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Message From the President



FIMA held its 28th Annual Council Meeting in Jakarta, Indonesia from September 13-18th, 2011. A large number of delegates from 21 countries attended the meeting. The host Indonesian Islamic Medical Association and YARSI University held a two days scientific convention following FIMA meeting. The theme was "Geriatrics-in the paradigm of Islam". FIMA Lifetime Achievement Award of 2010 was presented to Dr. Mohammad Khan during the opening ceremony. It was indeed a mega task for the IIMA and YARSI University, under the able leadership of Dr. Jurnalis Uddin and his dedicated and professional team who assisted the FIMA delegates in travel and accommodation arrangements, in addition to organizing their own

Indonesian IMA hosts historic 28th FIMA Council Meeting and FIMA-IIMA-YARSI Scientific Convention in Jakarta

.The 28th FIMA Council meeting was held on 14-15th September 2011 at YARSI University, Jakarta, Indonesia. This historic meeting was attended by 98 delegates from 21 IMAs' and partners.

YARSI President, on behalf of IIMA Dr Jurnalis Uddin, cordially welcomed the delegates who accepted the invitation of IIMA and YARSI University to attend the 28th FIMA council meeting and IIMA-YARSI scientific convention. He briefed the details regarding program of 28th FIMA council meeting and IIMA-YARSI scientific program to be held on 16-17th September. Dr. Parvaiz Malik, FIMA President in his address thanked the delegates from IMAs and affiliates worldwide and said that

FIMA is Alhamdulillah now widely accepted and acknowledged at all levels. He informed the house of various FIMA projects and highlighted the efforts of FIMA relief, and gave an update on recent developments in Somalia medical relief. He was glad to share the news of Pakistan IMA doctors arriving in Mogadishu to work as the first team in the joint



Dr. Mohammad Khan recipient of FIMA Life Time Achievement Award of 2010 overwhelmed with emotions on his nomination

collaboration of FIMA-IMANA-Islamic Relief partnership to cover medical relief care in Somalia (IDP) camps for the following 12-18 months. He also highlighted various aspects of Gaza medical relief and Arab World popular movements including Egypt, Syria, Tunisia, Yemen, and Libya and relief services rendered by FIMA partners especially AMU. He also highlighted the FIMA Students Activities, Year Book, FIMA Save Vision, FIMA Save Smile and FIMA Save Dignity and mobile Mother and Child health projects. He admired the services of Dr. Susi Endrini, Prof. Jornalis Uddin, OC and SC and IIMA-YARSI University the local hosts; who offered unparalleled hospitality and kindness to host the FIMA council meeting. He also thanked IIMA for providing FIMA and all other IMAs and its delegates an opportunity to gather and unite at one platform to share ideas and to exchange knowledge and to jointly move ahead.

Dr Tanveer Zubairi, Secretary FIMA, read out the minutes of last 27th FIMA Council meeting held in Lebanon in 2010.

Dr Parvaiz Malik Presented the report of FIMA EXCO for the year 2010-2011: The report of Executive Director and treasurer were presented by Dr Aly Mishal.

Membership issues

IMA Nigeria and Thailand IMA were admitted as full members of IMAs. The IMA of Mauritania was admitted as an associate member

Reporting session

Report of 21 IMAs and associates were presented.

FIMA SAVE VISION

Dr. Hafeez ur Rehman presented the comprehensive report of FIMA Save Vision for the year 2010-2011. The number of eye surgeries has exceeded 55,000, in Africa and Asia. Many local ophthalmologists, nurses and technicians were trained to help maintaining the project by local hands. Collaboration and MOUs with WHO and other regional and local organizations have been functional and productive.

FIMA RELIEF

The report was presented by Dr. Ashraf Jedaar, Dr. Parvaiz Malik praised the FIMA relief team for their outstanding relief services for Haiti, Gaza, Sumatra earthquake, Flood relief in Pakistan and Somalia medical relief.

FIMA SAC, Students Activities

The report was presented by Dr. Salih Al Ansari (IMAKSA).

2. 9th Umrah camp and 14th Student camp will be communicated shortly, theme to be announced subsequently.

3. Regional camps to be held at the initiative of local IMAs and the regions.

4. Relief & other FIMA projects should incorporate students.

FIMA e-newsletter

The members of FIMA Council appreciated this effort and congratulated the team for its continuity and keeping the IMAs and individual members updated of the activities of FIMA and IMAs.

IMAs are requested to circulate the e-newsletters to their membership.

29th FIMA council meeting in 2012

The President FIMA told the house that IMAs of Malaysia, Nigeria and Jordan had made offers for 29th FIMA Council meeting 2012(EXCO to finalize after discussion with hosting IMAs)

FIMA WEBSITE

Dr. Musa presented the report of FIMA website and showed the Council members various updated pages and recent additions made to the website.

Dr. Musa also presented the report of Viva Palestina Malaysia and highlighted the efforts of Malaysian doctors and civil society in raising voice against Israeli oppression and breaking of Siege.

FIMA LIFE ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

It was proposed by FIMA President that EXCO has deliberated on this issue and has nominated Dr. Hafeez ur Rehman (PIMA) and Dr. Adnan Jaljuli (IMA of Jordan) for FIMA Life Time Achievement Award 2011 (to be awarded in 2012). The Council



Pakistani and Indian delegates during a lunch break with the young members of organizing committee

endorsed and approved the nomination. The Award will be served at the occasion of next FIMA council meeting in 2012.

Report of CIMCO presented by Prof Iqbal Khan.

Presentation was followed by discussion. Suggestion regarding addition of other schools from active IMAs and payment of annual subscription were made.

It was announced that a CIMCO meeting with presentations will follow the Council meeting.

Report of IHC was presented by Dr. Aly Mishal in his Exec. Director report.

(FIMA Global Relief : The Mission, Achievements and Moral Commitment)

FIMA year book 2010 will be ready prior to the end of 2011, Insha Allah.

Suggested Themes for FIMA Year Book 2011

- "Implementing Islamic Principles in health care"
(IHC to provide papers)

- "Geriatrics: Contemporary and Islamic Dimensions".

In the concluding session, Dr Parvaiz Malik thanked all the delegates for volunteering their time and energy to attend the FIMA Council meeting and scientific convention. He prayed for the success of endeavors of FIMA fraternity and their selfless efforts to please Allah Almighty.

The meeting ended with Dua and recitation from the holy Quran by Dr. Aly Mishal.



Dr. Ashraf Jedaar being presented plaque by the Chief guest



Dr. Aly Mishal being presented plaque by the Chief guest



A view of the Inaugural ceremony of the FIMA-IIMA-YARSI Scientific meeting on September 16th, 2011

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FIMA-IIMA-YARSI University Scientific Convention, 16-17th September '11

A very well attended and a successful scientific convention was held under the auspices of Indonesian IMA and YARSI University in collaboration with FIMA. The theme of convention was "Geriatric in the Paradigm of Islam. This convention was held on 16-17th September, 2011 in YARSI University, Jakarta-Indonesia.

The inaugural ceremony was held on 16th September at 9.00 am. It was attended by FIMA delegates from various countries, top physicians of Indonesia, Indonesian dignitaries and members of Parliament and notables, Chairperson of the convention Dr. Susi Endrini, Dr. Jurnal Uddin and Dr. Parvaiz Malik delivered the inaugural speeches. Dr. Fasli Jalal, the National Minister of Education announced the opening of scientific convention, followed by inauguration of the scientific exhibition.



Dr. Pervaiz Malik reading out the inscription on the Memento presented to Dr. Muhammad Khan (IMA South Africa)

Dr. Mohammad Khan from South Africa was decorated with FIMA life achievement award presented to him by the president of FIMA Dr. Parvaiz Malik and the chief guest. Dr Parvaiz Malik introduced Dr. Khan to the audience; highlighting his meritorious services for the cause of FIMA. The audience were overwhelmed with the sentiments of reverence and gratification thus offering a praiseworthy applause to Dr. Khan on his receiving the award.

The two days scientific sessions were wide-ranging yet comprehensive and enlightening. These focused at addressing the problems and challenges faced by people with old age; thereby amicably exploring and redefining Geriatrics within the limitations imposed by growing age,

associated diseases and its sequel. Harsh realities and those unaddressed issues were thrashed out which included scientific bases of Geriatrics, common issues and illness related to old age, their management and social rehabilitation of those suffering.



A view of audience during the scientific convention

The speakers highlighted various aspects and some of them highlighted an Islamic context to taking care of elderly as the social responsibility of a Muslim society. The speakers included Prof. Dr. Irawan Yusuf, PhD, Dr. Boenjamin Setiawan, PhD, Prof. Dr. Aly A. Misha'l, MD, FACP, Prof. Dr. Abul Fadl Mohsin Ebrahim, PhD, Prof. Dr. Hatta Shahaarun, Dr. Ammar Daoud, Prof. DR. Dr. Aris Widodo, MSc, DR. Dr. Czeresna Heriawan Soejono, SpPD, Prof. DR. Dr. Wasilah Rohmah Sudjono Aswin, SpPD, KGer, Dr. Mazen Y El-Zibdeh, MD, FRCOG, Lama T Yousef, MD, Prof. Dr. Brig. M Salim, FFA RCS, Prof. DR. Dr. Rusdi Lamsuddin, SpS, M. Med Sc, Dr. Meriam Omar Din, Dr. Rochani, SpB, SpU, Dr. Tanveerul Hassan Zubairi, Dr. Sagiran, SpB, Dr. Muhammad Khateeb.

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Inauguration of FIMA-YARSI reconstruction program of earthquake hit Lambeh village, Pariaman District of Sumatra, Indonesia

There was a very warm welcome by the local community of Lambeh, a village of Pariaman district of West Sumatra, Indonesia for FIMA President Dr. Parvaiz Malik, Mrs. Adeeba Malik, Executive Director Dr. Aly Mishal, Prof. Junalis Uddin of YARSI University Jakarta and Mrs. Jurnalisa on September 18, 2011 who flew from Jakarta after attending the 28th annual FIMA council meeting. The occasion was inauguration of a newly built school and a mosque, donated by FIMA/IMANA and YARSI University. Students of the school, especially girls wearing their local traditional formal costumes, the men and women of the village were chanting, singing and presenting their traditional dances to show their happiness and appreciation.

The picturesque district of Pariaman was devastated by a strong earthquake of moment magnitude of 7.6 on September 30, 2009 with epicenter only 28 miles from Padang, taking about 1100 lives and injuring over 4000 people. Major infrastructure, homes, schools, hospitals and the mosques were destroyed and damaged. FIMA was approached for help. IMANA raised and sent a large donation and the rest was contributed by the YARSI University, Jakarta, Indonesia. The poor but strong local community donated the land and their dedication and hard work and built the school and the mosque in three months.

Many spoke on the occasion and thanked FIMA and especially the Islamic Medical Association of North America for their timely help. Dr. Malik and Prof. Mishal praised the community for their steadfastness and thanked them for their warm hospitality. The beautiful landscape with breathtaking mountains and valleys of this evergreen region was very impressive.



Inauguration stone



School students lined up to greet the guests



Dr. & Mrs. Parvaiz Malik, Prof. Aly Mishal, Prof. & Mrs. Jurnalisa Uddin greeted by the Lambeh community leaders.



FIMA President Dr. Parvaiz Malik & Exec. Director Prof. Aly Mishal unveiling the inauguration stone.



The aspiring students of Lambeh village school having great moments of excitement.

Breaking News!

A devastating earthquake hit the eastern Turkey on 23rd Oct, 2011, 300 people were reported dead & over 1500 were injured. A team of DWW (Turkey) & Hayat Foundation rushed to the epicenter of the earthquake & rescue services were started without any delay. We are in touch with our brothers in Turkey & FIMA relief has offered medical relief services to Hayat Foundation.



The girls of Hizf section smiling and greeting the guests.

Picture gallery of 28th FIMA Council Meeting and FIMA-IIMA-YARSI Scientific Convention in Jakarta, Indonesia



Dr. Hafeez-ur-Rehman signing MOU with Rector of YASRI University for academic collaboration on behalf of Peshawar Medical College (Pakistan)



Dr. Tanveer Zubairi, Secretary FIMA addressing the Inaugural Ceremony



The delegates at registration counter on day one of the FIMA Council Meeting



The Chairman of YARSI University Dr. Jurnalnis Uddin receiving his award



A view of FIMA council meeting, the delegates making dua.



A nicely arranged exhibition attracted local and foreign delegates



A record number of female delegates attended the FIMA meeting



Dr. Shamim Khan from Pakistan making her comments during the Scientific meeting.

Picture gallery of 28th FIMA Council Meeting and FIMA-IIMA-YARSI Scientific Convention in Jakarta, Indonesia.



There was no Pak-Afghan border in Jakarta meeting



A view of reception hall, the officials busy with registration of delegates



Delegates from IMANA and IMA Queensland, Australia with FIMA office bearers



A view of IHC meeting on September 15th, 2011



The delegates greeted by the reception committee on 13th September 2011



A view of the opening ceremony of scientific convention



The delegates enjoyed delicious Indonesian spicy foods during their stay in Jakarta



A view of FIMA pre Council EXCO meeting on September 13th, 2011

Picture gallery of 28th FIMA Council Meeting and FIMA-IIMA-YARSI Scientific Convention in Jakarta, Indonesia.



Speakers at the scientific session on September 16th, 2011



CIMCO delegates attending the parallel session on September 15th, 2011



IMA Cambodia was represented by its two delegates



Help desk in the reception hall



Nice moments to share with



A very organized system of daily attendance was arranged by An efficient team of YARSI University



Exchange of ideas during the coffee break



A view of delegates on day two of FIMA council meeting on September 15th, 2011

Picture gallery of FIMA-IMANA-Islamic Relief Somalia Medical Relief



FIMA doctors with Islamic Relief staff at Banadir Hospital in Mogadishu



Dr. Irfan from PIMA working in an IDP camp medical dispensary.



Dr. Irfan & Dr. Baloch from PIMA in a refugee camp



Dr. Irfan, Dr. Asim & Dr. Baloch leaving Banadir Hospital after performing duty in the day shift



A view of inpatient ward at Banadir Hospital, Mogadishu



A child with 3rd degree burn in the Children ward of Banadir Hospital



Dr. Irfan-ullah Malik examining a young kid at Shagila camp

Diary of a Child Specialist from Mogadishu, Somalia

FIMA-IMANA Relief and Islamic Relief are working jointly in the worst famine and drought hit Somalia to provide the most needed medical relief. The first group of Pakistani doctors reached in Mogadishu on September 10th and stayed there for four weeks. Dr. Muhammad Asim is a paediatrician at Lahore General Hospital and is an expert in neonatology and a member of PIMA. Here are a few pages from his daily diary he wrote and shared with his friends. (This narration is available on FIMA website www.fimaweb.net)

IMANA Medical Relief - PIMA Sindh (Pakistan) Flood Relief Campaign



Dua being made before the departure of IMANA-PIMA mobile MCH Hospital to flood affected areas in Sindh



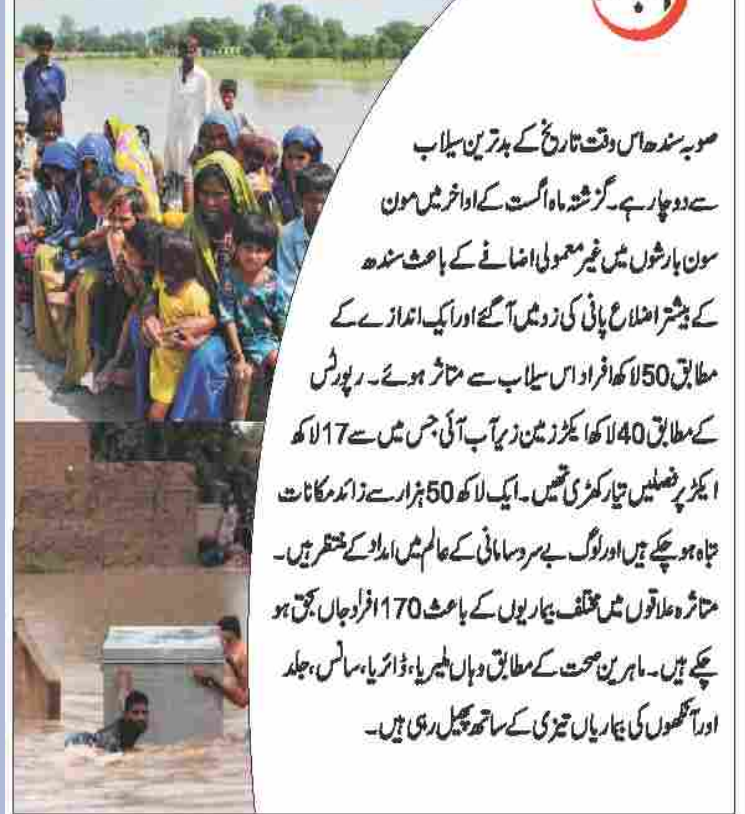
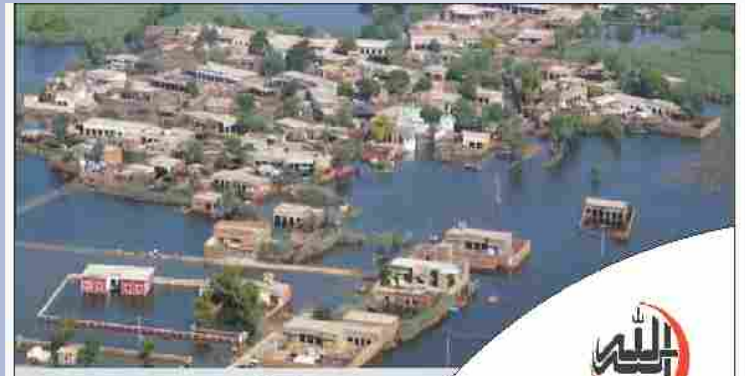
Thousands of homeless people were provided medical help by IMANA - PIMA medical relief teams



More than 200 patients were examined everyday by the mobile MCH hospital



A view of busy female clinic in Mirpur Khas in Sindh



صوبہ سندھ اس وقت تاریخ کے بدترین سیلاب سے دوچار ہے۔ گزشتہ ماہ اگست کے اواخر میں مون سون بارشوں میں غیر معمولی اضافے کے باعث سندھ کے بیشتر اضلاع پانی کی زد میں آگئے اور ایک اندازے کے مطابق 50 لاکھ افراد اس سیلاب سے متاثر ہوئے۔ رپورٹس کے مطابق 40 لاکھ ایکڑ زمین زیر آب آئی جس میں سے 17 لاکھ ایکڑ پرنفیس تیار کھڑی تھیں۔ ایک لاکھ 50 ہزار سے زائد مکانات تباہ ہو چکے ہیں اور لوگ بے سروسامانی کے عالم میں انداد کے منتظر ہیں۔ متاثرہ علاقوں میں مختلف بیماریوں کے باعث 170 افراد جاں بحق ہو چکے ہیں۔ ماہرین صحت کے مطابق وہاں ٹیبریا، ڈائریا، ماس، جلد اور آنکھوں کی بیماریاں تیزی کے ساتھ پھیل رہی ہیں۔



A long queue of the villagers waiting for their turn to be examined

IMANA Medical relief-PIMA Pakistan Sindh flood relief

It said that some 5.3m people were now affected by the floods, caused by days of torrential rains. More than 200 people have already been killed by the floods, reports say. The growing crisis is already being compared with last year's devastating floods.

Millions were displaced across the country and about 2,000 people died as torrential monsoon rains in 2010 caused rivers to burst their banks, washing away homes and property. Sindh was one of the worst affected regions. IMANA Relief in collaboration with its partner organization in Pakistan PIMA has started a campaign to extend medical and humanitarian relief service for flood affected population of Mirpur Khas, Hala and Badin in the first phase. IMANA relief's fully equipped mobile hospital has been moved to Mirpur Khas and is working day and night to extend emergency medical support to thousands of stranded people who are forced to take refuge on the roadsides and a few spared government schools.

So far more than 1500 patients have been examined and supplied medicine, a few minor surgical procedures were also conducted. There are other 7 teams of PIMA doctors working at various sites and around 25 doctors, paramedics and relief workers have so far examined more than 4400 patients and supplied them with medicine.

The IMANA PIMA relief team is in need of more supply of medicine and food supplements. An appeal is made to all to help the affected masses at this hour of need.



A view of beneficiaries of medical help by IMANA-PIMA Mobile Mother & Child Hospital

Remaining President Message

scientific convention. We are all very grateful to IIMA and all those from YARSI University for their warm hospitality and commitment. On behalf of FIMA Council I Congratulate the IMA's of Nigeria and Thailand for admission to the FIMA full membership. We also congratulate IMA of Mauritania for becoming associate FIMA member. The current membership of FIMA now stands 27 active IMA's and 13 associate members worldwide. Member IMA's presented their annual reports to the council with synopsis of their activities, dominated by the philanthropic activities of medical relief work during disasters and peace. FIMA Save Vision reported to have completed 62,000 cataract surgeries. FIMA Save Smile, FIMA Save Dignity and FIAM Mobile Mother and Child health services were also introduced to the world body. IMANA Relief in collaboration with FIMA and Islamic Relief of USA did an incredible job during the recent initiation of FIMA-IMANA-IR Somalis Medical relief project for the famine and drought hit Somali population which is stranded in the IDPs and refugees camps outnumbering the estimates.

It has been around two years since FIMA launched its e-Newsletter. It has proven to be a great tool for networking and communication. I encourage all IMA's to continue sending news of their activities to share with the global community of IMA's.

The next semi annual EXCO meeting will be held on 10-11th March 2012 in Istanbul and will be hosted by Hayat Foundation, Turkey. I invite your suggestions to improve the working of FIMA, especially as the EXCO shall deliberate on the topics of FIMA Consultative Council and amendments to the FIMA constitution.

Dr Parvaiz Malik,
President FIMA

FIMA Newsletter November-2011 will have articles on FIMA Year Book 2010, FIMASAC, FIMA Life Time Achievement Award & FIMA Relief.

Remaining FIMA-IIMA-YARSI University Scientific Convention,

The concluding ceremony was held on 17th of September followed by a dinner held in the YARSI University. The delegates enjoyed traditional Indonesian hospitality and were impressed by the personalized care and generosity of the local hosts. The delegates enjoyed a one day site seeing program; where they visited the cultural centre and Bandung business district and shopping malls.