



# GERIATRIC SOCIETY OF INDIA®

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**Dr. G. Subramanyam Reddy**  
*President*

**Dr. Om Prakash Sharma**  
*General Secretary & Hony. Editor*

Dear Colleagues,

The awareness and interest among medicos as well as paramedics about Geriatric Care is increasing day by day. The support from Government, NGOs and other philanthropists / organizations has also started pouring in. These developments are increasing the hopes of citizens also about receiving medical support in times of need.

The Rural Health Mission of Government of India and the Aao Gaon Chalen Project of Indian Medical Association has also given place to Geriatric Care. The all round efforts are to train the doctors and other geriatric care givers, to create awareness and also to impart education among elderly are in full swing. Our endeavor to sensitize medical men in this country for the medical and health needs of geriatric population of this country has started giving positive results but requires a continued thrust to achieve its goal. Please continue your support.

Long live GSI.



**Dr. Om Prakash Sharma**

### Fellowships of GERIATRIC SOCIETY OF INDIA®

Applications on plain paper are invited for the Award of Fellowships from the members of Geriatric Society of India. This application to be proposed and seconded by two fellows of GSI.

- 1. Eligibility : Life Membership**
  - a) Medical Members : More than five years
  - b) Non Medical Members : More than ten years
- 2. Contribution in the field of Geriatrics / Gerontology.**

**Last Date for applying** 20th September 2006.

Application on the prescribed proforma giving Life Membership No., year of joining GSI and other details with supporting enclosures.

The members selected as fellows will be informed immediately and will be required to pay Rs. 4000/- as fellowship fee plus Rs. 300/- Convocation Charges.

**Convocation** of the Newly Elected Fellows will be held during International Congress on Geriatric Care Organized by Geriatric Society of India on 15th October 2006 at Hotel Ashok, New Delhi.

**Attention All Members - inform your Email ID and Tel/Mobile Nos.**

### International Congress on Geriatric Care

October 14th - 15th 2006, Hotel Ashok, New Delhi

*for details, visit us at : <http://www.geriaticindia.com>*

## Notice for election of office bearers for the year 2006-07

Dear Member,

Nominations are invited on the prescribed format given below for following vacancies, which are to be filled with effect from April 2006.

*Patron***Dr. Vinod Kumar***President***Dr. G. S. Reddy***Past President***Dr. N. N. Asokan***President Elect***Dr. G. S. Sainani***Vice Presidents***Dr. P. S. Shankar****Dr. D.N. Moharana****Dr. S. R. Iyer****Mr. Jittender Kapoor***General Secretary***Dr. O.P. Sharma***Treasurer***Dr. M.P. Arora***Committee Members***Dr. S.N. Harsh****Dr. Moheet Sharma****Dr. R. K. Katharia****Dr. Nirad K. Gachhayat****Dr. Anil H. Raval***Co-opted***Dr. H. K. Chopra****Dr. B. B. Gupta****Dr. M. Sabir****Dr. Ajay Agarwal****Dr. I. P. Dhalla***Zonal Co-ordinators***Dr. S. B. Nagori(E)****Dr. Harbir Kaur Rao(C)****Dr. N. S. Neki (N)****Dr. Yogini Meisheri (W)****Dr. V. V. Haridas (S)**

- 1 President Elect : One
- 2 Vice Presidents : Four - One from Headquarters (Delhi), One from specialists Category, One from Family Physicians : One from Non-medical
- 3 General Secretary : One (Headquarters)
- 4 Treasurer : One (Headquarters)
- 3 Committee Members : Ten-Three from specialists, One from Family Physicians, One from non-medical
- 4 Five co-opted members.

Terms of office for each of the post is one year. Separate nominations should be made for each post. Nomination should be proposed and seconded by a valid member (who has no dues of the membership fee) and duly signed by the candidate so proposed, signifying his/her consent for the post. The nomination form duly completed in all respects should reach the undersigned by registered post/Courier latest by **01st April 2006**. For the sake of convenience I am putting down the last dates as below:-

- 1 The last date for receiving valid nominations **01st April 2006**. (in case there are more than one nominations for one post then within 10 days of the filing nominations, contestants will be informed by Registered Post/Telegram and in case any one wishes to withdraw one may withdraw by the last date of withdrawal.
- 2 The last date for withdrawals **16th April 2006**.
3. In case election is necessitated the ballot papers will be posted by the office by **21st April 2006**.
4. The last date of receipt of ballot papers by the office will be **02nd May 2006**.

If any member does not receive the ballot papers by **26th April 2006** one may inform the Secretary immediately so that ballot papers are sent by Speed Post immediately in case of election.

The nomination papers may be sent to the Society office in sealed cover and should be marked as "Nomination Papers - GSI Annual Election for the year 2006-07".

Dated. : 17-03-2006

Yours sincerely

Address: K-49, Green Park Main  
New Delhi - 11 0 01 6

**Dr. O. P. Sharma**  
General Secretary

**Note:-**

- 1 A member will have to serve for 2 years as Vice-President before being eligible to contest for President Elect.
2. A member should serve as Member of the Executive for one year before nomination for General Secretary and Treasurer (From Headquarter only).
- 3 A member is eligible for nomination for any one of the Executive posts.
- 4 A member is eligible for nomination to any executive office after completing 2 years as member of GSI.
- 5 A life member has voting right from the day he/she becomes a member. An ordinary member will have to be a member for a period of one year to become eligible for voting.

**NOMINATION FORM**

NAME OF THE CANDIDATE &amp; Mem. No. \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS OF THE CANDIDATE \_\_\_\_\_

EMAIL - ID &amp; TELEPHONE No. \_\_\_\_\_

POST \_\_\_\_\_

PROPOSER'S i) \_\_\_\_\_

(Name, Signature &amp; Mem. No.) \_\_\_\_\_

ii) \_\_\_\_\_

I agree to serve the Society, In my capacity for which I am elected with full integrity and honesty.

SIGNATURE OF CANDIDATE \_\_\_\_\_

**Secretariat**

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**Dr. G. Subramanyam Reddy**  
*President, GSI*

Dear Colleagues,

During my tenure as President of Geriatric Society of India, I have tried my best to fulfill some of the dreams of our members. I have organized a National Conference in which there was joint participation of Clinicians, Scientists, Care givers and nurses. I had received requests from members to have a forum like this on which all the people involved in Geriatric Care could be brought together. The assurances which I received from our politicians / leaders have also been put into realities. Now we have Geriatric Care Facilities in Pondicherry which is a trend setter in itself.



I am sure this will be further improvised in times to come. I am also confident of a Model Geriatric Institute in Pondicherry in near future, as promised by our Union Health Minister. The Government of Pondicherry has also expressed its willingness to give it all out support.

Friends keep supporting and participate actively in all activities of Geriatric Society of India so that we sensitize and update all our medical community in this country.

Long live GSI

**UPC**  
**NOTICE**

Dated : 17-03-2006

The **Annual General Body meeting** of Geriatric Society of India will be held on **Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> May 2006 at 02:00 PM** onwards at **Sharma Nursing Home, A-19-A, Kailash Colony, New Delhi - 110048.**

*The following will be the agenda for the meeting:*

1. Confirmation of Minutes of Last Annual General Body Meeting held at Hotel Vasant Continental, New Delhi on 13th June 2005.
2. Matters arising.
3. Presentation of Annual Report.
4. Future Scientific Programme of Geriatric Society of India.
5. Audited Accounts (on account of change over to financial year from calender year).
6. Constitutional amendments.
7. To finalize dates and venues of Annual Conference, Midterm Conference, AGM and Annual Convocation.
8. Any other matter with the permission of the chair.

The meeting will be preceded by lunch.

All members are requested to kindly attend the meeting.

**Dr. O. P. Sharma**  
 General Secretary

# International Congress on Geriatric Care - 2006

14th - 15th October 2006, Hotel Ashok, New Delhi

Organized by : Geriatric Society of India®

**Org. Chairperson**  
Dr. G. S. Sainani  
**Treasurer**  
Dr. M. P. Arora

**President, GSI**  
Dr. G. S. Reddy  
**Conference Secretaries**  
Dr. Ajay Agarwal

**Imm. Past President**  
Dr. N. N. Asokan  
  
Dr. B. B. Gupta

**Org. Secretary**  
Dr. O. P. Sharma  
  
Dr. R. K. Lalwani

## General Information

Saturday 14th.October 2006 9 AM. To 5 PM.

Sunday 15th.October 2006 9 AM. To 5 PM.

## Registration fee

	Upto 30th Jun.2006	Upto 15th Sept. 2006	Spot Reg.
1. Delegates	Rs. 1500/-	Rs. 2000/-	Rs. 2500/-
2. Spouses	Rs. 1500/-	Rs. 2000/-	Rs. 2500/-
3. P.G.Trainees/Nurses	Rs. 1000/-	Rs. 1500/-	Rs. 2000/-

**Registration Fee** May be paid by DD, drawn in favour of International Congress on Geriatric Care payable at New Delhi.

Cancellation : Refund on cancellation 50% only, up to 15th Sep. 2006

## Abstract Submission

15th August 2006 and 15th September 2006 for Poster Presentation  
(To present paper / poster; Registration is compulsory)

## Accommodation & Travel

NAAMS TOURS & TRAVELS, Ph. 26164282. Telefax : 26176202, E-mail : namms@del3.vsnl.net.in.

## Topics Being Covered

- Anti Ageing Medicines
- Renal Diseases
- Neurological Problems
- Rheumatology
- Nutrition
- Ophthalmology
- Cardiovascular Diseases
- Gastrointestinal Diseases
- Diabetes
- Family Medicine & Elderly
- Nursing Care
- Sexuality
- Respiratory Diseases
- Orthopaedic Problems
- Intensive Care
- Infections
- Life Style
- Psychosocial Problems



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### MEMBERSHIP FORM

I wish to join Geriatric Society of India as Life / Ordinary member and promise to abide by its rules and regulations

Full Name (block letters) ..... Age.....M/F

Qualification (with year & university) .....

Residential Address .....

..... Tel. : .....

Email .....

Office Address with designation .....

..... Tel. : .....

Category of Membership : Specialist / Family Physician / Non Medical

Membership fee : Life Member Rs. 3000/-

Amount remitted by Cash/Demand Draft/MO No. ....

Date.....

Signature of Applicant

Proposed by

Seconded by

Name .....

Name .....

Address .....

Address .....

Membership No .....

Membership No. ....