



INDIAN MEDICAL ASSOCIATION: ASSAM STATE BRANCH

REPORT OF HON. STATE SECRETARY FOR 160th SWC

VENUE: PRAKRITI RESORT, POBITORA, MORIGAON

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1. **159th SWC Meeting of IMA ASB:** On 11th September 2022, 159th SWC Meeting was held at Barpeta organized by IMA Barpeta Road Branch. 35 members from different local branches were present in the meeting.



2. On 16th October 2022 **IMA CGP Assam State Faculty Annual Conference** was held at Refresko, Nagaon with day long programme. The Conference was very successful with the agenda on **Diabetes update program for family physicians** where many reputed speakers of Assam enlightened the audience with recent advances on Diabetes. A good number of participants attended the programme.



3. **PROJECT SWYAM** - Under the "PROJECT SWYAM" awareness programme on CA Cervix and Breast were organized by IMA Bongaigaon, IMA Tezpur, IMA Assam State Branch, IMA Tinsukia Branch and IMA North Lakhimpur Branch amongst the rural women on 21st and 30th October 2022.



4. **PAN INDIA ANAEMIA DETECTION CAMP**- As per direction of National MPH, Anaemia detection Camp were organized by IMA Assam State Branch at Tinsukia on 30/09/2022 and IMA Cachar branch at Cachar on 28/10/2022. Students from Class 8 to 10 were tested for haemoglobin and iron tablets were distributed amongst the students. Both the camps were very successful.



5. **IMA AMS ASSAM STATE BRANCH** received the **Best Branch Award for the year 2021-22** and Chairman of IMA AMS ASB Dr. Sarbeswar Borah received **Chairman's/ Secretary's appreciation Award** for his exemplary contribution to IMA AMS during the year 2021-22. The Awards were presented to Dr. S Borah at IMA AMS National Conference 2022 held at kolkata on 5th and 6th November 2022.

6. **World Diabetes Day**- On 14th November 2022, World Diabetes Day was observed by IMA Tinsukia, Barpeta Road and North Lakhimpur Branch.

7. **MOU with Assam Down Town University** - On Doctors Day 2022 held at Srimanta Sankardev Kalakshetra, Guwahati, Dr. N N Dutta MD AdtU announced to offer AdtU Chikitsak Sahitik Bota to one of the creative medical professionals who have contributed greatly in their respective fields and literature. IMA ASB decided to rename the existing Literary Excellence Award as the "IMA ASB AdtU (Assam Down Town University) literary excellence award as approved by the 159th SWC held at Barpeta Road. A formal "MOU signing ceremony was held on 27th November 2022 at AdtU, Panikhaiti along with transfer of Rs. 5 lakh to IMA ASB Account as corpus fund for the award. The meeting was attended by State President Dr. Satyajit Borah, Dr. Pranab Kr. Sarmah, Dr. A. K. Bhattacharya, Dr. D C Borbora, State Secretary Dr. Sikha Sarma, Dr. Hemanga Baishya, Dr. Prasant Kr. Agarwal and Dr. Jaysankar Das.

8. **Worlds AIDS Day** - On 1st December 2022, Worlds AIDS Day was observed by IMA Tezpur, Sibsagar, Cachar and Tinsukia Branch.

9. **IMA CGP ASSAM STATE FACULTY** selected as **IMA CGP BEST STATE FACULTY AWARD**. State President Dr. Satyajit Borah received "**BEST DEDICATION TO IMA CGP ACTIVITIES AWARD**. Both the

awards were presented to Dr. Satyajit Borah at GPCON 2022 held at Chennai on 3rd & 4th December 2022.

10. Scientific Activities - CMEs on different topics organized regularly by IMA Guwahati, Tezpur, Tinsukia, North Lakhimpur, Biswanath, Mangaldai and Bongaigaon branches.

10. IMA ASB ELECTION for 2023-25 - The Election procedure started from 30th September. As per information from Election officer Dr. Manabendra Goswami, the posts of Hon. State Secretary and Hon. Finance Secretary are selected uncontested for the year 2023-25. There will be election for President and Vice Presidents posts of IMA ASB.

12. IMA National Awards 2022- Like last year, this year too IMA Assam State Branch has bagged many IMA National Awards in different categories like

1. Dr. Tarun Roy Choudhury of Barpeta Road Branch has been selected for the prestigious **IMA DR. M G GARG All Time Achievement Award for outstanding & distinguished Services.**

2. Dr. F R Choudhury of Tezpur Branch has been selected for **IMA National President's Award for Life Long Services to IMA.**

3. Dr. Santanu Lahkar of Dibrugarh Branch has been selected "**IMA National President's Appreciation Award for Best adjudged President of a Local Branch**".

4. Dr. Apurba Kr. Bhattacharya of Guwahati Branch has been selected for **IMA Dr. C.L. Jhaveri Individual Award for Safe Motherhood.**

5. Dr. Kamala Deka of Dibrugarh Branch has been selected for the **IMA Dr. Ramachandra N. Moorthy Award in Psychiatry.**

6. Dr. Manash Pratim Baruah of Guwahati Branch has been selected for **IMA Dr. Deepak Banarjee Award for Best Published Paper in JIMA.**

7. Dr. Prerna Keshan of Tinsukia Branch has been selected for **IMA Dr. Jagadiswari Mishra oration Award.**

8. Dr. Ranabir Paul of Cachar Branch has been selected for "**IMA National President's Appreciation Award**" for his services to IMA .

9. Dr. Amal Dev Goswami of Guwahati Branch has been selected for "**IMA National President's Appreciation Award for Best adjudged Secretary of a Local Branch**".

10. Dr. Abhijit Neog of Guwahati Branch has been selected for "**IMA National President's Appreciation Award**" for his crusade against fake doctors.

11. Dr. Arijit Romu Baruah of Jorhat Branch has been selected for "**IMA Dr. C T Thakkar Award for Young doctors**".

12. IMA Cachar Branch has been selected for the "**IMA National President's Appreciation Award for organising Community Services during the year 2021-22**".

13. Transfer of Members - Many members requested to change their local branches for change of their work places. Till now Dr. Pinaki Chakraborty and Dr. Dwijen Das are transferred from Cachar to Tezpur Branch; Dr. Dayananda Goswami of Gohpur Branch is transferred to Rangapar Branch. Process is going on for other 4 members.

2 members from Dispur Branch are transferred to IMA Bengal Branch and one member from Direct Branch is transferred to IMA Bihar Branch.

14. **Membership Drive** - Another 36 members added to Membership list of IMA Assam State Branch during the period January 2022 to October 2022.

With these words, I conclude my report and I thank everyone for your active support and guidance. I wish your active cooperation and guidance in the coming days too.

Long Live IMA

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sikha Sarma', written in a cursive style.

Dr. Sikha Sarma

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