

# 10TH BIENNIAL CONGRESS OF THE ASIA PACIFIC PEDIATRIC CARDIAC SOCIETY



"Beyond Boundaries: Pioneering Pediatric & Congenital Cardiac Care Worldwide"

**SAVE** THE DATE 11-13 April, 2025 Pearl Continental, Lahore, Pakistan



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#### Dear friends and colleagues,

On behalf of the organizing committee, We extend our warmest greetings and invite you to attend the upcoming Asia Pacific Pediatric Cardiac Society Congress in Lahore, Pakistan. The congress will be taking place from 11th to 13th of April 2025.

The upcoming Congress will emphasize the solid scientific foundations established in previous Asia Pacific Congresses, with a range of special themes covering all aspects of cardiac care. There will be a special focus on Acute Rheumatic Fever and Rheumatic Heart Disease, bringing together an array of experts such as surgeons, anesthesiologists, intensivists, nurses, geneticists, molecular scientists, interventionists, and pediatric and adult cardiologists. This Congress represents a major international scientific event for the community, providing an opportunity to review and highlight recent research achievements and technological advancements. Additionally, it has an important public policy objective, seeking to remind our constituencies that children with heart disease should have access to modern medical science. Our vision is to utilize the Congress as a platform to extend cardiac care to underprivileged children particularly in the Asia Pacific region.

Pakistan is a South Asian country with a rich cultural heritage and stunning natural beauty, and we are proud to host the congress in our beautiful country. The congress is scheduled to be held in the vibrant city of Lahore, the cultural capital of Pakistan, which is renowned for its historical landmarks, culinary delights, and hospitality. Lahore has a rich history and is home to several historic landmarks, including the Lahore Fort, the Badshahi Mosque, and the Shalimar Gardens, which are UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

The congress will be a premier gathering of esteemed professionals in the field of pediatric cardiology from the Asia Pacific region and beyond, providing a unique opportunity for participants to exchange knowledge, share best practices, and collaborate on cutting-edge research in the field of pediatric cardiac care. We hope you will join us in Lahore to be a part of this exciting event and experience the city's renowned hospitality. Warm Regards,



Prof. Dr.Masood Sadiq Chairperson



Prof. Dr. Muhammad Asim Khan General Secretary



Prof. Dr. Zahid Amin Patron



Dr. Asif Hasan (Cardiac Surgery) Patron



Sir. Shakeel Ahmed Qureshi Patron



Prof. Dr. Kalimuddin Aziz Chief Patron

### About the meeting

The Asia Pacific Congress in 2025 aims to address the challenges faced in managing children and adolescent with heart disease. The event will bring together clinicians, policy developers, managers, and pioneers to discuss clinical problems and collaborate with health systems to improve cardiac care for children. The congress also aims to engage political leaders and emphasize the importance of providing medical advancements to children with heart disease. With the participation of renowned international faculty in pediatric congenital cardiology and cardiac surgery, the Congress is expected to officer an exceptional program.

#### Scientific Programme

- ★ To discuss the current emerging trends in pediatric cardiology and cardiac surgery with special focus on issues specific to Asia Pacific Region, current guidelines in the diagnosis and treatment of heart diseases in children and current guidelines in the diagnosis and treatment of heart diseases in children.
- ★ To present innovations and best practices that can provide new solutions to old problems and outcome based researches that has an impact in the management of pediatric cardiac diseases.

We invite you to suggest topics with speakers from your country based on the following themes:

- ☆ Cardiac Surgery (Congenital and
- ☆ Valvular) Interventional Cardiac
- ☆ Catheterization Imaging, ECHO, CT, MRI
- ☆ Fetal Cardiology
- ☆ Pulmonary Hypertension
  - ☆ Acquired Heart Disease especially ARF

- ☆ Arrhythmias
- ☆ Adult Congenital Heart Disease
- ☆ RHD Preventive Cardiology
- ☆ Cardiac Critical Care

#### About Pakistan



Pakistan is a South Asian country with diverse geography, established in 1947, with a population over 230 million people. It has a rich history and a mix of mountains, plains, and a coastline along the Arabian Sea. Islamabad is the capital city, while Karachi is the largest metropolis and economic hub.



## About Lahore & City Tour



Lahore, Capital of Punjab in Pakistan, is a culturally rich city with historical landmarks like Badshahi Mosque and Lahore Fort showcasing the grandeur of Mughal architecture. Lahore is also famous for its culinary delights, traditional markets, and festivals, making it a prominent center for arts, literature, and festivities in Pakistan.



# Venue: Pearl Continental Hotel

Pearl-Continental Hotels & Resorts is Pakistan's leading 5-Star hotel chain with eight hotels across the country. Pearl-Continental Hotel Lahore defines high standards of hospitality, offering meeting venues with warm and resourceful service. With a wide variety of well-equipped 09 Conference Halls, 13 Conventional Facilities and 605 exquisite guest rooms and suites.





# Asia Pacific Pediatric Cardiac Society

The Asia Pacific Pediatric Cardiac Society stands at the forefront of advancing pediatric cardiology in the dynamic and diverse Asia-Pacific region and it includes all other Pediatric societies in this region. The current office bearers of APPCS are as follow:

- President : Dr. Juan G. Reganion
- Secretary-General : Dr. Martha Socorro M. Santiago
- Asst. Secretary-General : Dr. Maria Theresa C. Rosqueta
- Program Director and Scientific Chair APPCS Virtual Learning Academy(2023-2025) : Dr. Jose Jonas D. Del Rosario

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### **Important Dates**

October 2024 - Closing Date of Abstracts 30th November 2024 - Provisional Program & Confirmation of Paper 31st December 2024 - Registration

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