

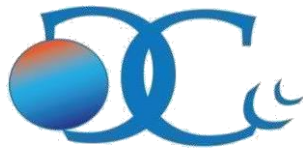
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## World Hepatitis Day

Date: July 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 Time: 4.00 PM – 5.00 PM (IST)  
*Auditorium DCCC IISc. - 3.30 PM to 4.00 PM High Tea*

Timings	Agenda	Faculty
4:00 PM– 4:05 PM	Welcome Speech	Prof. S.K Satheesh / Prof. J Srinivasan
	Introduction of Speaker & Moderating	Prof. Dr. H Paramesh
4:05 PM– 4:35 PM	<b>“Measures to Prevent Hepatitis: A Social Concern”</b>	<b>Dr. R. Kannan</b> MBBS, MD, DNB, DM, FRCP Paediatric Gastroenterologist, Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain Hospital
4:35 PM –4:40 PM	Q & A / Remarks by Moderator	
4:40 PM –4:55 PM	Take on Monthly Environment & Health Issues (World Population Day)	Prof. Dr. H Paramesh
4.55 PM –5.00 PM	Vote of thanks Group picture of participants	Dr. Joshitha Sankam Co-ordinator

*Prof. H Paramesh*  
*Organiser*  
*Visiting Prof. DCCC IISc.*  
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## **SEMINAR NOTICE**

**Title: "Measures to prevent Hepatitis: A Social Concern"**

**Speaker: Dr. R Kannan MBBS,MD, DNB, DM, FRCP**

Paediatric Gastroenterologist, Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain Hospital

**Date: 27<sup>th</sup> July 2023 (Thursday)**

**Time: 4.00 - 5.00 PM**

**Venue: DCCC Auditorium, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, D314.**

**Coffee/Tea: 3.30 - 4.00PM**

### **Speaker Bio: -**

Dr. R Kannan MBBS,MD, DNB, DM, FRCP, He did his MBBS from Stanley Medical College and Hospital Chennai in 1986 and did his MD and DNB in Pediatrics and DM in Gastroenterology in 1992 in Mumbai. Received Fellowships at Royal College of Physician UK and Fellowship in Gastroenterology. He is the well known pediatric gastroenterologist practicing at Bhagwan Mahaveer Jain Hospital, Meenakshi Hospital, Sagar Hospital and Green view Medical Centre and has 32 years of experience in treating viral Hepatitis and other chronic gastrointestinal diseases. He has many awards and scientific papers for his credit and has special training in Endoscopic Retrograde Cholangiopancreatography

### **Abstract: -**

World Hepatitis Day is celebrated on July 28<sup>th</sup> in honour of Dr. Baruch Blumberg's birthday who discovered Hepatitis "B" virus in 1967 and developed vaccine in 1969. Hepatitis B is the preventable most common serious liver infection spreads by direct contact of infected blood and body fluid. Two billion people have been infected and 300 million people are living with chronic hepatitis infection. 1 million people die each year. Testing is the only way to know for sure if you are infected. Blumberg Institute for research started in 2003, Nearly 30 scientists working on chronic hepatitis, liver cancer in a conducive environment for interaction. During the talk the author will discuss other causes of hepatitis infection like hepatitis A,C,D,E and other causes followed by preventive measures.

All are welcome!