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National Medical College Network (NMCN)
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Date: 21/02/2020

To

The HOD

Department of Neurology

JIPMER

Sub: Telemedicine – Video Conferencing CGR Session between JIPMER and SGPGIMS, Lucknow on
22nd February 2020 at 8:00 to 9:00 am - Reg.

This is to inform you that there will be Video Conferencing CGR Session will be held.

Date/Time: 22/02/2020 (Saturday) at 8:00 to 9:00 am

Topic: GAIT ASSESSMENT IN PATIENTS OF PARKINSONSIM

Summary: Every animal has a unique way of walking right from creatures like Amoeba, which uses pseudopodia to walk to the insects, who walk using six legs to the animals, who walk on all fours. Observing the locomotor patterns of animals is a matter of joy to the nature lovers as well as bird watchers. Humans have evolved gradually from quadrupedal way of walking to a bipedal kind of gait. We have gained on the better use of hands in this way and lost on certain fronts like balance to a certain extent in this process.

Gait assessment is an intriguing, yet often neglected part of Neurological examination. However, lots of insights on the clinical diagnosis of patients can be drawn on simple observation of their gait patterns. This holds true for the patients of Parkinson's disease and related disorders as well. Considering the fact that Parkinson's disease constitutes the second most common neurodegenerative disease worldwide, gait assessment in these patients can be a simple bedside test for giving a clue to their diagnosis.

Between: SGPGIMS, Lucknow – KEM, Mumbai – AIIMS, Delhi – NEIGRIHMS, Shillong – IMS, BHU, Varanasi
– TMC, Trivandrum - IGMC Shimla, – JIPMER, Puducherry.

Venue : Telemedicine Center, Department of Plastic Surgery, 4th Floor, SSB Block, JIPMER.

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Kindly find the details of the programme as follows

Kindly inform Faculty and Residents to attend.

Thanking you,

Yours Sincerely,

Prof Dr Ravi Kumar Chittoria
Head of IT Wing & Telemedicine