



Precisely Presidential

Dear members,

We are happy to come up with this brand new version of our IADVL WB Newsletter, Skintellect.

We had three earlier versions in 2001, 2005 and 2017.

Out of these except for the 2017 avatar others were hard copies.

From now on we will come up with a new issue every month showcasing all the meeting notices and agenda, minutes, resolutions, activities, announcements, photos etc., of IADVL Wb and its units.

This will be updated and archived on the website every month for any ready reference in the future.

Through this we will update members about all the activities that we initiate and execute.

I wish the team Skintellect a great time and assure all our reader members that we won't upload a single boring issue.

Happy reading.

*Dr. Koushik Lahiri
President
IADVL WB*



In this month

- 1. All the past presidents and secretaries of IADVL WB were felicitated. It was an delightful and emotional evening at hotel The Park, Kolkata.*
- 2. First meeting and charge handover ceremony at IADVL WB, Office, Kolkata.*
- 3. We are proud to announce that a new IADVL unit "IADVL North Bengal" has just been founded. The President of the new unit, Dr. Arup De Sarkar has been felicitated by President of IADVL WB Dr. Koushik Lahiri*
- 4. Venue visit for Midcuticon at Kalyani Medical College*
- 5. Brush up CME for dermatology practitioners and PGs*



Secretary's desk

Dear Seniors, colleagues and juniors

On behalf of IADVL West Bengal family, it gives me immense pleasure to usher you all into the inaugural issue of SKINTELLECT, a monthly digital newsletter. In our effort to go green, we are doing our level best to revamp our digital presence in form of a fresh, vibrant and dynamic website and a number of activities to increase member outreach. I congratulate our young joint secretary Dr. Surajit Gorai and his team on their tireless efforts to materialise our news letter on a short notice. Under the constant guidance of our skipper Dr. Koushik Lahiri and other senior members of IADVL WB executive council, we are trying to carry out initiatives for the members, by the members in form of academic and non-academic endeavours. Your love and support will only motivate us to charter the harder terrains.



Humbly yours,

*Dr. Kingshuk Chatterjee
Honorary Secretary (2022-24)*

[Summer skin care tips]

Dr Ismat Ara Khan, MCK

- 1. Use physical sun protection like umbrella, sun visor within the car, Protective clothings to cover the exposed body parts*
- 2. Use sunscreen every 3-4 hours*
- 3. Use cold water to clean your face few times if you need to stay outdoor*
- 4. In dry skin use moisturiser first and the apply sunscreen*
- 5. Let your skin breathe, so avoid using heavy makeup.*
- 6. A lip balm with spf*
- 7. The skin around the eyes is delicate. Wear sunglasses when going out in the sun*

From Editors desk, Skintellect

Dear esteemed members,

It is my pleasure to address you all as the Joint Secretary of our society IADVL WB. I hope this message finds you all in good health and spirits.



Our society plays a crucial role in advancing the field of dermatology through research, education, and community engagement. Our members are some of the most dedicated and skilled professionals in the industry, and I am honoured to be working alongside you all.

I would like to take this opportunity to remind our members of the importance of staying up-to-date with the latest developments in the field. As dermatology continues to evolve, it is crucial that we remain informed of new treatments, technologies, and practices. We as a team will try to exchange ideas, knowledge and wisdom in dermatology.

By working together, we can continue to drive the field forward and improve patient outcomes.

Finally, I want to express my gratitude for your continued support and dedication to our society. I am excited about the opportunities that lie ahead, and I look forward to working with you all to advance the field of dermatology.

Sincerely,

Dr Surajit Gorai
Editor, Skintellect,
The IADVL WB Monthly Newsletter
Joint Secretary, IADVL, WB

IADVL WB Mission and Vision statement

a) **Vision**

The vision of IADVL is to provide quality skin health for the community, continuing medical education to and advocacy on behalf of the members, speciality and patients.

b) **Mission**

☞ *Active advocacy for the welfare of its members and ensuring Continuing Medical Education, Research, for its members.*

☞ *Enhancing the quality of and enabling better delivery of patient care and patient education in the field of Dermatology including its subspecialties, Venereology & Leprology through medical and surgical modalities.*

☞ *Collaborate, Cooperate & Co-ordinate with Government, National and International organizations to enable the improvement in skin health of the community.*



Branch Exevutives 2023-24

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Summer Saga

Hydroa Vacciniforme: A rare disease to recollect

Dr Subhadeep Mallick, IPGMER

Dr Subhasmita Baisya, IPGMER

A rarity among reality Hydroa vacciniforme is a rare photosensitivity disorder of childhood. Sunlight clearly plays a role in the pathogenesis based on the induction of disease-specific lesions after photo-testing with repeated monochromatic or broad-spectrum ultraviolet radiation. It is considered a childhood disease with a bimodal incidence of early childhood (1 to 7 years old) and around or after puberty (12 to 16 years old).

Lesions typically begin as symmetrical, pruritic, or burning erythematous, clustered macules on photo distributed areas such as the face and dorsum of the hands. Uncommon presentations include ocular involvement, deformities of the ear and nose, or contractures of the fingers.

There have been no treatments proven to be unvaryingly successful. The current mainstay of treatment is symptomatic with topical steroid, antihistamine, strict sun protection with broad-spectrum sunscreens (UVA and UVB protection) and physical photo-protective measures.

Dermatology Brush Up 2.0 was organized by the Department of Dermatology, KPC Medical College and Hospital, under the auspices of IADVL West Bengal State Branch, on 23rd April 2023, at the auditorium of the host Institute. The program was attended by 96 delegates, and it was well received by all of them. The program was inaugurated by Dr Sudip Das, IADVL WB Academy Chairperson and Dr Kingshuk Chatterjee, Honorary Secretary, IADVL WB. It started at 9.30am and continued till 5pm.

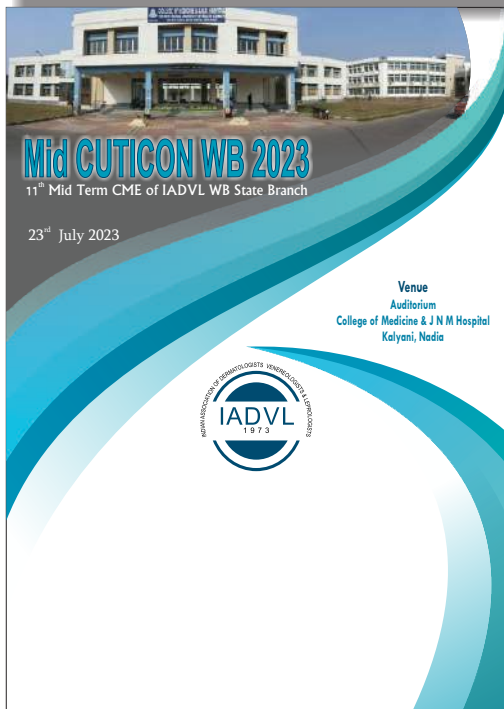
*Dr Sujata Sengupta
&
Dr Anupam Das*





MidCuticon Venue Visit

On 1st April 2023 the IADVL WB President Dr. Koushik Lahiri and Academy chair Dr. Sudip Das visited the state of the art conference hall at the JNM Medical college. Dr. Nilay Sinha and Dr. Partha Mukherjee of the department of Dermatology College of Medicine and JNM Hospital, Kalyani has been entrusted with the responsibility to organise a conference to remember. The team Kalyani is ready and will spread red carpet to welcome the delegates of the conference.



REGISTRATION FEES

Category	1/02/2023	1/4/2023	10/7/2023
	31/3/2023	10/7/2023	On Spot
Life Member	₹ 1200/-	₹ 1500/-	₹ 2500/-
Accom Person	₹ 1000/-	₹ 1200/-	₹ 1500/-
PG Student	₹ 1000/-	₹ 1200/-	₹ 1500/-
Cancellation/Refund	50%	25%	NIL

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North Bengal Chapter of IADVL WB inaugurated on 12 April 2023

