

Dr. Preetam Arthur

Degree: MD General Medicine,FRCP

Designation - Professor & Unit Chief, General Medicine

Clinical Trials Research:

Principal investigator

- Phase 3, Multicenter, Randomized, Double-Blind, comparative study of the efficacy and safety of intravenous Tigecycline vs.intravenous Levofloxacin to treat subjects hospitalized with community-acquired Pneumonia. Protocol Number TAF115226.
- A companion Glucose-6, phosphate dehydrogenase (G6PD) enzyme assay validation protocol to the study TAF112582
- TAF112582 A multi-centre, double blind, randomized, parallel group, active – controlled study to evaluate the efficacy, safety and tolerability of tafenoquine (SB252263, WR238605) in subjects with plasmodium vivax malaria
- GPL-CT/2011/010/III A Phase III. Randomized, Open Label. Non-Inferiority, Comparative, Parallel Group. Multicentric Study Between Fixed Dose Combinations of Fluticasone 250 ug Plus Formoterol 12 ug as DPI (capsules) (Test Drug) And Fluticasone 250 ug (Fluticaps 250 ug) Plus Formoterol 12jig (Foradil 12 ug) delivered via separate DPI's in a 12-week Treatment Period of Adolescent and Adult Subjects With Moderate – Severe Persistent Asthma
- The Feasibility of bi-directional screening (screening TB patients for DM, and DM patients for TB)

Co. investigator

- Phase IV drug trial. Use of Meropenem in the treatment of moderate infections. Study Number: IN/MEROENEM/01
- Phase3 trial, Multicenter, Randomized, Double- blind, Comparative study of the efficacy and safety to tigecycline vs

imipenem/ cilastatin for the treatment of subjects nosocomial
Pneumonia, Protocol Number: 3074A1-311-WW

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS:

1. Dr.G.Balagopal Endowment Lecture – 2017, API- Thiruchirapalli branch, 26th Nov, 2017
2. Certificate of Honor: Biochemistry - 1979, Physiology - 1979, Microbiology - 1981, Pathology - 1981, Community Health Medicine – 1982.
3. Underwent one week training in Statistics for Medical Doctors - conducted by ICMR - Aug 1999.
4. Underwent two weeks training in Controlled Clinical Trials - conducted by ICMR – 2000.
5. All India Medical Quiz - Conducted by APICON 2002, Chennai.
6. A member of winning team Professional Diploma in clinical research Sept 2007. Conducted by catalyst clinical services, Delhi.
7. Awarded FRCP (Glasgow) in January 2009.

MEMBERSHIP IN OTHER ASSOCIATIONS:

Life Member - Association of Physicians, India

Life Member - Indian Medical Council, India

MEMBERSHIP IN INTERNAL COMMITTEE SRU:

1. Phase 3 part 2 convenor MEU
2. PATC – chairman

Publications:

1. Ischaemic stroke with internal carotid artery occlusion following viper bite: a case report, Neurology Asia 2014; 19(2) : 191 – 193
2. Tafenoquine plus chloroquine for the treatment and relapse prevention of plasmodium vivax malaria: a multicenter double blind randomized phase 2b dose selection study, The Lancet, 2014, ISSN number 0140-6736

3. Escherichia coli sepsis as a precipitant of stress cardiomyopathy: a systematic review, Indian Heart Journal, 2014. ISSN number 0019-4832
4. Performance of BinaxNOW G6PD deficiency point-of-care diagnostic in P. vivaxinfected subjects, Am J Trop Med Hyg. 2015 Jan, Epub 2014 Nov 10.
5. Tuberculosis pseudoaneurysm of ascending aorta, British medical journal, 2015, Oct 6;2015.
6. Cannabinoid hyperemesis syndrome as an unusual cause of cyclic vomiting, Indian Journal of Psychiatry, 2016, ISBN no 0019-5545
7. Derivation and validation of a clinical prediction rule to identify low-risk acute pulmonary embolism, EUROPEAN HEART JOURNAL, 2016, ISBN no 0195-668X
8. Hypoxia as an independent predictor of right ventricular dysfunction and short term mortality in acute pulmonary embolism, EUROPEAN HEART JOURNAL, 2016, ISBN no 0195-668X
9. An unusual cause for altered sensorium - a case - Case report, Indian Journal of Scientific Research, 2017
10. Derivation and Validation of a Novel Prediction Model to Identify Low-Risk Patients With Acute Pulmonary Embolism, American Journal of Cardiology, 2017, ISBN no 0002-9149
11. Melioidosis presenting as septicaemia and facial nerve palsy, Bmj Case Reports, 2017, ISBN no 1757-790X
12. False positive immunoassay for acetyl choline receptor antibody (AChR Ab) in patients exposed to polyvalent antsnake venom, Journal of Neuroimmunology, 2017, ISBN no 0165-5728
13. A RARE CAUSE OF ACUTE FLACCID PARALYSIS, Journal of Evolution of Medical and Dental Sciences, 2017, ISBN no 2278-4748
14. Hypoxia as an independent predictor of adverse outcomes in pulmonary embolism, Asian Cardiovascular and Thoracic Annals, 2018, ISBN no 0218-4923
15. HLH - Unusual trigger and positive outcome, The Journal of The Association of Physicians of India, 2018, ISBN no 0004-5772
16. Study Of The Clinical And Etiological Profile Of Patients With Cerebral Venous Thrombosis, Journal of Evidence Based Medicine &

Healthcare, pISSN- 2349-2562, eISSN- 2349-2570/ Vol. 2/Issue 42/Oct. 19, 2015. Page 7395-7399

17. Study of the clinical profile of patients with CT proven acute pyelonephritis in a tertiary care hospital, Medico Research Chronicles, Medrech ISSN No. 2394-3971, 3 (1), Page no. 64-68, 2016