

# PRE CONGRESS WORKSHOP

## A Deep Dive into Snakebite and Envenomation

26th July 2026 | 08:10 Hrs -13:30 Hrs

Number of participants: 60

TIME	TOPIC	SPEAKER
07:30 - 08:10 Hrs	Registration	
08:10 - 08:30 Hrs	Prehospital care and prevention of snake envenoming - the role of brief interventions	<b>Prof. Kavinda Dayasiri</b> University of Kelaniya, Sri Lanka
08:30 - 08:50 Hrs	Syndromic approach to snake envenomation	<b>Prof. Ashish Balla</b> Post Graduate Institute of Medical Education and Research, Chandigarh, India
08:50 - 09:10 Hrs	Diagnostics of envenoming and the role of point-of-care tests	<b>Prof. Anjana Silva</b> Rajarata University of Sri Lanka, Sri Lanka
09:10 - 09:30 Hrs	Challenges in the clinical management of paediatric snake envenoming	<b>Dr. Udaya De Silva</b> Teaching Hospital Anuradhapura, Sri Lanka
09:30 - 09:50 Hrs	AKI in paediatric snake bite- The current paradigm	<b>Prof. Rajiv Sinha</b> Institute of Child Health, Kolkata, India
09:50 - 10:10 Hrs	HNV envenoming- to treat or not to treat?	<b>Prof. Indika Gawarammana</b> University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka
10:10 - 10:30 Hrs	Zero snakebite death initiative in Kerala	<b>Prof. Indira Madhavan</b> Govt Medical College, Thrissur, India
10:30 - 10:45 Hrs	Discussion	
10:45 - 11:15 Hrs	<b>Tea Break</b>	
11:15 - 13:15 Hrs	Four parallel workshops -30 minutes each. (Participants rotate through all stations)  <b>Station 1:</b> Emergency treatment of paediatric snake envenoming  <b>Station 2:</b> Management of anaphylaxis and antivenom reactions  <b>Station 3:</b> Clinical identification of snakes and syndromic identification of envenomation  <b>Station 4:</b> Pre-hospital care and prevention of paediatric snake bites	<b>Prof. Ashish Balla &amp; Dr. Sinnarajah Krishnapradeep</b> University of Peradeniya, Sri Lanka  <b>Prof. Indika Gawarammana &amp; Prof. Kavinda Dayasiri</b>  <b>Prof. Anjana Silva &amp; Dr. Udaya De Silva</b>  <b>Prof. Indira Madhavan &amp; Dr. Kasun Fernando</b> Base Hospital Balapitiya, Sri Lanka
13:15 - 13:30 Hrs	Discussion and Closure	
13:30 - 14:15 Hrs	<b>Lunch</b>	

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