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**Association of
Pulmonologists of Puducherry**



Venue:
**Mahatma Gandhi Medical College
and Research Institute,
Sri Balaji Vidyapeeth,
Puducherry - 607 403.**

Welcome to TAPPCON – 2017

Dear Friends and Colleagues,

On behalf of the Organizing Committee, it gives us immense pleasure in announcing the 3rd Tamil Nadu and Puducherry State Conference on Pulmonary Diseases TAPPCON 2017 to be held on 2nd & 3rd of September 2017 under the aegis of Association of Pulmonologists of Puducherry (APP) 2017 at Mahatma Gandhi Medical College and Research Institute, Puducherry.

Call it Puducherry or Pondicherry, our state has been described as “Paris of East”. With a blend of Indian and French culture, we cordially invite you to relish the academic feast and French hospitality.

This conference will be a two day scientific event, with expected participants from all over Tamil Nadu and Puducherry. Conference has been planned in such a way that it will be of utmost benefit to all the participating delegates to update their knowledge and improve their skills in the field of Pulmonary Medicine. There will be a session on 'Clinical Grand Rounds' for interactive case discussion focusing on young delegates.

We have planned a free paper session, Award paper session (Oral) and also a Poster presentation for Post-graduate students. This will immensely benefit them as paper presentation in a State / National conference has become mandatory as per the MCI regulations.

We look forward to meeting you at Puducherry.

BIENVENUE

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ORAL / POSTER PRESENTATION - INSTRUCTIONS

- Last Day for Submission – 31st July 2017
- Oral Presentation abstract should not exceed more than 250 words. The title of the presentation, name of the author, co-author and the institution must be clearly mentioned.
- Letter from the HOD is a must for acceptance.
- All abstracts must be sent in Microsoft Word Format (.doc, .docx)
- For Poster Presentation: Size of the poster is 4 feet height and 3 feet wide.
- All abstracts must be sent to tappcon2017@gmail.com along with your mobile number
- Acceptance will be informed to your email id.
- Registration is mandatory for presenting paper / poster
- Three best oral papers and posters will be awarded.

In case of any clarification kindly call : **Dr. VINOD KUMAR SAKA - 9442108095**
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REGISTRATION TARIFF

Category	Registration	Spot Registration
Post Graduate	Rs. 1000	Rs. 2000
Delegate (Member)	Rs. 2000	Rs. 3000
Delegate (Non Member)	Rs. 3000	Rs. 4000
Accompanying Person	Rs. 1000	Rs. 2000

PAYMENT OPTIONS:

Offline Payment:

Make Demand Draft for the appropriate amount in favour of " Association of Pulmonologists of Puducherry" Payable at Puducherry and send along with registration form to Conference Secretariat as mentioned below.

Online payment:

For Direct Bank Transfers (NEFT/RTGS), Bank details:
Name of Account: "Association of Pulmonologists of Puducherry" Account no.: 9187970 Bank name & address: **INDIAN BANK**, Main Branch, Pondicherry, 605001.
IFSC code: IDIB000P042

Upon successful transaction, kindly send the NEFT/RTGS online e-receipt or scanned copy of the bank pay-in slip to our e-mail ID: tappcon2017@gmail.com with the subject line as "TAPPCON 2017"

CONFERENCE SECRETARIAT:

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Puducherry – 607 403.

IMPORTANT DATES

- Last date for registration: 15th August 2017
- Last date of submission of abstract: 31st July 2017
- Date of conference: 2nd & 3rd September 2017



One of the major highlights of Auroville is the Matrimandir, a modern structure with a high significance for integral Yoga practitioners. Matrimandir has a lotus-shaped dome almost 30 meters high and is covered by golden discs that reflect sunlight



Pondicherry Museum has on display a fantastic collection of sculptures handicrafts, archaeological findings from the Arikamedu Roman settlement and items from the French colonial time such as furniture and coins among other things.



Sri Manakula Vinayagar Temple was in existence before the French came and settled in Pondicherry i.e. before 1666. In Tamil, 'Manal' means sand and 'Kulam' means pond near the sea. Earlier, there was full of sand around the pond. So, the people called the god as Manal Kulathu Vinayagar [means God near the pond of sand]. Later, it was named as Manakula Vinayagar.



BOTANICAL GARDEN

Featuring six gorgeous fountains, a large aquarium with ornamental fishes, Japanese rock, dancing fountain and a beautiful children's train

