher specialist training in Acute Medicine and Geriatrics in the UK and has worked at KIMSHEALTH Trivandrum for the last

16 years, where his roles are as Senior Consultant and Chief Coordinator for Geriatric Medicine. He has been awarded FRCP(London). Dr. Ajit is also committed to training and education and has served as Programme Director (and currently as co-PD) for IMT (Internal Medicine Training) post-graduate residency at KIMSHEALTH, run in collaboration with the Royal College of Physicians of the UK. **Professional Memberships:**

Fellowship of Royal College of Physicians of London, UK.



## Dr. Rayees A.K

MBBS, DNB (Internal Medicine), IDCCM Consultant & In-Charge, Department of Critical Care Baby Memorial Hospital, Kannur, Kerala, India

Over 7 years experience in Internal medicine and critical care, with expertise in all sorts of emergencies including Neurocritical care. Skilled in advanced procedures including ECMO. Published various research articles. Committed to infection control and patient safety.



## Dr. Prameela Joji

MBBS, DCH (GLAS), DNB-SAT TVM, Diploma in Allergy and Asthma (CMC Vellore)

Dr. Prameela Joji completed medical training from Trivandrum medical college and in Paediatrics from Royal hospital Oman and then at SAT Trivandrum.

She along with her colleague started the state of art first private sector Pediatric intensive care unit in Kerala at KIMS HEALTH catering towards ICU care, ECMO, liver and kidney transplant. She is one of the founder members of pediatric emergency medicine training in India and KIMSHEALTH is the only training centre in Kerala for Pediatric emergency medicine.



## Dr. Amith Sreedharan

MD, DNB, IDCCM, EDIC.  
Fellowship in Adult Critical Care Medicine  
(University of Toronto, Canada)

Deputy Chief of Medical Services  
Director of Critical Care Medicine  
ASTER MIMS, Kannur

A Critical care physician with a fellowship from the University of Toronto and over eleven years of experience in intensive care. Specializes in respiratory critical care and ARDS, with interests in ECMO and lung transplant.

### Anesthesiology

Dr Mohan A Mathew – Kochi

Dr Rajesh Rajgopal – Kochi

Dr Manju Manmadhan – Kochi

Dr Ramdas E. K. – Kozhikode

Dr Geetha George – Edakkad

### Critical Care Medicine

Dr. Deepa Das – Trivandrum

Dr. Jithendra T. – Kochi

Dr. Ajit Thomas – Trivandrum

Dr. Jojo Kurien John – Kochi

Dr Amith Sreedharan – Kochi

Dr. Prameela Joji- Trivandrum

Dr Rayees A. K. – Kannur

Dr Shameem K U-Trivandrum

### Cardiology Paediatrics

Dr Sanjay Koshi – Kochi

Dr. Blessan Varghese P – Kochi

Dr Zulfikar Ahamed –

Trivandrum

Dr. Balu Vaidyanathan – Kochi

Dr. S. Venketeshwaran –

Ernakulam

### Cardiology Interventional

Dr Dilip M Narayanan – Kochi



## Dr. Jojo Kurien John

MBBS, MD, DNB, DM, EDIC. Head, Critical care, Medical Trust Hospital, Kochi.

Passionate about making ICUs more humane and cost effective without compromising quality. Winner of the J N Berry national award, Dr. Jojo has special interest in advanced respiratory support, ECMO, Infections and post ICU rehabilitation. Teacher and examiner for the DrNB and IDCCM courses in critical care. He has multiple publications including book chapters to his credit.

Dr Hashir Kareem – Trivandrum

Dr Ramakrsihan Pillai V – Trivandrum

Dr Anil Saleem – Edakad

Dr Ashokan Nambiar – Kozhikode

### Dermatology

Dr Sony K Varney – Kochi

Dr Rakhesh S V – Calicut



## Dr. Sheeja Madhavan

DCH, DNB, Fellowship in Pediatrics and Adolescent Endocrinology

Dr. Sheeja Madhavan is a consultant in Pediatric and Adolescent Endocrinology working in KIMS Health, Trivandrum. Areas of Expertise are Pediatrics and Endocrinology Diabetes, Growth disorders in Children, Pubertal Problems in Adolescent, Obesity and Metabolic Problems and Gender Issues in children.

She has authored chapters in international textbooks and been a faculty member in pediatric and Pediatric Endocrinology conferences. She is mentoring the post graduate students in Pediatrics also.



## Dr. Muhammed Niyas V K

MBBS, MD (General Medicine),  
Diplomate of National Board (General Medicine),  
DM (Infectious Diseases)

KIMSHEALTH, Thiruvananthapuram, completed his training in Infectious Diseases from AIIMS, New Delhi. His areas of special interests include multidrug resistant infections, musculoskeletal infections and emerging viral infections. He was the part of the team that identified the Zika virus outbreak in Thiruvananthapuram district. He was selected as an 'Emerging Leader in International Infectious Diseases' by the International Society for Infectious Diseases in 2021. He is a passionate researcher and has published over 50 articles.



## Dr. Vidyalekshmy R

DGO, DNB, FRCOG

Fellowship - High Risk Pregnancy and Fetal Medicine (Sydney)

- Senior Consultant and Coordinator of High Risk Pregnancy and Perinatology, KIMS Health Trivandrum
- Started the Maternal-Fetal Medicine unit at KIMS Health in 2009
- Post-graduate teacher since 2009
- Course coordinator for FNB High Risk Pregnancy and Perinatology
- Clinical Director, OBGYN & IVF Services
- PART 3 MRCOG Examiner
- FNB Maternal-Fetal Medicine Examiner
- Instructor for ALSO (Advanced Life Support in Obstetrics)
- Member of the hospital ethical committee
- Authored multiple textbook chapters and publications
- Speaker in State-level and National conferences
- Memberships in FOGSI, ISUOG, WSPM, RCOG, SFM, FMF
- Areas of interest: Maternal Medical Disorders and Fetal Therapy
- Involved in the maintenance of quality standards, accreditations, and CTG Workshops
- Organizer of National & Internationals CMEs



## Dr. A. Saifudeen

MBBS, MD - Internal Medicine, MRCP (UK),  
FRSPH (London), FRCP (London), FRCR (Edinburgh), FRCP (Glasgow), FRCP (London)

Dr. A. Saifudeen, currently employed at KIMS Health Trivandrum, India as a Senior Consultant Hematologist dealing mainly with benign Hematology.

He obtained MRCP (UK), FRSPH (London), FRCP (Edinburgh), FRCP (London), FRCP (London) and FRCP (Glasgow) after MD program. He is a collegiate member of Royal College of Physicians of London, Glasgow & Ireland, International society of hematology (ISH), International Society Of thrombosis & hemostasis and Member of the American Society of Haematology (ASH).

Dr Vinitha Gopalakrishnan – Ernakulam

Dr. Preethy Harrison – Kochi  
Dr Snigdha O. – Edakkad

### ENT General

Dr. M Suresh Kumar – Trivandrum

Dr. Vineeth Viswam – Kochi

Dr. Reshma M Nair – Kochi

Dr. Noushad – Kochi

Dr Rajesh Raju George – Kochi

**Endocrinology, Diabetes and Metabolism**

Dr Sheeja Madhavan – Trivandrum

Dr. Radhakrishnan A P – Palakkad

Dr Pradeep P. V. – Kozhikode

Dr. Deepa G – Trivandrum

Dr. Vimal M V – Calicut

### Gastroenterology

Dr Philip Augustine – Kochi

Dr. Antony Paul Chettupuzha – Ernakulam

Dr G. N. Ramesh- Kochi

Dr Jijo V Cherian – Edakkad

Dr. Joseph John K - Cochin

Dr Anish Kumar - Calicut

### Gynecology & Obstetrics

Dr Sherley Mathen – Kochi

Ambujam K - Kochi

Dr Rasheeda Beegum O. – Calicut

Dr Vidyalekshmy R. – Trivandrum

Dr Sreelatha Warrier – Kochi

### Gynecology – IVF

Dr. Sabine Sivadasan -

Muvattupuzha

Dr. Sandeep Prabhakaran - Kochi

Dr. K Jayakeishnan - Trivandrum

Dr Krishnan Kutty – Kochi

Dr Sneha Ann Abraham -

### Hematology

Dr. Neeraj Sidharthan - Kochi

Dr. Deepak Charles - Kochi

Dr Wesley M Jose – Kochi

-Dr Aju Mathew - Kochi

Dr. Raghuveer Prabhu - Calicut

Dr Sudeep V. - Calicut

Dr Rajesh R Nair - Edakkad

### Infectious Disease

Dr. Anup R Warrier - Kochi



## Dr. Mathew Abraham

MD, DM (Neurology),  
FRCP (Lon).

- Practising as a Consultant Neurologist in Kochi, for the last 40 years.
- Presently is the Lead Consultant Neurologist at Aster Medcity, Kochi.
- Postgraduate teacher for Dip NB (Neurology) and MRCP courses.
- Special interests and expertise in Dementia, Headache & Parkinson's Disease.

Dr Sameer Abdul Samad - Calicut

Dr Dr. Kiran G Kulirankal - Kochi

Dr. Rakesh T P - Edakkad

Dr Muhammed Niyas V. K. – Trivandrum

### Internal Medicine

Dr. Geetha Philips - Kochi

Dr. Jacob Varghese - Kochi

Dr. Mahesh B S - Edakkad

Dr A. Saifudeen – Trivandrum

Dr M I Shahdulla –Trivandrum

### Medical Oncology

Dr Pavithran K – Kochi

Dr Rajan B. – Trivandrum

Dr C S Madhu - Ermakula

Dr. Sanju Cyriac - Kochi

Dr. K. Pavithran - Kochi

### Neurology – General

Dr Mathew Abraham – Kochi

Dr Dilip K Mathen – Kochi

Dr Dilip Panikar- Kochi

Dr Narayana Pisharady – Kochi

Dr Vivek Nambiar – Kochi

### Neurology – Paediatrics

Dr. Narayana Pisharady - Kochi

Dr. Mubina M. - Calicut

Dr Minu George – Kochi

Dr. Sachin Sureshbabu – Edakkad

Dr K P Vinayan – Kochi



**Dr. Praveen Murlidharan**  
MBBS, MD, DNB, DM,  
FRCP (Lond)

Currently employed as Senior Consultant Nephrologist at KIMSHEALTH, Trivandrum and also the Director of Multiorgan transplant program & Clinical research division. He got the best resident doctor award (Super Speciality) in 2007 from Seth GS Medical College & KEM Hospital Mumbai, and was selected as University topper in the University of Mumbai for DM examination in 2008. He has a bunch of journal publications and various text book chapters.



**Dr. Prasad Nair**  
MD, MRCP (UK),  
FRCP (Lond), FRCP (Ire)

Dr. Prasad Nair, Senior Consultant in Nephrology and Transplant, Program Director of IMT(UK) KIMS HEALTH, Trivandrum, Kerala.

He completed MRCP (UK) and FRCPs from the Royal Colleges of London and Ireland. He has been involved with KIMS Health since 2008 and started the MRCP PACES course. He has above 150 publications in international peer reviewed journals. He brings more than 30 years of expertise in Nephrology and transplant surgeries with high degree of professionalism and competence.

#### Nuclear Medicine

Dr. Shagos G.S - Kochi  
Dr. Judith Aron - Kottayam

Dr Vijay Harish Somasundaram - Kochi  
Dr. Ajit S Shinto - Puliyanoor

Dr Thanseer N T K -

#### Kozhikode

#### Nephrology

Dr V Narayanan Unni - Kochi  
Dr. Prasad Nair -

Trivandrum

Dr Satish B - Trivandrum

Dr Jose Thomas - Kochi

Dr. Abi Abraham M -

#### Ernakulam

Dr. Praveen Murlidharan-  
Trivandrum

#### Neurosurgery

Dr Tharun Krishna - Kochi  
Dr. Shyam Sundar S - Kochi

Dr. Arun Oommen -

Ernakulam

Dr. Ticini Joseph - Edakkad

Dr. Manoj Narayana Panicker-  
Kochi

Dr Jayasree H. Nambiar -

Kozhikode

Ophthalmology - General/  
Retinal

Dr Susheela B Nair -Trivan-  
drum

Dr. Giridhar - Kochi

Dr Tony Fernandez - Kochi

Dr Sameera V V - Kochi

Dr Sujith V Nayunar - Calicut

Ophthalmology - Paediatrics

Dr Sunitha Mathew - Calicut

Dr Mridula Sunil - Calicut

Dr Muhammed A. V. - Edakkad

Dr Lakshmi C. - Kozhikode

Dr. Nirmal A J - Calicut



**Dr. Tharun Krishna**

MS (Gen Surg), D.Ortho, M.Ch (Neuro),  
IFAANS Fellowships in Skull Base Surgery (USA),  
Stereotactic and Functional Neurosurgery (Taiwan),  
and Spine Surgery (Germany)

Senior Consultant Neurosurgeon,  
Apollo Adlux Hospital, Kochi

Dr. Tharun Krishna is a senior neurosurgeon with more than 20 years of experience in handling neurosurgical conditions like brain and spinal cord tumours and injuries, spinal diseases, cerebrovascular diseases, hydrocephalus, and congenital deformities. He is adept in both microsurgical and endoscopic brain and spine surgeries. He has had a distinguished career with the Apollo group in India and Mauritius, Medanta Medicity at Delhi NCR, and University of Witwatersrand at Johannesburg, South Africa. His special interests include minimal access and image-guided surgeries, neuromodulation technologies like DBS for movement disorders, spinal cord stimulation etc.



**Dr. Asmita Mehta**

MD, MRCP (UK), FRCP (Edin), FCCP (USA),  
FAPSR

Professor and HOD(Pulmonology),  
Amrita Institute of Medical Sciences,  
Kochi.

Dr. Asmita is quality-focused Pulmonologist with exceptional knowledge and skills. She always thrives for the best for her patients. Excellent in doing bronchoscopy, thoracoscopy, EBUS. Sought after by patients for treatment of difficult asthma, ILD, Lung Cancer, pulmonary hypertension, pleural effusion.

#### Organ Transpalnt

Dr Murali P Vettah - Edakkad

Dr. S. Sudhindran - Kochi

Dr. Sajeesh Sahadevan -

Calicut

Dr Shiraj Ahmad Rather-  
Trivandrum

#### Orthopedic - Paediatrics

Dr Mahendra Verma - Calicut

Dr. Cherry Cherian Kovoor -

Kochi

Dr George Abraham - Edakkad

Dr. Easwar T. R. - Kozhikode

Dr. Anoop Mavila - Edakkad

#### Orthopedic - Spine

Dr. Anup P Nair - Kochi

Dr. K Venugopal Menon -

Kochi

Dr. Ranjith T. C. - Kochi

Dr. Gowryshankar Swamy LG  
- Kozikode

Dr Ranjith Unnikrishnan-  
Trivandrum

#### Orthopedic - Joints

Dr Murukam Babu - Kochi

Dr. Lazar Chandy - Ernakulam

Dr. Paul George - Kochi

Dr Vijaya Mohan S - Kochi

Dr. Chako Cyriac - Ernakulam

Dr. Rajesh Simon - Ernakulam

Dr. Jose Tharayil - Ernakulam

Dr. Vijaya Mohan S. - Kochi

#### Pathology - General

Dr Bindu R - Calicut

Dr. Pushpa Mahadevan -  
Ernakulam

Dr Latha K. Abraham - Kochi

Dr. Sudha Haridas - Edakkad

#### Paediatric - Neonatology

Dr Naveen Jain - Trivandrum

Dr Jyothi Prabhakar - Trivan-  
drum

Dr Jesson C Unni- Kochi

Dr. Joice Francis - Kochi

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# South India's healthcare revolution

South India's healthcare revolution is transforming lives with advanced medical facilities, innovative technologies, and accessible care, setting new standards in global healthcare excellence.

**S**outh India has become a beacon of healthcare excellence in India, drawing attention for its remarkable progress in the field over the past few decades. The states of Tamil Nadu, Kerala, Karnataka, Andhra Pradesh, and Telangana have each played significant roles in transforming healthcare accessibility, affordability, and quality, making the region a model for the rest of the country.

## Public Health Infrastructure and Policies

One of the cornerstones of South India's healthcare revolution is its robust public health infrastructure. Tamil Nadu, for instance, has been a leader in implementing effective public health policies. The state's pioneering "Dr. Muthulakshmi Reddy Maternity Benefit Scheme," aimed at improving maternal and child health, has been instrumental in reducing maternal mortality rates. Tamil Nadu's government hospitals are renowned for their high standards of care, with many offering free or highly subsidized treatment.

Kerala, often hailed as a model

state for its human development indicators, has one of the highest life expectancy rates in India. This achievement is largely attributed to its strong focus on primary healthcare and its effective public health delivery system. The state has a high density of health centers, and a network of community health workers, known as ASHA (Accredited Social Health Activist) workers, who play a vital role in ensuring last-mile delivery of health services.

## Private Sector Involvement

South India's healthcare success is not solely due to public sector initiatives; the private sector has also played a crucial role. Karnataka, and particularly its capital Bengaluru, has emerged as a hub for advanced medical care, housing numerous world-class hospitals and research institutions. The city is known for its healthcare innovation, with many private players investing in cutting-edge technology and specialized care, attracting patients from across the globe for medical tourism.

Andhra Pradesh and Telangana have also seen significant growth in private healthcare, with cities like

Hyderabad becoming centers for medical excellence.

## Medical Education and Research

South India is also a leader in medical education and research, with numerous prestigious medical colleges and research institutions. The Christian Medical College in Vellore, Tamil Nadu, and the Kasturba Medical College in Manipal, Karnataka, are among the top medical institutions in the country. These institutions have not only produced some of the finest medical professionals but have also been at the forefront of medical research.

## Innovations in Health Technology

The region has been at the cutting edge of health technology and innovation. Bengaluru, often dubbed the "Silicon Valley of India," has seen the rise of numerous health-tech startups that are revolutionizing the healthcare delivery system. These startups are leveraging technologies like artificial intelligence, telemedicine, and mobile health apps to provide solutions that are scalable, affordable, and accessible, particularly in rural areas where healthcare access remains a challenge.

## Challenges and the Way Forward

Despite these achievements, South India faces challenges, such as addressing the healthcare needs of its aging population and combating non-communicable diseases like diabetes and hypertension, which are on the rise. Moreover, ensuring equitable healthcare access across urban and rural areas remains an ongoing challenge.

In conclusion, South India's healthcare revolution is a multifaceted success story that combines effective public health policies, strong private sector participation, excellence in medical education, and cutting-edge technological innovation.