



DERMAZONE SOUTH 2023

CUTICON PUDUCHERRY 2023

DATE

OCT - 13th to 15th

VENUE

INDIRA GANDHI MEDICAL COLLEGE &
RESEARCH INSTITUTE,
VAZHUDAVUR ROAD, KATHIRKAMAM,
PUDUCHERRY - 605 009

WELCOME

GREETINGS,

It gives us immense pleasure to invite you to DERMAZONE SOUTH 2023, the 25th South Zonal Conference of IADVL along with annual state conference CUTICON Puducherry to be held on **October 13th -15th 2023**, in Puducherry a city of peace, heritage, spirituality and exotic beaches, popularly known as "The little French town in India". The conference is being hosted by IADVL Puducherry and will be conducted at Indira Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute, Puducherry.

The programme is well arranged and intends to discuss the most recent innovations, trends, and concerns as well as practical challenges encountered, and solutions adopted in the diversified field of Dermatology. Pre-conference workshops on interesting topics will be held on **12th October 2023**. The 'knowledge' which gets crystallized into 'wisdom' at meetings like this is the way forward for the future generation. The Organizing Committee is working hard to put together an educational and scientific program for what will be an academic extravaganza. We are also planning exciting cultural events for entertainment of delegates and their family members. Our aim is to provide you a memorable experience at an affordable rate.

On behalf of the Organising Committee of the IADVL Puducherry, it is our proud privilege to extend our cordial welcome to all and we look forward to your active participation in making 25th DERMAZONE SOUTH 2023 at Puducherry a successful and enriching experience.

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PROGRAMME HIGHLIGHTS

Preconference workshops: Workshops on hair transplantation and LASERS in dermatology at affordable rate.

Unveiling novelty: Delegates will get sensitized with novel techniques in procedural dermatology as part of conference CME

Diverse Topics: The conference will be an academic fiesta including plenary sessions, orations and panel discussions covering a wide range of topics like cosmetic dermatology, pediatric dermatology, procedural dermatology and more.

Uniqueness: The conference and workshops are themed on Procedural dermatology and dermatology therapeutics without emptying your pockets.

Collaborative learning with the stalwarts.

Hospitality: The delegates will experience extravagant and sumptuous banquet at the city with glimpses of French heritage and its spirituality.

Emerging trends: Conference will provide the delegates an update on emerging trends in dermatological therapeutics.

Resource persons: Delegates will benefit from the academic deliberations by renowned Dermatologists and pioneers in each field.

Research presentations: Researchers and practitioners can showcase their clinical and research work through oral presentations and poster sessions.

Youth focus: Conference actively encourages and supports the participation of young dermatologists (postgraduate students) by allocating award paper sessions and quiz program

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"Give time a Break". Living up with the motto of the town, the sessions are paced leisurely to provide ample time to the delegates for better absorption in a relaxed manner.

NB: Last date for abstract submission for oral and poster presentation is September 15th, 2023. For abstract submission guidelines please visit www.dermazonesouth2023.com

ABOUT PUDUCHERRY



Puducherry is a popular tourist destination with its panoramic beaches and quaint French colonial buildings. The climate is expected to be pleasant in the month of October. The place is well connected with major cities via road, air and rail transport.

- Puducherry airport: Daily flights to and from Hyderabad and Bangalore
- Major airport – Chennai (140 Km from Puducherry)
- Puducherry railway station – Train service from all major cities

Places To Visit In Puducherry!

Manakula Vinayagar Temple

Manakula Vinayagar Temple - This iconic temple of Puducherry is one of a kind temple dedicated to Lord Ganesha which is very close to the heart of Puducherrians and easily the people's favourite temple in town.

Known for its unique history and regarded as one of the powerful shrines in Puducherry where people make mandatory visits before all their major events in life.

Step in for a beautiful spiritual experience and to take back a piece of Puducherry with you with unique souvenirs available at the petty shops in front of the temple.



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Sri Aurobindo Ashram

- Situated in the heart of Puducherry, Sri Aurobindo Ashram is a spiritual community founded by Sri Aurobindo and his disciple, The Mother. The ashram provides a serene environment for meditation, self-reflection, and spiritual growth.
- Explore the ashram's premises, visit the Samadhi (final resting place) of Sri Aurobindo and The Mother, and learn about their teachings and philosophy.



Rock beach



Rock Beach, often referred to as the Promenade Beach or Puducherry Beach is a beachfront located along the Bay of Bengal. The coastline of this beach is 1.5 km long and starts at the War Memorial built at the beginning of the beach, while ends at the Dupleix Park built at the Goubert Avenue. It is a popular tourist attraction in Puducherry known for its scenic beauty and tranquil atmosphere.

Auroville – City of Dawn

- A unique and experimental township, Auroville is around 10 kilometres from Puducherry.
- Founded on unity, peace, and sustainable living principles, Auroville is home to people from different cultures and backgrounds. The Matrimandir, a magnificent golden spherical structure, is a popular attraction within Auroville.



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Chunnambar Boat House

- Chunnambar is a quaint little hamlet located along Cuddalore Main Road, around 8 km from Puducherry. This serene town is visited by tourists for its beach, which is known as Paradise Beach, situated near the mouth of the backwater. With pristine sand and crystallised water, it is a perfect place for one to spend a day out playing water sports and bathing in the sun.
- A short cruise is also organised for the visitors which gives them a fantastic overall view of the serene beauty of the waters.



Thirukameswarar Temple



Constructed in the 12th century by a Chola King, Kokilambigai Thirukameeswarar Temple in Puducherry is a divine abode that radiates tranquillity, spirituality, and architectural grandeur. Situated in the city's heart, this temple holds immense religious significance and attracts devotees and tourists from all walks of life.

- With its rich history, sacred ambience, and serene surroundings, the Kokilambigai Thirukameeswarar Temple offers a captivating experience that will leave a lasting impression on your heart and soul.

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Pondy Marina

- Pondy Marina is a recently developed, another feather to the cap of beaches in Puducherry where you could enjoy the scenic beauty of the sea along with great food. It has a wide range of games to keep your kids entertained and to rekindle the child in you.



Sacred Heart Basilica



South Boulevard Puducherry, The Basilica of Sacred Heart of Jesus was built in 1907 by architect Rev. Fr. Telesphore Welter. The Gothic structure of Sacred Heart Basilica in Puducherry, a pilgrimage for Roman Catholics, is one of the 21 Basilicas in India. It displays some of the greatest saints devoted to Jesus in 28 glass paintings in the church

Botanical Garden

- Situated near the city centre, the Botanical Gardens is a well-maintained garden showcasing various plant species. The park features numerous trees, flowering plants, and a musical fountain. It's a perfect spot for a stroll or a picnic amidst nature



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Arikamedu Archaeological Site

- For history enthusiasts, a visit to Arikamedu is highly recommended. Situated around 7 kilometres from Puducherry, it is an archaeological site providing insights into the ancient Roman trade in the region. Explore the ruins, see remnants of pottery, and learn about the site's historical significance (PS : Few scenes of the historical movie PS 2 and few other movies were shot here)



White Town – FRENCH COLONY



White Town, also known as the French Quarter, is a picturesque neighbourhood nestled along the pristine coastline of Puducherry in South India. With its cobblestone streets, colourful colonial buildings, and a distinct French influence, White Town is a captivating destination that transports you to a bygone era.

Nehru Street

- One of Puducherry's greatest shopping destinations, Nehru Street Market has it all, from modest hand cart merchants to opulent boutiques. Everything is offered here, from tiny home items to apparel. Accessories such as jewellery, stoles, and accessories will capture your eye and entice you to purchase the ones you want.



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Eden Beach

- Flaunting super clean surroundings with sparkling white sand, Eden Beach in Chinna Veerampattinam is a proud blue flag-certified beach in Puducherry. It is located 7 km from the White Town area. The backwaters of the Chunnambar river and thick palm groves offer a panoramic view.



Pichavaram -Mangrove forest



Nestled along the shimmering shores of the Bay of Bengal, Pichavaram invites you to a world of pure enchantment and mesmerising beauty. A 30-minute drive from the holy temple town of Chidambaram, this coastal village is home to the world's second-largest mangrove forest, the Pichavaram Mangrove.

- With the Vellar River and Coleroon River embracing its borders, the backwaters of Pichavaram are a wonderland of exotic birdlife and mesmerising wilderness.

Ruins of Alamparai fort

- Built as a fortress to keep away sea invaders, the Alamparai was once a thriving port and mint, commissioned by the Nawab of Carnatic —Dost Ali Khan—in the mid-1700s. A walk around the grounds will reveal crumbling edifices, intricate steps and watchtowers that nature has claimed as its own.



REGISTRATION DETAILS

	Early Bird (Upto 31 Aug 23)	Regular (Upto 15 Sep 23)	Spot (From 15 Sep 23)
IADVL LMs/ ALMs	Rs. 7,000	Rs. 8,200	Rs. 11,000
PLMs	Rs. 5000	Rs. 5,300	Rs. 8,000
Accompanying Persons	Rs. 5,000	Rs. 6,000	Rs. 7,000
Workshop (Hall A or B)	Rs. 2,000	Rs. 2,500	Rs. 3,000

*Registration fees (inclusive of 18% GST)

Postgraduates should provide a Bonafide letter from the Head of the Department.

Please visit dermazonesouth2023.com for registration.

VENUE



- INDIRA GANDHI MEDICAL COLLEGE & RESEARCH INSTITUTE was established by the Government of Puducherry in 2010. The College has a sprawling campus located centrally in the city of Puducherry.
- There are three auditoriums in college block with ample seating capacity and spacious parking facility.



Address:

- Indira Gandhi Medical College & Research Institute Vazhudavur Road, Kathirkamam, Puducherry - 605 009.

[**Click here for directions**](#)

IMPORTANT DATES TO NOTE

Early bird registration closes on **August 31st**

Abstract submission closes on **September 15th**

Pre-conference Workshops on **October 12th**

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