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MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT



The 32nd FIMA council meeting will be held in Makkasar, Indonesia in 10th - 15th August 2015 on invitation of Indonesian Islamic Medical Association. The annual council meeting is the most important landmark in the working of FIMA. All the member IMAs and associate members-partner organization attend this meeting. The reports of executive committee, executive director and treasurer are presented. The report on activities of member IMAs are also

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MALAYSIA HIT BY WORST FLOODS, THOUSANDS HOMELESS AND IN NEED OF ESSENTIALS COMMODITIES. IMARET RESPONDS PROMPTLY

East coast of Malaysia and b south eastern provinces in Thailand faced the worst monsoon floods witnessed after so many decades. At least six states were badly affected. More than 150,000 people were displaced from their homes, hospitals remained non functional following the electricity failure but most tragically thousands of Malaysian young and old are somewhere out there, wet, cold,

sick and hungry for the past two weeks.

In close collaboration with Islamic Medical Association of Malaysia (IMAM) and its partners, IMARET (Islamic Medical Association Response and Relief Team) responded swiftly to the unprecedented devastation. Our partners include MERCY Malaysia, Ikram Health, I-Bantu,



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Team #tamakpahala, MIMPA, and countless generous individuals.

Since 23rd December 2014, twelve teams have been deployed to the states of Terengganu and Kelantan. Five cargo loads of medical supplies and basic necessities including drinking water, hygiene packs and food were airlifted to these states. Airlines namely Firely, Malindo Air and AirAsia have sponsored the flights of all our doctors and supplies.

More than 100 young doctors, nurses and allied health professionals have already served and matching number is on a standby and more than one ton of medical supplies have been distributed so far. FIMA will respond with both financial and emergency humanitarian relief aid from local

surrounding regions (Indonesia, Pakistan, Australia, etc). Dr Zaim (+60 12 760 3514) was appointed the local coordinator in Malaysia (see contact details below and banking details). May Allah (SWT) relieve their pain and suffering and guide our young volunteers in their noble and courageous efforts, Insha'Allah. Your urgent responses are appreciated. For more information: www.fimaweb.net or www.facebook.com/imamresponsandrelief or www.imammalaysia.org

Jazakum'Allah Khair



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FIMA HIV-AIDS AWARENESS PROJECT ACTIVITIES

FIMA Expert and Pioneer in the area of education, youth leadership and prophylaxis from sexually transmitted diseases Dr. Abdel Hameed Al-Qudah, Jordan has sent the most recent report and photos (the 151st activity) about his invitation to several cities in South Africa in September, 2014:

- In Cape Town: An intense course and graduation (FIMA certificates) of 57 youth



leaders: medical professionals, teachers, imams...etc) (males and females).

- In Johannesburg: Another course and graduation of 60 youth leaders.
- Presentations in Universities.
- Several TV, radio and newspapers interviews.



For more information about F I M A - H I V / A I D S Protection/Awareness Project, visit: <http://qudah.com/>



FIMA PRESIDENT ATTENDS THE MEETING OF NATIONAL ISLAMIC ADVISORY GROUP (NIAG)

Dr. Tanveer Zubairi, President of FIMA and Past President of PIMA Dr Atta ur Rehman attended the meeting of National Islamic advisory group in Karachi. The meeting was attended by Muslim religious scholars including Mufti e Azam Pakistan Maulana Rafi

Usmani, Senator Maulan Samiul Haq, Maulana Haneef Jullandhari, Medical experts, representatives from Federal Government, NGOs and WHO/UNICEF officials. The participants were appraised of rising number of Polio cases in the

country. A detailed discussion was conducted on overcoming the obstacles and a short term and long term plan was devised. The efforts made by NIAG during the last 9 months prior were also critically assessed.



FIMA LEADERSHIP CONGRATULATES DR. OMAR ABDIQANI ON ASSUMING THE CHARGE OF DIRECTOR GENERAL HEALTH SERVICES IN SOMALIA

Dr. Omar Abdiqani, the former President of Somali Young Doctors Association has been appointed as Director General of health services in Somalia under a notification issued by Ministry of health. Dr Abdiqani has been actively engaged with provision of healthcare services to civil war and regional conflict affected

Somali people and internally displaced persons. President of FIMA has congratulated him on assuming the charge of this office, in a message Dr. Zubairi was hopeful that Dr. Abdiqani will contribute immensely to strengthen the deficient and poorly provided healthcare services in Somalia.



FIMA SAVE VISION (SCHOOL EYE CARE PROGRAM)

POB, a subsidiary of FIMA Save Vision in Pakistan holds periodic free eye camps for school children. A camp was recently organized in Muridke, Sheikhpura and around 200 young kids were examined. The eye check up was performed, refraction was also done and

glasses were provided free of cost. A lecture was also delivered on hygiene and care of eyes.



Dr. Intzar Hussain Butt hosted a dinner in the honour of Dr. Saleem Arif from British Islamic Medical Association, FIMA President and senior doctors from PIMA. He introduced the FIMA save vision project to the participants.

POB Trust Excellence Award

POB Trust presented Excellence Awards to its prestigious Doctors.

Awardees are:

1. Dr. Intzar Hussain
2. Dr. Muhammad Zahid Latif
3. Dr. Kunwar Usman Saeed
4. Dr. Hafeez ur Rehman
5. Dr. Misbah ul Aziz
6. Dr. Muhammad Azhar Qazi
7. Dr. Ghulam Hussain Asif
8. Dr. Shayan Shadmani
9. Dr. Riaz Ahmedor
10. Dr. Lal Muhammad
11. Dr. Iftikhar Ahmed
12. Dr. Imran Gayoor



IMA LEBANON CAMPAIGN AGAINST POLIO, MEASLES & RUBELLA ERADICATION

IMALB had participated in National campaigns in collaboration with the Ministry of Public Health and Ministry of Social Affairs and the Ministry of National Education, Civil Society and the medical society and with the support of UNICEF and WHO. The implemented campaigns were mandatory.

IMALB executed the vaccination campaigns against Polio in Al Rayan Medical Center, in schools,

in mosques, on Streets, etc..

Phase I: March 10-15 against Polio, Measles and Rubella with vitamin A dose

Phase II: April 10-15 against Polio, Measles and Rubella with vitamin A dose

National campaigns for vaccination of children dropping out from previous campaigns:

from 15 to 21 July, 2014

from 15 to 21 August, 2014

from 15 to 21 September, 2014

Phase III: October 15-21 Polio

Phase IV: November 15-21 Polio

PS: The Civil Defense Department in IMALB had also assisted in all these campaigns.





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POB TRUST

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Place	Date	OPD	Surgeries	Doctors
Channan	30 - 31 - 01 Nov	1100	160	4
Mandi Bahauddin	01 - 02 Nov	1000	140	5
Tandlianwala	07 - 08 - 09 Nov	1500	308	6
Layyah	14 - 15 - 16 Nov	1300	200	6
Fort Abbas	20 - 21 - 22 Nov	2000	234	6

November 2014

Total OPD: 6900

Total Surgeries: 1042



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FIMA YEAR BOOK 2013

This is the 1st part of the long-awaited Encyclopedia of Medical Ethics. It covers only 5 topics.

The Encyclopedia project will need around 10 year book to cover the remaining 80 topics.

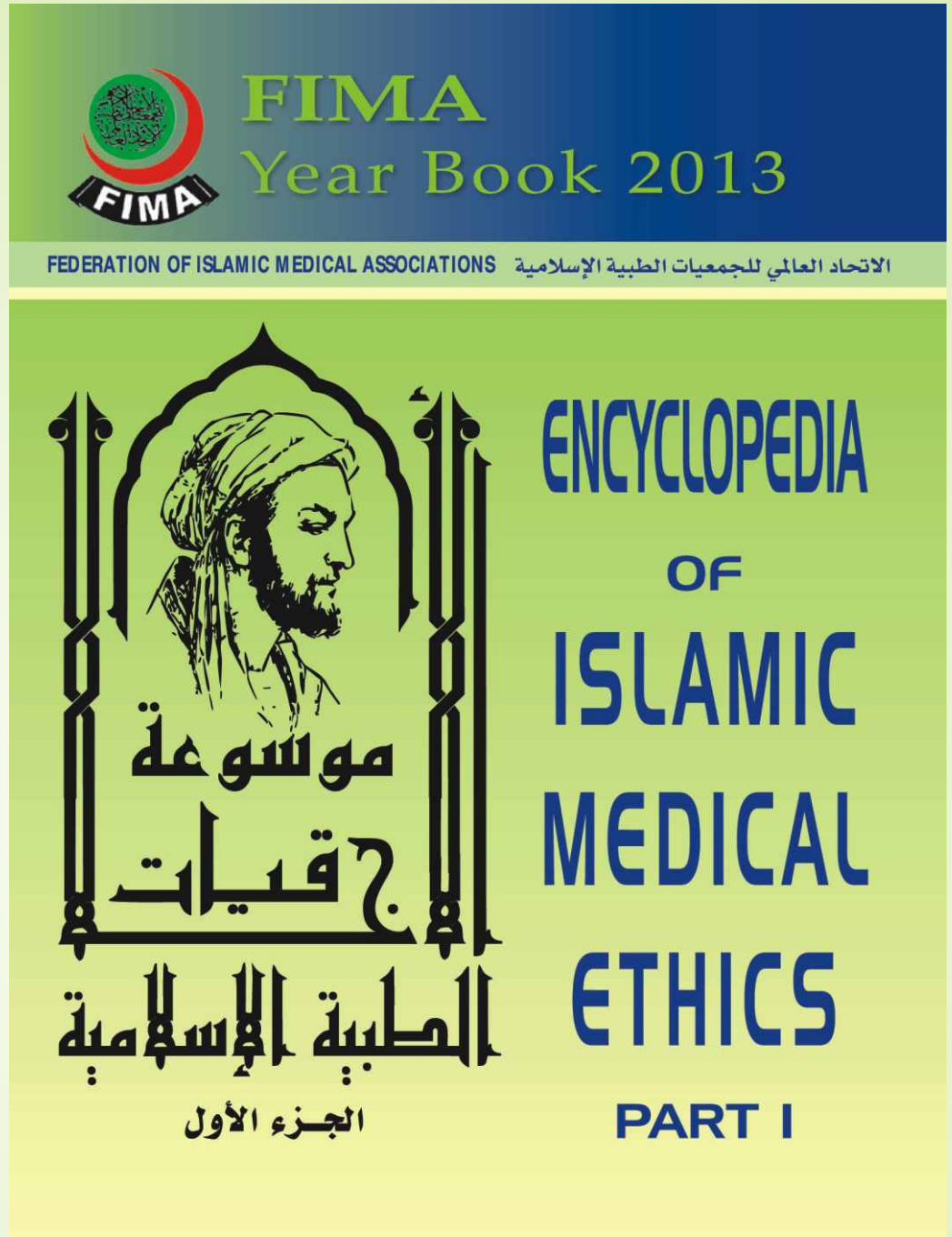
FIMA Year Book-2014 has been published under title: ADDICTION: MEDICAL, PSYCHOSOCIAL AND ISLAMIC PERSPECTIVES

(Photo of cover is available on FIMA website).

The book provides unique and comprehensive expert discussions on various types of addition, including (Behavioral Addiction), with Islamic perspectives.

FIMA Year Book-2015: Theme [Genetics: Scientific and Jurisprudence Perspectives]. Topics to be discussed:

- Genomics overview.
- The genetic code.
- The Human Genome Project.
- Genomic imprinting.
- Role of genetics in the practice of medicine.
- Genetic diversity in humans.
- Mutations.
- Genetic counseling and testing.
- Genetic disease associations.
- Gene therapy.
- Genetic Engineering.
- Genetics and Consanguineous marriages.
- Genetic improvement (or enhancement).



- Pre-implantation Genetic Diagnosis (PGD).
- Pharmacogenetics.
- DNA (Nature, sequences, probes, databases, patenting ...etc).
- Biological samples (clinical and research uses, ethics).
- Genetically modified food controversies.
- Stem cells.

Perspective expert authors from various IMAs, collaborators and friends, are called upon to write chapters. For [Instructions to Authors], kindly visit: www.fimaweb.net , under publications.



Dr Tanveer Zubairi, President FIMA presenting souvenir to Dr Ashraf Jedaar director of FIMA relief at the occasion of FIMA-IMANA convention in Arusha, Tanzania. Dr Khalique Zahir and Dr. Aly Mishal are also present.



Dr Khalique Zahir, Ex. President IMANA presenting souvenir to Dr Intzar Butt director of FIMA Save Vision at the occasion of FIMA-IMANA convention in Arusha, Tanzania. Dr Ismail Mehr President IMANA is also present.

REMAINING MESSAGE OF THE PRESIDENT

presented and discussion on agenda items is carried out. The plans for the following year are presented and finalized with approval of council.

IMA of Indonesia, FOKKI and YARSI University have always played a very supportive role in carrying out FIMA activities. The 2015 FIMA council meeting will be the third meeting hosted by our Indonesian colleagues. They are always remembered for their excellent arrangements, meticulous homework for the meeting and memorable hospitality. May I request all the office bearers in IMAs to plan ahead of time and make a very visible and lively representation in the FIMA council meeting.

The 16th FIMA Students camp was planned to be held in Bandung, Indonesia in January 2015, however due to some unavoidable reasons with arrangements of the meeting. The new dates will be communicated soon with Umrah camp dates.

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circulated and placed on FIMA website. All IMAs are welcomed to also place them on their websites.

FIMA relief has been busy with Gaza medical relief, Syrian relief and Flood relief in Malaysia during the recent months. Please remain in touch with Dr Ashraf Jedaar (ajedaar@iafrica.com) for the updates and your input.

FIMA President will be attending the WHO conference in Khartoum, Sudan on Immunization of Somali Children against Polio and communicable diseases. FIMA President will also attend the World assembly of Muslim youth annual meeting in Marrakech, Morocco this month.

FIMA website has recently been upgraded with a new outlook and user friendly approach. It has rich material and a source of learning more about FIMA and its project. Please spare some time every week to visit the site (www.fimaweb.net)

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In the next issue of February 2015:- News from FIMA Save-Vision, IMA Malaysia, Report of IMANA CME from Saudi Arabia and Report of FIMA Relief will be included.